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IS THERE NO MERCY?

Gasped Mrs. Sternaman as the Judge Sentenced Her.

THE JURY'S VERDICT OF GUILTY.

The Execution to Take Place on January 20, 1898—The Judge Will, However, Forward to Ottawa the Jury's Recommendation of Mercy—Prisoner Declares Her Incence.

Cayuga, Nov. 20.—(Special.)—After a three days' trial, in which an immense amount of important evidence was submitted, Mrs. Olive Adele Sternaman has been found guilty of causing the death of her husband, George H. Sternaman, by administering poison. The case has occupied the attention of the public for over a year, and most of that time has been occupied in the fight by the counsel for the prisoner over the extradition proceedings. It was a case which demanded more than ordinarily industrious work on the part of the officers of the Crown in piecing together the evidence against the prisoner, and Mr. Murray, the Government Inspector, deserves the highest credit for the work he has done. The first witness of the day was Prof. Ellis, the provincial analyst, of Toronto, gave evidence as to his analysis of the organs of the deceased submitted to him. He found in all seven grains of arsenic in the different parts, and gave it as his opinion that this was more than sufficient to cause death.

Asked if it were possible that the arsenic which he found in the liver could have been deposited there in the process of embalming, he replied that it was unlikely.

Dr. Thompson, coroner, was then recalled and identified the seals found on the bottles, and also the box containing them. This concluded the evidence for the prosecution.

The Defence.

Mr. German, for the defence, called Mrs. Eliza Chipman, mother of the first husband of the prisoner. She said that her son and the prisoner had been married nine or ten years, and seemed to live happily together. Prisoner always objected to life insurance, and only on the suggestion of witness was Chipman's life insured.

Dora Bostead, sister of Chipman, testified that during Chipman's illness she noticed that the color of his skin was very white and he was much bloated and swollen, and could not help himself.

Lizzie Sevenpiper, sister of the prisoner, sworn, thought that Sternaman was jealous of his wife, but they seemed to live happy together. When prisoner paid Mr. Snider he handed her a receipt, and upon being asked if that included everything, he replied yes, that included everything, embalming and all.

Wallace Thayer, attorney, of Buffalo, testified that the law in New York State regulating sale of poison requires that a witness must accompany the purchaser unless his identity is known. No record of sale of poison is kept, except in drug stores.

Dr. James McFadden of Buffalo next gave evidence. He had treated Sternaman during his first illness, and his patient improved. He described Addison's disease, but to Mr. Osler he admitted that since Addison's had been excluded, and considering all the conditions shown at the inquest, he would conclude that death was due to arsenical poisoning.

The evidence for the defence was admittedly weak.

Mr. German's Address.

At 11.45 Mr. German began his address to the jury for the prisoner. He said that he had a feeling of great responsibility in defending a woman in this trial, and said he thought that every person in the country, themselves being included, had read the newspapers, and had formed some sort of an opinion; but, no matter what they had read, he thought that would not bias their minds either for or against the prisoner. He said that, although the evidence is consistent with guilt, they had to go a step further than that, and say that it was inconsistent with any other cases from similar symptoms. The cause of death was given as multiple neuritis, and this is not a disease at all, but a result of many diseases. He said he wanted them to pay particular attention to this, because he knew this was where the Crown would make their strongest appeal.

He said that the Crown puts forward as the motive for the prisoner to poison her first husband, Mr. Chipman, an insurance, and he shows by Mrs. Chipman, mother of the deceased, evidence that the prisoner always objected to him putting an insurance on his life, and he said that if this was her motive, he asked them would she not wait until she could collect the full amount of the policy, and as it was at the time of his death, she only drew something over $300 out of a policy of something over $700. He asked, was this motive consistent?

Mr. German said that the only reason why Mr. Chipman's death was introduced here was to prejudice the jury's mind against her. He asked if it would not look more probable for Mr. G. H. Sternaman to have administered the dose of poison to Mr. Chipman, than it would be for his wife, considering that Sternaman was very jealous, and subject to these peculiar spells. He said, considering that the $1000 insurance which Sternaman had on his life was, according to the evidence, taken at home when she was out, and that the agent, pressing for more insurance, and then for her to let the policy lapse for reason of non-payment of premiums, would it not seem as though there was no motive at all?,

Mr. German spoke for two hours, and made a masterly fight for the prisoner, with what little material he had to work on.

The court adjourned at 1.30.

As to the medical evidence, Mr. German urged the contradictory opinions of the doctors as to the cause of death. One said atrophy of the liver, another Addison's disease, a third arsenical poisoning. Arsenic was found in the body on exhumation. It might have been embalming fluid, it might have been a natural poisonous deposit, contracted from the soil where the body lay. No detective could bring even the most innocent prisoner into a court without adducing suspicious circumstances. It must be remembered that in all the evidence offered by the Crown there was not a jot which traced the pur-

MRS. STERNAMAN.

chase of arsenic or any arsenical preparation to Mrs. Sternaman.

Mr. Osler's Address.

Mr. Osler attempted no oratory. He allowed the eloquent facts to speak for themselves in logical sequence. As to embalming, the issue was not what Snider said, but what he did. He did not embalm the body. He did not charge for embalming in his bill. The condition of the body on being exhumed showed no traces of embalming fluid. Arsenic was found in the body. The prisoner only attended to the man's wants. The prisoner alone put up the lunch which produced the acute vomiting. The death by poisoning, no embalming, arsenic in the body, the irresistible conclusion is guilt.

The insurance on the dead man was $1970. The $1000 policy in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company was applied for by the prisoner. Sternaman had reluctantly consented because he felt he could not afford premiums. She had said that she did not intend to be left in the lurch with the second husband. She had before her the temptation of a large sum of money, as much as her husband would receive in four years' salary. Was that a motive? Was she honest in her statements as to this insurance? Why did she say at Rainham to her mother-in-law and the doctors that George had only $770 on his life. In her proofs of loss why had she not mentioned that Dr. Frost and Dr. Phelps had attended her husband? Does this concealment help to indicate guilt?

Mr. Osler followed Sternaman's sickness day by day, and suggested that he had improved under Dr. Saltsman's treatment, because Mrs. Sternaman had discontinued the poison because of Dr. Frost's warning. From June 10 to June 12 no doctor had seen Sternaman. Dr. Saltsman had left him better; when he was removed to Canada, two days later, he was paralyzed and helpless. Had poison been administered in the interval? About this letter; why was it written while writing, but not mentioning the spells, to the insurance companies? When Dr. Frost suggested poison she at once mentioned the letter. It was her insurance, her credential of innocence.

Coming to his sickness at Rainham, and the symptoms Dr. Park and Dr. Harrison had discovered, had she his life in her hands? Was she letting him progress toward life or death, as it pleased her? Was it consistent with honesty toward her husband's life that she concealed from the Canadian doctors what the Buffalo physicians had said about poison? She had said: "Let the other doctors find it out themselves." She had consented to a post mortem because she couldn't well prevent it. She had persistently refused to let her husband go to the hospital because she could not attend to him, but she was willing to abandon him when she dumped him in Canada.

Mr. Osler said that the Chipman evidence was admissable because it was an equivocal act which threw light on the present affair. "It was arsenic and not Addison that Sternaman died of," concluded Mr. Osler, "and the defence wants you to say that the undertaker put arsenic in the body, and that he died of Addison." With this reductio ad absurdum, Mr. Osler ended his address to the jury.

The Judge's Charge.

His Lordship charged strongly against the prisoner. His argument was almost identical with Mr. Osler's, and he emphasized the same points—the letter, the concealment of the poison symptoms, of which she was cognizant from the Canadian doctors, the suspicious death of her former husband, the arsenical symptoms and the arsenic in the body after death. The judge characterized the prisoner's conduct as heartless and flippant. The question of insurance was touched lightly. It was better, he said, if a motive was proved, but it was not necessary for a conviction.

The Jury Out Four Hours.

The jury retired at twenty minutes to 5, and exactly four hours later came back with a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation for mercy.

In response to the usual question, Mrs. Sternaman said in a clear, calm voice: "I am not guilty in the eyes of God. I will have a new trial, and I will be acquitted."

The Dread Sentence.

The judge said that he thoroughly concurred with the verdict, and then pronounced the sentence of the Court. His voice quivered as he recited the solemn formula, which ended "and that you be be taken thence on Thursday, Jan. 20, 1898, to the place of execution, and there be hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may God have mercy on your soul."

"Oh, Judge," said Mrs. Sternaman, with a gasp, "is there no mercy in this country?"

The prisoner, in spite of her words, showed no deep emotion. Her countenance did not change, and her agitation did not ring true. In her cell she repeated her asseverations of a new trial, and complained of the injustice of Canadian courts.

His Lordship told the jury that he would forward their recommendation to Ottawa.

Mr. German has applid for a reserve case for the prisoner on the ground of the irrelevance of the Chipman evidence.

THE ORR MURDER.

Allison's Defence is Said to Have Been Greatly Strengthened—8 o'Clock is the Important Hour.

Galt, Nov. 20.—Allison's trial opens on the 29th, and rumors of all kinds are floating around. One thing is sure, and that is that the boy has not confessed. It is said, however, that the defence has been greatly strengthened of late. The most important hour in connection with the case is that between 7 and 8 o'clock on Mondy morning, Aug. 9.

No doubt Allison's defence will try to prove that he was at George Barrie's at 8 o'clock, and that he could not have committed the crime. It is stated that they are in a position to bring weighty evidence in support of the contention that he was at Barrie's at 8 o'clock. It will be remembered that a gun shot was heard at eight o'clock, and it seems to be conceded that this bears a close relation to the tragedy. The sequence that follows is that if Allison was a mile or so from the place where the sound came from, he cannot be responsible for it. There are sidelines along which the defence may work, and if they can establish this as a fact a great deal will be done.

SUICIDE AT WINNIPEG.

A Bank Messenger's Sad Farewell to His Mother.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 20.—Thomas Davidson, messenger in the Banque d'Hochelaga, committed suicide yesterday in a room in rear of the bank by shooting himself through the forehead with a revolver. He left a letter lying near, which read: "Farewell, dear mother, brothers and dear ones forgive me. May God have mercy on my soul." He was unmarried and had a slight trouble with his accounts.

Delays in trains will prevent Hon. C. Sifton reaching Winnipeg until to-morrow morning.

A warm local bye-election is being fought in Turtle Mountain. The chances are in favor of the Government candidate.

Hugh John Macdonald held two Conservative organization meetings this week. He is devoting a great deal of time to political matters.

TO THE RESCUE.

An Overland Expedition to the Ice-Bound Whalers—It will Be a Perilous Journey.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Lieut. Ellsworth Price Berthoif of the United States revenue cutter service who will command the overland expedition for the relief of the whalers imprisoned in the mountains of ice in the Arctic seas, arrived in Chicago last night.

Lieut. Berthoif said: "I shall hurry to Seattle, where Captain Tuttle and the revenue cutter Bear have been ordered to make ready to take the relief party to the farthest point along the Alaskan coast. We shall probably leave that port on Nov. 23.

"Our overland journey will begin at Canalaska. With dogs and sledges and all the food we can carry, we shall set out for Fort Clarence. A reindeer colony at the Government station at that place is to furnish six hundred reindeer. We will herd them and drive them with us to our prospective destination."

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Had Tried So Many

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PROOFS OF PROGRESS.

In spite of the sneers of its opposition the Dominion Government has well earned a title as a "business" government—that is one one that deals with public affairs on business principles, as contrasted with the former reign when party exigencies very largely directed the course of the administration of several important departments. In the last year of the late government the postoffice department deficit had amounted to the large figure of $792,153.17. With a comparatively short term of office Hon. Mr. Mulock, Postmaster General, has done good work. He has corrected abuses, gives a more effective service and added about 65,000 miles to the postal service and at a cost of about $125,000 ($124,549.11) less than the late government conducted a less efficient service, shorter in the matter of mail routes by 65,000 miles. Besides the expense of departmental administration has been greatly reduced, with the result that in one short year of work, from Jan. 30th, 1896, to Jan. 30th, 1897, the deficit of over $780,000 has been reduced to $580,000, a clear saving of $200,000 in one department alone. It has been pointed out by the Globe that last year the Post Office revenue increased over the preceeding year by a quarter of a million dollars, and the postmaster general estimates that the return of prosperity and increased business activity will produce an increase of postal revenue this year of over three quarters of a million over the year 1896, so that the revenue of the post office will have increased over a million of dollars in two years, an increase of 30 per cent. in two years. The increase of revenue for the year ending June '94, was 1.04, for the year ending June 30th, '97, the increase was 6.13 per cent, and it is estimated that the increase this year will be 20 per cent.

In comment on this the Globe says:—"We doubt if any country to-day can exhibit so satisfactory a proof of its progress. That we are to have a great addition to our population next year is evident on all sides, and now with reasonable tariff stability we may confidently anticipate in the immediate future such a growth in population and such progress in our industries as will surprise all of us who remember the condition of this country two short years ago."

THE past year seems to have been a good one for the fire insurance companies doing business in Canada. They received a total $7,075,850 in premiums and paid losses amounting to $4,173,501. At that rate there should be no talk of increasing the rates.

MR. O. A. HOWLAND, of Toronto, who was at one time spoken of as the leader of the Ontario Opposition, has evidently lost his desire to succeed Mr. Whitney and meet the defeat that awaits that gentleman at the next provincial elections, though he is not averse, it seems, to sacrificing himself on the altar of the party in Centre Toronto. He will to-day, it is pretty certain, receive the party nomination for Centre Toronto in the bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Lount. The official nomination takes place next Tuesday, and Mr. Howland then enters the field against Mr. Bertram. The fight will be one in earnest.

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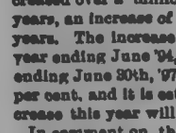

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"Yes Charley."

"Can I aspire *to—er—to—that—is*"

Again a lapse into silence, followed by an encouraging—

"Yes, Charley"

"Oh, if I might only hope to er—to

Another failure of language. It was seemingly a hopeless case, and might have been, only for a demure—

"Charley, I have said 'yes' twice, and if you mean it, I mean it, too, and—"

and to this day that young man will insist that he popped the question.

All this happened away "down east," and it wasn't long before there was a wedding. Not much longer before there came a letter from Polly's Uncle Josh, out here in the County of Peterborough, who wrote effusively of his delight at her exhibition of what he called "grit," and he proposed that if the young people would locate at Peterborough, he would start them up in life, as a wedding gift and a Christmas present combined. Of course they accepted, and were soon bidding their friends adieu.

A few days subsequent to the above conversation, a travel-stained party arrived in Peterborough. Our friend, Uncle Josh, was in charge, and he led the party straightway to a hotel. "The Oriental," said he, "is a typical Canadian hotel of the best class. I have known George Graham, the proprietor, for years, and he is mine host after mine own heart, being endowed with that delightful intuition that makes a guest feel at home, comfortable, contented and in mighty good luck. The house is one of convenience; the apartments are well furnished and the cuisine all that a superior chef and unlimited orders on the market can make it. I have engaged rooms here until your own house is in readiness."

"After breakfast," said the old man, "I'm ready to go buy your outfit. To expedite matters I have ordered a carriage from R. H. Leary, our enterprising livery man." When the handsome carriage, with elaborate trappings and prancing horses, drew up in front of the hotel, Polly decared it "the finest turnout she had ever seen." "Yes Sir-ee," replied Uncle Josh, "the three 'S's, 'Speed, Safety and Style,' is Leary's coat of arms. So, young folks, when you want to take a drive, either for business or pleasure, go to him for a rig every time." His wedding, party and driving equipments are unsurpassed. It was in this stylish turnout that the rounds of the city were made.

"Where to?" asked the polite driver as the trio entered the conveyance. Uncle Josh looked askance at his wards. "Oh, goodness knows there's lots to buy," remarked Polly. "Then suppose we buy 'lots' first," quoth Charley without turning a hair. "Oh you've got a great head for business," laughed Uncle Josh, "and the firm to see for 'lots' is Lindsay & Might. I can always depend upon them for bargains in real estate, as they never hold out false lights to induce people to buy. What they tell you about property, may be set down as solid facts. They control a large list of desirable residences as well as farm properties, and their judgment on the 'good things' is par excellence." The party was not long in making a dicker for a nice house on a pleasant street with Lindsay & Might, and a farm, which Charley considered a splendid investment.

"Having provided you with a cage for the bird," said Uncle Josh, "now the first thing we'll look after will be the furnishings for it." Hereupon Polly energetically declared that she had heard so much about Clegg's furniture that she had decided to go there. The result was that they were ushered into such a bewildering display that the girl was at first at a loss how to select. But she soon yielded to the seductiveness of a magnificent parlour suite, a bedroom set in oak, antique finish, that would do credit to old Antiquity himself. To this she added an easy rocker for Uncle Josh, and didn't forget a most convenient and ornamental writing desk for "Hubby" Charley, saying that she thought Clegg's figures below even the whisper of competion.

"A pretty good start," said the old man, "and now we'll go to Adam Hall's big tinware and stove store. Here Polly's housewifely instincts had full play in marvels of kitchen apparatus. "There is not an establishment in the country that carries a more comprehensive stock of household furnishings," remarked Uncle Josh. "Every possible piece of kitchen furniture, from a tin dipper to a cooking range, is here in all styles and variety." If Polly fails to accomplish wonders in the culinary art, it will not be for want of superior cooking utensils, for she purchased a Souvenir cook stove with all equipments needed in a well-regulated kitchen, besides an Art Souvenir base burner for the parlour. All of which were just paid for with delight, 'cause He knew Mr. Hall had treated him right.

Womanlike, Polly was discussing the matter of how she would arrange her new house, and was interrupted by Uncle Josh. "And these house fixins' remind me," said he, "that you haven't got your dishes yet." The most famous stock in extent, quality and completeness is at China Hall. But the average reader need not be told what an array of table ware Polly had to select from. There isn't, positively, a thing in the line of china, crockery, glass or porcelain needed for use or ornament in any part of the house that cannot be found at China Hall in indefinite variety and at wonderfully low prices. They also have a splendid stock of silverware and lamps of every description in abundance.

Polly's big order suggested her thorough appreciation. As a compliment Mr. Wilson made her a present of a nice can filled with first-class coal oil.

"Oh, say, Uncle," exclaimed Polly, "where can I go for dry goods? This dress is hardly suitable, I must admit." "Well, my girl, if you want to select from the most popular establishment in the city, I will direct you to Richard Hall & Son, who carry a stock of dress goods that for variety and real value is seldom seen outside the largest metropolitan cities. They send a buyer direct to the European factories, who selects the very latest weaves in fashionable dress goods. You will find Hall & Son pleasant to deal with, and their employees polite and expert, while the prices cannot be duplicated."

It did not take Polly long to tell a bargain when she saw one. After getting a handsome dress or two, she turned her attention to kid gloves, veils and a dozen other articles in ladies' furnishings of which this store is noted for giving extra choice values.

Polly also visited the mantle and millinery department, and when she returned to Uncle Josh she said, "I do declare, uncle, you have not said a word about carpets yet." "Jes so, jes so," laughed the old man, "it does take you wimmin folks to think of things, but I tell you it won't take me long to settle that carpet business. House furnishings are one of Richard Hall & Son's leading departments and the beauty of it is they don't charge any fancy prices either." Polly was soon revelling in a perfect elysium of handsomely designed floor coverings; she selected something suitable for the parlour, living and sleeping rooms, as well as linoleum for the kitchen, and then turned her attention to lace curtains, blankets, table linens and towels, of which this store shows an unsurpassed stock marked down to the lowest possible prices.

"Let's see—I promised you a gold watch, didn't I," queried Uncle Josh of Polly, "and Schneider, the jeweller's, is the place to get one cheap." Entering the popular jewelry store the old man gallantly acquitted himself of the promise and then directed Polly's attention to the superior stock of silverware carried by the house. "There is no other such house in town," said the old man, "and I will guarantee the quality to be the very best. Pick out your family clock while here," he added. "Schneider carries a magnificent line. Don't forget another *fact*," he continued, addressing Charles in an off-hand manner. "If ever that old turnip of your'n breaks down remember that Mr. Schneider is also an expert doctor on sick watches and can fix 'em up good as new."

At this point, somewhat to the confusion of Charley, the old man indulged in a half serious criticism of his personal appearance. "You are decidedly off style for a townsman," said he, "and we'd better go and see LeBrun & Co., the fashionable merchant tailors, about some new duds. They employ an expert cutter who understands the changing styles, and for fits and high-class workmanship is especially noted, and besides you'll find a big stock of imported suitings from which to make a selection. I'll guarantee that you'll look more like a newly-married man when you get togged out in a LeBrun & Co. suit." Charley found prices so tempting that he left his measure and also got an overcoat. When a few days later he was fully togged ont, Polly declared she would have fallen in love with him sooner had he been a patron of LeBrun & Co.

"By the way, young man, I suppose you would not object to a little more personal decoration," sententiously remarked Uncle Josh, after Charley's measure had been taken. "What you next need is a supply of gents' furnishings, and I know of no firm that keeps a bigger and better stock than this one, and their prices are right, too. This store is recognised as being strickly in line with the times. If a man can't get suited here I tell you he must be right down cranky."

Upon their visit to LeBrun & Co.'s men's furnishings department, Charley saw goods and prices so irresistible that he purchased a complete outfit, which included half a dozen shirts, collars and cuffs to match, together with a couple of suits of perfect-fitting warm winter underwear. Uncle Josh himself indulged in four pairs of sox and a pair of mittens for farm wear. "No, sir-ee, there ain't no place in town where I'd rather trade than at LeBrun & Co.'s," he remarked as he started to go.

"But about my winter wrap?" asked Polly. "You said I might have one, you know."

"Oh, I see the way the wind blows, and I do believe I did say I'd get you a 'seal-skin skack,'" laughed the old man. "Excuse the pun, but I tell you it ain't 'fur' to the most elegant assortment of furs in Peterborough, and I 'otter' know. Right down the street a little way and we find Fairweather & Co., the manufacturing furriers and hatters, and they have the just reputation of being in a position to furnish the ladies of this section with capes, cloaks and jackets in more satisfactory styles and prices than can be found anywhere else in Canada." Polly soon saw that Uncle Josh knew just what he was talking about, and a handsome Persian lamb jacket took her eye in a minute, as did also a lovely Jubilee sable ruff and five-o'clock tea muff.

Charley's fancy turned to a fur-lined overcoat. "Well, I reckon you are in this, too," observed Uncle Josh, who thereupon produced the "toad-skins" from his pocket-book and graciously handed them over to Fairweather & Co.

Before leaving Fairweather' Uncle Josh was so agreeably taken with a very fine lot of Mattawani buffalo and musk ox robes that he could not resist the temptation of investing in a set. The last words as he went out of the door were:—"We'll 'bear' you in mind for all future fur necessaries."

"Oh me! Oh my!" ejaculated Polly as they halted before a show window, "what a perfectly lovely slipper." "Yes," said Uncle Josh. "Gough Bros.' stock can't be equalled in style and extent in this section. Go in, look it over and get acquainted with Peterborough's wonderful Cheap Man." "It might have been policy not to have extended that invitation, had not Uncle Josh known what wise economy it is to trade at Gough Bros. Polly found everything so seductive that she purchased an outfit from a satin slipper to a handsome walking boot. Charley invested in gents' fine shoes, while Uncle Josh indulged in a ready-made suit for himself, a stout pair of farm boots and rubbers for the crowd. No one needing footwear can resist the styles and prices offered by Gough Bros.—the live hustlers of the continent.

"By the way," remarked Uncle Josh as they reached the street, "I must run over to the Bank of Toronto and get another check book. Come along with me and get acquainted with the manager and staff, for of course you will do business with them, for it is always more pleasant to be personally acquainted with the people you do business with. This bank is as solid as the base of the universe, and has a working capital and reserve of $3,800,000. You will find them ever ready to extend any accommodation compatible with business principles. At the Bank of Toronto Uncle Josh had the pleasure of meeting several of his former friends, and Charles was surprised to see the clerks all as busy as bees issuing drafts payable from Vancouver to Halifax, and in fact all parts of the world.

While Uncle Josh was pondering where to go next, Polly suddenly asked: "Uncle, where can I find the leading millinery establishment?" "Just a few doors further on," remarked Uncle Josh, "and we will visit Miss Delaney, who, by the way, has on hand one of the completest stocks of millinery to be found in the city. You can get what you want there, the latest styles and lowest prices being her motto. Miss Delaney's experience guarantees that when you have purchased of her you have the thing according to fashion, and a satisfaction that your work has been done by a competent artist." In a few hours there never was a happier girl than Polly, for she ordered a perfect dream of a bonnet and a magnificent cloth mantle as well.

"I would like to make you acquainted with Dr. M. A. Morrison, my dentist friend, too," said the old man. "If you ever have to supplement your natural teeth." "Ugh! Don't you mention false teeth to me," cried Polly. "I'll never carry 'pearly-lies' in my mouth if I go toothless." "Oh as for that," laughed Uncle Josh, "if you only consult a good dentist in time you can save the catastrophe. Dr. Morrison, for instance, is wonderfully expert in saving natural teeth, and he has the skill and every mechanical appliance to do his work with the least discomfort to his patrons."

"Halt!" commanded Uncle Josh, as the party came in front of Wm. Madill's handsome drug store. "Walk right in." "Why uncle, we're not sick, and —" "Guess I know that, but I suspect it won't be long before this young man begins to take an interest in matters of paregoric and —" "Uncle!"

"Well, go in anyway; Polly may find something good for her cough." Sure enough we found Madill's Cough Syrup, which is so highly commended as a cough cure. Before leaving she was loaded down with combs, brushes, face powder and ounces of choicest imported perfumes. We each had our eyes carefully tested by Mr. Madill, the optician. "Don't forget," added Uncle Josh, "to come here with your prescriptions, as Wm. Madill and his clerks are competent pharmacists and use only reliable drugs.

After this visit Uncle Josh suggested a resort to some place of refreshment. At the table the old man waxed philosophical. "Never neglect your larder," said he. "That important adjunct to house-keeping controls masculine temper. To that end you must patronize a grocer on whom you can depend for honest goods. Through a long term of years I have found E. Brown & Co. perfectly reliable. You will find them careful dealers, always fully stocked with every possible thing in the line of staple and fancy groceries and liquors, fresh and first-class, no shelf-worn goods there, while the prices are down to brass tacks. To keep peace in this family get all your groceries of E. Brown & Co.

"Land sakes!" suddenly exclaimed Uncle Josh. "All this tradin' and shoppin' around town has caused me to foorget one of the greatest essentials to future existence. I've heard it said that newly-married folks can live on love and scenery, but an old man of my experience knows better. Your table would look slim without pastry and such things now and then, so Polly you must get acquainted with Long Bros., the caterers and confectioners. Their cakes, pies and nick-nacks are conceded by all to be the finest on earth. They made that elegant cake I brought to your wedding." "Yes, and everybody said it was just lovely," replied Polly. "Then there is no use of you bothering your head about your Christmas cake, either. Just see Long Bros., the caterers, and there will be no trouble."

"Yes, and while we are on this important topic of gastronomics, we must not forget meat. It goes hand in hand with bread. Now to locate a meat market where you can get fresh wholesome meats, and sausages guaranteed to be of the very purest quality, Winch Bros. is the firm to supply you. Their sausages have a local fame, because they are made from the best cuts of meat, and are not stuffed with stale bread or rice. They are spiced to a nicety, easily digested and always fresh. This is the old reliable meat market of the town and is popular with everybody who is particular to have the best. Winch Bros. are very careful in the selection of stock and get the freshest of everything. Farmers tell me that Winches' is the place where they can get satisfactory prices for their turkeys—that being one of Winch Bros. special features. Housekeepers, I hear, are leaving their orders with Winch Bros. for Thanksgiving and Christmas turkeys, because they have confidence that this firm will select young well-fed birds."

"By the way," carefully remarked Polly as they reached the street, "Do you know that all those beautiful artifical flowers at Miss Delaney's millinery store made me think I wanted some real for sure pot plants and flowers with which to decorate our house and also a bouquet for our Sunday dinner table." "Happy thought," laughed Uncle Josh, "come right around the corner here to Mason's Seed and Plant House, and we can fix that floral business in a minute. Besides palms, chrysanthemums and potted plants Mason makes a specialty of cut flowers for wedding parties and other social functions as well as floral designs of all descriptions for concerts and the like. Their prices are mighty reasonable, too." For plants, bulbs and seeds I tell you there aint no place like Frank Masons. After selecting a big order of "nature's" beauties the trio again started out.

"And in the matter of insurance, Uncle Josh continued, "that is of importance. You will want a risk on your new furniture, house and household goods; then you can't do a more sensible or satisfactory thing than to provide for your wife a paid up policy of life insurance. My friends, Cox & Davis, not only have lines of the solidest and best companies, but they are expert and trustworthy underwriters, they have a large number of companies, all of which belong to the old reliable category, being well known for their prompt and satisfactory adjustment of losses. It's better to be safe than sorry and you'll surely be safe in this agency." Not only did Charley place the fire insurance with Cox & Davis, but also took out a $5,000 life policy in that sterling company, the "Canada Life."

"Yes, and I must have an album, Uncle Josh," quoth Polly, "and—" "Yes, and a Bible with a reasonably big family Register," interrupted the old man, "so we'll go up to the Peterborough Book-store. You'll find many articles indispensible for the parlour as well as the library there, and as for variety they have an unequalled stock." So here, Polly's purchases included miscellaneous books, fancy stationery, all the latest agonies, bric-a-brac of all manner for the centre table, and finding an immense assortment of articles suitable for Xmas presents, she remembered all her kinfolk down to her "forty-eleventh" cousins. Polly remarked to the generous old uncle, "Why, I don't know when to quit buying, Stratton sells such nice goods and so cheap, too."

"Holy smoke, Charley, where in the name of creation did you get that snipe? That's about the worst weed that ever came in contact with my olfactory nerve," laughingly remarked Uncle Josh. "Step in here to W. B. Rickey's cigar store and get a Cabinet, then you'll have a gentleman's smoke. That cigar is a cracker-Jack, contains all the qualities of a delicious puff. Rickey takes great pride to keep his stock up to the highest standard and consequently it grows more popular every day." Charley was so well pleased with the Cabinet that Uncle Josh treated him to that he bought a whole box and advised his friends to do the same, not forgetting to also make note of the fine display of other tobaccoes, pipes, etc.

"Oh, Uncle Josh," exclaimed Polly, "I surely will be lonely without a piano." Uncle Josh was noticed to examine his bank book rather lugubriously. "Well, I guess I can stand it," he said, "but by the way, what piano would you prefer?" "I think I'd like to have a Dominion, which I understand is sold by the Peterboro' Music Co. Several people have recommended it to me for its purity of tone, sympathy of touch, beauty of finish and a whole lot of other good points." "You couldn't choose a better instrument," replied the old man, "and sure enough the Peterborough Music Co is the very firm to see about it." Polly selected the coveted piano and a lot of late music, while Uncle Josh wrote out a check, pleasantly too—cause he knew the price was extremely reasonable.

"And another place I wish to take you, children, is to C. N. Brown's flour and feed store," remarked the old man. "Your introduction to town would not be half complete without. Talk about flour, why bless you there ain't no flour that can come up to the kind he sells. Mr. Brown makes it a particular point to keep the choicest flour, cornmeal, oatmeal and buckwheat, and all good housewives make it another point to trade there. Then as to feed, this store is headquarters for that. He handles everything from golden oats down to corn meal, and serves customers with promptness and dispatch. I've been trading with C. N. Brown for a long time, and I tell you he is a good man to tie to."

"By the way," exclaimed Uncle Josh, with a paternal air, "the next thing to look after is the lumber for those improvements which are absolutely necessary. Come with me down to the Peterborough Canoe Co., who are the principal contractors and builders for this town, and they have a well equipped planing mill in connection. They carry the most complete line of building material in the county—everything, from the sills for the foundation to the rafters for the roof, including doors and windows, mouldings, etc. It is pleasant to deal with this firm for their greatest aim is to give satisfaction to every customer; and say, wouldn't you like to have one of their famous Peterborough canoes to sail down the sea of life in?" In a few minutes the building improvements were all arranged for.

"I declare, Uncle Josh," exclaimed Charley, "this snow reminds me that we ought to get a cutter for the girl this winter and—" "'Nuff said," quickly rejoined the old man. "We can get the cutter of my friends, J. Stanger & Co., over here on the other street. They conduct a factory over there and make cutters, sleds and buggies in any style desired. The beauty of it is, they are satisfied with a moderate profit, too."

When the trio called upon Stanger & Co. Polly was permitted to personally give the order just how she desired the cutter made. "Yes, and I believe you are party particular about your horseshoeing, ain't you," asked Uncle Josh of Charles. "That's right, and I shan't have no botcher about my mare 'Kitty,' either," he replied. "Well, you can trust Stanger & Co. to do a scientific job, either in horseshoeing or any other line of blacksmithing," sententiously answered Uncle Josh.

"And as you are going to keep a horse," continued the old man, "of course you'll need harness. The boss horse milliner of this section, to my notion, is Benj. Shortly. He uses only first-class material, and gives personal supervision to the minutest detail of manufacture. There is nothing in harness that cannot be had of him—heavy and light, single and double, plain and fancy, work and buggy harness. He has all of them in stock, or can make 'em, besides every other kind of turf goods imaginable, and the finest lot of Saskatchewan buffalo lap robes, blankets, trunks or valises you ever laid your eyes upon." After a visit to the harness shop Charley said he thought "if a man couldn't get satisfied it would be his own fault," and he expressed himself pleased with Mr. Shortly's candour and fairness.

"But look here, uncle," interrupted the young man as they reached the street, "What about coal? We've got the stoves, but I reckon they won't be of much service without fuel. We can't keep fire on love alone, can we?" Glad you mentioned it," replied Uncle Josh. "Buying so much in one day kinder befuddles a fellow. Fortunately, however, it is only a little distance to the People's Coal Co's office. They are my favourite dealers—mine their own coal, and it has no superiors and few equals; it makes a hot fire, burns up clear, and don't leave any clinkers. Come right along and I'll introduce you to the genial manager, Mr. A. J. McClellan. Fair measure, fair treatment and fair prices are what you'll receive at the hands of the People's Coal Co." A big order was placed.

"And now, young man, let me give you a pointer," remarked the generous old uncle, "Do not understand me to say that clothes make the man, but I do affirm that clean and spotless linen make the nice-appearing man. Now in this connection I am happy to inform you that Parker's Steam Dye Works and Laundry is the best institution of its kind in Ontario. Polly will want her lace curtains washed and carpets cleaned sometimes—it's a ticklish job, you know—but Parker is so very careful that the most delicate fabrics are washed without the slightest injury, and at a nominal cost, too. The proprietor will see that your collars, cuffs and shirts are made white as snow, unless they happen to be coloured, but then you needn't be afraid of a fade, for Parker prides himself on doing coloured goods satisfactorily."

"Now," cried the old gentleman, "now for a picture of this crowd. In good old country fashion, we'll go to the photograph gallery and A. E. Ford has a good one at 170 Charlotte street, the only ground floor gallery in town. His pictures are wonderful in fidelity and finish. I want one full size photo for my study and some small ones for my friends. Ford has the soul of a true artist; all his work is a labour of love, in which he will not stop short of perfection, and as he is famous for successful enlarging, I want to give you a life size representation of 'yours truly' for a Christmas present." (Uncle Josh's picture may be seen at Ford's studio any time the reader desirerees to call.)

En route for their home the party called at THE EXAMINER office. "You'll want the news every day," remarked Uncle Josh, "and as this is the favourite paper here I'll subscribe."

When the party reached home they were all jest about tuckered out, but a bottle of choice wine which Uncle Josh had ordered up from M. L. Henry soon revived their drooping spirits. While enjoying the mellow beverage Uncle Josh warned the young folks against the evils of over-indulgence in drink of any kind, but vouchful the information, however, that on certain occasions wines would doubtless be necessary, and to also have something strictly pure about the house for medicinal purposes and Christmas festivities—that M. L. Henry was the proper person to apply to for these extras. Any one could have seen that from the way Uncle Josh imparted this information that he had a mighty friendly feeling for Mr. Henry.

Upon summing up the wonderful events of the day Polly began to volubly express thanks. "You have bought us everything," she exclaimed.

"Only one thing," replied Uncle Josh, reflectively, "but I can remedy that. Clegg, the furniture man, always has a nice line of them and you can get one whenever you want it; I'll pay for the best."

"W-h-y," exclaimed Polly with great surprise, "Uncle, what can it it be?"

"Well, its a cradle, and—"

But Polly had fainted.

Ontario's Own Klondike.

Wabigoon, Nov. 20.—There is a new mining district, which lies some few miles west of this place, which glories in the name of New Klondike. The officials there in connection with the Ontario Government have written to the Bureau of Mines stating that this spot is the most promising for gold, iron and copper ever seen in the province.

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ALL NIGHT BATTLE WITH FLAMES

The Fire Started in the Heart of the City and Swept With Resistless Fury Among the Immense Warehouses—The Loss Will be $25,000,000—No Casualties.

London, Nov. 20.—One of the most disastrous fires in London's history since the great fire of 1666, broke out in a large block of buildings lying eastward of Aldersgate street, and between that thoroughfare and Red Cross street, just after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The flames were fanned by a strong wind and were fed by highly inflammable stocks of fancy goods and flimsy dress materials of all descriptions, crowding every floor of six-storey buildings in the old streets, in view of coming Christmas trade. Consequently, the conflagration gained headway with surprising rapidity, and was soon far beyond any possibility of being checked by the few engines early on the spot.

For fours hours and a half the flames had their own way, and it was only after more than a hundred engines had worked an hour that the chief of fire brigade sent out the signal that the fire was under control. This was at 5.45 p.m. When the good news became generally known nearly 30 warehouses and a dozen or more structures had either vanished or remained only in blackened walls, a chaos of fallen girders and smoking piles of brick and stone.

Hamsell street was the scene of the outbreak of the fire, which was due to an explosion in connection with a gas engine on the premises of Waller, Brown & Co., mantle manufacturers, at No. 30 on that thoroughfare. Their large factory was crowded with girls when the fire broke out, and instantly became the scene of a panic, the frightened operatives, with many screams, rushing to the roof of the building, then crossing to other buildings, and so effecting their escape, while the flames were pouring out of the basement. In less than a quarter of an hour the flames had enveloped the adjoining warehouses, and thence they leaped across the street to an enormous paper warehouse, which was fully alight in less than 10 minutes.

At this time it was evident to the firemen that they were face to face with a great disaster, and a general alarm was sent out. Then from all the fire stations, even from those quite five miles from the scene of disaster, engines were hurried to the spot, and the police gathered about the neighborhood in great force. This display of strength on the part of the police was required, as the crowd, swelling in size every moment, soon numbered tens of thousands, the firemen required every possible freedom of action, as their fight was one of the greatest difficulty, owing to the narrowness of the old crooked streets, which are the feature of that part of London, combined with the height of the warehouses, which cut off the firemen from all fair chance of confining the outbreak. Firemen had repeatedly to be rescued by their comrades by the aid of the fire escapes, from buildings which had caught fire after the firemen had mounted to their roofs to fight the flames in adjoining structures.

Suddenly there was an explosion of gas meters, sounding like the reports of field guns, followed by a momentary hush. After that the wild rushing here and there was resumed with increased energy. Men risked their lives in desperate efforts to save valuables.

By dusk, four streets were blazing on both sides. There was no abatement of the furious blaze before 5.30. Then the check came in Jewin street, by a tremendous use of water, and in Well street, where the collapse of a wall on the right hand side of that thoroughfare was the means of saving the last building in the street. The width of Red Cross street, a comparatively broad thoroughfare, also formed a barrier there. Two acres of buildings had been ruined.

In spite of the numberless narrow escapes, no casualties have thus been reported.

The historic Church of St. Giles has been much damaged, the principal damage being to the roof, the old windows, the baptismal font and Milton's statue.

Engines Working All Night.

London, Nov. 20.—4 a.m.: A very large force of firemen and about 20 engines have been working at high pressure all night. The district ravaged by the fire is bounded by Aldersgate street, Red Cross street, Maidenhead court and Bradford avenue, and includes the intermediate streets, Jewin, Hansell, Well and Edmund and Jewin crescent.

The Life-giving Pines.

The breath of the pines is the breath of life to the consumptive. Norway Pine Syrup contains the pine virtue, and cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma, hoarseness and all throat and lung troubles.

Weyler Exculpated.

Madrid, Nov. 20.—The Captain-General of Galicia has telegraphed to the Government here, saying that in the interview which he had yesterday with General Weyler, the former Captain-General of Cuba, the latter completely exculpated himself from the statements attributed to him upon the occasion of his leaving Havana, and affirmed his devotion and adhesion to the Government.

Torpedo Boats in Collision.

Algiers, Nov. 20.—The French torpedo boats, No. 133 and Doudart de Lagree, while manœuvring yesterday evening, came into collision, with the result that No. 133 sank four minutes later. The crew of the latter was saved. The Doudart de Lagree was badly damaged.

Buenos Ayres' Bountiful Harvest.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 20.—Several cargoes of American cereals, which recently arrived here, could not be sold and will be taken to Europe. The steamship Sardinian Prince, which arrived here last week with a cargo of wheat, will sail without unloading it. This refusal of American cereals is due to the fact that Argentine's crop is more than sufficient for home use. Millers refuse to receive foreign grain.

Germans Evacuate Crete.

Canea, Island of Crete, Nov. 20.—Germany's contingent of the international army of occupation, consisting of an officer and 12 marines, embarked on the Kaisarin Augusta this morning. The German flag had previously been hauled down from the international redoubt.

Russian Cereal Crop.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 20.—The Minister of Agriculture yesterday published a report of the crop of the Russian Empire for 1897 as follows: Rye, 946,047,000 poods; winter wheat, 156,680,000 poods; spring wheat, 891,814,000 poods; oats, 515,522,000 poods; barley, 288,977,000 poods; buckwheat, 469,377,000 poods; millet, maize and peas (together), 155,992,000 poods. A pood is equivalent to 36 pounds in weight.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment Cures

Salt Rheum, Eczema, Tetter, Barber's Itch, and all like skin diseases and eruptions. It gives relief in a day. Its cures are legion; its failures are few. Years of testing, and grows daily in favour of suffering humanity. Good for Baby's Skin, good for young, middle-aged or old folks. 35 cents. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Snap and Vigor Wanted.

Modern Life demands snap and vigor from all. The race for existence is hotter than ever. Keep your blood pure by using Burdock Blood Bitters, and you will be healthy, vigorous and strong. Miss Jennie A. Gleason, Centreton, Ont., says: "For two years I suffered from poor, thin blood. I grew weaker every day until I tried B. B. B. It completely cured me by enriching my blood, and making me strong and vigorous again."

One Laxa-Liver Pills every night for thirty days marked a complete cure of biliousness and constipation. That is—just 25 cents to be cured.

Karl's Clover Root.

The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 339 George street.

CATARRH!

Foreyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

A POSITIVE CURE FOR CATARRH AND COLD IN THE HEAD.

This effective remedy for Catarrh and Cold in the head is a fume inhalent—it goes direct to the seat of disease and gives relief in a marvellously quick time. It will cure the slightest cold in the head almost instantly, and if faithfully and persistently used it will cure the most stubborn and long standing cases of chronic catarrh of the head—it never fails to do its work—it is easily applied—it is harmless to use—you simply take a small portion of the remedy in the palm of the hands, rub the hands together, then partly open them and inhale the fumes from the remedy into the throat a , and rub a little of the remedy on sides of the nose and temples.

Dear Sir,—I have been using catarrh remedy of different kinds for the last fifteen years, but find "Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure" the best I have used, and have no hesitation in recommending it to any one troubled with catarrh or cold in the head.
Yours sincerely,
W. HARPER,
Hardware Merchant.
Lakefield, Ont., Feb. 7, 1896.

JOHN FORSYTH, Berlin:
Dear Sir,—I take much pleasure in certifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of your cure for catarrh. It has done me more real benefit than all the medicine I have taken, and I am completely cured now.
Yours faithfully,
ROBERT FOWLER,
Orillia, Sept. 12, 1896.

Dear Sir,—I take pleasure in giving my testimonial to the efficacy and value of Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure. I was induced through a friend to give it a trial for catarrhal cold in the head; the result was marvellous. I cannot speak too highly of its merits. I can faithfully recommend it to anyone troubled with chronic catarrh or cold in the head.
Yours truly,
T. J. HUMPHREY,
Carriage Maker,
Woodville, Ont.

JOHN FORSYTH, Sole Manufacturer, Berlin.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Rebellion Strong as Ever.

Madrid, Nov. 19.—The Havana correspondent of The Heraldo of this city has cabled his paper saying that in spite of the concessions made to the Cuban autonomists there does not exist a single sign of the approaching submission of the insurgents.

Troops Leaving Crete.

Canea, Island of Crete, Nov. 19.—The Kaiserin Augusta, it is announced, will arrive here to-day and embark the German detachment of the international troops which have been on duty here since March last.

A Farmer Holds Up a Thief.

Rocklyn, Nov. 19.—Bently Falls, a farmer near here, noticed a stranger coming out of his gate loaded with articles which looked familiar. He ran to the house and found that his silverware, jewelry and money were missing. Gun in hand, he pursued the thief, catching him in a clump of bush not far away, where he forced him to disgorge. The stranger handed over to Falls articles which did not belong to him, and which no doubt are the products of another robbery.

Get Into the Game!

RICKEY VS. ALL-COMERS.

Our aggregation of "hitters" for the season will not be "caught out" by anything in the Tobacco trade. Get your ye on the "score":—

LOOKING TOWARDS CHRISTMAS!

We have put into the field a Rushing Sale of all our present regular lines of PIPES, POUCHES, MOUNTS and other SMOKERS' SUNDRIES; and in order to clear them out before "time" is called, prices will drop down into the soup to make room for Christmas Novelties now arriving.

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WIDE AWAKE TOBACCONIST,
415 GEORGE STREET.

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FOR CHRISTMAS.

They are Clean and Cheap. We have them in all colours, done up in balls of ten yards, also Star, Wreaths and Plumes in all colours and very pretty. Just the thing to decorate churches, schools, halls, public and private buildings, hotels, drawing rooms, dining rooms, stores, club rooms, etc. Come and see them at

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Let us send you a book telling you all about it. Free for the asking.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Belleville, Ont.

Ladies' Seasonable Garments.

Has a comfortable Mantle or Jacket any attraction for you this cold weather? Are you interested in the price of one? We have some specials to offer you this week as a surprise in value. They are the right goods for this weather, and the prices will interest the most economical buyer. We have only reliable qualities. Under no circumstances is trash tolerated here. Our goods carry our guarantee with them. Everything we have is of this season's manufacture and of the newest styles and shapes.

The fit is perfect. The appearance is rich and graceful The quality is first-class and the price breaks the record for value.

MISS DELANEY

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 20, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Second hand coal stove for sale cheap, at WALLER & Co's.

News Left Over.

Owing to press of matter a quantity of live local news had to be held over from to-day until the EXAMINER'S next issue.

Prof. F. W. Newton,

Of Toronto, teacher of the Banjo, Mandolin, Guitar, will be in Peterborough every Friday and Saturday, at Mulligan's Music Store. 2d-s

CALCUTTS BREWERY.

Special Brewings for Thanksgiving Day, of Ale, Porter and Lager Always ask for it and keep the money in town. 6d 107

Thanksgiving Turkeys.

Parties wishing to make sure of having prime turkeys for Thanksgiving Day (November 25th), can secure well fed birds, properly killed and carefully assorted for the best trade, by leaving their orders as easy as possible at J. B. OKE & Co's, 418 George street. 6p

Catholic Association Entertainment.

The second of a series of entertainments will be held in the Catholic Association rooms on Monday evening next, Nov. 22nd. Mr. J. Hampden Burnham will deliver an address on "The Empire of the Incas." There will also be a musical programme. Admission 10 cents. 2d

C. M. B. A.

Notice, the members of Branch 30, C. M. B. A., are notified that the nominations of officers for the ensuing year will take place at their regular meeting, Tuesday evening next. Members are requested to be present and take part in the meeting.

M. H. QUINLIN, Secretary. JOHN COUGHLIN, President. 2d

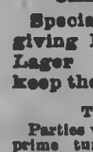
New Dried Fruits.

In buying raisins and currants it is more economical to procure the fruit that has been cleaned and perfectly free from stems and dirt. We have selected the several grades of raisins and currants, with an eye to the size and quality, and have them thoroughly cleaned by machinery. It is a pleasure to show goods. E. F. MASON & Co.

Local Legal.

Mr. R. M. Dennistoun has returned from Toronto where he appeared for the Bridge Works in the following case: Central Bridge & Engineering Company v. Dominion Construction Company—D'Arcy Tate, (Hamilton), for defendants, moved to change venue from Peterborough to Hamilton. Dennistoun, (Peterborough), for plaintiffs, showed cause. Motion dismissed. Costs in cause.

Christmas Turkeys Free.



No fake or quibble about this. You can secure a plump ten-pound turkey free, all right. Don't all come at once, but all come quickly, for we have free turkeys for all who care to accept them.—J. B. OKE & Co.'s, Fruit Game and Oys ter dealers, 418 George street. Can't get them by telephone—you must come to the store and register.

The Jingle of the Sleigh Bells.

The merry jingle of the sleigh bells have been heard this year at a very early date. Though a couple of inches of snow covered the ground during Christmas week last year, there was no sleighing until Jan. 3rd. From that date until the middle of February it could be called good. It continued, however, in an indifferent condition until March 20th, when a heavy rain removed the little snow that remained at that date. There was no heavier snowfall on any one day last winter than yesterday.

Bridal Gifts.

The Peterborough Bookstore is offering special inducements in wedding and birthday gifts during our ante-Christmas reduction sale. We show some of the brightest, rarest novelties suitable for those interesting occasions. Being short of room for displaying our immense Christmas stock, we have marked all our art and fancy goods at less than they cost us, purchases can be put aside if desired and delivered when wanted. One lady picked out 12 gift-books, another selected a very elegant dressing case, and another a writing portfolio and a fancy work basket.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE LOCK WORKS COMPANY.

Meeting of the Directors—Resolution of Condolence With the Widow and Family of the Late Manager, Mr. Brooks.

A meeting of the Directors of the Peterborough Lock Manufacturing Company was held last night at the offices of the Company. There were present Hon. Senator Cox, President, and Messrs. John Burnham, Q. C., John Carnegie and J. H. Stratton, directors.

A resolution of condolence with the family of the late Managing Director, Mr. Brooks, was passed and the business of the company under the circumstances was discussed, but no decision was arrived at at this meeting as to the appointment of a manager. However, the active prosecution of the company's work will receive the close attention of the directors in the direction of expanding the field of operations.

WORK OF INCENDIARIES.

An Unoccupied Dwelling Gutted by Fire Early This Morning.

The small story and a half rough cast dwelling on Brock street, in the rear of Mason's conservatory, was completely gutted by fire at 3.30 this morning.

The property is owned by Mr. John Craig, of Lakefield, and as it was unoccupied at the time of the fire, its destruction is undoubtedly the work of incendiaries. The building was insured in the Lancashire, through Messrs. Cox and Davis, for $600.

THE A.O.F. AT HOME.

Court Stanley's Annual Entertainment —A Good Programme.

Owing to the disagreeable evening the attendance at the Ancient Order of Foresters' social last night was not very large, but all who were there had a very enjoyable evening, as the programme was a splendid one, being rich in variety of songs, readings and recitations. The following is the programme:

Opening.....Instrumental music
Messrs. Ricketts and Benton
Chairman's remarks.....W J Johnston
Recitation.....Miss Holmes
Reading.....Mr Matchett
Song.....Mrs Craig
Dialogue..Misses Kate Green, Hattie Andrews and Bert Cranfield
Song.....Mr Wes Edwards
Reading.....Mrs Matchett
Song.....Jas Tranter
Reading.....Miss Booth
Song.....Mr Frank Wilson
Musical selection..Messrs Ricketts and Benton
Stump speech.....Wes Edwards
Intermission—cake and coffee.
Song.....Miss McKenny
Reading.....Mr Matchett
Song.....Mr Edwards
Musical selection..Messrs Ricketts and Benton
Song.....Master Taylor
Recitation.....Mr Frank Wilson

God Save the Queen heartily sung by all present, brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

COUNTY S. S. EXECUTIVE.

It Met This Morning and Arranged for the Convention.

The county Sunday School Executive met in Y. M. C. A. parlor, Saturday forenoon. The members present were Rev. A. C. Reeves, B. A., of Lakefield, president; Rev. J. C. Potter, Rev. C. E. MacLeod, Messrs. Hawthorne, Dorsee and Thistlewaite: Mrs. Garvin and Miss Bennett; Dr. Harrison, secretary of the association was absent on account of professional business. The business was the arranging of plans for securing contributions from all schools in the county. A number of gentleman were appointed to look after the interest in the different districts. The time of the convention was settled—3rd and 4th of February, 1898, in the village of Lakefield.

The president and secretary were appointed as a Programme Committee with power to add to their number.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Snow shovels are again in requisition.

—Thanksgiving dinner, Charlotte street church, Thanksgiving evening.

—Collections in aid of the Poor Fund will be taken in St. Paul's church to-morrow, morning and evening.

—The familiar face and person of Mary Close will no more be seen upon the streets of Peterborough. Provision has been made for her in the asylum at Orillia, where she will be soon removed.

—A Westport man who describes himself as middle-aged and well-to-do, advertises in the Westport Mirror for a helpmate who must be fair, not too stout, and fond of music.

Housewives who are habitual home bakers can rely on Madill's Baking Powder. Put up in pound tins for 10 cents, by W. Madill, druggist, Hunter street. dw

Thanks.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., has to thank several unknown friends for a very liberal supply of venison. Their kindness has been fully appreciated, but not knowing the donors, we are unable to personally tender our thanks.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

CHRISTMAS OPENING at Miss Melville's on Tuesday evening, 23rd. All are invited.

Laid at Rest.

The funeral of the late little Fergus O'Brien, son of Mr. J. L. O'Brien took place this morning, at 9 o'clock to St. Peter's Cathedral, Arch-Deacon Casey officiated at the funeral services, and Rev. Father Fitzpatrick accompanied the funeral to the cemetery. The funeral was well attended, and six of the school-mates of deceased acted as pallbearers. The floral tributes were numerous, including a wreath from the employees of the Lock Works, where Mr. O'Brien is employed, and one from the school boys of the Murray street school, and also one from two of his favourite comrades. Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna, of Toronto; Mr. Dwyer and Mrs. Curtin of Lindsay, Mrs. O'Brien of Kingston, Mrs. and Miss Corkery of Lindsay and relatives of the family of deceased were in town and attended the funeral.

The Young Reporter.

This is how the reporter of a country newspaper described a recent fire: "The water seemed to spar the fire to wilder deeds. The flames and the smoke rolled higher and higher, and the scene became luridly, awfully magnificent beyond tottering words' power to paint. It was a canto of Dante's "Inferno" acted in all its fiery pomp and splendor. Banners of flame would now be waved out by dark smoke hands, then ten millions little curling pennons of the fire would hiss and flutter, then vanish, and a great reeling tower of smoke, whose darkness was stabbed and spangled with flames and sparks, would fill the scene, while all around the surroundings buildings grimly shot back from reflecting surfaces a crimson greeting, and up in the far-off sky the outglistened stars turned pale for shame, and the moon through the drifted smoke glowed like a bowl of blood."

Every Price Pruned!

PREPARATORY CHRISTMAS SALE AT THE
PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

As a prelude to our Grand Opening of Christmas Novelties, and to secure more room for our extensive Holiday stock, we start, on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, a decisive Clearing Sale of everything in the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. We are terribly crowded, and unless we reduce stock, we'll not have room to show our immense display of Xmas Novelties.

REMEMBER, SATURDAY—the first day—will be a Record-breaker. Keep us busy as you like. We are bound to make the prices so that everyone will buy.

—Art Pieces in every Department.
—Plain and Fancy Stationery.
—Paper Bound Books.
—Cloth Bound Books.
—Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals.
—Gift Books in Fancy Bindings.
—Brush and Comb Cases.
—Manicure Sets.
—Fancy Novelties.
—Photo Frames and Photo Albums.
—Wall Papers, Window Shades and Cornice Poles.
—Purses, Shopping Bags and Leather Goods, Etc.

Our stocks has always been sold at the lowest prices. The sweeping reductions we are offering during this sale should meet with the approval of everyone. Come one, Come all, and see what Bargains we are offering.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

CHRISTIAN MISSIONARY ALLIANCE.

Two Days Convention in Bethany Mission Hall, Corner of water and Simcoe Streets.

A two days' convention will be held in Bethany Mission Hall, beginning tomorrow, when services will be held as follows:

Sunday—10.30 a. m., 2.30 p. m., 7 p. m.
Monday—10.30 a. m., 2.30 p. m., 8 p.m.

Addressed by Mrs. M. B. Fuller, wife of the superintendent of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, India, who have 60 missionaries under their charge, and a boys' industrial school. Mrs. Fuller has just returned from India, and will speak of the work, the awful famine, distress and needs of the people after 21 years of missionary life in the country.

C. A. Mitchell, of Africa, who has laboured five years in that part of the great Soudan district, near the equator known as the White Man's Grave, will also speak. Pastor Salmon and Pastor Fieber, of Toronto, will be present and address meetings. Two or more addresses will be given at each meeting.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day—1 p. m.....33° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest
Yesterday	35°	19°

Yorkville Fire station, 9
Toronto, March 3rd, 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Having used Dr. Chase's Pills for Costiveness, I am very pleased to say that I consider them superior to any Pill I ever used, as they have perfectly cured me of this trouble. Thos. J. Wallace, Fireman

You save 15 to 25c on each hundred of flour bought at WALLER & Co's.

CHILDREN'S COATS and Bonnets to match selling off at Cost. No room to display them to advantage.

MRS. APPLEBY, 426 Water Street

Bedroom Furniture.

It is a statement of plain facts to say that you can get the best value in bedroom sets at CLEGG'S. The number of them sold is proof of this. Dozens of new, neat and tasteful designs to choose from. Prices run from $9 up. Call and see them at CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Horsemen, Take a Pointer.

The approaching cold, wet weather, should not find you unprepared to protect your horses. Kingscote makes all kinds of waterproof horse covers, lap covers, hoods, etc. They are strictly waterproof, and when Kingscote says "waterproof" he means it. Leave your orders early if to be made specially. A good stock kept on hand. Hunters requiring tents, waterproof covers, etc., can be fitted out by Kingscote to their entire satisfaction at 344 Water street.

GENTLEMEN'S SILK TIES.

50 dozen Gentlemen's Fancy Silk Ties in dark and light shades, made up in the latest Bow, Knot, and Four-in-hand shapes, regular price 25c each. Grafton & Co's special price 10c. See them in our North Window.

People Praise It.

DEAR SIRS,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

LIZZIE HARDY, Mayfield, Ont.

BIRTH.

DURANCEAU—In Peterborough, on Friday, November 19th, the wife of Mr. C. A. J. Duranceau of a son.

PERSONAL.

Senator Cox was in town to-day.

Miss Lash is visiting friends in Lakefield.

Mrs. G. Green has returned to Lakefield after visiting friends in town.

Miss Kindred has been spending the last few days with friends in Lakefield.

Miss M. Allen, of Lakefield, has been visiting friends in town during the week.

Mr. F. D. Anderson, of Ottawa, is relieving Mr. McNee, teller in the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, the latter leaving for a holiday.

Mrs. Thos. Brooks and family have returned from Merriden, Conn., where the remains of the late Thos. Brooks were interred. Mr. Frank Brooks accompanied the family back to town.

To Cure Catarrh

Do not depend upon snuffs, inhalants or other local applications. Catarrh is a constitutional disease, and can be successfully treated only by means of a constitutionrl remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood and removes the scrofulous taints which cause catarrh. The great number of testimonials from those who have been cured of catarrh by Hood's Sarsaparilla prove the unequalled power of this medicine to conquer the disease. If troubled with Catarrh give Hood's Sarsaparilla a fair trial at once.

MIKADO FLOUR.

Always at the head of the list. Grocers do not keep it—they sell it. Ask them for it or telephone No 113. Every bag guaranteed.

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A complete line; any kind or price you want, at

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DRUG STORE.

WE DON'T KICK--WE COAX--

And these are a few of our "COAXERS."
Canadian and Scotch Tweed Suits, made to your order and made to fit - - - - $12.00
Fancy Coloured Worsted Suits, made to your order and made to fit - - - - - - $12.00
New Range of Fall Trouserings, made to your order and made to fit - - - - $3.00

We can knock any "Ready-Mades" at twice the price, on the first round. Come and be convinced. W. J GREEN, Issuer of Marriage Licenses and Wedding Suits, 145 Hunter street, Peterborough

FROM JAPAN!

CHINA HALL has received direct from Japan, a very large shipment of Japanese Goods, in new and beautiful designs. The assortment consists of

Tea Sets, Tete-a-Tete Sets, Tea Pots, Hot Water Kettles, Flower and Fern Pots, Trays, Bread and Butter Plates, 5 o'clock Cups and Saucers, Tea Cups and Saucers, Bon Bons, Chocolate Pots, Vases, Jugs, Etc.

The collection is well worth seeing. Everyone is invited. The prices are extremely low.

The McFarlane Wilson Company,
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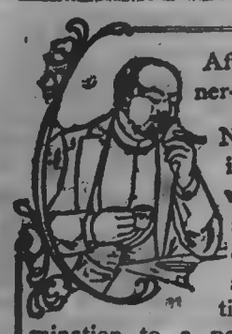

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1897.

SEWERAGE DEBENTURES WILL BE ISSUED

TO DEFRAY THE COST OF SECTIONS NOS. 3 AND 4.

The Bylaws Authorising Them Were Passed by the Town Council—Four Per Cent. Interest Asked.

A special meeting of the town council was held last evening for the purpose of putting through the bylaws authorising the issue of debentures to cover the cost of constructing sections No. 3 and 4 of the sewerage system.

The members present were the Mayor and Councillors Best, Leplante, Robinson, Davis, Dawson, Cobb and White.

Section No. 3 of the system includes that portion on George street from Townsend to King street, constructed by Robert Grant and section 4 embraces George and Water streets from King to McDonel and portions of King, Charlotte, Simcoe, Hunter, Brock and McDonel constructed by Jas. Bogue.

There were three bylaws passed.

The first provided for the issue of thirty year debentures for the payment of the town's proportion of the cost of constructing the aforesaid sewers, being $7,468 61, being one-third of the total cost including the salaries of the officials and the interest and the sinking fund, which is the amount to be levied on the general taxpayer. The debentures are to bear interest at 4 per cent. and to meet them at the expiration of the thirty years $403.77 will have to be paid into a sinking fund annually.

The other two bylaws provided for the issue of debentures covering the cost as affecting the property-holders on either side of the streets on which the sewers are constructed and who have to pay two thirds of the cost, the town, as provided by the first by-law, meeting the other third of the amount required.

Bylaw No. 2 provided for the borrowing of money by the issue of debentures to the amount of $2,915.90 to defray the cost on section No. 3, from the creek on George street to King street as falling on the property holders. On both sides of the street there are 2,768 ft. 9 inches, and as $168.72 has to be raised annually the cost per foot per annum to the property holders for the next 30 years will be 6 1 10th cents.

Owners may commute the assessment by paying $1.0335 per foot before the first of January next and a proportionately reduced rate for the years collected if paid before the first day of January in any following year.

The third bylaw was for the purpose of authoring the issue of debentures defraying the cost of section No. 4, as falling on the property holders on the streets directly effected, viz:

Div. No. 1, George street, from King to Brock, 3,616 ft 2 in.
Div. No. 2, George street, from Brock to McDonel, 1,183 ft 10 in.
Div. No. 3, Charlotte street, from George to Louis, 244 ft 1 in.
Div. No. 4, Simcoe street, from George to creek, 648 ft 9 in.
Div. No. 5, Hunter street, from George to creek, 1,016 ft 6 in.
Div. No. 6, Brock street, from George, 410 ft. west, 661 ft. 5 in.
Div. No. 7, King street, from George to Water, 4071 ft 9 in.
Div. No. 7, Water street, from King to McDonel, 4,021 ft 9 in.

The amount charged to frontage and to be paid by the property holders affected is $8,726 75, divided as follows:

Division.	Tl cost.	Paid by Town.	Chg'd to Frontage.
1	$6,121 90	$2,888 86	$3,260 04
2	1,266 16	456 53	811 64
3	836 46	63 66	744 80
4	428 22	41 17	388 05
5	669 79	59 93	609 78
6	530 06	67 26	462 80
7	3,485 51	1,076 57	2,408 94
Gulleys, etc.	486 25	486 25	
Totals	$13,842 25	$5,115 50	$8,726 75

The amount to be raised annually as a frontage tax is, therefore, as follows:

Division.	Ann Am't to be raised.	Ann rate per foot frontage.
1	$188 63	0.0627
2	46 94	0.0407
3	44 82	0 0455
4	22 44	0.0387
5	35 84	0.0350
6	24 77	0.0393
7	129 30	0.0346
Total annual levy	$504 66	

Owners may commute the assessment by paying the following sums per foot in the said divisions respectively as follows:

Division No 1	$1. 063
" " 2	0. 704
" " 3	0. 786
" " 4	0.6662
" " 5	0.6032
" " 6	0.6793
" " 7	5. 969

payable before the first day of January next, and proportionately reduced ratio for the year collected, if paid before the first first day of January in any following year.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, last mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity, Nov. 21st. Services:—8.30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer and sermon, preacher—Rev. E. V. Stevenson; 3 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon, preacher—Rev. W. L. Armitage.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Sunday next before Advent.—November 21st. (Collect, Epistle and Gospel for 25th Sunday after Trinity.) Services: 11 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion, with Sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon. Service and Bible class on the Book of Genesis on Thursday evening at 8.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—Rev. E. F. Torrance, B.D., pastor, Sunday, Nov. 21st. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed. A collection for the poor will be taken up at both services.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21st. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. after evening service.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21st. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21st. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. conducted by Rev. W. G. Clarke, B.A. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21st. The following services will be held: At 7 a.m. a Pentecostal service will be conducted for one hour; at 10 a.m. the classes, No. 2 and 3, will meet; at 11 a.m. the pastor will preach on "Power from on High"; 12.15 class No. 1 will meet; at 7 p.m. Mr Moore will preach on "The Unparounable Sin," Sunday school at 2.30 p.m., Superintendent—M. W. Matchett. All are welcome to all the services. Attentive ushers.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. by Rev. Hughson, Lindsay. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m., Young People's Union every Monday evening 8 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. O. C. Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 21.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p. m. You will be cordially welcomed. Regular meeting of Young People's Society on Monday evening. Bible training class Friday evening at 8 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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ONE of the most gallant and graceful entertainments ever presented in the history of the town was presented last night in the Opera House under the auspices of the King's Daughters of St. John's, and it is a pleasure to know that the cause of sweet charity, represented by this organization, was most substantially served by the financial results of the occasion.

The affair was in every sense a most decisive success, and Mrs. J. E. Hammond, the promoter and moving spirit, is entitled to the heartiest congratulation and warm praise for the success that attended her self sacrificing and arduous exertions in the arrangement and guidance of the entire affair.

The Opera House was crowded with an assemblage representing the best elements of our citizenship irrespective of denominational divisions, and the large number present was in every sense well rewarded for their attendance. For last night's entertainment, in the beauty of its spectacular features, and in the fidelity of its representation of the events it assumed to reproduce has been seldom, if indeed ever, equalled in Peterborough.

The central idea of the entertainment was to portray by tableaux vivants, the three most important crises in the life of her most gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, whose Diamond Jubilee has been celebrated with unexampled enthusiasm this year in every region of the globe where the "meteor flag" spreads its folds. The several scenes presented were a revelation of the beauty and gracefulness of the girls of the town, for it would be difficult in a place of similar size to gather together a bevy of maidens fair who would outshine, or indeed equal that gathered on the stage of the opera house last night. And the dignified and faithful manner in which they sustained their high characters, was of a piece with the grace of person and movement that distinguished the several tableaux.

The first tableau presented was that where the Archbishop of Canterbury, faithfully represented, even to his gartered legs, by Mr. John E. Belcher, and the Lord Chamberlain, the Marquis of Coynghan, Mr. A. P. Poussette waited upon the Princess Victoria (Mrs. Rufus Stevenson) to inform her of the death of her uncle, William IV., and of her consequent accession to the throne. As the Princess in her robe de nuit, with her nut brown hair streaming over its sowny surface, entered modestly and was saluted by Lord Chamberlain and received the Archiepiscopal blessing, the simple dignity and solemnity with which the scene was invested made it one of the most striking and effective of the tableaux presented.

The next tableau presented was the more striking and gorgeous one of the coronation, in which the Queen was represented by Mrs. A. E. Sherwood and "well and truly" did she sustain the character of the fair and youthful sovereign she represented. The gorgeously dressed page, Master Douglas Hammond, on bended knee presented the crown flashing with brilliants and resting on a crimson cushion, to the Archbishop, who placed it on the royal head and as the "round and top" of sovereignty rested on the royal head, and the brilliant court of lords and ladies of high degree, clad in sumptuous attire flashing with brilliants and rich with crimson and gold, paid their homage to the newly crowned Queen, the scene was a brilliant and effective one.

The third and last tableau was that of a royal wedding and the curtain rose upon a most brilliant scene, the full court surrounding the altar at which were placed the archbishop and attendant ecclesiastics, while the bridegroom, represented by Lieut. Cockburn, of Lakefield, attired in a field marshall's uniform of the period (being a uniform of the late General Macdonald, father of Mrs. Hammond and Mrs. Belcher) stood in front of the altar. A fanfare of trumpets and the stately notes of the wedding march ushered in the royal bride (Miss Hamilton), in magnificent bridal robes, conducted by the Duke of Sussex (Col. Harry Rogers), who also gave the bride to be married, and attended by eight bridesmaids, attired in white satin, with bouquets of bridal roses; and when, at the conclusion of the ceremony, the courtly assemblage bowed before the royal pair and the band played "God Save the Queen," the audience testified their delight and, as it were, tendered their congratulation by enthusiastic applause. The bridesmaids were Miss and Miss Eleanor Rackham, Miss Lilian Hall, Miss Poussette, Miss Edith Barlee, Miss Lilian Pearse, Miss May Boucher and Miss Mabel Roy.

An incidental pageant and well worthy of the Occasion of the Royal Wedding was the exceedingly pretty Court Dance. In this scene the Queen, enthroned and the royal bridegroom, attended by the sedater members of the court, witnessed the dance, which was performed by the bridesmaid and the younger members of the court entourage, and consisted of Les Lanciers, adapted in rythm and tempo to the measure of the stately movement. This was a scene that aroused the enthusiasm of the audience, and like all the other tableau was demanded again and again, and it was apparently only consideration for the characters in all the tableaux that restrained the spectators from redemanding them indefinitely.

A most beautiful feature of the entertainment was the novel spectacle the Butterfly Dance, performed by the following young ladies: Miss Rackham, Miss Boucher, Miss Lilian Pearse, Miss Nan Hall, Miss Marion Sherwood and Miss Mabel Roy.

The graceful movements of these charming young ladies, in themselves a very pretty picture, gave to this beautiful dance a charm which so delighted the spectators that they would listen to no refusal of a repetition.

Interspersed among the tableaux was a very excellent musical and elocutionary programme. The Fire Brigade Band was present and opened the entertainment by a delightful performance of exceedingly appropriate medley of national and patriotic airs.

Miss Alma McCollum, Peterborough's gifted poetess and elocutionist, opened the programme with an excellent and appropriate recitation entitled "Vanished Years," arranged by herself, in which the chief incidents of the Queen's reign were happily summarised. Mrs. Seward's vocal solo, "Come in and Shut the Door," was well sung and well received. Miss Clarke's and Miss Carnegie's vocal solo, and Miss Roger's pianoforte solo were capital numbers. Miss Noble, at present visiting in town, gave great delight with her three comic songs, of which two were coster songs, including "Mrs. Enery 'Awkins." Her comic cradle song and the "Alabama Coon" were delightfully done. As a comic character vocalist she is simply delightful and was given an enthusiastic reception. Last mentioned but by no means least in merit, was the spirited recitation of Miss Lolo Ostrom, the little elocutionary phenomenon whose clever work was enthusiastically applauded.

THE TOILETTES OF THE LADIES.

The dresses worn by the court ladies were exceedingly rich and effective, and a brief mention of them will be of interest to especially the fair reader.

Mrs. A. E. Sherwood, the Queen at the Coronation, white satin and lace gown, crimson and ermine coronation robe, and the royal regalia and jewels.

Miss Hamilton, the royal bride, white brocaded silk and lace, bridal train and bridal roses in her hair and jewels befitting the occasion.

The attire of the court ladies was superb and added greatly to the brilliancy of the several tableaux.

Mrs. Peter Campbell, Duchess of Cambridge, blue satin brocaded, train of lavinder, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Mabel Bradburn, Princess May of Cambridge, yellow silk and lace.

Mrs. A. E. Finnemore, Lady Hastings, yellow satin, white lace, court vail, plumes and sapphires.

Mrs. Hewson, Marchioness of Lansdowne, cream satin, pearls and plumes.

Miss Lundy, Duchess of Buccleugh, yellow satin, black lace, count veil, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Hatton, Marchioness of Normandy, white satin, seeded with pearls, green plush court train, court veil and court plumes.

Miss Belcher, Duchess of Sutherland, pink silk, brocaded satin train, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Flo. Belcher, Queen Adelaide, yellow silk, court train, ermine trimmed, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Alma Frances McCollum, Lady Anna Frances Leigh, green silk gauze over white satin, garniture of pink roses, diamonds and pearls.

Miss Halliday, Marchioness Coyngham, royal blue silk, white lace, pearls and plumes.

Miss Marion Sherwood, Duchess of Ormond, blue silk, drapery of white lace, pearls, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Maud Perry, Duchess of Devonshire, cream silk crepe, pearl-trimmed, court train of lace, court veil and diamonds.

Miss Hugel, Countess of Londonderry, blue brocaded silk, black lace court veil, plumes and diamonds.

Miss Archer, Duchess of Norfolk, black satin and lace, tiara of diamonds, court plumes and diamonds.

The gentlemen representing the several characters were:

Lieut. Cockburn, Prince Albert.
Col. H. C. Rogers, Duke of Sussex.
Mr. A. P. Poussette, Bishop of London and Marquis Coyngham.
Mr. Ritchie, Bishop of Bangor.
Mr. Peter Campbell, Viscount Melbourne.
Mr. A. E. Finnemore, Earl of Erroll.
Mr. Sheriff Hall, Lord High Chancellor.
Mr. F. D. Kerr, Duke of Norfolk.
Mr. H. T. Nelles, Duke of Wellington.
Mr. Vernon McGill, Viscount Melbourne.
Mr. Harold Cluxton, Lord Paget.
Mr. George Hatton, Duke of Leinster.

Messrs. Jack Belcher and Fred. Sawers were the picturesque Beefeaters, and the pages were represented by Masters Douglas Hammond and Harold Dean.

Altogether the Jubilee Tableaux and their attendant features were a splendid success, and the success is due not only to the energy and persistence of Mrs. Hammond, but also to those who so heartily co-operated with her, both in the royal pageants and otherwise. Thanks are specially rendered to all those who assisted in the incidental programme—to Mr. Roy, who performed the duties of manager, to Mrs. A. E. Sherwood, who drilled the participants in the court dance, and to Miss Dorothy Hall, who drilled the fairies of the butterfly dance. Mention should not be omitted of the valuable services of Mr. Hampden Burnham, who officiated last night as herald extraordinary.

To conclude, the audience was delighted with the tableaux, but were not satisfied—they could not see enough of them.

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Flour—The market for flour continues fairly active, and prices are unchanged. Straight rollers $4 to $4.10, middle freights.

Wheat—The market is active and steady. Red winter sold at 82c, high freights, as well as at 82c, middle freights. White is quoted at 80c, west, and spring at 78c, east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quiet and unchanged, with the price nominal at 98c, Fort William. It is quoted at 97c to 98c, Midland.

Bran—Trade is quiet, with bran quoted at $7.50 west, and at $8, middle freights. Shorts, $11 to $11.50, middle freights.

Buckwheat—The market is unchanged, with sales at 31c, east.

Barley—The market is quiet, with offerings moderate. No. 2 is quoted at 30c to 31c. No. 3 extra offers at 27c on Midland, and feed sold at 24c, west.

Oats—The market is fairly active, with sales of white at 21c to 24½c, west. Mixed are quoted at 23c west.

Peas—The market is firmer, with sales to-day at 43c, high freights.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

Rye—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c east.

Corn—The market is very dull, with cars quoted at 28c to 29½c, west.

Shipping cattle, choice	$3 75 to $4 00
Shipping cattle, medium	3 50 3 75
Bulls, light export, good quality	3 00 3 20
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 25 3 50
Stockers and medium to good	2 75 3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 35 3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 50 3 90
" good	3 25 3 40
" medium	2 75 3 00
Butchers' cattle, inferior	2 50 ....
Springers, each	25 00 40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00 45 00
Calves, each	3 00 8 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00 3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25 2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 75 3 25
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 00 4 25
" light fats	4 00 ....
" sows	3 00 ....
" stags	2 00 ....
" store	4 00 ....

Cheese Markets.

Kingston, Nov. 18.—At the Frontenac Cheese Board to-day 900 boxes boarded; sales 100 boxes at 7⅞c. Board adjourned until April.

Economy and strength are combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month.

A Well Armed Negro Sent Down.

Chatham, Nov. 19.—Robert Gorman, colored, was sentenced to three months' hard labor by Judge Houston for carrying a revolver and two razors and making threats against neighbors when in liquor. "I am imposing the highest penalty," said the judge, "for the reason that, so far as it is in my power, I am determined to stop this unlawful practice of carrying dangerous weapons."

A G.T.R. Yardman Crushed to Death.

Stratford, Ont., Nov. 19.—While coupling cars about 3 o'clock yesterday David Dryden, a Grand Trunk yardman, met with a fatal accident. An eastbound way freight was being made up, and Dryden, in the act of coupling a van on to a coach, was caught in the chest by the drawhead, which slipped past, and carried about three lengths. His cries attracted the attention of his mate, William Watling, and of Conductor Finlay, who was in the van. He died during the afternoon. He leaves a widow and one child 3 months old.

Dr. Hutchinson Bailed.

Woodstock, Nov. 19.—Dr. Duncan H. Hutchinson of Ingersoll, who was committed to Woodstock jail on a charge of procuring an abortion on Lizzie Duhan of London, has been released on bail furnished by his father and uncle. The girl is reported to be out of danger.

SPARED A TERRIBLE FATE.

By the Timely Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Great Life-Savers of the 19th Century — Bright's Disease Robbed of its terrors.

OTTAWA, Nov. 15th—Local medical men in common with their brethren in all parts of the country, have always maintained that Bright's disease is incurable, and that all that can be done for the victims of that disease is to ease their journey to the grave. There are thousands of Canadians, however, who know that this opinion is wrong. Among them is W. Young, traveller of this city, who says he was cured of Bright's disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. "I am completely cured," he says, "and no other medicine but Dodd's Kidney Pills did me any good. These pills are the only sure cure for Bright's disease.

Catarrh Cured for 25 cents

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to suffers. Yours truly,
Harry Stone, Rainham Centre, Ont.

WHITEWAY HAS RESIGNED.

The Old Newfoundland Ministry Formally Lays Down the Seals of Office—Question of Appointments.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 17.—The Ministry, headed by Sir William Whiteway, formally resigned office last evening. Before resigning, Sir William Whiteway wished to fill vacancies in the civil service with his defeated supporters and their followers, but Sir Herbert Murray, the Governor, refused to sanction any permanent appointments, and consented to authorize only acting appointees.

The Governor was impelled to this determination by the pledge of the incoming Winter Cabinet to reduce the number of office-holders. He refused, therefore, to create any vested rights by agreeing to make permanent appointments.

The Cabinet of Sir James Winter will assume office at noon to-day, and following the precedent created by the controversy between Lord Aberdeen, Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, and Sir Charles Tupper, while Premier last year, will insist upon the cancellation of all these appointments immediately.

HAMILTON DIOCESE.

Bishop DuMoulin of Niagara Will Make a Request to the Legislature.

Hamilton, Nov. 18.—Bishop DuMoulin will apply to the Ontario Government at its next session for legislation to empower the synod to acquire and hold lands for a see house, acquire and dispose of real estate and church property, and vest in the synod all property now held by the incorporated synod of the Toronto Diocese or the Bishop of Toronto, in trust for the Niagara Synod, under Vic. 39, chap. 107, sec. 3. There is also a clause to regulate the privileges of superannuated clergy.

Serious Charge Against a Doctor.

Woodstock, Ont., Nov. 18.—Dr. D. H. Hutchinson, a popular young physician of Ingersoll, has been arrested charged with procuring an abortion. Augustus Frezell, an attendant in the London Asylum, is also under arrest as a party to it. Lizzie Duhan, the girl, is a London Asylum attendant and lies at the point of death. The arrests have been made upon her ante mortem statement. Dr. Hutchison is now in Woodstock jail.

TIVERTON FIRE SWEPT.

An Early Morning Conflagration Devastates a Bruce County Village.

Tiverton, Ont., Nov. 19.—At 1.30 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in John Walker's drug store, and through the fact of there being no means of fighting the flames except by water pails, the whole block, a wooden one, was entirely consumed, together with a livery stable, one private residence and dressmaking rooms, and a frame barn. The business block was composed of six stores, occupied as follows: John McKellar, groceries, boots and shoes; John Walker & Co., drugs; James Gord, merchant tailor; one double store, unoccupied; Geo. Manners, harness maker; A. J. Campbell, general merchant.

The fire had gained good headway when discovered, and most of the work from the first consisted of saving goods and adjacent buildings. The Town Hall and the Masonic Hall were saved.

Heavy Loss of Life in the Chilkoot Pass.

San Francisco, Nov. 19.—George Pope of Chicago has written to a friend here from Sheep Camp, on the Chilkoot trail. The letter is dated Oct. 28, and gives the latest news of the condition of the men who are stranded on the way to the Klondike. "The other day a man told me that at least 20 men had perished on the trail within the last few weeks, I have not been able to verify this statement. At every town and every settlement, where prospectors are compelled to stop, the men have stories to tell of the danger of the journey. Their advice is to avoid the trip now at any cost."

J. G. Adams the Patron Candidate.

Newington, Ont., Nov. 19.—At the convention for Stormont of Independent Patrons, held here yesterday, two candidates were nominated, Mr. John Bennett, M.P.P., and J. G. Adams, the defeated Patron candidate at the last Dominion election. A ballot was taken and resulted in Mr. Adams being chosen over Mr. Bennett.

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Weyler's Quick Passage Home.

Corunna, Spain, Nov. 19.—The Spanish steamer Montserrat, which left Havana on Sunday, October 31, with General Weyler, the former Captain-General of Cuba, on board, and which subsequently touched at Gibara and Port Rico arrived here unexpectedly yesterday. She was not due to arrive here, according to the announcements, until Friday evening.

Gold for Chili.

London, Nov. 19.—Financial circles are agitated over statements that either £800,000 or £400,000 in gold coin have been purchased in the open market for Chili. The discount market is very sensitive. There have been fresh enquiries for gold on American accounts.

Verdi is Very Ill.

London, Nov. 19.—A special despatch from Rome says that Signor Guiseppe Verdi, the celebrated composer of music, who has been suffering greatly since the death of his wife, whose demise was announced on Sunday last, is so prostrated that serious results are feared.

Dying Man Grasps at a Straw.

"Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart has done so much for me that I feel I owe it to suffering humanity to give testimony. For years I had smothering spells, pains in my left side, and swelled ankles. When I took the first dose of Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure, my friends thought I was dying, it gave me almost instant relief, and six bottles entirely cured me."—Mrs. F. L. Lumsden, Scranton, Pa. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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NO PEACE AT MAIDAN.

The British Forces Continually Attacked—Bravery of Individual Soldiers—French Force Cut to Pieces.

Simla, Nov. 19.—According to the official despatches received here from the British camp in the Maidan Valley to-day, fighting in one form or another between the British and insurgent tribesmen continues hourly, and is characterized by conspicuous bravery. During Tuesday night last Major Les Voeux and one company of the 56th Sikhs rushed a village of the enemy and began firing at the tribesmen through the apertures of their blockhouses.

A Conspicuously Brave Private.

Private Vicary, of the Dorsetshire Regiment, of Dargai ridge fame, with four men, became separated in the darkness from the main body, and the little party was attacked by the enemy. Vicary had his rifle wrested from him, but he recovered it, bayonetted one of the tribesmen and clubbed another, who half cut off Vicary's foot. The soldier, however, succeeded in reaching camp with two men and a Pathan prisoner. Blood was oozing out of the magazine of Vicary's rifle.

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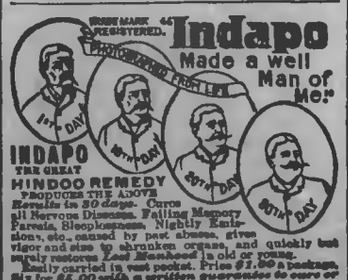
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"This would be followed by dizziness, my eyesight would become blurred and dim, so that many a time I knew not what to do. Gradually I grew weak, my blood became poor, and my entire system run down. My nerves were so unstrung that I could not sleep.

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THE JOURNEY.

I think of death as some delightful journey
That I shall take when all my tasks are done,
Though life has given me a heaping measure
Of all best gifts, and many a cup of pleasure,
Still better things await me further on.

This little earth is such a merry planet,
The distances beyond it so supreme,
I have no doubt that all the mighty spaces
Between us and the stars are filled with faces
More beautiful than any artist's dream.

I like to think that I shall yet behold them,
When from this waiting room my soul has soared-
Earth is a wayside station, where we wander,
Until from out the silent darkness yonder
Death swings his lantern and cries, "All aboard!"

I think death's train sweeps through the solar system
And passes suns and moons that dwarf our own,
And close beside us we shall find our dearest,
The spirit friends on earth, we held the nearest,
And in the shining distance God's great throne.

Whatever disappointment may befall me
In plans or pleasures in this world of doubt,
I know that life at worst can but delay me,
But no malicious fate has power to stay me
From that grand journey on the Great Death Route.

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Fred Elliott Released on Bail.

Goderich, Nov. 18.—Fred Elliott, the principal in the Bayfield tragedy, was released from jail yesterday and left for home in the afternoon, accompanied by his mother and brother-in-law. Bail was furnished by his mother for $750, Mr. Fowlie, his brother-in-law, for $750 and himself for $1500. Elliott elected to be tried by jury, his case to come up at the sessions on Dec. 14, before His Honor Judge Masson.

Departure of Yellow Jack.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 18.—The end of all interference with railroad traffic by yellow fever restrictions has practically been reached.

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Westbourne, Man.

A LITTLE BOY'S LAMENT.

I'm goin' back down to grandpa's;
I won't come back no more
To hear the remarks about my feet
A-muddyin' up the floor,
They's too much said about my clothes,
The scoldin's never done—
I'm goin' back down to grandpa's
Where a boy kin hev some fun.

I dug up half his garden
A-gettin' worms fer bait;
He said he used to like it
When I laid abed so late;
He said that pie was good fer boys,
An' candy made 'em grow,
Ef I can't go to grandpa's
I'll turn pirate first you know.

He let me take his shotgun
An' loaded it fer me;
The cats they hid out in the barn,
The hens flew up a tree.
I had a circus in the yard
With twenty other boys—
I'm goin' back to grandpa's
Where they ain't afraid of noise.

He didn't make me comb my hair,
But once or twice a week;
He wasn't watchin' out fer words
I didn't orter speak;
He told me stories 'bout the war
And Injuns shot out west,
Oh, I'm goin' down to grandpa's,
For he knows wot boys like best.

He even run a race with me,
But had to stop and cough;
He rode my bicycle and laughed
Bec'us' he tumbled off;
He knew the early apple trees
Around within a mile,
Oh, grandpa was a dandy,
An' was "in it" all the while.

I bet you grandpa's lonesome,
I don't care what you say;
I seen him kinder cryin'
When you took me away,
When you talk to me of heaven,
Where all the good folks go,
I guess I'll go to grandpa's,
An' we'll have good times, I know.

—A. T. WORDEN.

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Stranger—How is the water in this region?

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Pedestrian—It was only last week that I gave you money to bury your wife, and now you say she is starving.

Begger—But, sir, this is a new wife I have.—Puck.

Mr. Benham—I wish I were single again.

Mrs. Benham—You horrid wretch! What would you do if you were?

Mr. Benham—Marry you again.

Mrs. Benham—Oh, you darling creature.—Modern Society.

Wife—John, what's the matter with you to-night? Here I've been talking to you for half an hour and all you've done was grunt and occasionally nod your head.

Husband—Well, I've found it possible to do that without interrupting you.

She—Have you always lived up to your income?

He—No; I've got a nice little sum laid by. But why do you ask? Surely you have no sordid motives in——

She (interrupting)—Oh, no. It's all right. I merely wished to let you know that I do not care to be the wife of a man who marries to save money.

Mistakes About Mountains.

Ninety-nine people out of a hundred appear to be under the impression that Mount Blanc is in Switzerland, whereas it is wholly within the French frontier Province of Haute Savoie. Next, Mount St. Elias is not the highest mountain in North America, but the peak, which is 1511 feet higher, named after Sir William "Logan," founder of the Canadian Geological Survey. And what is more, although so patriotically scouted by some, the assertion that both mountains are in British territory has been confirmed since 1887 by the Canadian-Alaska boundary survey. And of another mountain—Ararat: The usual statement that this was the place on which Noah's Ark rested has no foundation in the Hebrew text, which reads: "On the mountains of Ararat." Ararat was the ancient name of a district in Eastern Armenia, and has been used for all Armenia.

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Another Flight.

If I should die to-night,
And you should come to my cold corpse and say,
Weeping and heartsick o'er my lifeless clay—
If I should die to-night,
And you should come in deepest grief and woe,
And say, "Here's that $10 that I owe,"
I might arise, in my white cravat,
And say, "What's that?"

If I should die to-night,
And you should come to my cold corpse and kneel,
Clasping my bier to show the grief you feel—
I say, if I should die to-night,
And you should come to me, and then and there
Just hint 'bout payin' me that ten,
I might arise the while—
But I'd drop dead gain.

—Somerville Citizen.

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Russia's Future.

All that Russia requires is a farsighted, heroic czar who, comprehending the needs of today, as Peter the Great did those of 200 years ago, shall complete the work begun by him, commit Russia irrevocably to occidentalism and liberalism and thus earn for her the sympathy and respect instead of the jealousy and dread of other nations. Should such a czar arise it would be wisdom on the part of Europe to allow Russia to gratify her two legitimate ambitions, in the pursuit of which she has hitherto been thwarted, especially by Great Britain. These ambitions are: (1) To complete the subjugation of the barbarous Tartars by annexing Turkey to her dominions, and (2) to possess ice free ports for the development of a navy and of merchant shipping. While as despotic, she ought to be thwarted in every way, as liberal, she ought to enjoy all the rights of liberal nations and be permitted to have her own way in Turkey and China, just as England has had hers in Egypt and India. A liberal Russia, with her long cherished ambitions once satisfied, would be not only the peace keeper of Europe, but also one of its most potent civilizing influences, equalling, perhaps surpassing—so gifted is her people—the other nations in culture, humanity and righteousness. But whether Russia is to be blessed with a liberal czar or not there is no reason to fear her supremacy. If she remain coarsely despotic, it cannot last; if she become liberal, it can be only a blessing.—Forum.

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"My appetite was all gone, and when I would try to eat in order to gain strength I would suffer untold misery for hours. It seemed to me that I was slowly starving to death.

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People Talk Back.

Many people talk back. Here is one. Miss Katharine Wesse, Belleville, says: "I have had a pain in my back accompanied by general debility and tried various remedies for the same but without deriving much benefit, until I took Doan's Kidney Pills, which I am glad to say entirely cured me. They are certainly a grand medicine and I can say in my case proved to be a thorough specific."

DIVINE HEALING.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Will you please give space in your paper for a little comment on an article by Dr. Henry Wilson, which appeared in the columns of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, published in New York on August 11th, 1897, under the above title. The writer of the address starts out by asserting the truth of Divine Healing rests on two foundations. First, the word of God, and second, on the testimony of human experience. In reference to the scriptural texts which he makes use of, he refers to Eph. 5, 23, also verse 30, which are quite foreign to the subject, and have no such meaning as the Dr. wishes to convey. In the first instance the Apostle is impressing on the minds of the Ephesian brethren the close relationship existing between the husband and wife. For the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is head of the church. That is as Christ rules over the church, and has a right to direct and control it, so in like manner the husband has a right (in love and tenderness) to rule the wife. And he is the saviour of the body, that is of the church, represented as his body. The comparison of the church, with a person or body, of which the Lord Jesus is the head, is not uncommon in the New Testament. How then can any Christian man with sane mind, so contort or miscontrue the Divine Word, making it teach a dogma or heresy unknown to the Christian world, is beyond my comprehension. Verse 30. The interpretation which the writer puts upon this is still more fanatical. For we are members of His body. The teaching of the Apostle here is that there is a close and intimate union between the Christian and the Saviour, a union so intimate that they may be spoken of as one. It is language which is employed to denote the closeness of the marriage relation, and which Paul applies to the connection between Christ and His people. Of course, it cannot be understood literally. It is not true literally that our bones are a part of the bones of Christ, or our flesh of His flesh. Nor should language ever be used that would imply a miraculous union, but a union of attachment of feelings of love. No reference to this frail body of ours, of which the apostle speaks when he says, "O, wretched man that I am, who shall deliver me from the body of this death." See Romans, 7—24, verse 25. So then with the mind I myself serve the law of God, but with the flesh, the law of sin. In fact the inconstant perfection of saints is frequently referred to in the Scriptures. See Job 9, 20—If I justify myself, my own mouth shall condemn me; Psalms 12, 12—Who can understand his errors, cleanse thou me from secret faults. See the Lord's Prayer—Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Would to God we had more of the spirit of meekness and humility in the present day, set forth by the early followers of Christ. The Apostle Paul was conscious that He carried about with him not a perfect body. Thus he exclaims,—I am the least of the Apostles than am not meet to be called an Apostle, but by the grace of God am what I am. In regard to the testimony of human experience in Divine Healing, I am afraid many go to the extreme by accepting the shadow for the substance. God, I believe, is pleased to use means to heal the body as well as that of the soul. For it pleased God, through the foolishness of preaching, to save them that believe. Moreover, our Lord used means to open the eyes of the blind man by annointing the eyes of the blind man with clay ointment, which He made Himself. Let us not be presumptious by thinking the Lord is going to do His own work and ours too.

I have written the above in no controversial or unkind spirit, but merely to emphasise the danger that exists of misinterpreting the words of Holy Writ, and to excess of zeal on certain lines, give literal and, therefore, misleading meanings to words, that are to be spiritually discerned. The words of the sixteenth verse of the third chapter of the second epistle general of Peter, there he says, referring to the Epistle of St. Paul—"in which are some things hard to be understood, which they that are unlearned and unstable wrest, as they do, the other Scriptures, unto their own destruction," and to the unsettling of the simple faith of those who is singleness of heart are trying to please God.

Thanking you for space, I am,

Yours, etc.,

W. GRANT.

A MUNICIPAL DUTY.

Minister of Agriculture Says Enforcement of Quarantine Laws Belongs to the Municipalities.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The Department of the Secretary of State has just issued the last report of the deep waterways commission, which is dated June 17 last.

The Minister of Agriculture stated today that he did not intend to enforce the examination of cattle to see if they were infected with tuberculosis, as he thought that was the duty of the municipalities.

The C. P. R. and Canada Atlantic Railway Companies have come to an agreement, and it is now settled as a result of yesterday's conference that the former will enter the city over the latter's tracks.

Major-General Gascoigne returned this morning from his tour of inspection in Nova Scotia.

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MR. STEPHEN BELISLE GLADLY TELLS HOW HE WAS CURED.

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From the Montreal Herald.

Down on William street the bulk of the butter and cheese trade is done, and it is there that the Montreal cold storage and freezing company's mammoth building is located. In the summer time, when extensive shipments are being made, the big block is a veritable beehive. Several well known exporting firms have their warehouses in this building and one of them is Wm. T. Ware & Co. Their head warehouse man is Mr. Stephen Belisle, who, as his name indicates, is a French Canadian and in the prime of life. If ever there was a grateful man on the face of the earth to-day that man is Stephen Belisle. After suffering indescribable agony for several months, he is now the picture of health and feels that it is his duty to tell all the world how he was restored to health and happiness. Mr. Belisle explained his troubles, now fortunately a thing of the past, to a reporter of the Herald recently. "My work called me to all parts of the warehouse," said he, "and sometimes I went into the freezing room without my coat or cap on and then back to the other parts of the warehouse to the warmer atmosphere. About a year ago I became very ill with a complication of diseases. I was suffering with indigestion, biliousness and the resulting nervous disorders such as sick headache and loss of appetite. I began doctoring, but I seemed to grow worse every day. I slept very little, and as time went on I was not able to do any work, and even the exertion of moving about would tire me out. I had a very poor appetite and what food I ate did not agree with me. I also suffered from a severe pain in the back and side. During that time I had tried many medicines but they gave me no relief. I had become so weak and my system was so run down that life was a burden to me. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I did with extremely beneficial results. I commenced taking the pills about Christmas time and now I am feeling so good that I thought it my duty to write the proprietors of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and let them know how extremely grateful I am for the cure their medicine has effected in me. I had taken only six boxes when my condition of health was a paradise to what it had been for some months previous. Mr. Belisle is a quiet, unassuming man, and and evidently not given to over enthusiasm, but there was no mistaking his earnestness when recounting his experiences to the reporter. He will always be a firm believer in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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LONDON'S DISASTER.

Losses Estimated at Ten to Forty Millions.

THE EFFECT OF THE GREAT FIRE.

The Firemen Worked All Day Saturday—The Imperial Parliament to Meet in February—Serious Revolt in Zanzibar—Hon. Mr. Fielding on the Washington Conference.

London, Nov. 20.—A number of fire engines this morning are still playing on the smouldering ruins marking the scene of the great conflagration. It is impossible to accurately estimate the amount of damage done, but the direct damage, exclusive of the immense direct loss to trade, will probably be about $10,000,000, Consols and India 3 p. c. have fallen heavily on the belief that the losses will necessitate heavy sales by insurance companies, and most of the insurance companies' shares have dropped 10 to 30 shillings. The Evening Standard, in its financial article this afternoon, says it is believed that the bulk of the fire losses will fall upon American insurance companies.

The last flames disappeared by 11 o'clock this morning, but as this message is forwarded water is still being poured on the red hot masses of ruins. The burned district is surrounded by enormous crowds of people, and the railroads are running excursion trains from the country.

About 300 firms are engaged in seeking for new offices.

The official report says the cause of the fire is unknown. A large number of warehouses of from five to six storeys high have been burned, and have partly fallen, the whole covering an area of 200 by 150 yards, bounded by Nicholl square, Edmunds place, Jewin crescent, Australian avenue, Paul's alley and Red Cross street.

The insurance agents take an optimist view of the losses, their estimates ranging from £300,000 to £800,000. It is a fact that dozens of the burned out firms were not insured, in some cases because the locality has long been considered dangerous by the insurance companies. All the historic treasures of Cripplegate Church were removed, including the records of Oliver Cromwell's marriage, Milton's burial and of the deaths from the plague in 1665.

Two Acres Burned Over.

London, Nov. 22.—The official figures show that 171 buildings were destroyed. The area burned is over two acres.

It is still impossible, and will be for some time to come, to accurately estimate the loss by the fire. The estimates, which have up to this time been given by different authorities, vary from $10,000,000 to $40,000,000. The firemen were busy all day Saturday pouring tons of water upon the ruins, which were still full of fire.

Great Fire at Melbourne.

Melbourne, Nov. 21.—A great fire broke out here at 2 o'clock this morning and in a very short space of time did enormous damage. It started at the warehouse of Mr. Craig Williamson, in Elizabeth street, in the very heart of the city. The burned section included many of the largest business houses in Melbourne. The buildings are completely gutted. It is estimated that the loss will reach £1,000,000, while the trade involved has received a serious set-back. Hundreds of employes of all sorts have been suddenly thrown out of employment.

Mr. Fielding's Opinion.

London, Nov. 21.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, the Canadian Minister of Finance, who is about to return to Canada, reiterates that Canada strongly desires friendly relations with the United States. He expressed the belief that the visit of Sir W. Laurier and Sir L. Davies to Washington had afforded a desirable opportunity of cultivating such relations, and he expected a good outcome from the discussions.

In the interview he said, among other things: "Neither Premier Laurier's nor any future Government of Canada will agree to any policy involving discrimination against Great Britain. I believe this is well understood in America, and I hope that Canada's desire for improved relations is reciprocated in the United States, as both countries would reap much advantage from greater freedom of trade."

War Bound to Come.

London, Nov. 20.—The diplomats are asking what the United States, whose interests in the East are advancing by leaps and bounds, says of the seizure of Kiaochou Bay. The further proceedings promise to be interesting, for, according to the accepted version of the Cassini Treaty, concluded in 1896, Russia secured the reversion of Kiaochou Bay for a naval station. Looking below the surface, the coup may be Germany's retort to the Franco-Russian alliance. The newspapers of Great Britain say that "war will be the outcome of all this harbor grabbing," adding: "Owing to our sovereignty of the seas, we are able to pick and choose any port in China which strikes our fancy. If it is already fortified by our rivals, so much the better."

A French Victory in Africa.

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Nov. 22.—The French have recruited a cavalry force of 1000 men from the Say district. Singalese reinforcements have arrived at Porto Novo.

Foreign Prisoners Set Free.

Havana, Nov. 23.—All the English prisoners held in the island have already been released, and all the American and French prisoners will be set at liberty in a few days.

The Punishment Was Just.

London, Nov. 22.—The Privy Council has rejected the appeal of Gangadahr Tilak, the native member of the Legislative Council of India, for a re-trial of the case against him, which resulted in his being sentenced on September 14 last to eighteen months' rigorous imprisonment, after having been convicted of inciting the natives of Bombay and its vicinity to disaffection.

Britain's Parliament.

London, Nov. 23.—The British Parliament reassembles during the second week of February, three weeks later than originally intended. The principal tasks of the session will be the Irish Local Government Bill and the Reform of the London County Council referred to by the Marquis of Salisbury in his speech on Tuesday last before the National Union of Conservative Associations, when the Premier asked his hearers if they wanted to be governed like New York City. Then Parliament will be called upon to legislate for the army, the question of increasing its strength appealing most urgently to the country generally, and there is a widespread demand that other questions be shelved and that the session be devoted to the army.

British Army Reforms.

London, Nov. 22.—At the Cabinet Council the Minister of War was authorized to prepare a scheme for army reforms in conjunction with the Duke of Devonshire, who, in addition to being a member of the Cabinet, is President of the Committee of National Defence. Army reform is merely euphemism for an increased number of soldiers.

A report current is that the increase will consist of two regiments of cavalry, several batteries and 10,000 infantry, which seems to be a pretty large order. The Tory Government has a way of doing such things on a large scale, and the country is well alarmed in regard to the army situation and is prepared for any proposals which the Government may decide to make.

There is a strong party in favor of forming two armies; one, as now, recruited on the short-service system, and the other on the long-service system for foreign stations exclusively. The commander-in-chief appears to regard this as impracticable, and favors such improvements in food and pay and subsequent employment in the civil service as will attract a class of men to the army who now avoid it. The Saturday Review remarks to-day: "It is not money that is needed at the War Office, but brains. The money voted by Parliament has been wasted in a disgraceful fashion," and The Review promises revelations to prove this contention.

REVOLT IN ZANZIBAR.

Soudanese Troops Mutiny and Kill Major Macdonald's Officers and Men.

Zanzibar, Island of Zanzibar, East Africa, Nov. 21.—Particulars have reached here of a revolt among the Soudanese troops in Major Macdonald's expedition in the lake country south of the equatorial provinces. It appears that the expedition was advancing into the interior from the Uganda country for a point as to which information is wanting. On Oct. 19 last the mutineers, assisted by 150 Mohammedan tribesmen, attacked the camp at Wasoga.

In the fierce fighting which followed Lieut. Fielding, Major Thurston, Launch Engineer Scott, Civil Officer Wilton and 15 soldiers were killed. The wounded numbered 30, including Captain Macpherson and Chief Civil Officer Jackson. The mutineers were finally defeated, after losing 100 killed and wounded.

Major Macdonald has been joined by the Wasoga native army, and it is hoped that he will be able to quell the mutiny in a few weeks. A detachment of Indian troops from Mombasa will start immediately to reinforce Major Macdonald.

The Turk Brought Up Short.

Constantinople, Nov. 20.—Officials of the Russian Embassy yesterday sent a second note to the Turkish Embassy, pointing out that in times of difficulty Russia abstained from urging the payment of the war debt due her by Turkey, but, the note added, now that the Government of Turkey has decided upon fresh armaments, which are not warranted by the present situation, Russia demands a portion of the arrears, on the same grounds that Austria urged the payment of the claims due to the Oriental Railroad, an Austrian corporation for transporting Turkish troops during the recent war with Greece.

In consequence of this communication, the Porte has informed Russian Charge d'Affaires that nothing has been decided upon concerning the Turkish armaments, at the same time bestowing upon that official the grand cordon of the Osmanli Order.

It is believed the Turkish Government will now drop its plans for the reorganization of the navy of Turkey, although the officials of the German Embassy have been instructed to support the offers of the German firms to reconstruct the fleet and supply the Turkish Government with the necessary arms, ammunition and uniforms.

Archbishop Temple to Retire.

London, Nov. 22.—The Right Hon. and Most Rev. Frederick Temple, D.D., Archbishop of Canterbury and Primate of All England, will, it is reported, resign the Archbishropic after the 76th anniversary of his birth, which will occur on Nov. 30. Although his sight is failing, the reports that the Archbishop is in danger of becoming totally blind are denied.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, who was enthroned on June 8 last, was born in 1821. He has been successively head master of Rugby, Bishop of Exeter and more recently Bishop of London. He took a double first-class at Oxford, and married a daughter of the Right Hon. W. S. Lascelles.

Complimentary to Canada.

London, Nov. 22.—Sir Tudor Burness, in a paper contributed to the Arts Colonies, just published, pays a high compliment to Canadian artists.

The captain, who at great risk to himself and crew, brought the disabled Lake Winnipeg safely into port last February, was presented at Liverpool yesterday with a gold watch and a cheque for £100. One hundred and seventy pounds was divided among the crew.

General Cable Notes.

The Duchess of Marlborough had her dressing case stolen at the Paddington Station, in London, Saturday afternoon.

A Paris fire, which started in a small shop in the Rue Des Pyrenees, burned down two acres of buildings and caused a loss of 400,000 francs.

Sir Henry Irving is suffering from the effects of a chill with which he was attacked Saturday morning.

Sir Charles Edward Pollock, Baron of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, died this morning in his 78th year.

GEORGIAN BAY CANAL.

British Capital is Now Behind it to the Extent of $15,000,000 and Work Will go On.

Montreal, Nov. 21.—It now looks as if the canalization of the Ottawa would soon be an accomplished fact. Some time since it was announced that leading British capitalists had interested themselves in the scheme, and this is confirmed by Mr. Stewart, who arrived to-day from London, where he had been promoting the scheme. He says that the great Imperial scheme of the Montreal, Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal has been successfully inaugurated. It appears that one of the most eminent firms of contractors in the United Kingdom has been successfully approached with regard to the construction of the canal, and that Sir Benjamin Baker, engineer to the Forth Bridge, will be consulting engineer of the Canadian enterprise, which is to cost $15,000,000. Other important matters have also been arranged, but what is of paramount importance to Canadians, is the fact that the work of construction is to be vigorously entered upon as soon as the weather permits next spring, and will be completed within three years.

A Mysterious Disappearance.

The Montreal detectives were notified to-day by the family of Mr. Albert F. Lewis, a leading real estate man of this city, that he had mysteriously disappeared and that no trace of him could be found. It is claimed that he has either been abducted or been the victim of foul play. A reward of $1000 has been offered for his recovery.

STEALING THE NEWS FIGHT.

La Presse Sued for $100,000 on Behalf of the G. N. W. Telegraph Co.

Montreal, Nov. 22.—Messrs Smith and Markey on Saturday entered action for damages for $100,000 each against La Presse and The Herald, in the name of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company. The Patrie demands an apology from La Presse, which it declares to be the loser in its now famous "fake" report of a landslide in Lotbiniere County. It also declares that it received no communication on the subject from the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company, but from its own correspondent, who himself got the news from La Presse man. The Patrie further offers $500 to charities if La Presse can prove a single case in which any of its special despatches were sold to The Patrie or stolen for its benefit under the present administration of that journal. Finally, The Patrie asks whether public interest does not demand that the Attorney-General intervene and hold an investigation into the conduct of the agent of La Presse at Quebec, Mr. Cinq-Mars.

A Traveler Suicides.

Winnipeg, Nov. 22.—A commercial traveler, named Dave White, representing Tooke Bros., Montreal, committed suicide at the General Hospital here Saturday at noon. He was, as a private patient, supplied with a razor, which he used to cut his throat. Deceased was aged about 27 and came from Ingersoll.

Killed Him Instantly.

Collingwood, Nov. 20.—Andrew Kirkpatrick of Draper township attempted to fix a bent skid on one of the roads at Shier's camp. He fixed the skid in place when it flew out again, striking him on the head and killing him instantly.

Nervous Prostration

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was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKERSON, 326 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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The Unique Personality of Sir Wilfrid Laurier—The Liberal Tariff—A First Step to Federation.

From the London, Eng., Globe.

The Colonial Goldfields Gazette, a journal which has absorbed Westralia, comments on the gratifying success which has attended the Dominion Government's new departure in colonial finance. It says that while there were many, even among the most sanguine friends of Canada, who regarded the issue of a £2,000,000 loan at 2½ per cent. as a dubious experiment in no way calculated to advance the prestige of our greatest colony, the result has shown that Mr. Fielding, the Canadian Minister of Finance, was right, and that his critics were wrong. During the recent jubilee festivities Canada loomed larger in the public eye than any other of the possessions of the Queen. It is no disparagement to the colonial Premiers in general to say that the unique personality of Sir Wilfrid Laurier overshadowed in the estimation of the crowd the representatives of the other colonies, conspicuous as many of them were for political ability and knowledge of affairs. The announcement that Canada had determined for the future to foster preferential trade relations with the mother country formed a fitting prelude to the harmonies of an Imperial festival. No political coup of recent years has taken the world so completely by storm. The very significance of Canada's new fiscal policy was quickly appreciated alike within the empire and without. It was the first step, and a long step, towards the realisation of the proud dream of Imperial federation, and the loyalty of other colonies was stimulated to imitate so fair an example. If the conference which took place in London between Mr. Chamberlain and the colonial Premiers had for the moment no tangible result, at least they served to emphasize and accentuate the mutual desire for a closer relationship between the colonies and the mother country. Canada has shown the way in the splendid rivalry of zeal for the commonweal; but South Africa, too, was there with a gift—the unconditional offer of a first-class battleship to swell the naval strength of Great and Greater Britain. It is quite in accordance with the fitness of things that Canada should have reaped the reward of the wide popularity won by Sir Wilfrid Laurier's statesmanship in the triumphant success of the first big financial loan which has followed the stirring events of last summer. While the success of the present Canadian loan is primarily a great achievement for Canada, it has its lessons for the other colonies as well. When the Australias are federated into the Dominion of Australia; when Cape Colony, Natal, Bechuanaland and Rhodesia are welded into the Dominion of British South Africa, their credit may rank as high as that of British America. Assuredly the other colonies may well take a hint from Canada as regards the conduct of their financial operations in this country. It would be difficult to conceive a more marked contrast than that between the success of the Dominion Government's 2½ per cent. £2,000,000 loan and the failure of the Westralian Government's recent issue of £1,000,000 of 3 per cent. bonds, and those responsible for that fiasco might do worse than imitate the methods of the Bank of Montreal.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 93, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

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THE CHURN.

Some Timely Advice About Keeping It Sweet and Clean.

We sometimes hear complaints about keeping the churns sweet and clean. They got to smelling strong or "cheesy" and cause considerable trouble, besides injuring the butter made in them.

With proper care, no churn need ever get in this condition. I care not how long in use, writes Mrs. E. R. Wood to The Country Gentleman. Mismanagement somewhere has been the cause every time, and although I am not wise enough to prescribe a cure, I can tell what will restore its sweetness again, I can tell how to care for it so that it will not get into that condition.

In the first place, cream should never be allowed to remain in a wooden churn any longer than is necessary to churn it, and it must be carefully scalded each time before the cream is put in. To let it stand for half a day or longer with cream in is the first step toward tainting it. Scald the churn, cool it with clear, cold water and immediately put in the cream and churn it.

When the butter has been removed, rinse the churn well with cool water at once, and as soon as possible pour in hot water, replace the cover and revolve (if a barrel churn) for a few minutes, then draw off the water, wipe the castings and outside with a clean cloth wrung from hot water, turn the churn bottom side up and hook it in that position, leaving the cover off entirely. It will rarely be necessary to use a brush on the inside, if sufficient hot water is used. Carefully examine the interior under the top rim of the churn to ascertain if any particles of butter have lodged there before washing. This rim is in some churns metal, and if so the butter may adhere to it.

The whole secret of preserving the churn sweet for years lies in its being rinsed free of buttermilk before the boiling water is put in. This water cooks the particles and holds them fast to the wood in the same manner that it does upon milk pails and strainers that are not first washed in water only moderately hot. If any one has noticed a yellowish substance attached to the inside of a milk pail, whether wood or tin, he may know that the cause of it is pouring boiling water upon it before it is freed from every trace of milk. Once on, there is only one way of removing it, and that is by scraping. This can be done with tin, but for wooden ware it is better to throw the utensil away and buy new.

My own way of washing and salting the butter in the churn makes any further rinsing before adding the hot water for washing unnecessary. The churn is thoroughly freed from every trace of buttermilk by the time the washing and salting of the butter is done.

The outside of a barrel churn should never have hot water put on it. To do so is unnecessary, as it does not get at all soiled, and the action of the water soon spoils the varnish, giving the churn anything but a neat appearance. The outer surface needs only to be wiped off with a damp cloth. The standard will need to be thoroughly scrubbed if not kept varnished, as here is where that greenish mold first starts. The cool, moist atmosphere of a creamery or a dairy room makes it difficult to prevent this accumulation.

In selecting a churn it is well to get one with galvanized hoops and castings. Salt soon rusts any other. The cork edge of the cover should be brushed thoroughly each time it is cleansed and all particles of cream carefully removed. If a whitish coating comes upon the galvanized parts, it must be removed by scraping with a thin bladed knife, and more care taken to prevent its formation.

One mistake which many make is in screwing down the cover of the churn too tightly. When it is just tight enough to prevent leakage of cream, stop. To tighten it further injures the cork and necessitates doing the same every time.

Properly cared for, there is no reason why a wooden churn should not be in constant use for an indefinite period without getting rancid. When ice is used in the churn properly to reduce the temperature of the cream, it should be made quite fine, that the inside of the churn may not be made rough by the pieces coming forcibly against it. There is also danger of the sharp corners breaking the glass in the cover.

Poplin to Be Popular.

Poplin is a material that will be greatly used for girls' frocks this season. It is very effective in the bright plaids as well as in the plain colors. The younger girls will wear the plad frocks with cloth jackets, while older girls will wear the entire costume of the plain color. Velvet and silk are both used for trimming, and even white lace and velvet can be combined on the waist. A charming costume of dark brown has the skirt made without trimming, the front breadth gored, the rest of the skirt gathered. The waist is full, and has a bolero of brown velvet and a turned-over collar of white lace over a stock collar of plaid ribbon. A dark green poplin is trimmed with rows of narrow velvet ribbon the same shade put on the waist to form a jacket effect, while a full vest of bright plaid silk gives a youthful look that is most attractive.

Strain is Very Great.

It is generally held by Alpine climbers, says The British Medical Journal, in speaking of age and cycling, that most of the fatal accidents in mountain climbing occur through the failure at the critical moment of some man who has taken to mountaineering too late in life, and who is, perhaps, also out of condition. An old dog cannot be taught tricks, according to the proverb, and, though it is disagreeable to have to realise that we have passed the age when we can excel in a new pastime requiring special skill to avoid accident, and youthful adaptibility and elasticity to avoid overstrain, it is the part of wisdom to accept the inevitable. There is no reason why middle-aged men, and even those who have passed middle-age, should not take to cycling, but it should be with a frank recognition of the limitations which age imposes. Great strain, long distances, and hill climbing put a strain upon the constitution and will find out the weak places, the parts of the system which are going faster perhaps than the rest—the heart, it may be, or the vessels of the brain. So, also, in regard to riding a bicycle in crowded thoroughfares, the strain on the attention is considerable, the risk not small if a man has lost the quickness of youth.

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"Did you see the snake?" interrupted the Doctor.

"See him, suh; of course we did."

"But was there any snake, Colonel?"

"I scorn your insinuations, suh," said the Colonel. "The snake was about nine feet long and it raised its head on a level with the Major's and fixed its glittering eyes on his. The cobra, like the rattlesnake, has the power to charm its victim, and in a moment there sat my friend, the Major, staring into the monster's eyes, completely fascinated and unable to move a muscle.

"I was sitting across the table from him almost paralyzed with horror and afraid to make any movement to his rescue lest the cobra might strike. It was growing more and more excited every minute, and its bead-like eyes shone like diamonds. The poor Major sat like a man carved in stone, wholly under the influence of the snake's charm.

"I was about to spring to my feet when I felt a light touch on my shoulder, and one of the natives whispered in my ear:

"Sahib, please not move. Snake come in tent for water. No rain; no water in jungle. I will place water upon table. Snake drink it and go away."

"Breathlessly I waited. I heard the soft footfalls of the native as he crossed the tent. I saw him creep noiselessly back and set a glass of water between the cobra and my friend, the Major. This is the way, suh, Major Crackbottle was saved from a terrible death."

"The snake drank the water, did he?" asked the Doctor.

"No, suh," said the Colonel, "he did not. But my friend, Major Crackbottle, when he saw that water set before him gave a jump, suh, and landed thirteen feet outside the tent, suh."—Detroit Free Press.

Fireproof Wood

Another method of rendering wood fireproof has been developed in England. For purpose of test two buildings about 11 feet square and 30 feet in height were set up, similar in all respects, except that one was of "treated" timber, and the other of ordinary timber, each being also furnished with a chimney for the purpose of creating a strong draft and facilitating combustion. Outside of these houses to the windward firewood and shavings were piled, which were set on fire simultaneously; in five minutes the building composed of ordinary timber was completely on fire, and in about half an hour was reduced to ashes, while the other structure remained intact, save for the charring of the woodwork on the side exposed to the direct action of the flames. A further test had meanwhile been applied by lighting a pile of shavings and fagots inside, but again the effect was merely to char the wood, which did not break into flame; a box made of the treated wood, and which had been placed in the midst of the ignited material, was afterward drawn out practically uninjured.

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PIN HISTORY.

Their Use in Various Countries in Different Ages.

As a requisite of the toilet pins were first used in Britain in the latter part of the fifteenth century, says The Boston Commercial Bulletin. They were first made of iron wire, but in 1540 brass ones were imported from France by Catherine Howard, Queen of Henry VIII. The prehistoric pin, however, was a thorn or a fishbone, and had no experience with or relation to the dry goods or notion business until Eve improved upon the fig leaf toilet necessities. The natural thorn is still in use in some of the upper Egypt districts, where the Birmingham article is a prime curiosity and an unpopular innovation.

In the ruins of Pompeii Roman pins of bronze and hair pins of bone or ivory have been disinterred, while ancient Egypt has disclosed the indispensable article having heads of gold. Bronze pins were known to the lake dwellers of Europe, some being artistically ornamented and elaborated with exquisite skill. Some that have come to light were on the duplex type, having double stems, and others the same in form as the safety pins in use at the present time. At first pins were made by fitting a point to a proper length of wire, and then twisting a piece of fine wire around the other extremity or fastening it after twisting in order to form a knob or head. Ultimately these operations were so skillfully conducted that a completely round head was made of a very small size and scarcely showing the nature of its construction.

Previous to the introduction of machinery the pin was, of course, entirely hand made and required a passage through no less than fourteen different manipulations before finding its way as a finished product into market. The brass pin which we see to-day in its perfect form and almost needle pointed is turned out at almost incredible speed by special machinery, the daily product of Birmingham alone being placed at about 40,000,000.

The solid-headed pin, as differing from that just described, came into use in 1840. The domestic pin was of sufficient importance in 1543 to warrant an act providing that "no person shall put to sale any pins but such as shall be double-headed and have the heads soldered fast to the pin, well smoothed, the shank well shapen, the point well rounded, filed, canted and sharpened." About 1700 the manufacture of pins became quite a business in Bristol and Birmingham, employing a large number of persons.

The pin industry in the United States was begun by colonists of the Carolinas, but it was not until the year 1830 that it reached any considerable proportions, the pins used coming from England, although the black pins used in black goods came from France.

As an article of domestic use the modern pin is now practically ubiquitous and indispensible. The tonnage of metals annually used in its manufacture would astound any who have had no interest in looking into the subject, while the number of thousands of operatives employed in the manufacture in this special industry is surprising.

Shoes For One-Legged Men.

The one-legged man buys his shoes precisely like the two-legged man. At the big stores they break a pair to sell the single shoe that the one-legged man requires, without the slightest hesitation; and he can get any kind of shoe he wants. The single shoe remaining is sent back to the factory to be mated up, and this is done with perfect accuracy. Every pair of shoes is numbered, and it could easily, if it were desired, be traced back to the stock from which it is made. There is no guesswork about it. The shoe required to mate the shoe remaining may not be made on the identical last upon which the original shoe was made, but it is made upon a last of mathematically the same proportions, and the pair thus restored is as perfectly mated as the original pair.

The one-legged man who buys in this way a single shoe pays slightly more than half the price of a pair. One-legged men are in the very largest shoe stores among the regular customers; and there they are not so unusual as to be remarkable.

One-legged men, however, are not the only men who buy single shoes. There are two-legged men who sometimes buy only one shoe. For example, a man with the gout. He can, if he wishes, and he sometimes does, buy a single shoe. The remaining shoe is mated up in just the same manner as the remaining shoe from the pair broken for the one-legged man.

There are two-legged men who wear shoes of different sizes, their feet not being mates. This may be due to nature, or it may be that an accident has befallen one foot. For such a customer two pairs of shoes are broken and he takes one of each.—New York Sun.

A Queen's Tact.

Of all the qualities once essential to a sovereign, the one most useful now is tact. Queen Margherita of Italy, who belongs to a house trained to kingcraft for more than a thousand years, is said to be wonderfully skilful in dealing with social difficulties. An incident which occurred at one of her drawing rooms illustrates her readiness and delicacy.

The persons who are to be presented at the Roman court are arranged in a large semi-circle in the throne room. The Queen enters and passes around the line, each person adding usually a word or two to give the Queen some idea of their claim to notice. She asks a question or makes a remark to each and passes on.

On this occasion there was in line a young man from South America whose embarrassment showed itself in pale cheeks and terrified glances as the Queen drew nearer. At last she reached him and stopped. He heard his name, saw her smile. There was a roaring in his ears; his knees shook. Every eye was bent upon him with amused interest, his terror was so perceptible.

"From Brazil?" she asked. "And what town in Brazil is your home, signor?"

"I—Your Majesty—I don't know!" he gasped.

The whole circle smiled, but the Queen's face was calm as marble. "You mean that our beautiful Italy has already made you forget your home? Ah, signor, you are a skillful courtier! You flatter us too much!" and playfully shaking her fan at him she passed on, leaving him wondering how he came to make so brilliant a response, while the crowd looked at him, respectfully bewildered, also.—Youth's Companion.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conqueror of kidney and liver disease.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs.
Norway's Pine Syrup cures Bronchitis.
Norway's Pine Syrup heals the lungs.

Was He Fooled or Not?

"Boys," asked the cautious man, "what is a refereadum?"

Two fellows who were the ones addressed looked up from a game of poker.

"Oh, give us something hard. Everybody that knows anything knows what a referendum is. And it isn't the only curiosity in the menagerie, either."

"I knew it was a wild animal of some sort," said the older man; "perhaps, since you know so much you can tell me what a stipendium is."

"You tell him, Bill."

"No. You tell him, Dick."

"Hanged if I know!"

"Same with me. However, here goes," and Bill raised his voice and with a look of some surprise said to the cautious man:

"A stipendium is—a stipendium. I am not exactly familiar with the breed, but I take it to be a cross between a unicorn and a zebra. Am I right, Dick?"

"Right as a string! I have never seen a stipendium, but I should know it at once from your description. Four aces and a king are hard to beat. Show your hand."

"Thank you, boys," said the cautious man, with a knowing look, "I only asked you those questions to see if you were up in the topics of the day. Glad to know that you are," and he walked off, leaving the two boys troubled to know whether they had played it on him or not.

A Woman in a Smoking Car.

When the Orange County express on the Erie Railroad stopped at Paterson, one morning last week, a stout, middle-aged Irish woman climbed up the steps of the smoking car and walked in, not heeding the warning "Rear car, ladies; this is the smoking car."

The commuters looked up from their whist, and even the man from Tuxedo was a little bit interested when she seated herself, unmindful of the smoke. As the train moved out from the station the brakeman entered the car, tapped her on the shoulder, and said:

"Madam, this is the smoking car; there are plenty of seats for ladies in the other cars."

That she was not feazed by the information was apparent to all, and the man from Tuxedo allowed himself to forget whether his partner's long suit was hearts or diamonds.

Then the woman winked knowingly, took out of her pocket pipe, tobacco and matches, and answered:

"An' did ye s'spose for wan minit I didn't be after knowin' 'twas the shmoker?"

She lighted her pipe and smoked all the way to Jersey City.—New York Sun.

He Stopped It.

Maccabe, the ventriloquist, was a great practical joker. Several years ago he was on board a river steamboat, and, having made friends with the engineer, was allowed the freedom of the engine-room.

He took a seat in the corner, and, pulling his hat down over his eyes, appeared lost in reverie.

Presently a certain part of the machinery began to creak. The engineer oiled it and went about his duties. In the course of a few minutes the creaking was heard again and the engineer rushed over, oil can in hand, to lubricate the same crank.

A Cure For Chilblains

Dear Sirs,—I used Hagyard's Yellow Oil for chilblains this winter and found it most effectual. It relieves the irritation almost instantly, and a few applications resulted in a complete cure.

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The City Clothing Store has just opened out a special purchase of

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Bought at a Big Reduction from one of the most reliable manufacturers of Montreal, who was in a hurry to clear out his Winter Lines to make room for next season's business. Having secured the whole lot at a lump sum, we are enabled to make the prices as low as those asked by wholesale dealers, and sell them at $4.00, $5.00 and $5.50 THE SUIT.

These 300 Suits are well made of Heavy All Wool Tweed, well lined, well sewed, trimmed and finished throughout. The $5.00 Suit would be a bargain at $7.50. Don't miss this snap.

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COMPARISON OF INCREASE IN FUNDS

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—1896.—

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NAMES.	Incomes 1895.	Incomes 1896.	Increase
Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590 163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.869	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.828
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.374	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295.178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the **Government Superintendent of Insurance**, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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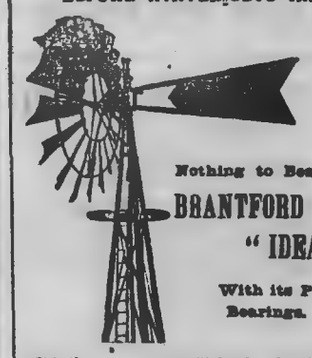

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It is being rapidly appreciated by wide-awake farmers, and many of them may now be seen on the farms of this and adjoining counties. Mr. Thos. R. Mann, Bridgenorth; Huten Bros., Springville; Geo. Cambell, ex-M. P., Cavan; Geo. Russel, Douro; W. M. Reid, Otonabee; Levi S. Bowell, Springville; W. Leahy, Otonabee; Geo. Webber, North Monaghan, are among the leading farmers who have one of these labour-saving wind-mills. New mills are being erected every week. It will run a cutting box, our grain grinder, root pulper, saw, lathe, etc., and pumps oceans of water.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Second hand coal stove for sale cheap, at WALLER & Co's.

L.O.L. at Home.

L.O.L. No. 90 will hold an "At Home" in Unity Hall on Wednesday evening next. An excellent programme will be provided and refreshments served. 1d

Catholic Association Entertainment.

This evening in the Catholic Association hall Mr. J. Hampden Burnham will deliver an address on "The Empire of the Incas." A good musical programme has been prepared for the occasion. Everybody invited. Admission 10c.

C. M. B. A.

Notice, the members of Branch 30, C. M. B. A., are notified that the nominations of officers for the ensuing year will take place at their regular meeting, Tuesday evening next. Members are requested to be present and take part in the meeting.
M. H. QUINLIN, Secretary. JOHN COUGHLIN, President. 2d

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street church will give their annual thanksgiving Day dinner on Thursday evening, Nov. 25th. Dinner served from 6 to 8, to be followed by an excellent programme, to which Rev. Mr. Crossley, the evangelist, will contribute. Chair to be taken by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P. Admission 25c.

"Humour."

On the evening of Friday, Nov. 26th, Mr. A. H. Reynar, M.A., the distinguished Professor of English in Victoria University, will deliver his delightful lecture on "Humour" in the Y.M.C.A. hall. The lecture is under the auspices of the Town Teacher's Association, and is free to all. A short, bright musical programme will also be rendered.

New Dried Fruits.

In buying raisins and currants it is more economical to procure the fruit that has been cleaned and perfectly free from stems and dirt. We have selected the several grades of raisins and currants, with an eye to the size and quality, and have them thoroughly cleaned by machinery. It is a pleasure to show goods. E. F. MASON & Co.

Evangelist Crossley.

Rev. H. T. Crossley, the evangelist, will spend Thanksgiving Day in town with his brother, Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor of the Charlotte street church, and will speak in the evening at the entertainment, which follows the dinner given by the ladies of the church. An endeavour will be made to keep the popular evangelist in town over Sunday.

Christmas Turkeys Free.

No fake or quibble about this. You can secure a plump tan-pound turkey free, all right. Don't all come at once, but all come quickly, for we have free turkeys for all who care to accept them.—J. B. OKE & Co.'s, Fruit Game and Oys ter dealers, 418 George street. Can't get them by telephone—you must come to the store and register.

The Charity Entertainment.

In the EXAMINER'S report of the charity entertainment of Friday night, a couple of important and regrettable omissions occurred. The name of Mr. Coventry who, in the Jubilee tableau, represented the French ambassador, Marshall Soult, was omitted. This is to be the more regretted because Mr. Coventry, in brilliancy of custom and martial bearing, was one of the most admired of the company. Mrs. G. A. Smith furnished the accompaniments for the vocal numbers with the rare and sympathetic delicacy characteristic of her work in this capacity.

Fortnightly Club.

The next meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held on Tuesday at eight o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. The paper will be read by Mr. J. Jeffries, B. A., on "Cymbeline." Several members have consented to discuss the paper and deliver short addresses. There will be a recitation by Miss Alma mcCallum, "The song of the Brook," which will also be rendered on the piano. The Fortnightly Club invites all citizens to attend and become members. The annual fee has been fixed at twenty-five cents. Tickets may be obtained on Tuesday evening from the secretary.

If you should get wet and catch cold, use Medill's Cough Syrup. Put up by W. Medill, druggist, Hunter street. dw

A C. P. R. PITCH-IN UP AT BURKTON.

PASSENGER TRAINS UNABLE TO GET PAST THE SCENE OF THE ACCIDENT.

The West Bound Morning Local and the East Bound Express Exchange Passengers at Burkton—The Mails Delayed for Several Hours—Eleven Cars Demolished.

The mid-day express passengers on the C.P.R. were delayed several hours to-day through a pitch-in, which occurred on the track at Burkton early this morning.

A couple of freights were waiting at Burkton to let another pass at about four a.m. One of them was on the siding and the other was just pulling in out of the way when the through freight which was running at a high rate of speed and had gotten beyond control on the down grade, pitched into the rear of that portion of the other train which was just pulling into the siding, and eleven cars were derailed and smashed almost into matchwood, the contents being scattered far and wide.

When the through freight got beyond the control of the air brakes, which were attached to seven of the cars, the conductor and brakeman endeavoured to check the speed of the train by setting the hand brake, but with no avail. The engineer and fireman jumped and saved themselves and fortunately no one was hurt of either crew.

The local from Havelock, which passes here at 7.10 a.m., transferred its Toronto passengers to the train which should have arrived here at noon, and in return brought east the passengers on the other train, which could not pass the wreck.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

Philip Minnicola Says his Wife and Son Threaten to Take his Life.

Philip Minnicola had his wife and son Edward summoned before the police magistrate this morning on a charge of threatening to take his life. He asked that they be both bound over to keep the peace.

It seems that dissension has been rife in the family ever since Philip's arrest at the instance of the son on a charge of incest with reference to his daughter. He was acquitted, it will be remembered, and went back to live with the family, but the relationship has been strained ever since, as may be supposed.

Philip now complains of the threats, but says he is willing to live in peace with his family if they will let him. They, however, want none of him, and offer to give him $100 if he will take himself off and promise to remain away. Philip says he won't go for a thousand, and thus the matter stands.

Michael Basso, the Italian interpreter, is down from Toronto, and is trying to effect a settlement of the affair, the case having been enlarged for a week to allow him to see what he can do.

This morning Mr. L. M. Hayes appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. R. M. Dennistoun for the defendants.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Fortnightly Club meets at the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow evening. Mr. J. Jeffries will read an interesting paper on "Cymbeline."

—Those who invest all their spare cash in snow shovels, thinking the winter has set in, will be disappointed. We must have our Indian summer yet.

—A gang of men under the direction of Mr. J. G. Hampton, have been engaged this week in placing a telephone at the Belmont mine and stringing the wire to Marmora.

—The farmer has killed his fatted hog and the hired man, who can tell all about the coming winter's weather by the condition of the interior economy of the animal, has been heard from. He predicts that the early part will be severe and the latter part more moderate.

—The other day in Lindsay workmen engaged in digging a drain for a water service, discovered the bones of a human skeleton, which lay about two feet below the surface of the ground. The bones are evidently the remains of an early settler or a member of the dusky tribes, which held full sway before the days of Frontenac.

—Word was received on Wednesday from Mr. W. Baptie, who left for the Klondyke some time ago, stating that he had reached Lake Tagish safely, and he and Poly Strickland were getting ready to build a shack for his winter quarters. His friends will be pleased to learn that he has reached his winter quarters safely.

—The Dominion Government has issued a blue book on the subject of railway traffic in Canada. From the statistics given it appears that from June 30, 1896, to June 30, 1897, the total number of people killed on Canadian railways was 2,026, and the total number injured 7,450. Of the killed 781 were employees, and 1,245 passengers and others, and of the injured 5,699 were employees and 1,761 passengers and others.

—The revival services at the Mark street Methodist church, Ashburnham, have been continued by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Meore, Ph. B., for five weeks. Upwards of forty persons have presented themselves at the altar as seekers of salvation—men, 75 years of age, husbands and their wives, young men and women all classes, are moved along religious lines. On Sunday evenings the church is crowded. The pastor and his officials extend a cordial invitation to all Christian workers to come over and help us.

Cut By a Scythe.

"I have used 'Quickcure' for many accidents this summer," writes Dr. S. J. Andres, of Montreal. "One very bad cut from a scythe, was healed in a wonderfully short time—in one week the cure was complete. For burns and sores, it is really far better than any other remedy I know of.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Thanksgiving Day Travel.

The Grand Trunk Railway advertises special single fare rates for Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25th. Travellers should buy their tickets at the up-town agency, of Mr. Banton, the genial and obliging agent, who will cheerfully give complete information.

Thanksgiving Turkeys.

Parties wishing to make sure of having prime turkeys for Thanksgiving Day (November 25th), can secure well fed birds, properly killed and carefully assorted for the best trade, by leaving their orders as easy as possible at J. B. OKE & Co's, 418 George street. 6d

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REMEMBER, SATURDAY—the first day—will be a Record-breaker. Keep us busy as you like. We are bound to make the prices so that everyone will buy.

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—Plain and Fancy Stationery.
—Paper Bound Books.
—Cloth Bound Books.
—Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals.
—Gift Books in Fancy Bindings.
—Brush and Comb Cases.
—Manicure Sets.
—Fancy Novelties.
—Photo Frames and Photo Albums.
—Wall Papers, Window Shades and Cornice Poles.
—Purses, Shopping Bags and Leather Goods, Etc.

Our stocks has always been sold at the lowest prices. The sweeping reductions we are offering during this sale should meet with the approval of everyone. Come one, Come all, and see what Bargains we are offering.

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SUDDEN DEATH.

Mrs. John Fawcett Summoned Without Warning.

Last night Mrs. John Fawcett, relict of the late John Fawcett, died suddenly at the residence of her sister, Miss Eliza Livick, with whom she resided at No. 12 Inverlea street.

Mrs. Fawcett has recently been in excellent health and within a very short time of her sudden death appeared to be in excellent health and spirits. She was a regular attendant at the George street Methodist church, and intended last night to go to the service, but on account of the sloppy condition of the streets her niece dissuaded her and she reluctantly consented to remain at home, but at about the time for the niece to come home Mrs. Fawcett went part of the way to meet her on her return. About a quarter to nine o'clock Mrs. Fawcett retired to her room, and could hardly have got into bed when she came down saying that she was ill and was about to die, and indeed she did pass away at ten o'clock in great peace of soul. A physician was summoned and gave his opinion that death resulted from heart disease, of which she had a slight attack about a month ago. Mrs. Fawcett was 65 years of age. She was born in Smith township, and was a daughter of the late John Livick, and has resided in Peterborough about fifteen years. She was a faithful member of the Methodist church, and her last act before retiring last night was to conduct family devotions, in which she prayed with special fervency for her friends and all others. The funeral takes places on Tuesday from the family residence, 12 Inverlea street, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

PERSONAL.

Miss Gracie Coughlin, of Hastings, is a guest of Mr. John Coughlin, 10 Waller street.

Miss Nellie Cauley, of Oswego, is a guest at the residence of Mr. P. Simons, Rubidge street.

Mr. Geo. Matthews, sr., of Lindsay, was in town to-day and went on through to Ottawa.

Miss Kate Henderson went on Saturday to Oshawa, where she will be the guest of Mr. John Hyland.

Mr. Harold Cluxton left on Saturday evening for a couple of weeks' visit with relatives in Schnectady, N.Y.

Mr. Geo. Mitchell, of Winnipeg, formerly of Peterborough, is visiting in town the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Jos. Armstrong.

Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Controller of Inland Revenue, was in town yesterday, the guest of his son-in-law, Mr. H. S. Greenwood, C.E.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman, of the Murray street Baptist church, was in Lindsay yesterday conducting anniversary services. He delivers an address there to-night.

The many friends of Mr. W. H. Baxton, physical director of the Y.M.C.A., will regret to learn that he has been called to the bedside of his mother, who is critically ill. He will be absent for a week during which time his classes will be held as usual under competent leaders.

Mr. Douglas Bird, who appears here in St. Paul's choir concert next month, has been abroad studying for the last year and a half, and since his return a great improvement in his voice is noticeable. Mr. Bird made himself a warm favourite on the occasion of his last appearance in Peterborough, and his many admirers here will be anxious to hear him again and note the improvement which his eighteen months in Europe has effected. Mr. Ussher is to be congratulated on securing a vocalist of such prominence as Mr. Bird for the occasion. His press notices are most complimentary. Miss Jessie Alexander is also contributing to the programme, and the choir is preparing some special choruses

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RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE

Passed by the Catholic Literary Association on Friday.

At a special meeting of the Catholic Literary Association held on Friday evening last, the following resolution of condolence was passed sympathizing in the bereavement of the Association's second Vice-President, Mr. J. L. O'Brien:

Whereas, the All-wise Providence in His infinite wisdom has removed by the hand of death the beloved son of our esteemed second Vice-President, Mr. J. L. O'Brien.

Be it resolved that we, the members of the Catholic Literary Association, tender to Mr. J. L. O'Brien and family our sincere sympathy for the loss they have sustained by the death of their eldest son, and we pray the All-wise Providence will give them strength to bear their trials with Christian fortitude and resignation.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes this meeting, and one sent to our worthy member, Mr. J. L. O'Brien.

T. J. BEGLEY, President.
JOHN HANRAHAN, Fin. Sec.
L. J. PICARD, Rec. Sec.

CATHOLIC LITERARY ASSOCIATION NOTES.

The membership contest, open to the members of the Catholic Association, began to-day. The contest closes the first of the new year, when the presentation of prizes to the lucky winners will be made.

Mr. J. Hampden Burnham delivers an address in the rooms this evening on "The Empire of the Incas."

Mr. Daniel O'Connell will be the speaker of the evening at the next fortnightly entertainment, Dec. 6th.

A private debating class will be started this week amongst the members.

From New York.

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MUNRO—On Nov. 20th, 1897, the wife of Mr. N. Munro, No. 541 Gilchrist street, of a son.

MARRIED.

PIMMET—PUE.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Brunfort, by Rev. T. S. McKee, on Wednesday, Nov. 17th, 1897, Mr. Adam Pimmet to Miss Mary Lavina Pue, both of South Monaghan.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

S. A. SELF-DENIAL WEEK.

It began yesterday—Local Collections to be used for Improvements.

The Army's special week of self-denial, now an annual institution wherever the Salvation flag is hoisted, will be held throughout this territory for the ensuing week, beginning yesterday and lasting until November 27th.

The public are by this time well acquainted with the purposes which actuate the effort, its aim being to supply by means of self-denial additional sinews of war. Past years have proved the financial harvests which have been reaped for the week by the concentration of the Army's consecrated workers to this scheme. Indeed results have been realised which would surprise any but those who are informed as to the detailed devotion and hard work of the Salvationists. But the Army is a rapidly developing movement, and such success has been more than swallowed up by its wide-spreading branches of effort. Therefore, Self-Denial Week has again been organised to meet the long standing and additional claims. And from such reports as have reached us, it appears as if additional efforts in almost every direction were put forth to secure an astounding total. It is stated that this year's goal exceeds that of any previous year, and corresponding and strenuous organization is being set on foot at every individual Army station. While the Army's own people are foremost in both the toil and the denial (many of them hard-working people, spending every moment of leisure in pushing the effort, and all uniting in the sacrifice of all luxuries of life and many so-called necessaries) outsiders and friends are not excluded. All who recognise the work which this organisation is doing, both for the spiritual and social well-being of mankind, are asked to co-operate. Special meetings are being held at the Army's local barracks, house to house collection is being systematically carried out, and such a network of well-got up machinery is now in motion by means of daintily-printed collecting cards and appeals, as seems to foretell the achievement of another substantial outcome to this good work. Contributions for the effort are received by the officers, and, as before stated, will be devoted in Peterborough to the renovation of the barracks and the improvements of the officers' quarters.

Catarrh Cured for 25 cents

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to suffers. Yours truly,
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MR. WHITNEY AND PARTY POLITICS.

The attention of the Nominating Committee appointed at the meeting of Conservatives on Saturday afternoon is called to a declaration of Mr. Whitney, made during his speech at Norwood, on Oct. 15th. He is reported by the Review as follows: Mr. Whitney "then referred to the drawing of party lines, saying that there was no necessity of drawing party lines so closely in the the Provincial as in the Dominion elections." Mr. Whitney is thus far right. In provincial politics where the chief issues are very largely matters of administrative detail, there is not the broadly defined questions of general policy that enter into Dominion politics. What the electors most require as a provincial representative is the man best qualified, best able and best disposed to look after the interests of the constituency. If he is of their own political faith so much the better for them, but the elector, with the interests of the riding and province at heart, will, and may, without sacrifice of the general principles of loyalty to his party, give his preference to the candidate possessing the above qualifications, whether he be Conservative or Liberal.

MISSIONARY ADDRESS.

Messages From India and the Soudan Field in Africa.

The Christian Missionary Alliance is holding a two days convention in the Bethany Mission, and a number of well known speakers and missionaries are here.

The sessions of the convention do not take the form of discussion, but rather of sermons or addresses, the speakers being Pastors Salmon and Fisher, of Toronto; C. A. Mitchell, from the Soudan, and Mrs. M. B. Fuller, of India.

The services yesterday at 10.30 a.m., 2.30 and 7 p.m., were all well attended, that in the evening being especially so, when Pastor Salmon, of Toronto, conducted the opening exercises, a gospel address being afterwards delivered by Pastor Fisher, of the same city. The latter took as his text, Hebrews, ix chap., 23-28 ver. as follows:

> It was therefore necessary that the patterns of things in the heavens should be purified with these; but the heavenly things themselves with better sacrifice than these.
> For Christ is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us.
> Nor yet that he should offer himself often, as the high priest entereth into the holy place every year with blood of others;
> For then must he often have suffered since the foundation of the world; but now once in the end of the world hath he appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself.
> And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment;
> So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many, and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation.

Pastor Salmon in the course of his address, stated that once a sinner had confessed he was on the right side of the cross—between it and heaven. When in that position Christ becomes his intercessor and his sins are plunged in the sea of Christ's forgetfulness. The speaker then dwelt on the possibilities of being sunk in the sea of God's wrath in contradistinction to occupying the former enviable position. Many were waiting until Jesus came before confessing their sins and turning to God, but Pastor Salmon urged upon them the thought that they who had confessed earlier in life must necessarily be much farther on the road to grace than they, and besides, as stated in the Scriptures, He would come suddenly in the twinkling of an eye, and those who had not already their vessels filled with oil, would have no time in which to do it. When the last trumpet sounded those who had died previously would be able to rise up from the ground and say: "O grave, where is thy victory?" and those who at the time were living and would be suddenly taken to God would exclaim, "O Death, where is thy sting?"

The speaker closed with an earnest appeal to all not to delay the day of salvation too long and be caught, like the foolish virgins, with no oil in their lamps.

This evening's session of the convention promises to be especially interesting, as addresses will be delivered by Mrs. M. B. Fuller, who for twenty-one years has laboured in India, and also by Mr. C. A. Mitchell, who is home on furlough from the Soudan field in Africa.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day—1 p. m. ..... 51° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest*
Yesterday	48°	26°

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WEST PETERBORO' CONSERVATIVES.

MEETING TO APPOINT NOMINATING DELEGATES.

No Results in the Matter of a Candidate—A Fair Attendance—The Question of Selecting a Candidate Deferred—Election of Officers.

There was not a very large attendance at the mass meeting of the Conservative electors, called for the purpose of selecting delegates to nominate a candidate to contest the representation of the West Riding at the coming general provincial elections. The meeting was held in the old council chamber, Opera House block. Mr. W. H. Moore, President of the Association, occupied the chair, and briefly stated the object of the meeting.

The first business taken up was the

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Mr. Moore intimated that he did not desire the presidency for another term, thinking that the honour should be passed around.

Mr. R. A. Morrow then nominated Mr. H. C. Winch, as president, but that gentleman declined the honour.

Mr. L. M. Hayes nominated Mr. R. M. Dennistoun for President, but Mr. Dennistoun declined to accept the position of President at the present time, and he in turn nominated Mr. T. E. Bradburn.

Mr. Moore asked if there were any other nominations and there being none, he declared Mr. Bradburn elected.

Mr. Bradburn, who had just entered the hall, said, "before they declared him elected he should like to know to what office they were electing him."

The chairman informed him and Mr. Bradburn began a protest by saying "No, no"—but his voice was drowned by the hearty applause that followed.

The chairman called for nominations for the position of Vice-President.

Mr. Andrew McNeil nominated Mr. Hampden Burnham as Vice-President. No other names being submitted and Mr. Burnham not being present, he was declared elected.

The other officers were elected and the list stands as follows:

President—T. E. Bradburn.
Vice-President—J. H. Burnham.
Secretary—W. Sailsbury.
Treasurer—R. Fair.

The following vice-presidents for the townships were elected:—

North Monaghan—Joseph Forster and George Webber.
South Monaghan—Jas. Fisher and Jos. Clarke.
Smith—G. E. Reid, Peter Preston, Cornelius Young and Jos. Milburn.
Ennismore—Paul Costello and Cornelius O'Connor.
Lakefield—J. F. Lillicrap and R. C. Strickland.
Harvey—Arch'd Johnston and Robt. Tedford.
Galway—Thomas Peacock.

[It is understood that Mr. Burnham was elected vice-president contrary to his expressed wish, and that he declines positively to accept the office.]

Mr. Wesley Millar moved, seconded by Mr. John D. Baptie, that the West Peterborough Liberal Conservative Association is unanimously in favour of placing a candidate in the field, and pledges itself to support such candidate to the utmost extent of its ability.

Mr. Miller, in support of his resolution, remarked to the effect that he saw the old war horses of the Conservative party around him, and with their united help a candidate could go hopefully into the contest. He admitted that the "Grits" had a strong man, who was already in the field, but that should not discourage the Conservatives. Even a Goliath met his fate, and if the old Conservative fire were left they should buckle to the fight and redeem West Peterborough, no matter who was in the field.

The chairmen remarked that the resolution was hardly in order with the object for which the meeting was called—the selection of delegates—and no further action was taken respecting it.

ANOTHER PROPOSITION.

Mr. J. W. Garvin moved in regard to the selection of a candidate that this meeting stands adjourned till Saturday, November 27th, when a mass meeting will be held at p.m.

Speaking to his motion Mr. Garvin explained that from his experience he did not favour the selection of a candidate by means of delegates. The Liberals of Centre Toronto had selected a candidate at a mass meeting and Mr. Garvin suggested that efforts should be made to get a large attendance at the proposed meeting and to secure the presence of Mr. Whitney, Mr. St. John and others of the Conservative leaders.

Mr. W. S. Robinson pointed out that in the matter of a candidate the Conservatives had been at the mercy of two or three persons in the preliminary convention, and it was time that that method was done away with. (Applause.) He was heartily in favour of Mr. Garvin's resolution.

Mr. R. M. Dennistoun said there were two sides to the question, and the meeting would be the best judge in the matter. He was surprised at the resolution moved by Mr. Garvin. He should be the last man to propose such a thing, for it was Mr. Garvin who so strongly berated the Conservatives at the last meeting for selecting a candidate so loosely, and in accordance with his suggestion the system of delegates had been adopted. He agreed with Mr. Robinson that all should have a voice in the matter, though it was difficult to control a mass meeting with doubtful voters present. He wished to hear from the gentlemen from the country, and would accept their opinion.

Mr. Moore, the chairman, pointed out the difficulty of securing the presence of Mr. Whitney or Mr. St. John, who would be so much occupied, the session being so close to the date of the meeting proposed by Mr. Garvin. He also adverted to the difficulty of securing a large attendance of the electors on so short notice. The present meeting had been thoroughly advertised and—the speaker left it to be inferred, that if full notice had resulted in a limited attendance, shorter notice would have corresponding results.

Mr. Wesley Millar thought it would be difficult to get the townships to select delegates to nominate a candidate in time. The Liberal candidate was in the field and the man that opposed him would have his work cut out.

Mr. Andrew McNeill suggested that Mr. Garvin add a clause to his resolution, naming a committee of five to select a candidate whose name would be submitted to the meeting on Saturday night.

Mr. Moore insisted on the lack of time.

Mr. Garvin said there was plenty of time. He defended himself from Mr. Dennistoun's charge of berating the Conservative. He could not accept the suggestion of Mr. McNeil.

Mr. Dennistoun—The Liberal candidate in Centre Toronto was nominated by a committee.—(Applause.)

Mr. Robinson, as seconder of Mr. Garvin's motion, was in favour of a committee. In Centre Toronto the report of the nominating committee was accepted by the mass meeting.

After some remarks about the shortness of time by others, Mr. Wesley Millar made objection to a few persons nominating a candidate. It laid the party open to the charge of presenting a candidate and saying to the electors "You must vote for this man or his opponent."

Mr. Dennistoun—warmly—"When was this done? Give an instance."

After considerable discussion of the several propositions before the meeting, the matter was finally settled by adding Mr. McNeil's rider to Mr. Garvin's resolution, making the number of the committee ten, with the township vice-presidents added and the date of the meeting changed to Wednesday, Dec. 1st, at 7.30 in the evening.

The following were made the nominating committee: Messrs. W. H. Moore, H. C. Winch, R. A. Morrow, J. Wesley Miller, Joseph Jones, C. W. Sawers, J. W. Garvin, R. M. Dennistoun, Harry Phelan, and John Green.

A resolution, moved by Mr. C. W. Sawers, seconded by Mr. Dennistoun, congratulating Mr. Whitney on the success of his campaign tour, and expressing confidence in his policy, was unanimously adopted.

The president was instructed to communicate with Messrs. Whitney, St. John and the other leaders.

Mr. Bradburn took occasion to thank the meeting for the honour of electing him president, though he would have preferred that some one else should have had the honour.

The meeting, which had become much thinned by persons dropping out, after three cheers for Mr. Whitney and the Queen, adjourned.

GIVE THE BOYS A CHANCE.

This is what the boys' department of the Y.M.C.A. aims to do. How it is done is outlined in an announcemet issued some weeks ago bearing the above title:—

Friday night there was a large attendance of boys to witness and assist in the opening of their room, which has just been furnished by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

The boys's room is situated on the right side of the Murray street entrance—well-lighted and a place where boys can enjoy themselves without the slightest interference with the other departments. The floor has been carpeted with oilcloth of a handsome design. The windows have been curtained and a fine large reading table has been added to the furniture. The boys' room still lacks a few good pictures and a combined bookcase and writing desk, which the management hope some good friends will donate.

To make the room more complete a social will be held on Friday evening next, and as a price of admission each member has agreed to bring a curio, a picture or a book. The books received will form the foundation for a boys' library.

Mr. A. H. Stratton has donated a "Boys' Own Annual," and a good supply of new games have been purchased.

An enjoyable half-hour story song service was held in the Bible class room at 7.30, a number of the boys contributing incidents suitable to the hymns sung.

Following this was the debate in the boys' room on "City vs. Country Life." The city side was upheld by H. Woods, E. Best and C. Whiten, and A. Fronde, H. Clewes and R. Dobbin supported the country—the latter winning.

A vote of thanks was then moved and carried, amid a storm of applause, to the Ladies' Auxiliary, for their kindness in furnishing the room.

Mr. Sandford Hall performed the duties of chairman in an able manner.

PROVINCIAL S. S. CONVENTION.

The Local Sunday School Union Reorganising in Order to be in a Position to Entertain Delegates.

Since it has been decided to hold the Provincial Sunday School Convention in Peterborough next year, new life has been infused into the local S. S. Union, and a call has been issued for a general meeting this evening in the Y.M.C.A., at which representatives from all schools are requested to be present.

Reorganization will be effected and officers elected, in order that by the time the big convention is due the Peterborough Society will be in good working order and in a position to do the honours.

THE VETERAN'S MEDALS.

The following notice appears in the Canada Gazette of last Saturday:

FENIAN RAID OF 1866.

Notice to intending Applicants for Medals.

Notice is hereby given to applicants who belonged at that time to the Imperial Forces, that all applications for medals for the fenian raid of 1866 should be addressed to the General Officer Commanding the troops in Canada, at Halifax, Nova Scotia.

R. W. SCOTT,
Secretary of State.

Dated at the office of Secretary of State in Canada, this 8th day of November, 1897.

The notice applies only to the Imperial forces. It is presumed that a later notice will be given to members of the Canadian Volunteer Militia. The value of the Veterans' Association will be apparent in applications for medals. It is sufficient that the most feasible way to obtain the medals would be through these Associations.

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HOCKEY.

The secretary of the Hockey Club on Saturday received the following letter from Rev. V. Clementi enclosing a cheque for five dollars:

PETERBOROUGH, Nov. 19, 1897.

W. A. Buchanan, Esq.,

DEAR SIR,—I thank you for your courteous letter and the Hockey Club for the compliment paid me. I enclose a cheque for my subscription for the current year,

Yours faithfully,
V. CLEMENTI.

The Lindsay Collegiate Institute hockey team is ready for the fray, and the boys expect to make a name for themselves during the coming season. The officers are as follows:

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Pres.—R. H. Walks.
Vice.-Pres.—J. Colling.
Capt.—C. R. Gladman.
Treas.—F. Manning.
Sec.—F. H. Hopkins.
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Mr. Thos. Miller, Lucknow, Ont., says that he was afflicted with Stomach Trouble and Constipation for about 20 years, during which time he tried almost everything he heard of, but to no purpose. Mr. H. Day, the popular druggist, sent him a sample of Dr. Chase's K.-L. Pills. The first dose he took did him good, and they have proved so effectual in his case that he recommends them to all those afflicted as he was.

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OTTAWA NOTES.

Cold Storage For Fruit.

The following extract from The Daily Mail of Glasgow in reference to a recent shipment of fruit has been received at the Department of Agriculture: "A sale of fruit shipped by the Canadian Government in cold storage took place yesterday at the Strand in the bazaar of Mr. Thomas Russell, fruit broker. There was a crowd of eager buyers. The pears sold well at 8s per half box, and up to 15s 6d for full boxes. A few cases of apples went at 12s per case, and some tomatoes also sold well. But the grapes, of exceptionally fine quality, sold at low rates, the reason being that the people here have not yet learned to appreciate the flavor of Canadian grapes. They were certainly far superior to Spanish and had much of the aroma of hothouse grapes. The Canadian Government will not probably ship any more grapes this season, but they will probably send on pears. Mr. W. T. Crandall, agent of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Canada, was present at the sale and took a special interest in the venture."

The above indicates that although the prices realized for Canadian grapes have been exceedingly low, there may yet be a profitable demand created for them. Even if it takes a year or two to educate the British palate to like the flavor and quality of Canadian grapes that may be a profitable undertaking. In addition to the direct trade returns the distribution of Canadian grapes from different markets in Great Britain as an article of commerce will direct the attention to the admirable climatic conditions that prevail in Canada.

Major Walsh, commissioner, writing from Hindeman to the Minister of Interior, on Oct. 29, says that his party was then struggling in a cyclone and up to the neck in snow. They were making very slow progress. On the 27th inst. they were on the summit, where the snow was from five to fifteen feet deep. The ice was not then strong enough to carry.

A Toronto company had some books they imported from England, and of which they hold the Canadian copyright, seized by the Customs department because they had not been printed in Canada. The matter was referred to the Department of Justice, which now orders the books released with the decision that Canadian holders of copyrights can import the books that are printed elsewhere.

A deputation from the town of Brantford, headed by Charles Heyd, M.P., waited on Hon. A. G. Blair this morning to ask a subsidy for the Toronto Hamilton and Buffalo Railway.

Commander Spain of the Fisheries Protection Service confirms the report that the Atlantic coast fishing has this season been exceptionally poor.

Unequalled.

Mr. Thos. Brunt, Tyendinaga, Ont., writes:—"I have to thank you for recommending Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for bleeding piles. I was troubled with them for nearly fifteen years, and tried almost everything I could hear or think of. Some of them would give me temporary relief, but none would effect a cure. I have now been free from the distressing complaint for nearly eighteen months. I hope you will continue to recommend it."

Source of Heat In the Body.

An important source of heat in the body is due to the friction of the blood as it circulates in its vessels. All of this resistance, which is overcome by the heart, is transformed directly into heat. We may calculate the amount approximately. It is supposed that .6192 kilogram meters of blood is expelled from the left ventricle at each stroke, and at 72 strokes a minute this would give 44.5124 kilogram meters per minute. If we suppose that the right heart does one-quarter the work of the left, or about 10 kilogram meters per minute, we have for the total work per minute 54.512 kilogram meters, which corresponds to 128 calories per minute.

This is perhaps a rather high estimate for ordinary conditions, but where the heart is forced to pump a much larger quantity of blood in order to maintain the normal temperature this estimate is probably much exceeded at times. Since this friction takes place largely in the most constricted portions of the circulation, it would be natural to expect that the blood which had been driven through the capillary system of a gland would issue much warmer than it entered, and such we find to be the case. Thus the blood of the hepatic vein has been observed to be 40.78, while that in the right heart was 37.7. In the muscles no contraction can take place without an increased flow of blood through them, with a simultaneous constriction of the capillaries, which would naturally give arise to a considerable production of heat, a fact constantly observed.—Sanitarian.

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THE U. S. PROPOSALS.

Latest Phase of the Washington Commission Question.

THE POSITION OF GREAT BRITAIN

Canada is to Cease Killing Seals While the Commission Proposed is in Session—A Disposition to be More Definite in Statement Than Heretofore—Our Action Not Final.

Washington, Nov. 20.—The despatches from Ottawa announcing that the Canadian Cabinet has decided to send a commission to Washington to negotiate with a similar commission to be appointed by the United States Government, touching all the questions at issue between the United States and Canada, has had the effect of drawing forth here, for the first time, a statement of the exact proposition that was laid before the Canadian contingent when they were in Washington a few days ago. It can now be stated that the proposal of Mr. Foster, representing the United States Government, which the Canadian delegates took home with them, to submit to their council, was:

First, that both nations agree at once to a suspension of all killing of seals during the next season in the Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea, the modus to go into operation on the first of next month.

Second, that representatives of the Governments of the United States and Great Britain, including Canada, be designated to enter with as little delay as possible upon the consideration of all unsettled questions between Canada and the United States, with the view to a settlement by treaty, this to include the sealing question and any other matter which either Government may choose to bring forward.

So far the State Department has not been advised that the Canadian Council has acted upon the propositions, but an early answer is expected, as is evidenced by the fact that the date set for the beginning of the modus stopping the killing of the seals is no later than the first of next month. One important fact that is not clearly disclosed in the Canadian despatches is that the modus must be agreed upon positively before our Government consents to the commission.

In other words, there must be no more killing of the seals while the commission is at work. The commission might occupy a long time in its deliberations, and if pelagic sealing is to go on meanwhile it is lieved by our experts that there will be no seals left to serve as a basis for negotiations.

A definite feature of the proposed commission is that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador, shall be at the head of the British-Canadian Commissioners. That Sir Wilfrid Laurier shall be associated with the Ambassador is significant as showing the purpose of the Government of the United States to fully recognize the Imperial character of the negotiations, and to conduct them only through the authorized representatives of the British Government. The despatches from Ottawa fail to state this fact, and to that extent are said to be misleading. There can be no Canadian commission and nobody representing Canada can conduct negotiations with the United States Government. This was fully recognized during the recent meetings, and it took form in the propositions submitted. At least one of these propositions distinctly stated that the arrangement for the commission shall be made between the Governments of Her Brittanic Majesty and the United States, and that the British Ambassador should be at the head of the commission representing the British-American side.

Much misapprehension was caused during the recent visit of Canadians by the unofficial character of their discussions, as it was recognized that official negotiations were possible only between the United States and Great Britain, and not through the medium of Canadian officials. The misapprehension cannot arise again, it is said. Any commission determined upon at Ottawa would first have to be submitted to the Colonial Office at London, and if approved in that quarter it would assume an official form, as between the United States and Great Britain. The action of the Canadian Cabinet is not, therefore, final, but is expressive of the wishes of the Dominion authorities as subject to final action in London.

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Hespeler's First Highway Robbery.

Hespeler, Ont., Nov. 20.—Mrs. Fisher, wife of W. H. Fisher, traveler for Ballantyne & Co. of this place, was held up on the street by a tramp last night and relieved of her purse, containing a considerable amount of money. This is the first case of highway robbery in the history of the village.

Dr. Hutchinson's Case.

Ingersoll, Nov. 20.—The hearing of the cases of Dr. Hutchinson and Augustus Frisell has been fixed for Tuesday next Miss Duhan, the victim of the alleged mal. practice, is slightly improved.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Nov. 18.

Flour—The market for flour continues fairly active, and prices are unchanged. Straight rollers $4 to $4.10, middle freights. Manitoba patents are quoted at $5.25 and strong bakers at $5.

Wheat—The market is less active, but firm. Red winter sold at 82c, high freights. White is quoted at 80c, west, and spring at 78c, east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quiet and unchanged, with the price nominal at 93c, Fort William. It is quoted at 97c to 98c, Midland.

Bran—Trade is quiet, with bran quoted at $7.50 west, and at $8, middle freights. Shorts, $11 to $11.50, middle freights.

Buckwheat—The market is fairly active and steady, with sales at 30c, west, and at 31c, middle freights.

Barley—The market is easier, with offerings moderate. A round lot of No. 3 extra sold at 27c on the Midland and feed at 25c on the Midland. Feed is quoted at 23c to 24c, west.

Oats—The market is fairly active, with sales of white at 24½c, west. Mixed are quoted at 23c, west.

Peas—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c, middle freights.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

Rye—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c east.

Corn—The market is very dull, with cars quoted at 26c to 26½c, west.

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Feeders, heavy	3 25 3 75
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" good	3 25 3 40
" medium	2 75 3 12½
Butchers' cattle, inferior	2 50 2 75
Springers, each	25 00 40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00 45 00
Calves, each	3 00 8 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00 3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25 2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50 4 00
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 25 ....
" light fats	4 25 ....
" sows	3 00 ....
" stags	2 00 ....
" store	4 25 ....

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 19.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 5½d to 7s 6d; No. 1 Cal., no quotations; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 37s 0d; do., light, 36s 6d; do., short cut, 31s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 43s 0d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures 7s 4½d for Dec., 7s 4¾d for March and 7s 3¾d for May. Maize steady at 3s 1¾d for Nov., 3s 2¼d for Dec., and 3s 1½d for March. Flour 24s 9d.

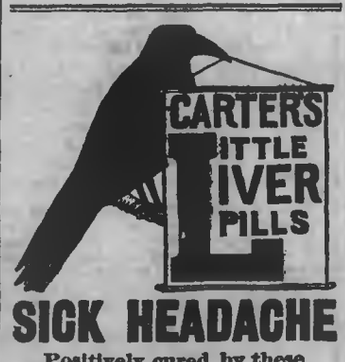
London—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. English country markets quiet. Maize partially 3d higher.

Paris—Wheat 23f for Jan. Flour 61f 20c for Jan. French country markets firm.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat steady; futures strong at 7s 6¼d for Dec., 7s 6½d for March and 7s 4½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 2d for Nov., 3s 2¾d for Dec. and 3s 2¼d for Jan. and Feb. Flour 25s 3d.

Loss Nearly $35,000,000.

London, Nov. 20.—It is officially reported that 150 warehouses have been guttdd. A later estimate of the damage done places the amount at nearly $35,000,000.



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The thin glass tumblers which have recently been put on the American market in such enormous quantities have surprised many a housekeeper by cracking suddenly while standing on the shelves. It has needed ocular demonstration, says Cassier's Magazine, to convince some housekeepers that tumblers could behave in this manner. When one of these tumblers is found cracked, the first thought is that a careless servant must be in fault. Hot water or rough handling was always the cause of the breakage of the old-fashioned flint glass goblets. The difference between the old and the new kinds of tumblers seems to be in the haste with which the latter is prepared, thus necessitating a very short stay in the annealing furnace. The molecules of the glass in this case have no chance to arrange themselves in lines of least strain, so that every new-fashioned tumbler is filled with torsion stresses tending to fracture its substance with any slight external aid—as, for example, the cool air from an open window striking the proximate sides of the tumblers set on a dining-room table. Of course, the advantage of using the new kind of tumblers is that their cost is only one-fifth or one-sixth of the old kind. Looking at the matter more broadly, the tendency of the new glasses to spontaneous fracture is only another illustration of crystalline degeneration. Herbert Spencer, in perhaps the most fascinating chapter on evolution which he has ever written points out that all substances which have been rendered colloid by the application of heat sooner or later radiate this heat, which has been acting as a cement between the molecules, and become crystalline. Mr. Spencer gives as illustrations of this process the igneous rocks in their various stages, from molten lava to granite, and jam, which becomes gritty when kept too long, owing to the crystallization of the contained sugar.

To Preserve Wooden Posts.

As a result of some experiments carried on in Germany to discover some efficient and permanent method of preserving wooden posts that have to be set in the ground, the following deductions have been made: In setting posts for fences or other purposes, care should be taken to turn them upside down, that is, to reverse them from the position which they had while growing as portions of a trunk of a tree. The reason for this is that the capillaries of a tree are so arranged as to promote the ascent of fluids from the root upward. Consequently, a log set in the ground in the same relation as the trunk of a growing tree will draw moisture from the ground to a considerable height; and the wood so moistened will decay; while if the log is set with the other end up the action of the capillaries tend to oppose the ascent of the moisture, and the wood resists decay much longer. Another means for preventing the decay of such posts is to protect them with some waterproof covering just below the surface of the ground, where they are most exposed to soaking from rains. An experiment was made in France by furnishing alternate posts with a protecting ring, made by slipping on a drain pipe, and filling the space between the inner surface of the pipe and the post with tar and sand. The top of the pipe was set just at the level of the ground, and it was found that the posts so protected lasted just five times as long as those which had been set in the ground without protection. The cost of the application was about sixty cents for each post, but it seems probable that a simple wrapping of tarred paper would have answered the purpose, provided no holes had been driven through it and the paper had been sealed with a coating of tar.

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THE ONTARIO SURPLUS

Will This Year From Crown Lands Alone Amount to More Than Five Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—The Ontario Opposition may be somewhat surprised to learn that a statement of public accounts will be presented to the Legislature at the coming session, in spite of Mr. Matheson's asservation to the contrary.

Still further surprise will doubtless be manifest when they read the volume in question and discover that the Central Prison has earned more than $25,000 more than it cost, and that from Crown lands alone $600,000 surplus is in hand for the year.

Ball of Victorian Era.

There was an informal gathering of some of the ladies most interested in the Victorian era ball which Their Excellencies propose to give on Dec. 29 yesterday.

Her Excellency explained that as the ball was to take place at the close of the Diamond Jubilee Year, it was thought that it would give character and attraction to the event if the guests could come in costumes illustrative of the Queen's reign. The plan which has been decided upon for the ball is that there should be six successive dances, in which all taking part should assume a different character.

The dances which have been arranged so far are as follows:

I. Group representing various parts of the Empire, such as England, Scotland, Ireland, Canada, India, Australia, South Africa, Egypt, etc. This group will be under Her Excellency's own charge, and will be carried out by the staff at Government House.

II. Early, Middle and Later Victorian Costumes—There will probably be four sets of dances under this group, who will dance at the same time, to the same music. The earliest period will be under the charge of Lady Kirkpatrick, the second under Mrs. Forsyth Grant and the third or middle period under Mrs. Edgar, and the later period has not yet been settled.

III. Victorian Literature—Four sets have also been decided on in this group. Mrs. Nordheimer has undertaken to organize a set representing the characters from Tennyson; Mrs. Welter Barwick another set of characters from Dickens; Mrs. Cockburn and Lady Thompson another from Sir Walter Scott, and Mrs. John Cawthra another from Thackeray.

IV. Inventions—Mrs. Sweny will probably undertake to arrange a dance representing electrical inventions, and Mrs. Osler and Miss Kingsmill will represent the advances made in the department of the postoffice. There will probably be two other sets in this group, representing the changes made during the Victorian era by the introduction of steam and other scientific discoveries.

The other two groups have not been definitely decided on, but will probably be:

V. Arts and Music—Possibly representing various famous pictures produced during the Queen's reign, and

VI. Historical Sports and Amusements.

It has not yet been settled whether the ball should take place at the Pavilion, the Armouries or elsewhere. A further meeting of the ladies taking charge of the arrangements will be held next Friday, the 26th, at Government House at 4 p.m.

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Dwarfing From Harsh Environment.

In Limousin there is a barren range of low hills which lies along the dividing line between the departments of Dordogne, Correze, and Haute-Vienne, about half way between Perigueux and Limoges. The watercourses show the location of these uplands. They extend over an area about eventy-five miles long and half as wide, wherein average human misery is most profound. Dense ignorance prevails. There is more illiteracy than in any other part of France. The contrast in stature, even with the low average of all the surrounding region, is clearly marked by the dark tint. There are sporadic bits of equal diminutiveness elsewhere to the south and west, but none are so extended or so extreme. Two-thirds of the men are below five feet three inches in height in some of the communes, and the women are three or more inches shorter even than this. One man in ten is below four feet eleven inches in stature. This is not due to race, for several large types are equally stunted in this way within the same area. It is primarily due to generations of subjection to a harsh climate, to a soil which is worthless for agriculture, to a steady diet of boiled chestnuts and stagnant water, and to unsanitary dwellings in the deep, narrow, and damp valleys. Still further proof may be found to show that these people are not stunted by any hereditary influence, for it has been shown that children born here, but who migrate and grow up elsewhere, are normal in height; while those born elsewhere, but who are subject to this environment during the growing period of youth, are proportionately dwarfed.—Popular Science Monthly.

We Make Friends in Youth.

When old men ape young ones they afford a sad, and, in fact rather a gruesome spectacle, like that of a death's but it does not often happen. Their efforts to rival them in ordinary transactions are plucky endeavors to go on with the battle of life; not to throw up the sponge before they are compelled. Their ardor for work is sometimes excessive; indeed, in some cases they are seized with a desire for gain, which under the circumstances looks very like madness, but they are privately conscious of a sad falling off in promptitude; their judgment may be as good as ever, but their intellectual motions are tardy. Those whom with they were wont to consult are often no longer with them; they have become isolated. "Remote, unfriended, melancholy, slow," is a line very appropriate to their condition.

It seems curious that Shakespeare should have mentioned "troops of friends" as accompaniments of old age. This statement is only true as regards those who have the gift of exciting personal attachment, the longer they live the larger is the number of those attracted to them, but with the vast majority of mankind, friendships are made in youth, but afterward by no means easily, and therefore when men come to be old they have only their contemporaries, a small and dwindling "troop," whom they can call their friends.—James Payn, in The Nineteenth Century.

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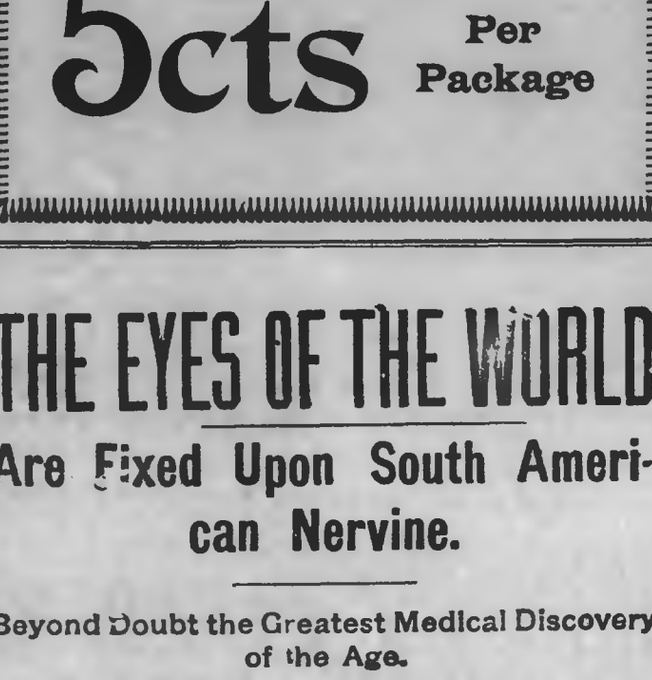

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FROM THE HUNT.

The Hunting Parties all Returned Home—A Large Number of Deer Shot—Deer Reported Scarce in Some Sections—Some Lakefield Hunters.

The hunt for this season ended on Monday last, and the hunters have all returned to their homes, and for the next few weeks the friends will be entertained with graphic accounts of hairbreadth escapes of the deer. Most of the parties had good success, some of them killing their full number, while others only had enough to give each man a taste of the much coveted venison.

In some sections the hunters report the game very scarce while in others it is the reverse. The runway hunting does not meet with much favour from the majority of the hunters, as quite a number of the wounded deer escape to die in the woods, which would not have been the case if water hunting was lawful. A large number of parties were in the woods, and below is a list of some of them, with the number of deer shot:—

The Turtle Lake hunting party returned home Tuesday evening from the hunting grounds, bringing with them eighteen fine deer, nine bucks, five does and four fawns, one of the bucks being a magnificent animal, weighing 227 pounds and had a fine set of horns. The average weight was about 120 pounds. The following are the officers of the party from Lakefield:

President—Crane Creek Richardson.
Captain—Shoot-at-him Baisdon.
Physician—Moses Muskrat McEwen.
Dispenser of Liquids — Green Woods Macfarlane.
Secretary—Big Buck Strickland.
Treasurer—John Rice Lake Postlethwaite.
Chief Cooks and Bottle Washers—Shoot Straight Macfarlane, Buck Fever C. Young, and Miss-em Richardson.
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The party started out from the hunting grounds about nine o'clock a. m. on Tuesday and arrived at Young's Point about four o'clock p. m. and found a splendid oyster supper awaiting them at the Carleton House, to which the hungry hunters did ample justice. The party had great luck with their deer. In the first week they secured five deer. The second week they knocked over thirteen, killing ten deer in two days, Melville Strickland bringing down the big buck. They made a jolly party in camp, spending the time when not hunting in playing pedro, telling yarns, getting away with Sandy McEwen's celebrated pain-killer and other amusements. The camping ground is at Turtle Lake and is an ideal spot for it, being in the midst of the principal runways. They are all keen hunters, A. McEwen and T. Macfarlane driving from Ashton, Ont., a distance of 240 miles, to take in the hunt. G. Green, photographer, took a photo of the deer and hunters in front of the Carleton House. The party are looking forward to a hunt next year.

The Payne party camped at Paynesboro, Stony Lake, secured four deer.

The Strickland party, composed of R. C. Strickland, H. Strickland, J. P. Strickland and John Strickland, got one fine deer. Their camp was at Stony Lake.

The Miller party composed of the five Miller boys, Alex. Watts, Geo. Moore, W. Charlton and S. Charlton, who were camped at Crane Lake, had great luck, killing seventeen fine deer.

The party composed of A. J. Kidd, A. Headren, C. Reynolds, D. Baptie and L. Spry, camped at Lovesick, secured six deer.

On Tuesday last Thos. Natrass, of Millbrook, met with a severe accident while going back to bring a Millbrook party out who were camped at Deer Bay. When turning off the Burleigh road the king bolt of the wagon broke and the horses ran away, dragging Mr. Nattrass over the dashboard of the wagon. He hung to the lines and the horses dragged him quite a distance before they stopped. He received a number of severe bruises and cuts.

The Fraser-Crowe party camped at Jack's Lake, consisting of Dr. R. Fraser, W. H. Casement, R. Crowe, J. J. Crowe, E. Wigg and J. Aunley, secured eight fine deer. They report deer very scarce. Mr. J. J. Crowe sprained his ankle very badly while carrying a deer to the wagon, his foot slipping on a root.

The Lytle party of Campbellford, who were camped at Jack Lake, were successful in getting three deer.

The Martin Robinson party who put up at Little Jack's Lake, were successful in getting three deer.

The Hugh Drain-Miller party at Jack's Creek, got five deer.

Two deer fell to the lot of the John Drain party at Jack's Creek.

The Christy Crowe-John Craig, M.P.P. party, camped at Eel's Creek, knocked over seven deer.

The Hull-Jones party at Jack's Creek got three deer.

Jack Stone and party, who were camped at Otter Lake, knocked over five deer.

COL. STRATHY HITS OUT.

A Vigorous Reply to Gen. Gascoigne Concerning the Case of the Royal Scots.

Montreal, Nov. 22.—In an interview on Saturday Lieut.-Col. Strathy, commanding the 5th Battalion, Royal Scots of Canada, stated that the difficulties in the Royal Scots were trifling. "But even trifles require prompt and judicious treatment, or they grow into mountains. To the weakness and indecision of Gen. Gascoigne himself is due the growth of difficulties in the regiment. He gave importance to the trifles instead of settling them, as most gentlemen would have done, when they commenced 18 months ago, and as was recommended to be done by me, officially to headquarters, at that time. He appointed a court of enquiry 12 months afterwards, and this court sat for two months without discovering anything that could form the basis of a charge. Why did he allow an enquiry until he had something defined in the shape of a charge?

"Not being able to discover anything, either before the enquiry commenced or since it has finished its labors, that could be the subject of a court martial in an Imperial regiment—he angrily lectures the two senior officers and then imparts what he has done to the press. How could a general officer commanding expect that such a public onslaught in the press would tend to the restoration of military discipline? Did anyone ever hear of such undignified conduct in a major-general?

"Gen. Gascoigne may be a great soldier—I leave that matter to the record of his service past, and the record he appears to be making now—but when he talks about officers being lacking in tact and consideration, I must tell him that his own conduct shows he has not studied even the primer of diplomacy. It is not Gen. Gascoigne's scolding that can settle this matter.

"Where is the report of the court of enquiry? Where is the charge that the general referred for enquiry? Why did he put the regiment to the worry of an investigation if there was no offence to investigate?

"I repeat—the whole difficulty is due to Gen. Gascoigne's weak and dawdling policy, which he is now trying to conceal in ill-feigned indignation at two officers, who, according to his own admission, have committed no offence.

"I have served 17 years as an officer in the Royal Scots; I have no ill-will against a single officer or man in it; I have tried to make the discipline good because I am proud of the regiment; I love the service, and if need be I am willing to serve in the ranks 'with the colors' at my country's call.

"But I am the commanding officer of the regiment. I owe a duty to the officers and men who have given to me a warm and loyal support, and all of whom respect honest, steady discipline, and I refuse to be browbeaten by a general who confesses he has no charge against me.

"Perfectly conscious of having worked for the best interests of the regiment, I have no fear of the threat of 'drastic measures,' and come what will I shall be found loyal and true to the 5th Royal Scots and the Queen's service.

"It might have been a breach of discipline, were it not for Gen. Gascoigne's example, to reply in the newspaper press, but it must be remembered that I am now speaking in self-defence, in the interest of the regiment, and when no other recourse is left, and if I have carried the war into Africa, I am simply following the example of the major-general himself."

CHURCH CHIMES.

ITEMS CONCERNING SOME OF THE LOCAL CONGREGATIONS.

Paragraphs From Peterborough Pulpits—Rev. Mr. Hughson, of Lindsay, in the Murray Street Church Yesterday.

MURRAY STREET BAPTIST.

Rev. Mr. Hughson, of Lindsay, conducted the services both morning and evening in the Murray street Baptist church yesterday.

In the morning he took as his text I Samuel xvii, 32: "And Daniel said to Saul, let no man's heart fail him because of him. Thy servant will go and fight this Philistine." The subject of the address was "The Working Christian."

The choir, as a morning, anthem, sang "Deus Miserator."

In the evening Mr. Hughson spoke from Acts xxvii ch., 29th verse:—"Then fearing lest we should have fallen upon rocks, they cast four anchors out of the stern and wished for the day." The address was more particularly delivered to young men, the four anchors being represented as the influences which would keep the young men from falling foul of the rocks after leaving home.

In the illustration Christ was spoken of as the ground upon which the anchors would fall, the cable being "faith." The four anchors were the four principal good influences in a young man's life, viz: good home influence, good associates, a good wife and pure religion.

At the evening service Mrs. Hunter sang, as a solo, "When the Mists have Rolled Away."

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

The Rev. H. Symonds addressed the congregation of St. Luke's yesterday morning upon the various topics of the recent Archidiaconal meeting at Lindsay, which proved the most successful yet held.

Next Sunday being Advent Sunday, the annual united communion of the church workers of the parish will be celebrated. There will be two services, the first a 8.00 a.m. and the second at mid-day.

There will be no service in St. Luke's on Thanksgiving Day, as a united service of the three local congregations will be held in St. John's church.

A special Thanksgiving service is being held in Norwood next Thursday evening. Mr. Davies, organist of St. Luke's, will be in charge of the choir, which will be assisted by some members of the Ashburnham choir, and Rev. H. Symonds will preach.

Next Sunday evening Rev. H. Symonds will commence a series of three sermons on "The Church of England, and her Schools of Thought." The Evangelical or Low Church will be treated of next Sunday.

MARK STREET METHODIST.

Sunday was a grand day at Mark street church. At seven in the morning a Pentecostal service was held. A large number assembled and spent a very profitable hour in communion and prayer.

At ten o'clock the two classes, led by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., and by Mr. Chas. Noyes, met and were well attended.

At the eleven o'clock service the subject was "Power from on high." The pastor chose as his text, Acts 1, 8: "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you; and ye shall be witnesses unto Me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth." He gave a very able, earnest and practical discourse on this very important subject.

The Sunday school at 2.30 was well attended. All the teachers and officers were present. The members of the congregation, both young and old, will be welcomed at the Sunday school.

The special services, which have been so successful, will continue all this week. On Thursday evening the meeting will be in the nature of a thanksgiving service. Song service each evening at 7.30, and the evangelistic service at 8. Everyone is welcome.

The Sunday school will have the annual Christmas tree and entertainment on Christmas night, Dec. 25th in the new town hall, Ashburnham.

In the evening Mr. Moore gave a powerful address on "The Unpardonable Sin."

NOTES.

The Tuesday evening cottage meeting of the Christian Alliance will be held at the residence of Mrs. Cooper, Auburn.

The Christian Alliance holds a service Thanksgiving evening.

Interest is increasing in Rev. E. V. Stevenson's Sunday afternoon talks with men. They are held in St. John's at 4.30 p.m. on Sundays, and all are welcome.

At St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday Rev. J. F. O'Sullivan preached his first sermon since ordination. He spoke at both the 8 and 10.30 o'clock services, and gives promise of being a most eloquent preacher.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

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Daniel.....*Blackmore*
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The History of Lady Betty Stair.....*Seawell*
The Young Mountaineers.....*Craddock*

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Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 8 40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.[illegible] p. m

Time table corrected to date.

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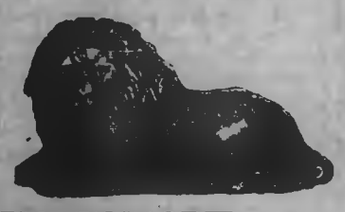

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A Proposed Arbitration Treaty That Won't Arbitrate.

POSSIBLE QUESTIONS SHUT OUT.

A Clause Which Did Not Appear in the First Draft of the Proposed Treaty with Britain—The Real Friends of the Movement See Nothing Binding In It.

New York, Nov. 23.—To the new arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain, which is being drafted by the State Department, there has been added, a correspondent of The World in Washington says, a clause which did not appear in the recent publication of the gist of the document.

This clause provides that "national honor, national integrity and vital political interests are not subjects of arbitration."

By "national integrity" it means questions affecting the territorial rights of either party. Consequently the one question most likely to cause friction between the Governments at Washington and London—the delimitation of the Alaskan boundary—cannot be arbitrated under the treaty.

The phase "vital political interests" is to prevent the Monroe doctrine from being made a subject of arbitration.

The few friends of real arbitration, who have been informed in confidence of the terms of the proposed treaty, see but little that would be binding in it. The arbitrators will be two from each Government and they will agree upon a fifth, who is not to be a reigning sovereign of Europe or selected by such a sovereign. Before a question can be submitted to arbitration the Senate will have to pass upon it. If the Senate votes in the affirmative, the court of arbitration will be created, but if the Senate should be antagonistic to England the proposition even to refer the matter to arbitration would fail.

The present convention is said by many to be an effort to please the advocates of arbitration, while giving to the Senate the control for which it fought at the last session.

THE STICKEEN RIVER ROUTE.

Transportation Men Are Giving It Lots o Attention—Through From London to Dawson.

Montreal, Nov. 23.—The presence in the city of Mr. Maitland Kersey, agent in New York of the White Star Line, and his relations with prominent gentlemen here, confirm the report that is connected with the proposed Stickeen River route to the Klondike. This is the story:

A few days ago Capt. V. M. York registered at the Windsor from Teslin Lake, and began to negotiate with parties here regarding transportation to the Klondike. Later on the captain, who is a brother-in-law of Chief Justice Davie of British Columbia, went to New York, and report says that satisfactory financial arrangements were soon made with Mr. Maitland Kersey. As stated a few days ago by cable the steamers to run from Vancouver to Fort Wrangle at the mouth of the Stickeen are already provided for. Other steamers will be taken to Telegraph Creek, 140 miles up the Stickeen, where the much-talked-of portage of 120 miles in length is reached. Capt. York states that there is no part of the road where the grade will exceed two per cent., and it appears to be understood that a narrow guage road will be built, the construction of which will take but a few months.

It is at the end of this portage that Teslin Lake begins and which is 120 miles in length. Here Capt. York has already built a saw mill, and he will also build a number of steamboats intended to ply on the lake. From thence by the Hootalin and Lewis Rivers the gold seekers will reach Fort Selkirk and in to the Klondike.

LONDON TO DAWSON CITY.

Through Bookings From the Metropolis by the C.P.R. and Stickeen River.

(Star's London Cable.)—"Negotiations are proceeding here, which in a fortnight will enable through bookings from London to Dawson City, via the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Stickeen River route. The negotiations include a fast line of steamers from Vancouver to Fort Wrangle and an entirely new river service to Glenora. Thence the route is by an entirely new trail to Teala, and by water again to the Klondike. Everything points to an enormous rush in the spring.

"Two new Canadian mining ventures are before the British public to-day. One is the Klondike Gold Mining and Trading Company, with which Colonel Tisdale and Mr. McMurrich, ex-Mayor of Toronto, are connected. The capital is £100,000.

"The other is the Rainy River and Ontario Exploration Company, with a capital of £150,000. The Mayor of Port Arthur is the leading figure and has an option on the town site of Wabigoon.

"The Klondike Company is exciting criticism because it has issued with the prospectus a laudatory editorial which it offered the country editors 30 shillings to insert with the prospectus."

Montreal News Notes.

The United States warship Yantic left yesterday at 9 a. m. for Ogdensburg en route to Detroit. She is being towed on six pontoons by tugs. Her entire keel, 19 feet of her bow and all her spars have been removed.

Messrs. Petersen, Tate & Co. have received a wire from St. Jean, Isle of Orleans, stating that the SS. Turret Cape, outward bound from Montreal to Avonmouth, is ashore on Valliere Bank, on the south shore of the island. The consignors are Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co. The vessel is laden with 90,000 bushels of grain. The Lord Stanley has been sent from Quebec to assist her.

There are no new developments to-day with reference to the mysterious disappearance of Mr. A. E. Lewis, real estate agent, Sherbrooke street, who mysteriously disappeared Saturday night while on his way to attend a meeting of the council of St. Louis de Mile End. He had recently arranged to float a $175,000 loan for the council, and had a number of enemies in the council. He had recently received threatening letters. Superintendent Carpenter, of the Detective department, has no theory to offer. He has half a dozen detectives working on the case. The financial affairs of Mr. Lewis are said to be in excellent shape.

TRIAL OF MARTIN THORN.

Seven Jurors for the Second Attempt—A New witness.

New York, Nov. 23.—The trial of Martin Thorn for the murder of William Guldensuppo was resumed yesterday with a great crowd in attendance. Judge Smith was ill and Judge Maddox of Brooklyn was sent for to try the case.

About 125 or 150 of the extra panel of talesmen, drawn for the trial, were in attendance. Many of them were farmers from the backwoods of Long Island, and from their conversation in the corridors it was evident that they had not read or heard much about the Guldensuppo murder. This was regarded as favorable for getting a jury within a reasonable time.

One of the new witnesses is Mrs. Ida Ziegler, of 1671 West Farms road, New York. Since Mrs. Nack confessed that Thorn committed the murder Counsellor Howe has been directing his efforts to try and fasten the actual killing on Mrs. Nack. This is why he has called Mrs. Ziegler as a witness. She will testify that as early as March last Mrs. Nack tried to hire her cottage at West Farms, telling Mrs. Ziegler that Guldensuppe was to live with her in the cottage. Mr. Howe will endeavor to show by this witness that Mrs. Nack was planning to murder Guldensuppe at that time.

When the court adjourned at 5 o'clock seven jurymen had been selected.

A Galt Innocent in Buffalo.

Buffalo, Nov. 23.—John Scott, jr., a young farmer from the neighborhood of Galt, Ont., was in the Municipal Court yesterday, and told in a most frank manner how a casual acquaintance with a Buffalo lady named Lizzie Gormly had cost him $500. He made her acquaintance some months ago in Toronto, and they came and bought furniture. The other day Scott sold the furniture, but when the buyer went for it Miss Gormly claimed it. The knotty question as to who really owns the furniture the Judge promises to settle to-day when the case is resumed.

A Thresher Fell Dead.

Bradford, Nov. 23.—A very sudden death occurred on the farm of Mr. Robert Neilly, West Gwillimbury, about two miles north of this village, yesterday. Mr. Alex. Sutherland, thresher, aged about 26, while threshing grain, fell as in a fit. A messenger was at once sent for Dr. Campbell, but before he reached the place life was extinct.

Disease of the Heart.

Hespeler, Ont., Nov. 23.—Fred Wick Jahncke, a resident of Kossuth, a small country place about four miles north of here, was found lying dead by the roadside about a mile from his home yesterday. Coroner Lockhart found that death was undoubtedly due to disease of the heart. Deceased was in his 73rd year.

Have Not Given Up Their Franchise.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Nov. 23.—A despatch to The Gazette from William B. Rankine, secretary and treasurer of the Canadian Niagara Power Company, denies positively that there is any foundation for the report published that the company has given up its franchise across the river.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION

All Compromise Rejected by the Manitoba Minority.

THE POSITION OF THE CHURCH.

Attorney-General Cameron States That While 35 or 36 of the Separate School Districts Had Come In Under the Act He Doubts Whether 15 Now Remain.

Winnipeg, Nov. 23.—In answer to a question by a Tribune reporter Attorney-General Cameron, who left yesterday to address a meeting in the electoral division of Turtle Mountain, stated that the possibility of the minority accepting the school settlement seemed remoter than ever. Active efforts have been made to induce the French settlements to organize and secure the benefits of the Public Schools system, but without result. At one time no less than 35 or 36 of the Separate School districts had come in under the act, but this number had been diminished until it is doubtful whether fifteen remained. He said there was no doubt that if the parents were left to themselves they would avail themselves of the advantages of National Schools, as they naturally desired their children to be as well educated as the rest of the children in the community, but they were debarred from this by the active interference of the clergy, who had succeeded in one case after another in disbanding the National Schools and substituting schools directly under their own control. There appeared to be indications of a set purpose on their part to fight the present law to the bitter end, at the sacrifice of the best interests of the children. He stated emphatically that there need be no doubt on the part of the public that it was the intention of the Government to resist the attacks of the church and maintain the law as it stands. No concessions except a complete surrender of principles would satisfy the heads of the church, and this is, of course, utterly out of the question.

ALL ARE FOR BERTRAM.

A Successful Rally of Manufacturers, Business Men and Workingmen.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—The candidature of Mr. Bertram was measurably advanced by a meeting in St. George's Hall last night, which was in every respect a success. The attendance was large, the speaking effective and the enthusiasm without limit. On the platform were manufacturers, business men and workingmen, who were united in the belief, which they did not hesitate to express in the most emphatic manner, that the classes they represented, as well as the community at large, had more to gain by sending Mr. Bertram to Parliament than by returning his opponent. The Liberal candidate, in a characteristically forceful address, answered some of the objections to his election which had been raised at the Conservative nominating convention, and that he completely disposed of them was the verdict of the audience, as recorded by round after round of applause.

MINISTERS AT AYLMER.

Speeches by the Premier and Hon. George W. Ross.

Aylmer, Nov. 23.—The enthusastic and large gathering of the Liberals and electors of East Elgin held in the Town Hall here yesterday was chiefly instructive as demonstrating the fact that the Liberals of the riding are a unit, and in the coming general election they will enter into the contest with a solid front, and inspired by a determination to restore historic old East Elgin to her former position in the Liberal ranks. The gathering partook of the nature of a ratification of the nomination as the standard bearer of the Liberal party of Mr. D. McIntyre, Reeve of Yarmouth, and the presence and manly speech upon the platform of the gentleman whose name had, without his knowledge or consent, been placed before the Liberal convention in opposition to Mr. McIntyre gave the best answer to the attempt of the local Conservative press to stir up strife in the party. At the invitation of the East Elgin Liberal Association, Hon. A. S. Hardy, Premier of Ontario, and Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Minister of Education, were present and addressed the gathering upon the questions of the day in Provincial politics. Mr. Hardy's address, which was punctuated with enthusiastic applause by his auditors, was a most able defence of the general policy of his Administration, while that of Mr. Ross was complete as regards the educational aspect.

Mr. Mack Nominated Again.

Newington, Nov. 23.—The Liberal convention of Cornwall and Stormont, held here to-day, passed resolutions expressing confidence in the Ontario Administration and in the Ottawa Government. The choice of the meeting was Mr. W. Mack, ex-M.P.P. of Cornwall.

Charged With Defiling Mr. Lister's Fence.

Sarnia, Nov. 23.—N. C. Peterson, one of Sarnia's wealthy citizens, is under arrest charged with malicious injury to property. He is accused of having decorated the fence around the home of Mr. J. Lister, M.P., one of his prominent townsmen, with crude petroleum refuse. The fence has several times been smeared a dirty black, and recently Mr. Lister engaged a detective on the case. On Saturday night, while lying in wait, it is alleged he caught Peterson in the act of defacing the fence and placed him under arrest. Peterson is said to hold a grudge against Mr. Lister as the result of a lawsuit in which Lister was counsel for an opponent.

Ballard Willing to Testify.

Shelburne, Nov. 20.—Jim Ballard, the Mohawthon negro who is serving a term in Kingston penitentiary for conspiracy and incendiarism, is anxious to testify in the perjury case against Reeve Hamilton. Ballard promises to make revelations of a sensational character if permitted.

A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

MR. HOWLAND, it appears, won his spurs as Conservative candidate in Centre Toronto to being a failure as a representative of South Toronto in the Ontario Legislature.

THE nomination of Mr. Oliver A. Howland for Centre Toronto, deprives Mr. Whitney of one of his most talkative urbane lieutenants. If Mr. Howland is defeated, as he stands every chance to be, the moral effect on Mr. Whitney's chances will not be, by any means, salutary. It argues a great dearth of men of merit, in Toronto, or a great deal of caution, that in all that great intellectual centre, a candidate cannot be found without robbing Mr. Whitney of one of his already scant following.

MR. STERN, of the Winnipeg Commercial is quoted as saying that Manitoba and the territories will be pay $16,000,000 this year for wheat alone, and an addition of $8,000,000 for other grains, furs and hides. He adds that the area under wheat cultivation alone was 1,500,000 acres, and that this will be largely increased next year. "The volume of credit amongst the Manitoba farmers," he adds, "is down to a minimum, and the bailiffs and sheriffs are on the look out for other occupations."

THE annual report of the loan companies and building societies of Canada has just been printed. The return covers 94 loan companies and building societies, the same number as in the previous year. These are represented by provinces as follows: Ontario, 83; Quebec, 7; Nova Scotia, 3 and Manitoba 1. The total capital stock subscribed of the companies is $103,795,500, and the capital paid up $42,038,794. The reserve fund, which shows a steady increase, now amounts to $11, 242, 178. The total liabilities are $143,296,284. Of this amount $35,956,068 consists of liabilities to stockholders. The deposits for the year reached a total of $19,404,878, which is half a million less than the previous year, although on the whole the transactions for the year are greater than in any previous twelve months.

KINGSTON is a good old solid steady-going place. It doesn't grow very much, but it is distinguished for having a good many big potatoes to the hill. Not to go back far, the Limestone City has furnished three Lieut.-Governors in a row—Sir Alex. Campbell, Sir George Kirkpatrick and Sir Oliver Mowat, all good men and true. Besides it produced Sir John Macdonald, for years the premier and foremost statesman of the Dominion. It produced Sir Oliver Mowat, Ontario's grand old man, who was prime minister of Ontario for a period longer than any other man in Christendom continously held a similar position. Sir Richard Cartwright, a statesman of the first order, is a Kingstonian. And ascending from statesmen to ecclesiastic, Kingston can boast of a Principal Grant and and an Archbishop Cleary. Kingston is a great place; it has produced many great men. The Limestone City has plenty of stamina, plenty of grit, or rather carbonate of lime, and if it would "sort up" its female population with a few of Peterborough's pretty girls, it could boast of her fair women and, in due time, of her handsome, as well as great-headed, men.

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THE AGRICULTURAL AND EXPERIMENTAL

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ONTARIO UNION.

The Results of Actual Experiment—What Co-operative Experiment has Accomplished.

The programme is to hand of the next annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union, which is to be held at the Agricultural College, Guelph, on the 8th, 9th and 10th of December.

We notice that reports of the summary results of the year's co-operative experimental work in Horticulture, Agriculture, Apiculture and Dairying will be presented and discussed at the meeting. In Agriculture alone co-operative experiments were conducted on 2,835 different farms throughout Ontario in 1897. Those include tests with leguminous crops and mixed grain for green fodder; grasses and clovers for hay; commercial fertilizers for corn and mangolds; and with leading varieties of grain, potatoes, roots and fodder crops. From the Horticultural sections the results of the co-operative tests with leading varieties of strawberries, raspberries, currants, and gooseberries will be given. The committee appointed to look after the dairy work will report on uniform tests made in several cheese factories and creameries during the past summer. The results of all these experiments in the different branches of Agriculture should both interesting and profitable to those in attendance at the meeting. The work throughout impresses us as being of a practical nature, and worthy of careful study by those interested in agriculture.

Addresses are to be delivered by Mr. George McKerrow, Superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, Madison, Wisconsin; on "Economical Feeding"; by Dr. James Mills, President Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph; on "Some of the Advantages of the Ontario Fruit Experiment Stations to the Fruit Growers of Ontario"; by a number of the ex-students of the Agricultural College, on "Important features in connection with successful farming under present conditions"; also by C. C. James, M.A., Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Toronto; G. C. Creelman, B.S.A., Cobourg, Ontario; L. G. Jarvis, Agricultural College, Guelph, and others.

The Christmas Fat Stock and Poultry show is to be held in the Victoria Rink, Guelph, on the 9th and 10th of December. An opportunity will be afforded to those in attendance at the Union meeting to visit the Fat Stock show on the evening of Thursday, December the 9th.

Arrangements have been made with the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railway Companies for excursion rates from December 6th to 13th inclusive.

All persons desiring to attend the meeting of the Experimental Union should write to C. A. Zavitz, Secretary, Agricultural College Guelph, for a programme of the meeting, which gives full particulars regarding excursion rates on the railways, and other matters in connection with the meeting.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

FLOUR—The market for flour is quieter, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10 middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is quiet, with cables easier. Red winter sold outside west at 82c, and at 83c middle freights. Spring is quoted at 80c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quiet and unchanged, with the price nominal at 93c Fort William. It is quoted at 97c to 98c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is unchanged, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 26c west, and feed at 24c west.

OATS—The market is fairly active and easier, with sales of white at 24c west. Mixed are quoted at 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c middle freights.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is less active, with prices steady. It is quoted at 30c to 30½c west, and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c middle freights.

CORN—The market is firmer, with cars quoted at 26½c to 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with bran quoted at $7.50 west and at $8 middle freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 22.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 6d to 7s 6½d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 36s 6d; do., light, 36s 0d; do., short cut, 31s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese 43s 0d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady; futures steady at 7s 5d for Dec. 7s 5½d for March and 7s 3½d for May. Maize 3s 1½d for Nov., 3s 2½d for Dec., and 3s 2d for March. Flour 25s 3d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 7s 4½d for Dec., 7s 5½d for March, and 7s 3½d for May. Maize steady at 3s 2½d for Nov., 3s 2½d for Dec., 3s 2d for Jan. and Feb., and 3s 2½d for March. Flour 25s 3d.

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License Inspector, West Peterborough

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Soon the M.P.P.'s Will be at Their Desks—Items of Interest From the Parliament Buildings.

Toronto, Nov. 23. — The Parliament Buildings are already being cleaned and renovated against the opening of the Legislature, and the little tin trunks are being packed with stationery for the members. Lord and Lady Aberdeen are, it is announced, to occupy seats on the Speaker's dais at the opening ceremonies on the 30th inst.

Sir George A. and Lady Kirkpatrick expect to move out of the Speaker's quarters in the Parliament Buildings to their new Simcoe street house on Thursday next. They are already packing up.

Hon. J. M. Gibson and Mr. Kirkpatrick of the Crown Lands Department went to Barrie last night to attend the hearing of the case of Caldwell v. Fraser, in which the plaintiff seeks to have rescinded the patent to certain water lots off Sultana Island, in the Lake of the Woods.

An outbreak of diphtheria is reported from Elgin County.

Twenty-five thousand dollars in all has been collected for the Casselman fire sufferers. About 125 houses are being built to shelter them.

MORE WRITS ISSUED.

Four Companies Being Sued in Connection With the John Eaton Fire.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—In connection with the assignment of the insurance policies of the defunct firm of the John Eaton Co., to the Bank of Toronto, four additional suits were entered at Osgoode Hall yesterday by Beatty, Blackstock & Co. on behalf of the bank. They were against the following companies:

Caledonian Insurance Co.	$3500
London Assurance Co.	5000
London Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	3000
Alliance Assurance Co.	5000
Alliance Assurance Co.	2500

These policies are due, and the companies, in accordance with their previously expressed determination, refused to pay.

The Baby Burned to Death.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—Myrtle Brennan, the year-old child of John Brennan, who is employed at D. Conboy's carriage fittings factory, King street west, and lives at 5 Matthias place, was burned to death on Saturday. Mrs. Brennan went out of the house for a few moments, leaving her 5-year-old son, Teddie, and little Myrtle alone. She told the boy to remain seated until she returned, but he disobeyed, and his mother had hardly left the house before he had procured a bit of stick, which he lit at the stove, and then set fire to some curtains. His little sister toddled to the burning mass, and her clothes caught fire. The child was rolling around the floor in dreadful agony when Archie Sneddan, a young brother of Mrs. Brennan's, came into the house. He called for help, and Mrs. Brennan, sr., who lives next door, came in and extinguished the flames, but the poor baby was burned from the waist to the neck, and only lived a few hours. The funeral took place yesterday.

O. A. Howland Resigns.

Toronto, Nov. 23.—It is compulsory that a member of the Provincial Legislature resign his seat before he is eligible for nomination for a seat in the Dominion House. Mr. O. A. Howland has consequently sent in his resignation to Mr. Speaker.

Mrs. Cawthra-Murray's Will.

It was reported around town last night in well-posted circles that the will of the late Mrs. Cawthra-Murray was read at the residence after the funeral, and that the estate, which will probably aggregate five millions or thereabouts, goes, the great bulk of it, to Cawthra Mulock, a lad of 18 years or so, the second son of the Postmaster-General. The money is to come to him when he is of age, and by that time the accumulations will probably make it ten millions.

Mrs. Dr. Ryerson, a niece of Mrs. Cawthra-Murray, it is said, will get $50,000, and so also her husband, Dr. Ryerson, $50,000. The children of James Crowther, a nephew of deceased, are to get $50,000. It is also said that Mrs. William Murray is remembered to the extent of $3000. Some of the servants get small legacies. It is not known that anything is left for charities.

In case young Cawthra Mulock should not attain his majority the fortune left to him is to go to his father and mother. Mrs. Mulock is a sister of Mrs. Ryerson and Mrs. James Crowther is niece of deceased, while Mr. Mulock is a nephew of the late William Cawthra, who was the founder of the fortune.

Stewart Paisley Married.

Mount Albert, Nov. 23.—Stewart Paisley, of whom so much has been said regarding the stabbing and robbing affair at Mount Albert, has been married to Miss Jessie Lapp, who, as Mr. Paisley was unable to leave his bed, went there and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McFadyen, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Mount Albert. Dr. Forest is indignant at the report attributed to him. He does not think Mr. Paisley inflicted the injuries himself.

How Thin You Look.

Do you like to hear it? If not, take Scott's Emulsion. 'Twill fill out your sunken eyes, hollow cheeks, and thin hands. Why not have a plump figure? Don't let disease steal a march on you.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs.
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LEO XIII. LOVES US.

His Holiness Expresses Regard for Canadians.

CONFIRMS CANADIAN BISHOPS

In Their Stand on the Manitoba School Question—Mgr. Bruchesi, Archbishop of Montreal, Received by the Pope—Ten Canadian Pupils Introduced—Cable News.

Rome, Nov. 23.—The Pope, in receiving the Archbishop of Montreal, Mgr. Bruchesi, to-day, expressed special affection for hte Canadian nation. Later the Archbishop presented to His Holiness ten new pupils of the Canadian College at Rome. The Pope, in addressing the young men, recommended them to study hard in order to second the efforts of their bishops and to always maintain a close union with them, as with the Supreme Pontiff. The Pope then presented Mgr. Bruchesi with a magnificent cameo portrait of himself.

The Archbishop will start for Spain on Wednesday next and will visit the tomb of St. Iago de Compostella, to whose memory the Cathedral of Montreal was dedicated.

The Pope's encyclical on the Manitoba school question will not be published for some days to come, but it is understood hat it confirms the stand taken by the Canadian bishops.

THE AMEER TALKS.

The Afghan Ruler Vehemently Disclaims Connection With the Rebellious Tribes.

London, Nov. 23.—A well-informed correspondent at Cabul, capital of Afghanistan, writing from that city, under date of Sept. 20 last, gives an account of an interview which he had with the Ameer of Afghanistan, in Durbar, in which the Ameer, referring to the rising of the tribes on the frontier of British India, said:

"I cannot imagine how anyone can think that I am responsible for the actions of the Haddah Mullah, who instigated the troubles, for it was he who raised the revolt of the Shinwaris and other tribes against me, shortly after my accession. I inquired into his antecedents and failed to discover his tribe, caste or birthplace. I only know he professes Mohammedanism and has great influence among the Mussulmans of the border tribes.

"When my Governor of Jellallabad recently stopped the Haddah Mullah's followers from leaving Afghanistan, they said they had the right to fight the English, for their leaders had told them I had given permission to do so. My Governor thereupon arrested several of the leaders, who were carrying green Jehad (holy war) flags. He sent them to Cabul, where they are now in prison, and I know how to deal with them."

One of the officials of the Durbar, the letter adds, remarked: "Indeed, these men are rascals."

"Rascals," cried the Ameer, "they are the worst scoundrels I have ever known, for they have not hesitated to use my name to try and bring discredit upon me. I have much to do in ruling, teaching and civilizing my own people, without being troubled by such scoundrels."

Terms for the Tribesmen.

Simla, Nov. 23.—General Sir William Lockhart, the commander of the British forces operating against the insurgent tribesmen, telegraphs from the British camp in the Maidan Valley that he has issued a proclamation stating the terms of submission which he is willing to grant the Afridis. The latter are given a week's grace in which to accept the terms referred to, which include the restoration of the rifles and other Governmental and private property stolen, the surrender of 800 breech-loaders, a fine of 50,000 rupees and the surrender of hostages, as a guarantee of compliance with the will of the Government. The Khyber Pass will be re-opened in the manner the Government deems advisable, and all the Afridi tribal allowances are forfeited by their misconduct.

The Turk Must Surrender.

London, Nov. 23.—The Rome correspondent of The Daily News says: "I am able to assert on the best authority that the powers are discussing the advisability of a naval demonstration in the Dardanelles, or a blockade of Constantinople, if the Sultan does not yield to the demands of the powers with respect to autonomy for the Island of Creto, especially in the matter of withdrawing the Turkish troops."

Warned Against Weyler.

London, Nov. 23.—The Standard warns the Spanish Government that a personage capable of "exacting homage from such diverse elements as the Carlists, advanced Republicans, Conservatives and workers' associations as did General Weyler at Corunna, is capable of developing into a popular hero who may upset the Government, and even the dynasty, unless care is taken."

Dervishes Driven off.

Berber-on-the-Nile, Nov. 23.—Detachments of Dervish horsemen from Metemmah, the stronghold of the Madhi, between this place and Khartoum, recently attempted to raid the villages on the left bank of the Nile, opposite Berber, but they were driven off by the villagers, who were recently armed with rifles issued by the Anglo-Egyptian authorities.

Hopes for Bimetalism.

Paris, Nov. 23.—In the course of his speech Saturday in the Chamber of Deputies, during the debate on the subject of the agricultural crisis, M. Meline, the Premier, expressed the hope that the day would yet come when bimetalism would triumph, as a solution of the agricultural depression.

ONE HONEST MAN.

Dear Editor.—Please inform your readers, that if written to confidentially, I will mail, in a sealed letter, particulars of a genuine, home-made, home cure, by which I was permanently restored to health and manly vigor, after years of suffering from nervous debility, sexual weakness, night losses and weak shrunken parts. I was robbed and swindled by the quacks until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but thank Heaven I am now well, vigorous and strong, and wish to make this certain means of cure known to all sufferers. I have nothing to sell and want no money, but being a firm believer in the universal brotherhood of man, I am desirous of helping the unfortunate to regain their health and happiness. I promise you perfect secrecy. Address with stamp, W. H. T. MULFORD, Agents' Supplies, P.O. Box 58, St. Henri, Que.

Sign of Strength.

The sign of strength, a ruddy countenance, depends upon rich, red blood. To make the blood rich and ruddy, the countenance clear and bright, and the step firm and elastic, use Burdock Blood Bitters. J. A. Gillan, B.A., Toronto, Ont., says: "I enjoy good health now to the greatest degree, ever since the day I started to use B.B.B."

AT THE CAPITAL.

General Gascoigne and Col. Strathy's Criticism—Small Postoffices and the Jubilee Stamps.

Ottawa, Nov. 23.—It is not believed here in official circles that Gen. Gascoigne will attempt to discipline Col. Strathy, commanding officer of the 5th Royal Scots, Montreal, for the press interview in which the General is taken severely to task. It is contended that after reprimanding the Colonel and his Major, Gen. Gascoigne used the press to advertise this fact and to comment on it so as to humiliate them before the public, and that the General in so doing violated rule 130, which says:

"Officers and soldiers are not to attempt to prejudice questions under investigation by publication, anonymously or otherwise, of their opinions," and rule 966, which prohibits "the publication through the medium of the press of anything calculated to act injuriously on the service." Col. Strathy violated these regulations only after the General himself had set the example, and for this reason it is thought the matter will not be further stirred up by the General, though the Minister of Militia, who is now at Canning, N.S., may deem it his own duty to take up the matter. Col. Strathy is an honorary A.D.C. to His Excellency the Governor-General, who on a former occasion in regard to these same troubles interested himself with Gen. Gascoigne in behalf of the regiment.

A number of requests have been received from the smaller postoffices throughout the Dominion for partial sets of Jubilee stamps up to and including the $1 denomination. The Postoffice Department, desirous of giving that class of offices an opportunity of purchasing such sets, has, it is understood, arranged to distribute through the city postoffices from which they are respectively accustomed to obtain their stamp supplies. Non-accounting offices, therefore, wishing to secure such sets for their patrons will have a chance of doing so by applying to their city postoffices in the usual way.

Theosophist Interference.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—The Theosophists of San Francisco are taking a very active interest in the fate of Murderer Durrant. Many of them believe that capital punishment is wrong, and they are getting up a petition praying Governor Budd to stay the execution and to commute his sentence to life imprisonment. The petition was prepared by Dr. Jerome Anderson of the San Francisco Theosophical Society, and it has already received a large number of signatures.

Dragged to His Death.

Frankville, Nov. 23.—Rainy Loucks, one of the most progressive farmers in this district, and a township councillor, was killed in a runaway accident Friday night. He was driving a team of spirited horses and had the lines fastened around his wrist. In pulling the horses the bit broke and the horses bolted. Mr. Loucks was pulled out of the wagon and dragged along the road about ten rods when his head struck a stake. He died two hours later.

Found No Trace of Andree.

Tromsoe, Tromsoe Island, Norway, Nov. 23.—The steamer Victoria, which was fitted out by the Government of Tromsoe, under instructions from King Oscar, to search for Prof. Andree, the missing aeronaut, and his party, and which left here on Nov. 5, has returned from Spitzbergen. She brings no news as to the whereabouts or movements of Andree, although exploring parties landed 10 times at various points in Dammands Isles.

British Insurance Companies Lose.

Melbourne, Victoria, Nov. 23.—As a result of the fire which broke out at 2 o'clock yesterday, the insurance companies lost £730,000, of which amount £500,000 will fall on British companies. Australian companies will lose the remaining amount.

A Cure For Chilblains

Dear Sirs,—I used Hagyard's Yellow Oil for chilblains this winter and found it most effectual. It relieves the irritation almost instantly, and a few applications resulted in a complete cure.

F. Lestrange,
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Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

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300 MEN'S SUITS

Bought at a Big Reduction from one of the most reliable manufacturers of Montreal, who was in a hurry to clear out his Winter Lines to make room for next season's business. Having secured the whole lot at a lump sum, we are enabled to make the price as low as those asked by wholesale dealers, and sell them at $4.00, $5.00 and $5.50 THE SUIT.

These 300 Suits are well made of Heavy All Wool Tweed, well lined, well sewed, trimmed and finished throughout. The $5.00 Suit would be a bargain at $7.50. Don't miss this snap.

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We have Frieze Overcoats which we can sell at $3.50.

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Blue Beaver Overcoats only $5.00.

Our Own Make All Wool Blue Beaver Overcoat, with Silk Velvet Collar, heavy linings and extra trimmings, made on our own premises, worth $14.00, for $10.00.

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Dear Sir,—I have much pleasure in recommending F. F. Catarrh Cure as the best remedy to be had for a cold in the head. I have used the same for over two years in my family, and would not be without it at any price, for Cold in the head. You will get relief after one application if taken according to directions. Respectfully yours,

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FROM EUROPE—2 large cases of
Palms, Ozaleas,
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BEFORE WINTER SETS IN.

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With its Patent Bearings.

It is the only sewer mill having bearings on both sides of every gear wheel. This divides the strain on the bearings, and prevents the prying motion which soon wears out the ordinary single rabbit metal bearing. The wheels and vanes are also galvanized after being put together, which adds greatly to the permanence and to the value of the outfit. These powerful machines are fitted with interchangeable brass or patent roller and ball bearings, enclosed and fully protected from the weather. The band brake of this mill will positively hold the wheel still when turned out of the wind. Those who have had a wheel constantly in movement, when it should not run, will particulary appreciate this feature, because if it continues to run it will keep just little enough water in the pump to allow it to freeze in cold weather. The "Ideal" is safe in a storm and will stop itself. There is no fear of it running wild in a big blow.

It is being rapidly appreciated by wide-awake farmers, and many of them may now be seen on the farms of this and adjoining counties. Mr. Thos. R. Mann, Bridgenorth; Hutou Bros., Springville; Geo. Cambell, ex-M. P., Cavan; Geo. Russel, Douro; W. M. Reid, Otonabee; Levi S. Sewell, Springville; W. Leahy, Otonabee; Geo. Webber, North Monaghan, are among the leading farmers who have one of these labour-saving wind-mills. New mills are being erected every week. It will run a cutting box, our grain grinder, root pulper, saw, lathe, etc., and pumps oceans of water.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Your Xmas Fruits.

E. F. Mason & Co are showing very choice goods in raisins and currants, which are large and clean, also candied peels, extracts and jellies.

COMING.

Dr. Jebb, Eye Specialist, will be at Messrs. Clarke & Gibson's Jewelry store, Nov. 29th and 30th, only. 2d

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Children's Shelter.

The tender of Messrs. Duncan & Gray, for the painting and papering of the building for the Children's Shelter, corner of Stewart and Charlotte streets, has been accepted. There were eight tenderers, but that of Messrs. Duncan & Gray being the lowest, was accepted.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street church will give their annual thanksgiving Day dinner on Thursday evening, Nov. 25th. Dinner served from 6 to 8, to be followed by an excellent programme, to which Rev. Mr. Crossley, the evangelist, will contribute. Chair to be taken by Mr. J. B. Stratton, M. P. P. Admission 25c.

TO-NIGHT.

Don't forget the Christmas Opening at MISS MELVILLE'S, to-night. All are invited.

New Mining Company.

In the current issue of the Ontario Gazette, among the other companies incorporated is "The Ontario Lithographic Stone and Mining Company, Limited," with a capital of $250,000. It is composed of Messrs. A. L. Davis, H. S. Macdonald, J. W. Gray, M.D., R. M. Dennistoun and F. J. Jameson.

Explanatory.

In connection with the EXAMINER'S report of the Conservative convention on Saturday, in the paragraph dealing with Mr. Wesley Miller's motion which was adopted declaring the intention of the meeting to bring out a Conservative candidate, in connection with the comment that no action followed to this effect, it was not made quite clear that the motion was unanimously adopted.

Foresters' Thanksgiving Day Concert.

The programmes are now out for the concert under the auspices of Court Peterborough, No. 29, Canadian Order of Foresters, which takes place on Thursday evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street. Mr. F. J. Perrin, refined, comic entertainer, of Toronto, and some of the best local talent, will assist. Tickets 25c, children 15c. A very entertaining evening can be expected. 2td

Appropriate Decorations,

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

Now's the Time.

Everybody wants winter clothing, but only between the seasons can you get bargains. Then you have to take what others will not buy. Now is the time. You want and must have clothes. Why not have new stylish garments, when you can get them in season, and you can get them as cheap as you will get old stock later? We have no old stock, and we are offering our full line of beautiful new goods at prices that nobody can afford to lose this opportunity [illegible] BALL & Co., Water street.

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OFFICIOUS OFFICIALISM.

THOSE INLAND REVENUE SEIZURES.

The Officious Zeal of Inspector Floody—The Hardship it Works Upon Innocent Offenders—The Relation of the Inland Revenue Department to the Seizures.

THE EXAMINER, a few days ago, had a few comments upon the action of Inspector Floody, preventive officer for this division, in connection with his seizures of several parcels of tobacco that had been exposed, in shops, separated from the original packages; and it was pointed out that the tobaccos had paid duty and that the tobacco was exposed for the purpose of attracting the attention of buyers and with no desire or intention to commit a breach of law.

It is the duty of the Department of Inland Revenue to see that the spirit of the law is carried out, but there are infractions of the revenue and all other laws so purely technical that it is impracticable to take cognizance of them all. If this were done there would be no end of vexatious litigation, and no little hardship to law-abiding citizens, who are perfectly willing to abide by the really important requirements of the law. And it is the duty of the department in the selection of inspectors to appoint men of reasonable discretion, and not officious meddlers who will pounce upon a plug of tobacco in the stores of widows, who are endeavouring to make an honest living but innocently infringe the strict letter of the law. The law was not made for such cases, and the inspector would have more judiciously performed his duty if he had called the attention of the persons concerned to the breach of the law they were making. There is less to be said in regard to persons exclusively engaged in the tobacco business, who should know the law that applies to their comparatively larger transactions. The seizure of 3 plugs of tobacco of a value amounting to 15 cents, at Bridgenorth, and of one plug of the value of ten cents, in several places in Peterborough, cannot but be regarded as an officious and vexatious exercise of authority, which should be called to the attention of the department. It is difficult to understand why Inspector Floody, of Toronto, should select Peterborough as the scene of his petty officiousness. There is no doubt that if he exercised the same zeal in Toronto, he would find thousands of cases where the foremost citizens, not to speak of lone widows in corner groceries, daily infringe the law in respect to the destruction of cigar boxes, etc., and if a penalty of, at the least $10 00, is to be inflicted, let him begin with those who are able to pay and not with corner groceries kept by poor widows, whose receipts for the month would not, perhaps, equal the amount of the lowest fine. There is such a thing as common sense and common decency, and government inspectors should exercise both and not make mountains out of mole hills, and not pay, in their official zeal, their "tithes of mint, anise and cummin, and neglect the weightiest matters of the law."

Since the article calling attention to the recent seizures, THE EXAMINER communicated with the Minister of Inland Revenue, pointing out the officious zeal of the inspector, and has received the following reply:—

OTTAWA, Nov. 20th, 1897.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

In reply to your letter of the 9th inst., I may say that the renewed activity of the Department in respect of the observance of tobacco regulations, has arisen from the great increase in smuggling of American tobacco since the imposition of additional duties last session. Unless the regulations are strictly complied with, this illicit trading cannot be frustrated.

The persons from whom seizures were made in the Peterborough Division are liable to a penalty of at least $50.00 each, but under the circumstances, and more particularly as the seizing officer has made no charges of fraud, the Department has decided that, if the persons above referred to, will voluntarily deposit with Collector Hall the sum of $5.00 as a penalty, it will in these cases be accepted in lieu of the statutory penalty.

When the deposit is made the parties will be permitted to put up their tobacco in a proper package, and Mr. Hall will attach to such packages the necessary Inland Revenue stamps, without charge therefor, in order that the goods may be placed on the market in a legal condition.

I am,

Yours truly,
H. G. JOLY DE LOTBINIERE,
Minister of Inland Revenue.

From the Minister's point of view, it may seem to him that he has taken a reasonable and, indeed, lenient view of the matter. But if he had the local knowledge of the circumstances that we in Peterborough possess, he would be enlightened as to the exceedingly petty, not to say frivolous infraction of the law that has aroused the officious zeal of Inspector Floddy, and would take a proper view of what, at the worst, is a mere technical and insignificant disregard of the requirements of the law, which is made to punish overt offenders, not those who, through ignorance and innocence, have acted without the least desire to evade or break the law. The cases spoken of in Peterborough certainly indicate that they would not be improper cases for the exercise of executive clemency.

Those engaged in the business of the disposal of tobacco in wooden packages have not much reason to complain but innocent persons who go to the grocer and buy two or three pounds of tobacco for disposal again and are not given it in the original package, are not the ones to punish, but those who supply it to them in an illegal manner. An innocent offender of the law should not be punished with the same severity that is meted out to him who knowingly disregards or breaks it. The Inland Revenue Act was passed in 1892 by the Conservative Government. Inspector Floody was appointed by a Conservative Government. If a Liberal Government amended the law and made a more common-sense and practicable law, and appointed an inspector for this district endowed with reasonable common sense and discretion, they would be doing the community a benefit.

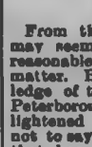
COUNTY POLICE COURT.

Two Cases Being Heard by Magistrate Edmison.

The more charges are being laid this afternoon before Magistrate Edmison against Michael Conway, of Smith, in connection with the illicit still, which was discovered on the property upon which he lives.

Henry Truesdale, who is under arrest on a charge of bigamy, was given a preliminary hearing in the county court this afternoon.

Christmas Turkeys Free.



No fake or quibble about this. You can secure a plump ten-pound turkey free, all right. Don't all come at once, but all come quickly, for we have free turkeys for all who care to accept them.—J. B. ORR & Co.'s, Fruit Game and Oyster dealers, 418 George street. Can't get them by telephone—you must come to the store and register.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guaranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

Every Price Pruned!

PREPARATORY CHRISTMAS SALE AT THE
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As a prelude to our Grand Opening of Christmas Novelties, and to secure more room for our extensive Holiday stock, we start, on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, a decisive Clearing Sale of everything in the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE. We are terribly crowded, and unless we reduce stock, we'll not have room to show our immense display of Xmas Novelties.

REMEMBER, SATURDAY—the first day—will be a Record-breaker. Keep us busy as you like. We are bound to make the prices so that everyone will buy.

—Art Pieces in every Department.
—Plain and Fancy Stationery.
—Paper Bound Books.
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—Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals.
—Gift Books in Fancy Bindings.
—Brush and Comb Cases.
—Manicure Sets.
—Fancy Novelties.
—Photo Frames and Photo Albums.
—Wall Papers, Window Shades and Cornice Poles.
—Purses, Shopping Bags and Leather Goods, Etc.

Our stocks has always been sold at the lowest prices. The sweeping reductions we are offering during this sale should meet with the approval of everyone. Come one, Come all, and see what Bargains we are offering.

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THE RUSSELL COUNTY SUFFERERS.

A New Course of Action—The Benevolent Bonifaces to be Benefactors.

Yesterday Mr. John A. Spafford, of Colborne, was in town on a mission of mercy in the interest of the sufferers by the Carleton and Russell county forest fires, who, though there has been generous relief, are still greatly in need.

Mr. Spafford thinks that churches have heretofore had too much of a monopoly of doing good and he feels that if the hotelkeepers throughout the country were appealed to they would be glad of a chance to assist, as they have done where he has enlisted in the two chief hotels in Trenton.

His plan is to leave at each hotel a subscription list headed as follows:

PETERBOROUGH, Nov. 22, 1897.

We, the undersigned, contribute the sums set opposite our respective names for the relief of the 400 families burned out by the recent fires in the counties of Russel and Prescott.

He also gives the following form of notice which is to be placed in the hotel office:

PETERBOROUGH, Nov. 27th, 1897.

TAKE NOTICE.

That I am prepared to receive contributions for the relief of the four hundred families burned out by the recent fires in the counties of Russel and Prescott.

Mr. Spafford says he believes this plan has come to him by Divine suggestion and that hotelkeepers will be glad to assist in such a noble work of charity. He believes that they are not the hard-hearted men some narrow-minded persons charge them with being.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONCERT.

The Congregation of St. Andrew's Enjoy a Pleasant Evening With the Y. P. S. C. E.

A large audience assembled last evening in St. Andrew's church in response to an invitation issued by the members of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavour to the entire congregation.

Mr. Peter Kerr, the President of the Society, occupied the chair, and hearty appreciation was shown through the rendering of the following programme:

PART I.

Devotional exercises.....by President
Instrumental.....Miss M Grant
Solo.....Mrs Bert Brown
Reading.....Miss Maude McCrae
Instrumental duet.....Misses Maude and Fox
Solo, "When you and I were young, Maggie"...Mr E W Maybee
Reading (Irish selection).....Mr C N Brown
Cornet solo.....Mr Herb Williamson
Intermission—10 minutes.

PART II.

Instrumental.....Miss Vida Gladman
Solo.....Mrs Bert Brown
Instrumental (violin).....Mr W M Barnard
Duet, "The Better Land"....Misses Clara and Annie Bellegheem
Reading (Irish selection).....Mr C N Brown
Quartette.....Miss Maggie Weddell, Mrs F W Gladman, Mr E W Maybee, Rev J G Potter
Doxology.....

At the close of the programme a vote of thanks was passed to those assisting, on motion of Messrs. A. McFarlane and Jas. Garrow, and also to the Young People for providing so pleasant an entertainment.

MULTIPLICATION OF MEMBERS.

The Thistles still Reaching Upward.

In the Y. M. C. A. contest, the Thistle division of the contestants leads by 13½ points in advance of the nearest competitor. The score now stands:

Thistles.....85½ points
Shamrocks.....72 "
Roses.....60½ "

There are only nine days of work left before the close of the contest.

PERSONAL.

Mr. D. O'Connell has returned from Toronto, where he spent Monday on business.

Mr. Alfred J. Belcher, C.E., is in charge of a section of the Crow's Nest Pass railway. The work is being pushed on rapidly.

The Lindsay Post says: "Messrs. Hubert McBain and Harry King, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Little.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

How it will be Observed at the Y.M.C.A.

On the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day, every young man in town will be given an opportunity of visiting the Y.M.C.A. A basket ball tournament will be the attraction in the gymnasium. Three games will be played between the Roses, Shamrocks and Thistles. Games will commence at 3 o'clock. Checkers will also be a leading feature, and all interested in this game, whether members of the Association or not, are asked to take part in a match for the championship.

Names of contestants must be handed to the secretary before Thursday noon.

The Reception Committee are expecting to meet many young men on Thanksgiving afternoon.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest
To-day—1 p. m.	15° above zero	
Yesterday	31°	22°

If you experience any trouble with your eyes in reading have them tested by W. Madill, practical optician. No charge for testing. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

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Children's Short Reefers, to be cleared at $1.00.
Ladies' Black and Coloured Fur-lined Cloaks, worth $25.00, reduced to $10.00.
Ladies' long Black Ulsters, worth $12.00, reduced to $6.00.
Ladies' Heavy Cloth Capes, worth $12.00, reduced to $6.00.
Children's Elderdown Flannel Coats, to be sold at $2.50. All colours.
Call and inspect our prices in Sealettes, Mantle Cloths Wrappers, &c.
Ladies' Brown and Navy Sailor Hats, worth $1.00, for 75c.
Ladies' Trimmed Walking Hats, worth $1.25, for 85c.
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth $1.75 to $2.00, for $1.50.
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Special Bargains in Wings, Tips, Ribbons, Laces and Ornaments of all kinds.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1897.

WILL KEEP THE TANKARD.

The Colts Decide not to Again Offer their Trophy for Competition.

A largely attended meeting of the local Colts' Curling Association was held in the Palace Restaurant parlours last evening, and after the subject had been thoroughly discussed it was decided not to again put up the Midland Colts' Tankard for competition.

The consensus of opinion appeared to be be that as the local Colts had won every match in which they had played during the last three years, and had been put to a great deal of expense in going away to play outside clubs, that they should be entitled to hold the cup.

The matter is not a question of funds with the Midland Colts Association as there is more than sufficient in the treasury to defray the expense of purchasing a tankard. The boys feel, too, that it would not be exactly the correct thing to ask the Granites and Thistles to give them back the trophy again after it has been donated to them.

The election of skips resulted in the selection of Messrs. Dickson Davidson and Ernie Rutherford. Mr. Davidson wished to retire this year, but the members would not hear of it. Mr. Rutherford replaces Mr. Hopkins.

The fact of a western Colts' Association have been formed was mentioned, and the hope expressed that the winners of that series would play off with the winners of the Midland schedule.

An effort will be made to make such arrangements as will permit two or three Colt rinks to play together all season under their own skips, in order that they may get accustomed to playing in the positions they will occupy in playing off the Colt series.

President Geo. Matthews occupied the chair during the evening.

THE BAYS FROZEN OVER.

And Navigation Made Very Difficult Down on Rice Lake.

The steamer North Star came into port Monday with a load of live stock, and the crew reports great difficulty in making Rice Lake ports, as all the arms running off the lake are frozen over Unless the weather turns a great deal milder, the North Star will now lay up for the winter, although Capt. Martin has one more load of wood which he would like to bring up from the lake.

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AN EVENING WITH THE ANCIENT PERUVIANS

SCHOLARLY ADDRESS BY MR. J. HAMPDEN BURNHAM

In the Catholic Association Rooms last Evening—Large Attendance and Excellent Programme Presented.

The second entertainment of the series of fortnightly entertainments was held in the Catholic Association rooms last evening, and was attended by a very large number of the friends of the Society. Mr. T. J. Begley occupied the chair and with him on the platform were the speaker of the evening, Mr. J. H. Burnham, Ven. Archdeacon Casey and Mr. Thos. Cahill.

The programme of the evening was an excellent one in every respect. Miss M. Begley opened with a well rendered piano solo, which was followed by a chorus "My Old Kentucky Home," by the Association Glee Club. This number was a delightful one, and was warmly applauded by the audience. The solos were exceedingly well rendered by Messrs. T. J. Begley, D. J. Costello and L. J. Picard. Miss McCabe is instructor and accompanist.

Mr. J. A. Henderson in his vocal number, "Anchored," showed himself to be the possessor of a beautiful tenor voice and his number was a brilliant one. He responded to an encore with "They all Love Jack."

Mrs. T. Craig sang very sweetly "The Old Refrain," and responded to an encore with a catchy negro ditty. She possesses an excellent voice, and delighted her hearers in the second part of the programme by rendering a beautiful ballad, "Better than Gold."

Mr. J. O'Brien sang a comic song, which pleased the juniors immensely.

Master Rupert Phelan, the popular boy vocalist, sang a vocal solo, a medley—"Far from the Old Folks at Home." This number was a gem, and the clever young singer was obliged to appear again. Master Rupert possesses a wonderful voice of great strength and sweetness.

The Glee Club closed the musical portion of the entertainment by rendering "The Maple Leaf Forever," Mr. J. A. Henderson taking the solo.

The feature of the evening, however, was the scholarly and eloquent address by Mr. J. H. Burnham, on "The Empire of the Incas." This was indeed an intellectual treat.

Mr. J. H. Burnham introduced his address by giving an account of the spirit of discovery pervading the people of Spain and Portugal at the close of the 15th and the beginning of the 16th centuries, which took the form of an ardent desire to reach the Indies, then pictured to every mind as as the El Dorado of the world. The Cape of Good Hope was rounded by one expedition and another started across the Atlantic, discovering the West Indies (hence the name of Indies) and the continent of America. Coming more closely to the subject of the evening Mr. Burnham said that in no quarter of the globe had a more interesting discovery been made than in the land of the Peruvians. What their origin was no scientist had yet been able to find out. Their early days were lost in the remoteness of antiquity. The Peruvians relate that being in a miserable condition their great god, the Sun, took pity on them and sent two of his children, who became the parents of the line of Incas or kings, who continued to rule over them as the divine descendants of a god during centuries of undisputed sway, until at last the ruthless Spaniard invaded and broke up the empire. The Peruvians had neither money nor foreign commerce. All property was under the control of the Inca, who divided it, or caused it be divided, every year according to the requirements of the people. The surplus produce was placed by him in large storehouses from which he took it to relieve distress amongst the people. It was a perfect example of the socialistic state, where neither poverty nor work was wanting, where the people, if not poor, were not rich, the surplus being taken for general distribution. Hence the character of the individual was mild and pleasant, but it was dignified by no great responsibilities assumed and well discharged. Such a people, with their buildings of massive stone, temples, inlaid with gold and precious stones, their mighty systems of irrigation, their system of law and government, their vast and well disciplined forces, their postal service, their matchless cultivation of the land, their knowledge of the way to harden copper which, since they knew nothing of iron, took its place—all these details of life and activity showed that their inherent qualities lacked but the genius of freedom to be great. The contrast of the empire of the Incas with the land of the Aztecs was all the more remarkable from their being ignorant of the existence of each other. A familiar likeness, however, in a variety of ways ran through the history of the Hindoos, the Egyptians and the Peruvians.

At the conclusion of Mr. Burnham's address, Ven. Archdeacon Casey in a few well chosen words moved a vote of thanks to the speaker. Mr. Thos. Cahill seconded the resolution in his well-known happy style. Mr. Burnham responded briefly.

The chairman then announced that the next entertainment would be held Dec. 6th, when Mr. Daniel O'Connell will deliver an address.

Misses L. Hurley and M. McCabe were the accompanistes of the evening.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

The District Gathering of Methodist Young People to be Held in Lakefield This Year.

The annual convention of the Epworth League of the Peterborough District of the Bay of Quinte Conference will be held in the Methodist church, Lakefield, on Thursday Dec. 9th. The following programme has been arranged:

MORNING SESSION.

10:30—Meeting of Executive Committee.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The President, W J Wattam in the chair.
2:00—Opening exercises, conducted by Rev J E Moore.
2:15—Appointment of Nominating Committee.
2:25—Reports of Departments.
"The Ideal Young People's Society."
2:55—"Its Aims—Mr H P Kennedy.
3:05—"Its Methods."—Geo H Williamson, Sec Y M C A, Peterborough.
3:15—Free Parliament on above—By the President.
3:35—Solo—Miss M Nugent.
3:40—"Thy Kingdom Come"—Rev R N Burns.
4:10—Music.
Collection.
4:20—Junior rally.
4:50—Report of Nominating Committee.
Introduction of officers elect.

EVENING SESSION.

The President elect in the chair.

7:20—Song service.
7:45—Opening exercises—Conducted Mr C E Cragg.
7:55—Address of welcome—Mr E Doige.
8:00—Reply to the address of welcome—Mr W J Gardiner, B.A.
8:05—"Social Work"—Miss Mason.
8:15—"Duties of an Epworth Leaguer"—Rev S T Bartlet.
8:45—Solo—Miss M Hendren.
8:50—"Literary Work"—Miss B Might.
9:20—Music.
Collection.
9:25—"A Christian Citizen"—Rev R N Burns.
9:35—Question drawer—Conducted by Rev S J Shorey.
9:50—Consecration service—In charge of Mr G W Fisher.

All young people throughout the district are urgently invited to attend the convention.

The number of delegates that each League is going to send, and also the length of time they will stay at Lakefield should be sent to Rev T J Edmison, Lakefield.

All Leagues throughout the district are specially requested to pray for the success of the convention.

Trains for Lakefield leave Peterborough at 8:25 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. 'Bus will also leave George street church at 6:45 p.m. for Lakefield, enabling Peterborough Leaguers to attend evening session.

W. J. WATTAM, President. MISS NINA SHERIN, Secretary.

Thanksgiving Turkeys.

Parties wishing to make sure of having prime turkeys for Thanksgiving Day (November 25th), can secure well fed birds, properly killed and carefully assorted for the best trade, by leaving their orders as easy as possible at J. B. OKE & Co's, 418 George street. 6d

Bridal Gifts.

The Peterborough Bookstore is offering special inducements in wedding and birthday gifts during our ante-Christmas reduction sale. We show some of the brightest, rarest novelties suitable for those interesting occasions. Being short of room for displaying our immense Christmas stock, we have marked all our art and fancy goods at less than they cost us, purchases can be put aside if desired and delivered when wanted. One lady picked out 12 gift books, another selected a very elegant dressing case, and another a writing portfolio and a fancy work basket.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

The Peterborough Branch Re-organizes and Elects Officers—A Series of Meetings to be Arranged.

The local Sunday School Union met last evening in the Y.M.C.A. for the purpose of reorganizing for the year, electing officers and taking the initiatory steps towards making arrangements for the reception of the delegates to the Provincial convention which is to be held here next October.

The following delegates were present from the town schools:

George street Methodist—Mr. S. R. Armstrong and Miss Stubbs.
Charlotte street Methodist—Messrs. J. Kidd and C. W. Daw.
Grace Methodist—Mr. J. Might and Miss Morrow.
St. Paul's Presbyterian—Sheriff Hall and Mr. A. J. Johnston.
St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Messrs. G. W. Mulligan and C. S. Mallett.
Murray street Baptist—Messrs. George Matthews and E. B. Edwards.
Park street Baptist—Miss Mann and Miss Minors.
Auburn—Mr. J. Simpson.
Salvation Army—Mrs. Comstock and Mrs. Redner.

Mr. George Matthews took the chair.

At the recent Provincial convention in Hamilton it was announced that hereafter Peterborough would be classed amongst the cities and would cut loose from the County Association, but the members in attendance at the meeting last night did not see what advantage could be derived from separating from the county.

The matter was left to the new executive to decide.

The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President—Geo. Matthews.
Vice-President—J. Kidd.
Sec.-Treas—A. J. Johnston.

These three officers were empowered to appoint an Executive Committee.

A series of meetings will be arranged to take place during the winter.

—Mr. M. C. Dickson, of Toronto, G. T. R. district passenger agent, held a conference with some of Lindsay's leading citizens relative to a return of the Saturday market fares privilege. Lindsay's claims were clearly outlined by the different speakers, but Mr. Dickson's reply was not very encouraging.

CALCUTTS BREWERY.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

It has been finally decided that the Rugby team will go to Kingston on Thanksgiving Day to play the Granites, and a meeting will be held in the Oriental to-night to pick the team.

HOCKEY.

The Executive of the Hockey Club met Mr. W. G. Ferguson, representing the Skating Rink Co., last night, and made arrangements to have the rink for practice from seven until eight o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings during the winter. The rental charged will be $100, and the club agrees, after the expenses of each match have been paid to divide the receipts with the Skating Rink Co. The price of players tickets has been fixed at $5.00 and of non-playing members at $3.00.

THE TOWN TEACHERS.

They Will Meet in Annual Conclave on Friday Next—Prof. Reynar's Lecture in the Evening.

The Peterborough Town Teachers' Association will hold its annual convention in the Central School on Friday, Nov. 26th. The following programme has been prepared:

MORNING SESSION.

I—President's address—J Jeffries, B A.
II—History—J McCaig, M A, LL B.
Discussion to be led by Mr Keogh, Misses Mark and Pakenham.
III—Drawing—J C Smith.
Discussion to be led by Mr O'Brien, Misses Perrin and Hall.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

IV—Reading (Lesson with class)—Miss M A Nicholls.
Discussion to be led by H A Yenny, Misses Brown and O'Connell.
V—Composition—M A Sorosteil.
Discussion to be led by Messrs Wm Smith, W Walkey and J McCreary.

A lecture on "Humor" will be delivered by Prof. A. H. Reynar, M. A., of Victoria University, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, at 8 p. m. A short musical programme will precede the lecture. To this meeting the public are cordially invited.

The chair will be taken by Peter Hamilton, Esq., Chairman of the Board of Education.

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STEALING WOOD.

Sheds and Wood Piles Will Soon Have to be Watched Closely.

The sudden cold snap has apparently caught a number of the unthrifty poor with no supply of fuel laid in for the winter, and, consequently, a good many wood piles have suffered a mysterious depreciation of value after nightfall.

In Ashburnham, the brewery was visited last night and not only cordwood, but wood that was sawn and split was carried off in such quantities as to create a very noticeable impression on the pile. The Dickson Co.'s lumber yards have also suffered to a considerable extent, but it is understood that some of the wood has been successfully traced and that a repetition of the steal will result in several arrests being made.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mrs. Lendrum has donated a handsome ivy plant to the boys room of the Y.M.C.A.

—The steamer Alice Ethel, of Lindsay, slipped from the ways yesterday, where she was being hauled up for the winter, and entered the water with such a force as to stave in her stern.

—There will be a field night among the Oddfellows next Thursday night, when a number of Millbrook Lodge will be on hand to see the 3rd degree conferred on some of their members by the Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I.O.O.F. degree team.

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EMASCULATED.

President McKinley Will Submit An Arbitration Treaty to the U.S. Senate -Will That Body Pass It?

New York, Nov. 23.—The World, under a Washington date, prints what purports to be an outline of a new treaty of arbitration already drawn up by the McKinley Administration and accepted by Premier Salisbury as follows:

"Compared with the treaty negotiated by Secretary Olney, the new one will be far less binding. The points are brief. First of all the provision in the late treaty providing that when diplomacy failed to adjust differences they should be referred to arbitrators is cut out. No permanent tribunals to be established.

"According to the new treaty, whenever a difference arises between the two Governments which diplomacy fails to adjust, then the Senate and the British Government will first consider whether the dispute is one which shall be referred to arbitration or not. If they agree that it is a suitable arrangement binding the two countries to an agreed-upon course, then the appointment of arbitrators will be carried out. Practically, the actual results of the treaty as now contemplated mean that there shall be arbitration when both Governments are willing to arbitrate and not otherwise.

"President McKinley is not disposed to antagonize the Senate, and his long experience in Congress makes him prudent. He will not attempt the impossible as Cleveland did. He is, therefore, preparing the kind of arbitration treaty not that he wants, but that the Senate wants, and will surely ratify.

"Sir Julian Pauncefote now has full authority to perfect the details of the complete treaty based on the skeleton previously submitted to his Government. It will not be necessary to send the complete treaty to London again for approval."

Horrible Murder in Elmira.

Elmira, N.Y., Nov. 20.—Van Etten, a village 25 miles from here, in the northern end of this county, was horribly shocked at 7 o'clock this evening upon learning of the dastardly murder of a farmer named John Denmark, residing about one and a half miles above that village. Denmark and his little son were sitting in the house at a table when, without any warning, the muzzle of a double-barreled shotgun was poked through a pane of glass in the window, and at short range the murderer blazed away at Denmark, killing him instantly. The boy was but slightly wounded. Hounds are being used to trace the criminal.

A Masked Desperado in Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Saturday night a masked desperado, as yet unknown, walked into the Yorkville Laundry, and shot the proprietor, Mr. H. D. Palser. The bullet struck the victim in front of the throat about an inch above the breast bone, and settled in the arm about four inches above the elbow. Its course was 16 inches. The only motive for the deed, possible, was robbery, as so far as known no one holds any grudge against Mr. Palser.

Collapse of a Scaffold.

Preston, Nov. 23.—One of the worst accidents that have occured here for a long while happened Saturday afternoon about 2.50 o'clock, when the scaffolding of William Kribs of Hespeler, on the new rink, fell. Several of the men were rendered unconscious by being struck by fallen timbers. Those injured are:

William Kribs, right ankle fractured and left leg badly bruised; James Eagle, back sprained; Oliver Gingrich, back and ankle sprained; John Gellow, leg badly sprained; John Eagan, cuts about head and other injuries; Gottlieb Walker, compound dislocation of little finger and fracture of forearm; Sam Lovell, shoulder dislocated; Harman Preston, bodily injuries.

With the exception of Lovell, who is a resident of Preston, the remainder of those injured come from Hespeler. Lovell and Gingrich were working on beams 80 feet high, and their escape from being seriously injured is most remarkable.

Ottawa College Defeats McGill.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Ottawa College defeated McGill to-day in the final game in the special McGill-Montreal-Ottawa College series, and are thus champions of the Quebec Rugby Union. College not only defeated McGill but whitewashed them. College scored 11 points, while McGill failed to score.

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CENTRE TORONTO.

Mr Bertram Delivers an Inspirting Address.

A MAGNIFICENT PUBLIC RECORD.

What the Laurier Government Has Done for the Dominion of Canada in One Short Year—The Tariff Issue Settled and Broader Questions Take Its Place.

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Mr. Bertram, the manly, clean business candidate of a clean business government, delivered a most inspiriting address to Centre Toronto electors on Saturday night. But he spoke in broader lines than merely local issues, nd, after the cheering which greeted him on rising had subsided, he, among other things, said: When I accepted this position I knew what duty I would be called upon to perform, and I made up my mind that no matter who my opponent might be, a big man or a little man—(laughter)—nothing would be left undone by me to secure success for the Liberal party.

The time before us is short, we have a good deal of work to do, and while, if you were Conservatives, I would like to discuss the questions of the day to a considerable extent and convert you to Liberalism, I know you are already all Liberals and do not require conversion. As your standard-bearer I feel it my duty to lead the party in this campaign and to devote every hour between now and the polling day to doing every work I am called upon to do in connection with this election.

It is quite likely that your candidate will be abused and misrepresented before this contest is over. I don't care a penny for abuse or misrepresentation so long as I can maintain my own self-respect. But I shall not return abuse for abuse, misrepresentation for misrepresentation, and I ask my supporters not to do so.

A Magnificent Record.

There is another thing that I would like to call to your attention—two reasons why I think the present Government should be sustained and I should be returned. I should like you just to consider two main questions which I think of some importance. You are aware that the present Government has only been about one year in power. During that year have they been idle? (Loud cries of "no.") No, they have settled some of the most difficult questions any Canadian Parliament has been called upon to deal with.

They have settled what the Conservatives bungled with more than anything else, the school question. The settlement has created a feeling of brotherhood and friendliness throughout the whole length and breadth of this Dominion of ours, and if there had not been a settlement there would have been a feeling of ill-will and bitterness that would not have been well for this country of ours. (Cheers.)

I shall refer also to the tariff issue. We have been contending, the two parties, for a great many years as to what the trade policy of the country should be. The Conservatives contending one thing, we another. The Liberals have placed on the statute book what their opinion is, and their work has been so perfect, so complete and satisfactory that the Tories themselves cannot find any fault with it. So that this great tariff issue has been practically settled.

The very fact of it having been settled for some years to come is a matter of tremendous importance to business men. An unsettled tariff means unsettled business, a settled tariff means that there is an opening for the development of this country that will make times better than ever before. (Cheers. A voice, "They're better now.") They have done more, they have brought the hearts of the Canadian people closer to the hearts of the mother land than ever before.

Our friend here said a few moments ago that the times are better now than ever before. Whom are we to thank for that? Both the times and the outlook are better. The outlook of the Dominion is better than ever before, and I say that is due largely to the Liberal party.

A large number of respectable Conservatives in the city, some of the best men in the city, have not hesitated to say that there should be no contest, that an opportunity should be given a business man to go to Ottawa and see what he can do; but it looks as if their advice would not be taken, and a contest is forced on us by men who put party before country.

The meeting, which closed with cheers for candidate and Government, was practically a unit that Centre Toronto would be held by a magnificent majority.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conqueror of kidney and liver disease.

People Talk Back.

Many people talk back. Here is one. Miss Katharine Weese, Belleville, says: "I have had a pain in my back accompanied by general debility and tried various remedies for the same but without deriving much benefit, until I took Doan's Kidney Pills, which I am glad to say entirely cured me. They are certainly a grand medicine and I can say in my case proved to be a thorough specific."

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Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Hollo's Catarrh Remedy is the best medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by [illegible] Nugent, 359 Gerrard Street E

THE QUALITY OF MERCY.

The Jury Inclined to Leniency in the Case of the Condemned Mrs. Sternaman.

Cayuga, Nov. 22.—An interview was obtained with one of the Sternaman jurors. He said that a couple of the jurors held out for some hours against bringing in a verdict of guilty. They endeavored in every way to give the poor unfortunate the benefit of any doubt, but the overwhelming evidence of the Crown pointing directly to the accused faced them so strongly that it was impossible to do anything else than bring in a verdict of guilty. When the jurymen who held out against bringing in the verdict found that they could couple "a strong recommendation to mercy" they soon became unanimous in their opinion.

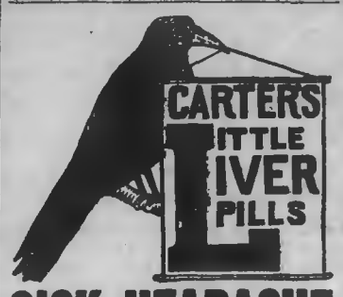
Mrs. Sternaman passed a very unhappy night on her first night after condemnation. When she was removed to her cell she was hysterical for a greater part of the night, and protested that she was innocent.

The jury, in assembling Saturday morning, got up a petition, which was signed by all the 12 jurors, that it was their desire that Mrs. Sternaman should not suffer the death penalty.

The sheriff would allow no person outside of the prisoner's own family to see her since the verdict has been given.

A Walk-Over in Brandon.

Winnipeg, Nov. 23.—At the bye-election in South Brandon Saturday F. O. Fowler, the Greenway candidate, was elected by acclamation. There is a contest in Turtle Mountain.



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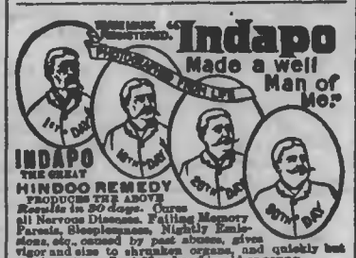
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Mr. John Conboy, 250 Sidney Street, St. John, N.B., talked to our reporter about

his experience with kidney trouble, and his recent remarkable cure by Doan's Kidney Pills. Mr. Conboy's statement reads as follows:—

"For a number of years I have been troubled with kidney weakness, brought on by heavy lifting and exposure to wet and cold; also a heavy strain whereby I wrenched my back. I experienced great pain in the chest, extending through to the small of my back and around the loins.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Flour—Trade is quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 to $4.10 middle freights. The Montreal Trade Bulletin says: The sale of 750 barrels of straight roller was made to a Quebec firm this week, direct from the mills, costing $4.25 delivered, the quality said to be 90 per cent., and a round quantity was reported sold at $4.50 cost and freight St. Johns', Nfld., but it is feared there may be some difficulty about getting the freight.

Wheat—The market is quiet and featureless. Red winter sold outside west at 82c and 81½c, and at 83c middle freights. Spring is quoted at 78c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quiet and unchanged, with the price nominal at 93c Fort William. It is quoted at 97c to 98c Midland.

Bran—Business quiet, with bran quoted at $7.50 west and at $8 middle freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

Buckwheat—The market is fairly active and steady, with sales at 30c to 30½c west, and at 31c to 31½c middle freights.

Barley—The market is unchanged, with offerings moderate. No. 8 extra quoted at 27c on the Midland and feed at 25c on the Midland. Feed is quoted at 23c to 24c west.

Oats—The market is fairly active, with sales of white at 24c west. Mixed are quoted at 23c west.

Peas—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c middle freights.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

Rye—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c middle freights.

Corn—The market is very dull, with cars quoted at 26c to 26½c west.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 20.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 6d to 7s 6½d; No. 1 Cal., no quotations; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2¼d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 0d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 36s 6d; do., light, 36s 0d; do., short cut, 31s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 42s 0d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm and 2d higher. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, Feb. and March 37s 7½d. Maize on passage firm for American and dull for Danubian. Clipped oats, Nov. and Jan. 14s 10½d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 5d for Dec., 7s 5½d for March, and 7s 3½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 2d for Nov., Jan. and Feb., 3s 2¼d for Dec. and 3s 2½d for March. Flour 23s 3d.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 29f for Jan. Flour steady at 61f 35c for Jan.

Cheese Markets.

Canton, N.Y., Nov. 20.—Thirteen hundred cheese sold at 8c for late Octobers; 1500 sold here from another board at 7¾c; 1100 tubs of butter sold at 19c. The Board then closed for the season, this being the last meeting.

London, Nov. 20.—Eighteen factories offered 7377 boxes; sales 1475 at 8c, 325 at 8 1-16c. Market dull.

Watertown, N.Y., Nov. 20.—Sales 2300 boxes large white at 8c; small and twins 8¼c to 8½c.

SPARED A TERRIBLE FATE.

By the Timely Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Great Life-Savers of the 19th Century — Bright's Disease Robbed of its terrors.

OTTAWA, Nov. 15th—Local medical men a common with their brethren in all parts of the country, have always maintained that Bright's disease is incurable, and that all that can be done for the victims of that disease is to ease their journey to the grave. There are thousands of Canadians, however, who know that this opinion is wrong. Among them is W. Young, traveller of this city, who says he was cured of Bright's disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. "I am completely cured," he says, "and no other medicine but Dodd's Kidney Pills did me any good. These pills are the only sure cure for Bright's disease.

Evidence of Firebugs.

Thamesville, Ont., Nov. 29.—About 4 o'clock yesterday a fire broke out in the Riverview Hotel, occupied by Mr. D. Rapilje and located at Kent Bridge, a village on the bank of the Thames River, six miles west of this place. The fire started on the side of the hotel next the river, and was evidently of incendiary origin. The hotel building, as well as the store on the south, are a total loss. The property belonged to the estate of the late J. A. Langford, and was insured for a small amount.

"Black Quarter" at Campbellford.

Campbellford, Nov. 20.—The dreaded "Black Quarter" has broken out in a herd of cattle belonging to Jas. Culkeen, 8th con. of Seymour, and it is feared that the disease will spread. The disease shows itself in one quarter of the animal, from the knee, or hock, upwards to the body, hence, possibly, its name. The skin cracks, and becomes black, swelling takes place and the animal stiffens up and dies soon afterwards. "Black Quarter" attacks young

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How Resolution and Energy in the Initial Difficulty Helped to Overcome Later Ones—Major Walsh Reached Lake Bennett on Oct. 30—Our Butter in Britain.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—(Special.)—Major Walsh and party got over the Chilkoot Pass on October 30, and set sail, with open water, in three boats, which Capt. Norwood had in readiness at Lake Lindemann. Mr. J. D. McGregor was left at Skagway, and was to have started for Fort Selkirk on Nov. 18 or 20, with 10 horses and 50 dogs. This delay was made so as to give time for the lakes and rivers to freeze over solid. If the expedition find it impossible to get any farther than Fort Selkirk by boat, the arrival of the dogs will put them in shape to cover the remaining 200 miles to Dawson over the ice.

Major Walsh left Dyea for the interior on Oct. 24, three days after Mr. Sifton sailed south. He was accompanied by Mr. D. Bliss, Mr. Pattullo and Mr. Philip Walsh and the Fort William Indians. They camped at Sheep Camp that night, and on the 25th engaged Mr. Scott to hire sixty packers to take the two and a half tons of supplies and outfit they had with them. It was snowing, and after twenty of the packers had gone over the summit the other forty complained that the trail was not sufficiently broken and they went on strike.

The Commissioner's resolution and energy came to his rescue. He immediately declared that he could do without the packers, and set his Indians to work to take the stuff over. He was so confident and energetic that next day the strikers came to time, and the stuff was soon over, the Major crossing last, in such a storm that he asked Mr. Scott to guide him, and even then the trail was lost several times, although Mr. Scott had been over it a score of times. This year at all events it goes on record that up to November 1 Lakes Lindemann and Bennett were free from ice. Major Walsh reached Lake Bennett on October 30, and it will be some considerable time before he is heard from.

Our Butter in Britain.

Ottawa, Nov. 22.—Reports are being received of the sales of butter which was forwarded to Great Britain from the creameries in the Northwest Territories under the management of the Department of Agriculture. Messrs. George & John Hickson & Co., Limited, Liverpool, write, under date Nov. 10, as follows:

"Enclosed herewith we have pleasure in handing you account sales for butter ex Labrador. We regret that your shipment to us should have met with such a depressed market as ours has been for the last three months, which is chiefly owing to the very open weather we have experienced during that time. We are pleased to be able to report the quality of butter shipped by you very satisfactory, and with regular shipments we are certain we could build up a demand for your brands."

Similar letters have been received with satisfactory accounts from Messrs. Andrew Clements & Co., Limited, Manchester, and Messrs. Hodgson Bros., Liverpool. The depression in the butter market was made by the unusually large shipments from Denmark, Russia and the United States, at the time when very open and mild weather prevailed in Great Britain. For one week the shipments from these countries amounted to about 1000 tons of butter more than during the same week of last year. The market is now slightly better and Canadian butter is in better demand.

Ottawa Notes.

A Drummondville deputation, headed by L. Lavergne, member-elect, intervieded Hon. Mr. Blair, and asked that when the Intercolonial takes over the Drummond County Railway, Drummondville be made a divisional point on the road, with engine and workshops.

Ex-Mayor Macleod Stewart returned to-night from London, where he was to get capital to build the Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal.

A 6-year-old son of Mr. Blakerey of the Customs Department died from eating chloride potash lozenges which he took for ordinary candy.

Hon. David Mills, who arrived here yesterday, and who attended the Cabinet meeting in the afternoon, left for London in the evening. He will return to Ottawa about the end of the week. The Ridgetown Liberals want to give Mr. Mills a banquet. The Minister of Justice has also been the recipient of congratulations from all over the Dominion on his appointment.

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Toronto, Nov. 22.—Policeman Kennedy secured assistance on Saturday afternoon, and hauled the body of a woman, which was floating in the bay, to the shore. It was identified by Detective Duncan as Miss Sarah Patterson, who has been missing from her home, 308 Queen street east, since last Wednesday evening. The corpse bore no marks of violence, but Coroner Greig has issued a warrant for an inquest on Monday night. Deceased was a cousin of Baker A. W. Carrick, and was fairly well off. Miss Patterson, who was of middle age, and had been fretting over the recent death of her parents.

Train Went Down With the Bridge.

Calgary, N.W.T., Nov. 22.—Word reached here to-day that a construction engine and seven cars on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway went down with the bridge over Old Man River Saturday morning, killing two men and injuring many others.

Sixteen Cattle Burned.

Kingston, Nov. 21.—John Barrett, Barriefield, suffered the destruction of his fine barns, machinery, crops and 16 head of cattle by fire last night. The loss is about $4000. He had a partial insurance.

Railway Conductor Charged With Theft.

Quebec, Nov. 22.—A railway mail conductor named Hudson and his son have been arrested on the serious charge of stealing from the mails letters containing money orders. The accused were jailed pending investigation.

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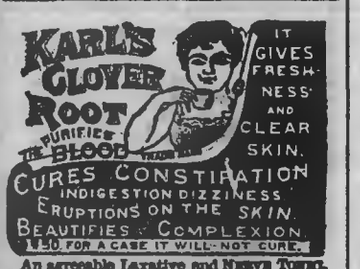
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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170	
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115	
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825	
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	852.974	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263	
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GAMES WITH CARDS.

SOURCES OF UNTOLD MERRIMENT AND SORROW, SMILES AND TEARS.

Gambling In the Olden Times—Women Were as Deeply Infatuated as Men—Everything Made Subservient to Play For Stakes—Some of the Old Games.

Possibly no other invention has ever given rise to so much merriment and sorrow, has called forth so many smiles, frowns and tears and has been the agent in so many tragedies as a pack of cards. The actual source of this invention still remains a mystery, the generally accepted story of origin being that in 1393 cards were introduced at the French court as a diversion for King Charles VI during his temporary attacks of insanity. From this date they spread rapidly through every country in Europe and received such a warm welcome from all classes that laws had to be made for the better regulations of dice throwing and card playing.

During the commonwealth card playing shared the banishment of every other amusement, but with the restored monarchy a reaction set in, and heavy play became the fashion. Basset and ombre were the games in favor at court, and in the graphic picture given by Evelyn of the last Sunday spent by King Charles II at Whitehall he speaks of "at least £2,000 in gold" on the baisset table round which "about 20 of the great courtiers" were sitting. Ombre was also a court game. Waller has a poem "on a card torn at ombre by the queen." Pope also, in "The Rape of the Lock," gives such a faithful description of Belinda's game that the Hon. Daines Barrington, writing in The Universal Magazine for December, 1788, says, "When ombre is forgotten (and it is almost so already), it may be revived with posterity from that most admirable poem." In its turn ombre was deposed for quadrille, and for a time no one who aspired to be counted among the beau monde condescended to play any other game. Mr. Urban, in The Gentleman's Magazine for 1736, gives "Cautions Against Quadrille" and warns "the young and unwary of both sexes" against a most growing vice which if not timely prevented will end in their ruin. "I mean," he says, "the great Increase of Play in private Houses, and more particulary that artful and cheating game of Quadrille." Quadrille was equally popular in Paris, and a pamphlet is extant dated 1760 of "The game of Quadrille by Four as it is now played at the French Court," in which it says, "It is allowed by all players that Quadrille is more amusing and entertaining than Ombre or any other game on the cards, either because every Deal is play'd out or that it better suits the genius of the Ladies, to whom complaisance and good manners must Prejudice the Gentlemen in its favor." Such a prejudicial hold had this fascinating game taken on women that a writer of the day declares that "women now spend all their time in gambling. Their husbands, children, the duties of society, are, without Quadrille, wearisome encumbrances. Quadrille is the joy that gives life, spirit and brightness. For this they hurry over their meals and abridge their most agreeable Refreshments. For this alone they visit and are visited."

In the autobiography of Mr. Frederick Reynolds he tells us that one of the most noted card playing places near London was Twickenham, and that there, in Montpelier row, lived four maiden ladies who were known in the neighborhood as Manille, Spadille, Basto and Punto. Mrs. Harris, writing to her son, the first Lord Malmesbury, says: "Mme. de Walderen would fain have tempted me to her loo table, but I needed little fortitude to withstand it, as one stake lost would ruin a whole assembly. I preferred a sober game of quadrille with Miss Chudleigh." The Annual Register for 1766 informs us that "a lady at the West End lost at a sitting one night last week 3,000 guineas at loo." As early as the reign of Henry VII a prohibitory statute forbade any persons save those of noble rank to play at cards except during Christmas, and for generations this custom was strictly adhered to, so that many who objected to touch a card at any other time relaxed their prejudices and played a few games at this festive season. As late as the year 1783 The European Magazine for December says: "This being the season when and when only card playing is permitted in sober families for the recreation of men, women and children," etc., "it may not be out of place to give a few observations on games which at no distant time were the most popular." Among these games brag is spoken of as "peculiarly adapted to the fair and softer sex, and therefore so much in vogue among the ladies of distinction that hereby they acquire a decent assurance and competency of countenance so absolutely necessary in life, and remedy that shamefacedness, which is a defect of nature, by the assistance of her handmaid art."

The passion for gaming which was prevalent in the days of Queen Anne went on steadily increasing during the reigns of the three Georges. The Gentleman's Magazine for 1753 tells us that "his majesty played at St. James' palace on Twelfth Night for the benefit of the groom porter. Fortune favored the royal family—the Duke of Cumberland won £3,000." The spirit of gambling was by this time no longer confined to the court, it had broken loose over the whole land, the taste was universal and alike indulged in by both men and women.—Pall Mall Magazine.

The Cost of It.

A juror returned as dead before a London magistrate was fined $10 the other day for nonattendance, that being the only way the judge could think of to remove the name from the jury list. This will have a tendency to put a stop to the practice of being dead.—Rochester Union.

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HUGHES MURDER TRIAL.

The Jury Returns a Verdict of "Not Guilty" in Twenty Minutes—History of the Case.

Napanee, Nov. 23.—The trial of John Hughes began at the Assizes yesterday afternoon before Judge Meredith.

Hughes was charged with complicity in the murder of Angus McLeod in Napanee, on September 13th, 1893. McLeod was found in his home that day shot dead, and from the surroundings it was evident that the murder had been committed by burglars. Detectives theorized and worked on the case to no avail, no trace of the murderers could be found. The case was almost forgotten when a Kingston convict, in a state of mind brought about by solitary confinement sent for the warden and confessed that he had committed the crime.

This convict, John F. Troy, stated that he had entered McLeod's house for the purpose of burglarizing it, and while he was at work McLeod awoke. He covered McLeod with a revolver and told him not to stir, but the latter reached for a water pitcher and he fired, severing an artery in his neck and killing him instantly.

Troy was brought to trial on May 11th, when in giving evidence on his own behalf he changed his story materially. He swore that he was accompanied to McLeod's house by two companions, John Hughes and Penn; that they had found some cake and whisky in the house and proceeded to make a meal of it. The meal made Hughes sick and he retched. Troy made a motion to strike him and knocked over the lamp. The noise woke McLeod, who threatened to throw a water pitcher at them. He fired one shot at random and Penn also fired a shot. He believed it was Penn's shot that killed McLeod. Judge Robertson, who tried the case, was very doubtful as to Troy's sanity and he deferred sentence till the matter could be laid before the Attorney-General and the Minister of Justice. Troy has not yet been sentenced. Hughes, who was serving a sentence in Kingston penitentiary, was arrested on the charge of complicity.

The evidence of Troy in almost every respect corroborated with that given at the last trial; also his description of the house and places he was in prior to coming to Napanee.

In charging the jury the judge said: The Crown does not desire to convict anyone of the offence unless sufficient evidence has been produced to convict him beyond a doubt. Hughes should not have been presented as a person in jail. He should be supposed to be an innocent man. He may be guilty, he may be innocent. Troy says the oath has no obligation. Is that the kind of evidence to convict, from such a morally polluted source? An accomplice, the law says, is not safe to believe unless materially corroborated. The fence say it is doubly unsafe with such an accomplice, who is so depraved as Troy was proved to be. I now leave the case in your hands. You must prove him guilty; he has not to prove his innocence. If you believe the story which Troy tells, then you have a right to pronounce him guilty.

After being out for about 20 minutes the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty, thus making this one of the shortest murder trials on record.

Bad Story Telling.

If Oscar Wilde's assumption were to be taken seriously, that all fiction is lying, it might account for much that afflicts readers, since the lack of morale affects the intellect, and what is done without conscience is apt to be done badly. Of course all fiction is not lying, as all killing is not murder, but it is a sad fact that many writers of novels and short stories seem to have left their consciences and much of their brains behind when they go forth to work—as if these belongings might safely remain in seclusion, with the dress coat and the white tie, to be brought out only for especial occasions. Artemus Ward once remarked that he had a giant mind, but did not have it with him, and that (or the latter half of it) is apt to be the case with any of us when we are careless. True, even good Homer sometimes nodded, but this affords no example for us who are not Homers. To come to our tasks otherwise than with all our wits about us and invite public attention to the chance "oozings of our brains" is as if one should issue from his apartments unshorn and half clad or enter upon the busy haunts of men without money in his pocket.—Frederic M. Bird in Lippincott's.

Leather and Kerosene.

There is one use of kerosene which is seldom mentioned. It often happens that when a heavy shoe or boot has been wet it hardens and draws so that it hurts the foot. If the shoe is put on and the leather thoroughly wet with kerosene, the stiffness will disappear and the leather become pliable, adapting itself to the foot. If oiled while wet, the leather retains its softness a longer time. The kerosene does not injure the leather at all.

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RAILWAY COLLISION.

Three Freight Trains Were Involved and a Good Deal of Damage Was Done.

Havelock, Ont., Nov. 23.—At Burketon, east of here, yesterday there was a double collision of freight trains, and damage estimated at $50,000 was done. Three trains were bound west, and while the first was standing on the main track, waiting to get in on the side track, the second train smashed into it. The third train then came up and crashed into the second. All the trains were loaded with general merchandise.

C. W. Brooks' Troubles.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Nellie Brooks of Myrtle avenue, this city, and Mrs. Kate Brooks of Toronto called at Police Headquarters and asked for a warrant charging bigamy against Charles W. Brooks. Each claimed him as a husband.

According to the story told by these two women, Nellie was married to him four years ago. Last April, they said, he went with Kittie to Windsor, Ont., where she had friends, and was there married to her. It was only a few days ago that the man's alleged duplicity was discovered.

Kittie, whose maiden name was Woodsworth, came to Buffalo and yesterday the the two women called on Judge King. The judge held that as the alleged second marriage was committed in Canada, the warrant would have to be issued there. Kittie said she would go to Windsor and write Charles to come and take his Christmas dinner with her. When he arrives she will have him arrested.

Brooks, the women say, is now in St. Louis, Mo.

Luetgert's Trial To-day.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The second trial of the alleged wife murderer, Luetgert, was to have begun yesterday before Judge Horton, but at the request of the defence the case went over until to-day. Luetgert's announced that he would ask for a change of venue from Judge Horton.

Fire at Elora.

Elora, Ont., Nov. 23.—At 2.45 yesterday fire was discovered in the grocery store occupied by Weaver Bros. After half an hour's hard fight the flames were extinguished. The goods were all damaged more or less by water. Total loss $1300, partly covered by insurance.

Strathroy Boy Killed in Michigan.

Durand, Mich., Nov. 23.—Frank T. Watkins of Strathroy, Ont., was run over by a Cincinnati, Saginaw & Mackinaw switch engine here Saturday night, and instantly killed. His body was frightfully mangled. Watkins was in the stencil business and left Lansing Friday night.

Canadian Boy Burglars.

Detroit, Nov. 23.—On condition that they return to Canada, Walter Morse and Roy Saunders, alleged boy burglars, were released on their personal recognizance by Judge Chapin this morning.

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MURDERED IN SLEEP.

A Shocking Crime in Two Mountains County, Quebec.

AN EPIDEMIC OF CRIME IN QUEBEC

A Man Named Poirier Found With His Throat Cut From Ear to Ear—Lewis, the Missing Real Estate Man, Said to Have Left the Country—Montreal Notes.

Montreal, Nov. 24.—Never, perhaps, have there been so many cases of murder and suicide in this district as during the last four weeks. The latest crime is the murder of one Poirier at St. Canute, in the County of Two Mountains. Mrs. Poirier who resides with her husband a short distance from the village, left early yesterday morning to make some purchases there. On her return she found the door fastened, and becoming alarmed got a neighbor to force an entrance. On the door being opened Isidore Poirier, the husband, was found on the bed with his head almost severed from his body.

The weapon with which the awful deed was committed lay near the door, a huge butcher knife, about a foot and a half long. There was no indication of a struggle, and it was evident that the crime was perpetrated while the man was asleep. Mrs. Poirier was so overcome at the sight that she was unable to give any lucid explanation. It was thought at first that the man had killed himself, but later developments have convinced the authorities that Poirier was done to death.

It is believed that the authorities have a clue to the identity of the murderer, and believe that the crime was the outcome o a drunken frenzy. Poirier was a man well on in years and well thought of in St. Canut. Close to the head of the bed where the body lay was found a flask half filled with whisky. No action will be taken until after the Coroner's inquest, which opened this morning.

General Montreal Notes.

All the energy spent by the press over the Lewis case has apparently been in vain, as it is now stated that the real estate dealer left the country, and that the story of the decoy letter, the marks of a scuffle, and spots of blood, was made out of the whole cloth. Mr. Lewis left Montreal for the States, and is not expected to return for some time.

Some time since Alex. Robillard, Grand Trunk station agent at St. Henri, left his hat and coat on the canal bank and disappeared. The natural conclusion was that he had jumped into the canal. Robillard did not commit suicide, however, but is in Columbus, Ohio, and is, it appears, doing well.

In the St. Liboire murder case yesterday the jury returned a verdict that young Guillimet had killed his uncle, J. B. Laplante, and exonerated Tetrault, whom Guillimet charged with the killing, and the latter was at once discharged.

The United States war vessel, Yantic, has been found in fault by the Trying Committee of the Harbor Board, who have been taking evidence in the case of the Yankee vessel's collision with the Canadian steamer, La Canadienne. The Yantic's pilot has been suspended for six months, and this verdict, of course, opens the way for civil suits against the American ship.

The Montreal Herald seems to be prospering as an evening paper, for it has taken a fine store in the St. Lawrence Hall block for its head business office, in order to do business on the front street like its rivals.

A press despatch reports that at a fire in Laurin's stables this morning, Antidote, a horse valued at $2500, was burned to death, as well as five other horses, carriages, sleighs, etc. The animal quoted at such a high figure came from California and was full brother to the famous racer, Dexter. It had been withdrawn from the turf and was kept for stock purposes. The total loss is placed at $35,000; covered by insurance.

The Intercolonial Railway has purchased one of the mammoth locomotives exhibited by the Baldwin Iron Works at the World's Fair. It is the largest ever used in Canada.

A young lad of 16 years, son of J. A. Denis, hardware merchant, fell from a trapeze at the Mount St. Louis playground, and broke his neck.

A SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.

A Three Rivers Man Shoots Himself in the Quebec Parliamentary Restaurant Dining Room.

Quebec, Nov. 24.—Yesterday afternoon at about 4 o'clock, while the opening of the Parliament was in progress, a fine looking man committed suicide in the restaurant attached to the Parliament House. The man, whose name is Mr. C. L. Spanard, a councillor of Three Rivers, walked into the dining room of the restaurant and took a seat, and as he was in appearance a thorough gentleman, no notice was taken of him until the report of a revolver was heard from the direction in which the man was sitting. Upon the hasty approach of the attendants to the spot Mr. Spanard was found lying on the floor with blood flowing from a ghastly wound just under his right ear, and grasping in his right hand a small 32-calibre revolver. He is supposed to have died instantly. Mr. Spanard accompanied Mr. Normand, member for Three Rivers, to Quebec, and no reason can be advanced by Mr. Normand for the rash deed. He is a man seemingly about 50 years of age and married. He has no family. Mr. Normand states that he has been under the care of the doctors for some two years past. He also states that he is a man of means. When searched a pocket book containing some bank notes and accounts were found, as well as a heavy gold watch and chain. His body was removed to the Morgue shortly before 6 o'clock

BIG FIRE IN STRATFORD.

The City Hall Burned to the Ground—The Public Library a Total Loss—Loss $28,000.

Stratford, Nov. 24.—1.40 a.m.—A most disastrous fire is raging here. The City Hall, right in the centre of the city, is all ablaze. The firemen are unable to stop the progress of the flames and the fire may spread. Loss immense.

Later.—The upper part of the City Hall building was used as an opera house, police court and city offices, while the lower was occupied by the Public Library and reading room, City Treasurer's office, market arcade, the stores of W. R. Marshall & Son, produce dealers; McAuley & Son, butchers; T. B. Johnson, butcher, and the lockup, in which were a couple of tramps, who were gotten out with some difficulty.

The contents of the store were mostly removed in safety, but the rest of the building, including the Public Library, is practically a total loss. A Scotch concert was held last night and a new piano, brought from Toronto for the occasion, together with the one belonging to the hall, were destroyed.

The origin of the fire is not ascertainable at the moment of writing, but it is supposed to have started in the upper part of the building about the stage or dressing rooms. A fresh breeze is blowing, but the building is isolated and the fire will not likely spread.

Loss about $28,000; insurance on city property $9000.

TOM NULTY'S TRIAL.

Father Was the Principal Witness—Little Elicited That is New.

Joliette, Que., Nov. 24.—The preliminary trial in the Nulty murder case was commenced in real earnest yesterday and several witnesses were examined, but nothing new was added to the already well-known story of the tragedy, excepting in that given by the father of the prisoner. Mr. Nulty was the principal witness. His testimony differed from that given by him at the inquest in a couple of particulars. He now thinks that Tom must have been insane when he committed the crime, as he was always fond of his sisters and brother. Another additional piece of evidence was that he (the father) had all along declared that his little son Patrick would fall heir to the farm.

Dr. Hutchison Bailed.

Ingersoll, Nov. 24.—Dr. Duncan H. Hutchison and Augustus Frezell appeared before Police Magistrate Morrison this afternoon, charged with procuring a miscarriage in the case of a woman named Lizzie Deehan. The woman, who is an attendant at the Asylum for the Insane at London, was too unwell to appear, and Chief of Police A. H. Skirving asked for a further remand of one week. The magistrate considered the matter sufficiently grave not to grant bail, but adjourned court for two hours in order to communicate with the London doctors, who stated that the woman was still seriously ill, although they would not go so far as to say dangerously. Ultimately bail was accepted in Dr. Hutchison's case, to appear on the 30th inst., as follows: His father, Donald Hutchison, $3000; William Hoesack, $3000, and himself in $6000. Frezell was unable to procure bail, and was conveyed to Woodstock jail.

CANDIDATES MEET

Nominations for the Commons in Centre Toronto.

ONE-SIDED ORATORICAL BATTLE

Mr. Howland Subjected to a Vigorous Heckling by Electors—Conservative Candidate Flounders Badly—Has Nothing to Say for the N.P. and Has No Acknowledged Leader.

Toronto, Nov. 24.—Two candidates for the honor of representing Centre Toronto in the House of Commons were put in nomination at Victoria Hall yesterday. One was Mr. George H. Bertram, the standard-bearer of the Liberal party, and the other was Mr. Oliver A. Howland, the representative of the Conservatives. It was not in the formalities of the nomination proceedings that the interest lay, but in the subsequent meeting which was held for the purpose of giving the rival candidates an opportunity of presenting their views to the large body of electors present.

Mr. Bertram led off with an effective business argument in favor of his election. He was followed by Mr. Howland, who evidently did not make the speech that he had prepared for the occasion. His effort was extraordinary because of two singular omissions. He had not a word to say about the National Policy, and he avoided even mentioning the name of his leader, Sir Charles Tupper. It is only fair to say, however, that he spoke under difficulties, as he was subjected to a "heckling" that would have disconcerted a more experienced public man than Mr. Howland can pretend to be.

Mr. Howland's speech gave those inclined to see the point where a "heckle" could come in good opportunities, and they took advantage of them. The speech was an insinuation throughout and a virtuous posing that was ludicrous in view of the Tory party's record.

There was a great uproar when Mr. Bertram undertook to reply to Mr. Howland. Mr. Bertram managed to get in a few effective comments on the effort of his opponent. He said, as far as could be heard, that this is the "first time that I ever heard a political speech made by a Conservative candidate who had not a single word to say about the National Policy.

"I would like to ask this audience one question: Who is the leader of the Tory party to-day? (Cries of Tupper.) Mr. Howland took good care never to mention his leader's name. (Cheers.) A man who will not stand by his leader is not fit to be the representative of this constituency. Mr. Foster is not the leader; Sir Charles Tupper is the leader, and his name was not mentioned. I will let the electors judge between Mr. Howland and myself."

At this point the disturbance was so great that Mr. Bertram could not proceed.

Ministers in Toronto.

Sir Louis Davies, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. William Mulock, and Hon. William Paterson, Controller of Customs, will be among the speakers at the great Liberal mass meeting which will be held in Massey Hall on Friday night in the interest of Mr. Bertram's candidature. Mr. Bertram himself speaks nightly.

Reception to Hon. David Mills.

Chatham, Nov. 24.—Hon. David Mills, who was sworn in as Minister of Justice last week, is now receiving the congratulations of his friends in this district. Hon. Mr. Mills is a native of Kent, and has always held a warm place in the hearts of the Liberals of this county, who admire him for his qualities as a citizen and a statesman, and they have arranged to tender a reception to the new Minister. The gathering will take place at Ridgetown to-night. The notice is short, but there will be a splendid turn-out to greet Mr. Mills.

Quebec Legislature Opens.

Quebec, Nov. 24.—The speech from the throne at the opening of the Quebec Legislature yesterday afternoon dealt with various matters. The most important announcement was that a new educational law would be introduced. It contains important changes in the old law, without other innovations, however, than those necessitated by the requirements of the hour. It also provides for the creation of a ministry of public instruction. The new Government, as usual, will start work by floating a loan.

Municipal roads are to be improved and manufacturers encouraged. Legislation will be brought down to extend the area of the province by 65,490,950 acres of land.

Jules Tessier, M.P. for Port Neuf County, was elected Speaker of the House.

Mr. Harvey Chosen by E. Simcoe Liberals.

Orillia, Ont., Nov. 24.—A large and representative gathering of Liberals from all over the riding took place here yesterday. Fourteen names were put in nomination. All retired except Messrs. Harvey, McLean and Ross. Mr. Harvey was chosen on the first ballot, and on motion of Dr. McLean the nomination was made unanimous.

The Cawthra-Murray Will.

Toronto, Nov. 24.—The will of the late Mrs. Cawthra-Murray disposes of an estate of about $4,000,000. As currently reported, the great bulk of it is left to be invested for Cawthra Mulock, a lad about fifteen, the second son of the Postmaster-General. When he becomes of age the money is to be paid over to him, when the aggregate will probably be several millions more. Until he reaches his majority he is to be paid 10 per cent. of the interest it earns each year.

In connection with this will it is of interest to note the share that falls into the Provincial Treasurey under the Succession Duties Act. According to this law 10 per cent. of the total goes to the province where the amount left is over $100,000 and does not go to immediate relatives. On this basis Ontario will receive in the neighborhood of $400,000.

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—How Relieved.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—"I have had a good opportunity of noting the great medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My wife has been a sufferer from catarrh for the past four years, and the disease had gone so far that the bones of the nose had become affected and particles had come away through an opening in the left side. Her eyesight was also affected to the extent that for nearly a year she was unable to read for more than five minutes at a time. She suffered

Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURNER.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1897.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

It may be doubted if gratitude to order—by act of parliament or order-in-council meets all the conditions of soul necessary to give a genuine service of praise for the countless benefits to the Giver of all good. The Governor-General has set apart tomorrow as a day of thanksgiving, but this formal act leaves every body free to observe it as he lists. While the exhibition of gratitude is a personal duty it is well for the state to set the example, and it rests with us individually whether or not we shall offer acceptable praise.

We have much to be grateful for in this favoured land of Canada. We have been blessed with a bountiful harvest, and with it are all the blessings that peace and prosperity bring in their train. This year we have celebrated the Diamond Jubilee of Her Majesty the Queen, especial reason apart from other blessings for gratitude. This Dominion has been especially honoured through its greatest son at the Jubilee festivities; the bonds that unite us to the mother land have been drawn closer than ever before, and all things have conspired to make our future one of gratifying growth and greatness.

A newspaper column is not the place to write volumes and it would take volumes to tell what Canada has to be thankful for; but one especially demands our gratitude to-morrow, the widespread blessing of a bountiful harvest. We should all recognize the source from which all these blessings come and there is no better place than His own house to offer our tribute of praise and thanksgiving to the bountiful Hand that feeds alike the sparrow on its leafless sprig and Dives in his sumptuous banquetting hall.

We plough the seed and scatter
The good seed on the land,
But it is fed and watered
By God's almighty hand.
He sends the snow in winter,
The warmth to swell the grain,
The breezes and the sunshine,
The soft refreshing rain,
All good gifts around us
Are sent from Heaven above,
Then thank the Lord, O, thank the Lord,
For all His love.

WHERE IT APPLIES.

Our evening contemporary, the Review, yesterday devoted a column to an attempt at explaining a paragraph that appeared in the EXAMINER on Monday, in which was quoted Mr. Whitney's remarks at Norwood, applying them in a general way to Provincial politics. The extract from Mr. Whitney's speech which was commented upon was one of the few utterances of that gentleman which the EXAMINER is able to endorse. It is worth repeating. Mr. Whitney said at Norwood that "there was no necessity of drawing party lines so closely in the Provincial as in the Dominion elections." The application of the remarks by the EXAMINER was purely general, and would apply to any candidate, Conservative or Liberal, that might be brought into the field, and as at present there are no candidates, the application can only be made to such as may in future be brought into the field. What the electors most require as a provincial representative is the man best qualified, best able and best disposed to look after the interests of the constituency. If he is of their own political faith so much the better for them, but the elector, with the interests of the riding and province at heart, will, and may, without sacrifice of the general principles of loyalty to his party, give his preference to the candidate possessing the above qualifications, whether he be Conservative or Liberal. When such a candidate is brought out by either party, he will be well deserving of the hearty support of the electors. Our contemporary must not judge the electors by its own unbending party standard. There are hundreds of electors who will vote for what, to them, seems best for the constituency, independently of party consideration. That principle of exercising the franchise is what will, on Tuesday next, elect the Liberal Mr. Bertram, over the Conservative Mr. Howland, in Conservative Centre Toronto.

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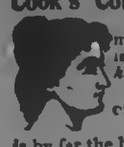

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THE DISFRANCHISE ACT.

The Toronto Evening News has been for years a zealous apologist, if not advocate, for the iniquitious Dominion Franchise Act, which was passed, against the strongest Liberal protest, by the Conservative government. But the News has now this to say of its features, which entitle it to the name of Disfranchise Act. Speaking of the contest in Centre Toronto the News says:—

The contest cannot be a true verdict of all the citizens resident in Centre Toronto because the lists to be used have not been revised since December, 1894. If any man has come to live in Toronto in the past three years it is hopeless for him to look for a vote. He does not possess that right. Moreover a large number of people on the voter's lists have left the city and the barrel of Liberal money that is being opened in Centre Toronto will tell in the number of outside voters brought into the city on election day. The polling place at which every man will vote will be that which covers his place of residence in the summer of 1894. Every man, Grit or Tory, should go to the central committee rooms and find out where he is to cast his ballot before election day.

The freedom of the franchise is the very base of our liberty and an Act that disfranchises a large proportion of the electorate and imposes the task upon the elector of repeating the battle for political freedom that has been fought in the past, by his frantic endeavours to see that his name is on the list, should be wiped off the statute book, as it doubtless will be at the next session of the Dominion Parliament.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A hot fight is being waged for the honour of representing Centre Toronto. No wonder. It is the hub of the hub of Ontario.

CENTRE TORONTO is asked to choose between work and wind; between a practical statesman and an academic theorizer.

THE Ontario Opposition not only come before the people with a pig policy, but according to Hon. G. W. Ross, with a pig-in-a-poke policy.

IF the Toronto syndicate which proposes acquiring all the smaller electric light and gas companies throughout the province unhappily succeeds, it will be no light affliction, but on the other hand a dark look out. Monopoly prices for bad light will not be a good thing to look forward to.

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Blaze at Newcastle.

Newcastle, Nov. 24.—Last evening about 8.40 the frame house belonging to Mr. J. H. Pool, contractor, King street, was discovered to be on fire. It started from some mysterious cause in the upper storey and spread rapidly. The citizens, with the old hand engine, saved the old Foster Hotel, a large frame structure opposite. The bulk of contents, uninsured, were saved. The building was insured in the Royal for $1200.

Toronto Sailor Drowned.

Oswego, N.Y., Nov. 24.—Owen Brennan of Toronto, Ont., 45 years old, a sailor on the schooner Antelope, was found drowned yesterday at the dock where his vessel lay. He evidently slipped while attempting to board the schooner in the night.

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THE OTTAWA CABINET

Discusses the United States Sealing Proposals for Three and One-Half Hours—Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—There was a Cabinet meeting yesterday afternoon lasting three and a half hours. The principal subject discussed was the proposal from Washington to suspend pelagic sealing and the killing of seals on Pribyloff Island for one year, beginning January 1 next. Sir Richard Cartwright, Mr. Fielding, Mr. Sifton and Dr. Borden were the absentees. The matter was not disposed of.

There was a lively fight over the corpse of J. H. Provost, who died suddenly in Water street Hospital, between the Misses Provost of Hull, sisters of the deceased, and the young widow, who wished the funeral to take place from her father's house. The sisters won, as the bereaved Mrs. Provost was taken so severely sick with grief that she was unable to continue the struggle. The Provost family have laid claim to the deceased's personal effects, and, as Mr. Goyotte, Mrs. Provost's father, refuses to give them up, there is more trouble in prospect.

Bread in Ottawa will remain at its present price for some time. A meeting of the bakers was held last night and the above decision was arrived at.

Two young lads, about 11 years of age, sons of Napoleon Clothier and James Kearns of St. Andrew street, were drowned in the Rideau River last evening while attempting to skate on thin ice.

Hon. Sydney Fisher has purchased a number of milch cows in the Huntingdon district for the Nappan farm, and, being tested, all of them were found to be free of tuberculosis.

A Minister of the Crown states that the Government has not received any information of any kind from Rome on the school question.

Killed on the O. A. & P. S. Railway.

Arnprior, Nov. 24.—John Anderson, a resident of Fitzroy Harbor, was struck by the O. A. & P. S. express at Mackey's Crossing, Arnprior, yesterday morning and instantly killed. Anderson was deaf and dumb, and was walking along the track when the train struck him. It is supposed he did not notice the train's approach.

Grey's Big Peat Deposit.

Toronto, Nov. 24.—A series of very interesting experiments have been conducted by the experts under direction of the Bureau of Mines. Samples of a substance resembling peat were sent in from the Blue Hills in Grey County, and upon these the experiments were made. The substance was found to give results as good as peat for fuel purposes.

Methodist Church Burned.

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 24.—The Central Methodist Church was gutted by fire yesterday afternoon. The damage to the building amounts to about $6000 and an organ worth $3000 was destroyed. The loss on the building is covered by insurance.

Death of Judge Scott of St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 24,—Judge Cecil Scott, for many years one of the most conspicuous members of the St. Louis bar, died yesterday of paresis.

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BRUCHESI IN ROME.

His Holiness Writes a Letter to The Archbishop.

POPE AND CANADA'S SCHOOLS.

The Recent Decline in British Exports the Subject of a Serious Warning From the President of the Board of Trade—The Campaign in India—Other Cable News.

Rome, Nov. 24.—Mgr. Paul Napoleon Bruchesi, Archbishop of Montreal, who is residing at the Canadian College during his stay at this city, pending the result of his mission in behalf of the right of Roman Catholics to Separate Schools in Manitoba, received yesterday a letter from His Holiness the Pope, in reply to a report Mgr. Bruchesi has made as to the demonstration of 40 journalists at Montreal, when he started for Rome.

The Pope emphasizes the importance of the demonstration as a new feature, for the journalists took part in it without distinction of language or religion. He points out also how important is the aid a sympathetic press can give the cause of order and tranquility, and he reviews the expression of his "keenest interest in Canada," and of his desire that she may enjoy "all the benefits of concord." The reply of His Holiness concludes by an exhortation to the Catholics of Canada warmly to second the efforts of their bishops.

Bishop Emard at Rome.

Rome, Nov. 24.—The Right Rev. Joseph M. Emard, Bishop of Valleyfield, Province of Quebec, has arrived at the Canadian College here.

(Montreal Star Cable.)—The delay in the publication of the text of the Pope's decision in the Manitoba school question seems to be only explicable on the assumption that the summary cabled to The Star led to suggestions from Canada to Rome for a different method of expressing the Papal will. Mgr. Paul Bruchesi of Montreal has had special conferences with the pope in the last few days. That The Star's statement accurately outlined the Pope's decision seems beyond doubt. I may say it was based on authority so high that it is hardly possible there could be a mistake.

DECLINE IN BRITISH EXPORTS.

Right Hon. C. T. Ritchie, President of the Board of Trade, Utters a Serious Note of Warning.

London, Nov. 24.—The Right Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, President of the Board of Trade, made an important speech before the Chamber of Commerce of Croydon yesterday, taking as his theme "The Decline of British Exports During the Last Ten Months," upon which he hung a grave warning against American competition, now "ousting British trade."

Mr. Ritchie, after declaring that the Dingley tariff and the engineering trade dispute were mainly responsible for the recent decline of exports, and after pointing out that England had no weapons against the tariff, said there was a great deal of talk in commercial circles about the serious competition of Germany, but he thought they were too apt to overlook a much more serious competitor, the United States.

"The facts are serious," he continued, "and call upon us for the exercise of all our powers to enable us to maintain our position in the commercial world. There is no doubt the United States are executing orders which ought to be executed here. As we all know, an American firm obtained the contract for the Central Underground Railway of London, as its bid was lower than those of the English concerns, and it could deliver the supplies three months ahead of the British tenderers. Many important continental orders have gone to America.

"The same is to be said of Egypt and Japan, where the Americans are doing work that Englishmen should have done. In consequence of the engineering dispute many orders are leaving the country, and, unfortunately, these orders seldom return.

"America's successful competition is due to her enterprise in embarking capital, but it is yet more due to the freedom her manufacturers enjoy of employing the best machinery and working it in the most economical manner, untrammeled by the restrictions which have hampered manufacturers here. Everyone having his country's interest at heart must hope that to-morrow's conference will lead to a settlement of the unfortunate engineering dispute."

On a Mud Foundation.

Lisbon, Nov. 24.—A big masonry wharf, having a frontage of 300 meters on the river Tagus, opposite the Custom House, suddenly subsided this morning and completely disappeared in the river bed. An official examination has disclosed the fact that the wharf, which was recently constructed at a cost of £50,000, rested on mud. Soundings to the depth of 26 metres revealed no solid foundation. Fortunately no one was hurt in the collapse.

Cold Day for Weyler.

Barcelona, Nov. 24.—The Spanish steamer Montserrat, with General Weyler on board, arrived here yesterday, and the former Captain-General of Cuba immediately disembarked. The demonstration in his honor, which had been agitated by the friends of the General for some days past, did not assume the proportions anticipated, and as he traversed the streets the public appeared to be indifferent.

Advanced Three Miles and Lost Ten Men.

Simla, Nov. 24.—General Sir William Lockhart, with the Fourth Brigade of the British Punitive Expedition, operating against the insurgent tribesmen, has reached Datoi, after having traversed three miles of dangerous defiles. Luckily, few of the enemy were encountered. The British loss amounted to only 10 men.

Diplomatically, if Possible.

London, Nov. 24.—According to a special depatch from Berlin, received here, the German Government considers the land occupied by the forces of Germany at Kiao Chau Bay, Shan-Tun Peninsula, China, to be insufficient for a naval station, and proposes to enlarge its holdings there, diplomatically, if possible.

THE PRINCE FLED.

Slave Raiding Prince of Idau Taught a Lesson by a British Force.

Brass, Guinea coast, Nov. 24.—The column of troops commanded by Major Arnold, consisting of 180 men, belonging to the Niger constabulary, with field guns and maxim guns, which was sent to subdue the slave raiding Prince of Idau, who was entrenched in a place four days' march from the river, and who for a month previous to the departure of the troops had been raiding the Akpoto tribes for 60 miles around his headquarters, landed at Etobe on Nov. 14, and marched direct to the prince's stronghold. The latter was defended by 400 guns and 100 rifles. There was a hot engagement in front of the town. The Houssas of the British force charged up to the eight foot walls surrounding the place and completely routed the defenders. The prince fled to the bush and the town was burned and evacuated on Nov. 18. The enemy lost heavily. The British force had two men killed and twelve men wounded.

Lieut. Jones Was Killed.

London, Nov. 24.—According to a despatch to The Times from Bagh, a town of Beloochistan, Province of Cutch-Gundava, at the south entrance of the Bolan Pass, Lieut. Jones of the Yorkshire Regiment was killed, and Lieut. Watson of the same regiment was severely wounded during the operation near Datoi under Sir William Lockhart.

The British Artillery Team.

London, Nov. 24.—It is more than probable that Lord Stradbrook will be the commandant of the artillery team which it is proposed to send to Canada in 1898 to compete with the batteries of the Dominion.

A London Banker Dead.

London, Nov. 24.—Mr. Walter Burns, manager of the banking house of J. S. Morgan & Company, died of heart failure last evening at his country seat near Hatfield.

Countess Lathom Killed.

London, Nov. 24.—The Countess of Lathom, while returning from a shooting party yesterday, was thrown out of a trap and killed near Wigan, Lancaster. The Countess was formerly Lady Alice Villiers. The Earl of Lathom is the Lord Chamberlain of the Household of Queen Victoria.

Bad Old Milan.

Prague, Bohemia, Nov. 24.—Ex-King Milan of Servia is again seeking to divorce his wife Natalie in order that he may marry Artemisa Christic, the divorced wife of Milan's former secretary, by whom the former king has a son.

Two Men Lost Their Lives.

Rochester, N.Y., Nov. 23.—A terrible accident occurred shortly before 3 p.m. yesterday by which two men lost their lives and a number more received slight injuries. Two 250 horse power boilers exploded in a one-storey brick building at the corner of Jones and Centre streets, from which power is furnished to operate three big commercial blocks. Robert Henry, a fireman, and Robert Starr, a boiler inspector, were killed.

A Traitor Hanged.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 23.—Passengers on the steamer Mascotte, which arrived in Tampa yesterday afternoon report that Angel Paz, who betrayed General Castillo to the Spaniards for $5000, was captured by the insurgents on his way to Cienfuegos, court martialled on a drum-head and hung.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 23—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conquerer of kidney and liver disease.

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TELEPHONE 6.

TORONTO MARKETS.

FLOUR—The market rules quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 middle freights, Manitoba patents at $5.20, and strong bakers at $4.80.

WHEAT—The demand was good to-day, with cables higher. Red winter sold outside west at 82c to 82½c. Spring sold at 80c on the Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 93c to 94c Port William, and sales were made at 95c Goderich.

BARLEY—The market is unchanged, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 28c west, and feed at 24c west.

OATS—The market is quiet, with sales of white at 24c to 24½c west, and at 25c on Midland. Mixed oats 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c middle freights.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with prices steady. It is quoted at 30c to 30½c west, and cars sold at 31½c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights.

CORN—The market is unchanged, with cars quoted at 25½c to 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with bran quoted at $7.50 west and at $8 middle freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 6¾c to 9½c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $14.75 to $15.25; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard, firm, at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 55c to 60c per bag, on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 12c to 13c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade inactive, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 9c per lb.

Shipping cattle, medium ..	$3 50 to $3 85	
Bulls, light export, good quality	2 85	3 00
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 15	3 35
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.....	2 25	2 75
Stockers and medium to good	1 75	3 15
Feeders, heavy	3 25	3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 75	....
" good	3 12½	3 40
" medium	2 75	3 12½
Butchers' cattle, inferior ..	2 50	2 75
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	23 00	45 00
Calves, each	3 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50	4 00
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.....	4 75	....
" light fats	4 65	....
" heavy fats, per cwt..	4 60	....
" sows	3 00	....
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 23.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 6½d to 7s 7d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 3d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 30s 6d; do., light, 30s 0d; do., short cut, 31s 0d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese 43s 0d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 7s 4½d for December, 7s 5½d for March and 7s 4d for May. Maize firm, at 3s 2½d for November, 3s 2¼d for December and 3s 2½d for March. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Wheat off coast nothing doing, partially 3d higher. English country markets firm. Maize on passage rather dearer.

Paris—Wheat, 29f 25c for Jan; flour, 61f 75c for January. French country markets firm.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 7s 5¾d for December, 7s 6d for March and 7s 4½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 2⅝d for November, 3s 2¼d for December, and 3s 2½d for January and March. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast more enquiry. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 29f 30c for January; flour, 61f 85c for January.

Cotton Market.

New York, Nov. 23.—Cotton, spot closed steady; middling uplands, 5 13-16; middling gulf, 6 1-16; sales 301 bales.

Futures closed steady, sales 101,400 bales. Jan. 5.70, February 5.75, March 5.80, April 5.85, May 5.90, June 5.94, July 5.90, August 6.02, September 6.03, October 6.01, November 5.66, December 5.65.

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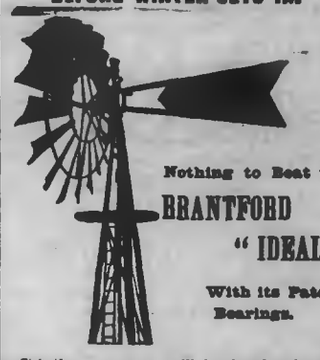

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Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 24, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Your Xmas Fruits.

E. F. Mason & Co are showing very choice goods in raisins and currants, which are large and clean, also candied peels, extracts and jellies.

COMING.

Dr. Jebb, Eye Specialist, will be at Messrs. Clarke & Gibson's Jewelry store, Nov. 29th and 30th, only. 2d

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

"Mother's" Assistance.

The Chief of Police was in receipt this morning of a letter signed "Mother." If "Mother" will make an appointment to meet the chief, he will regard any communication as strictly confidential, and be glad to have her assistance.

Thanksgiving at St. John's.

A union Thanksgiving service of the three congregations—St. John's St. Luke's and All Saints'—will be held at 11 o'clock in St. John's church. Preacher—Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed, of Keene. Offertory for the mission fund.

Young Women's Christian Association.

Miss Burnham, by special request, will repeat her lesson on boning a turkey on Saturday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All wishing to avail themselves of this opportunity had better take advantage of it. Remember the Bible class on Saturday evening.

Foresters' Thanksgiving Day Concert.

The programmes are now out for the concert under the auspices of Court Peterborough, No. 29, Canadian Order of Foresters, which takes place on Thursday evening in the Forester's Hall, Simcoe street. Mr. F. J. Perrin, refined, comic entertainer, of Toronto, and some of the best local talent, will assist. Tickets 25c, children 15c. A very entertaining evening can be expected. 2td

Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

Valuable Fur Shipment.

Lech Bros. made a valuable shipment of furs to England to-day consisting of two bear rugs, one black wolf robe filled out square with grey wolf and two Russian wolves filled out with bearskin. All five of the robes are ornamented with beautifully mounted heads and are intended for the floors of a young lady in Lancashire, who has a falling presumably for such costly nick-nacks. The work was beautifully done and reflects credit on the firm.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to bess much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 200 Charlotte. Telephone 205.

Keep Your House in Order.

What a convenient secretaria is to an orderly business man, a handy workbasket is to a tidy housekeeper—a place for everything and everything in its proper place. Ladies are invited to inspect our new stock of convenient fancy work baskets, with or without stands, novel sewel baskets, pretty nursery baskets, etc. At the same time we wish them to see some new and very handsomely framed pictures in very effective mouldings, quite striking, at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THAT ILLICIT STILT.

The Case Again Enlarged for Another Week—Two More Charges.

Although the case against Michael Conway was dismissed as concerning the information which charged him with allowing an illicit still to be operated on his premises, yet Mr. E. B. Edwards had a couple of more informations charging him with complicity in other ways, and the defendant appeared before the magistrate again yesterday afternoon in consequence.

Acting under instructions from the Department, Mr. Edwards has appealed against the first decision and yesterday he asked the magistrate to have the case, as regards the two later informations, enlarged for four weeks, until after the sessions on Dec. 14th, in order that the result of the appeal might be known. He also stated that it had been impossible to learn the whereabouts of the defendant, Fobert.

Mr. D. O'Connel, counsel for the prisoner, objected strenuously to this, characterizing it as persecution and not prosecution, to hold these charges over the defendant's head, in order that if the appeal fell to the ground, they might be proceeded with. He pointed out that his client was being put to great expense in bringing in his witnesses time and again, only to find the case enlarged until another date.

The magistrate decided to grant an enlargement for one week, deciding not to allow the two informations to lay over until after the appeal had been decided.

Over an hour was spent in argument before this conclusion was reached.

MARTIN COSTELLO ARRIVES

To Spend the Winter in With his Trainer in Peterborough.

There was a flutter of excitement in sporting circles yesterday when "Buffalo" Costello and his trainer, J. J. O'Connor, arrived in town to take up their quarters here for the winter and prepare for the former's match against "Shadow" Maber.

Whilst engaged in training for the match the two will conduct a sparring academy and it is expected that a large class will be formed in Peterborough.

Quarters have been taken up at the Oriental Hotel and as both men are well known by reputation they will doubtless be well received by the citizens, when they appear at the lacrosse club smoker in the opera house a week from Monday. On that occasion Costello is to spar a well-known local heavy-weight and O'Connor is to go up against Jame White, of Detroit, in a punching bag contest on a side bet of fifty dollars, the forfeit money having been already placed in the hands of the lacrosse club.

Saturday's issue of the Montreal Herald says:

J. J. O'Connor asks the Herald to challenge on his behalf anyone in Canada for any amount up to five hundred dollars. The time and place will be decided upon when articles are signed; there to be three judges. Answers to this challenge can be forwarded to the sporting editor of the Herald, and Mr. O'Connor is ready to deposit his money and sign articles in this office at any time. He is anxious for an immediate reply, as he leaves the city on Tuesday and will be away for a week. He is ready to go into the contest at any time.

There are several expert bag-punchers in the city, and O'Connor should have no difficulty in arranging a match.

Tuesday next O'Connor and "Buffalo" Costello leave for Peterborough, where on the following Monday they take part in a smoking concert. The former will give an exhibition of punching the bag, and the latter will have a boxing bout with a Peterborough expert.

On Monday O'Connor's challenge was accepted, and the forfeit money sent to the secretary of the Lacrosse club, so that the Peterborough public will have a chance of seeing the best punching bag contest which has been brought off in Canada for many years.

LAST NIGHTS ASSEMBLY.

It Passed off Most Successfully and was well Attended.

A very pleasant social hop was held last evening in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street. The committee in charge was composed of Messrs. Will H. Armstrong, Fred McFadden and Reg. H. Turner, and great credit is due them, as the affair was one of the most successful of its nature ever held in Peterborough. There were probably over a hundred guests present, and the pretty toilettes of the ladies made the scene an attractive one.

The music was above criticism, and as the floor was waxed to a polish, the evening passed very pleasantly to those who participated in the dancing. The lodge room, as well as the large adjunct, was thrown open to the guests, and around the former were scattered a number of card tables, which were well patronized.

Caterer Welsh served an excellent supper during the evening.

Thanksgiving Dinner and Concert.

The following is the programme to be given at the Thanksgiving Dinner and Concert in the Charlotte street Methodist church to-morrow evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church:

Anthem, "Jubilate Deo".....Choir
Banjo Duett.....Messrs Jones and Roper
Recitation.....Miss Ferran
Vocal solo.....Mr A L Davis
Instrumental duett (piano and violin).....Misses Maud and Fox
Vocal Trio.....Messrs Crossley

INTERMISSION.

Instrumental duett.....Mrs McAllister and Miss Barnett
Vocal Quartette.....Misses Hall and Stevens, and Messrs Davis and Skitch
Recitation.....Miss A F McCallum
Vocal solo.....Mr H T Crossley
Banjo duett.....Messrs Jones and Roper
Recitation.....Miss L Ostrom
Anthem, "Benedic Anima Mea.....Choir

During the dinner music will be furnished by the following ladies: Mrs. McClelland, Miss B. Sherin, Miss Campbell, Miss Rose Clark, Mrs. McAllister and Miss Barnett.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A vag named John Powers was "sent up" for four months by Magistrate Dumble this morning.

—Mary Close was removed to Orillia this morning, where she will receive the care which her condition demands. The papers for her removal were secured through Mr. Stratton, M.P.P.

Catarrh Cured for 25 cents

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to suffers. Yours truly,
Harry Stone, Raisham Centre, Ont

Christmas Turkeys Free.

No fake or quibble about this. You can secure a plump ten-pound turkey free, all right. Don't all come at once, but all come quickly, for we have free turkeys for all who care to accept them.—J. B. OKE & Co.'s, Fruit Game and Oyster dealers, 418 George street. Can't get them by telephone—you must come to the store and register.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guarranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

THE WADDELL—VAIR NUPTIALS.

The Marriage of Miss Elizabeth Vair and Mr. Robt. W. Waddell.

"Happy is the bride the sun shines on."

One of the most notable social events of the decade in Peterborough was the wedding that took place in St. Paul's church this afternoon, when Robert W. Waddell, C.E., second son of Mr. Sheriff Waddell, of Cobourg, was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Vair, daughter of the late George Vair, of Belleville, and niece of Mrs. R. E. Wood. The ceremony took place at 1.30. It was a chrysanthemum wedding, and, of course, the floral decorations of the church were in keeping with this character. St. Paul's was beautifully decorated for the event. The front of the pulpit was banked and concealed by beautiful masses of chrysanthemums, ferns and palms, and the space allotted to the guests, as well as each side of the central aisle, were screened off by white silk ribbon. The ushers were Mr. G. M. Roger and Mr. W. W. Johnston.

The full choir, of which Miss Vair had been the leading member for several years and the most accomplished soloist, was present and the young ladies were attired in white, presenting a very pretty background to the wedding ceremony. The decoration of the church was done under the supervision of Mrs. R. D. Hamilton and Miss Brown.

The beautiful floral folding gates, thrown across the central aisle to separate the space devoted to the invited guests from the main auditorium, were guarded by two pretty little girls, dressed in white, Miss Lilian Dean and Miss Gertrude McClellan, who, as each guest arrived, swung ajar the floral portals and admitted them to their places. While the guests were taking their seats the organ played the wedding march from Lohengrin and the notes of Mendelssohn's wedding march pealing forth were the signal of the bride, who had passed up the crimson carpet leading from the carriage to the church doors, entering the church. Preceded by her maid of honour Miss Roper, and escorted by Mr. R. E. Wood, County Crown Attorney, the bride advanced to the altar and as she passed down the aisle she was the centre of interest and the cynosure of the eyes of the occupants of the crowded church, which her popularity and the very high esteem in which she is held, had attracted. She was attired in ivory duchesse satin, the skirt perfectly plain. The waist was trimmed with white chiffon. She wore the bridal veil, orange blossoms and white heather, and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses with tiny sprays of white carnations and lily of the valley. Her only ornament was a magnificent bracelet set with diamonds and opals, the gift of the groom. The maid of honour, Miss Roper, wore a dress of buttercup silk veiled, with white chiffon and picture hat of white chiffon. Mrs. Wood (au lieu de mere), who was escorted by Judge Weller, was gowned in black satin, veiled in chiffon and hat mode de Paris of amethyst amazone silk, with chiffon and wings. At the altar the bride was met by the bridegroom, who was attended by Mr. W. J. White of Montreal, son of Mr. Richard White of the Gazette. Previous to the ceremony the choir sang two stanzas of the wedding hymn:

The voice that breathed o'er Eden,
That earliest wedding day,
The primal marriage blessing,
It hath not passed away.

The solemn ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance, Mr. Wood, in loco parentis, giving the bride away, and at its conclusion, as the bridal party retired to the vestry, the remaining stanzas of the hymn were sung, and as they retired and passed up the aisle to the carriages, Mendelssohn's Wedding March was again heard. Flowers were showered on the bride, and, while the bright sunshine streamed through the stained glass of the windows, the one thought, united to the one wish, of all was, "Happy is the bride the sun shines on."

The party then repaired to the residence of Mr. Wood, which had been beautifully decorated for the event. The door arches were swathed in evergreen entwined with smilax and starred with the snowy bloom of the chrysanthemum, and the stair balustrades were treated in a similar manner. The fireplaces were banked with chrysanthemums, palms and ferns, and everywhere the multiform chrysanthemum was tastefully and profusely in evidence. The windows were darkened and the electric light shone over a delightful scene of seemly festivity. After the wedding breakfast, for which Harry Webb, of Toronto, was caterer, the guests being seated at small tables, the reception took place, Mr. and Mrs. Waddell receiving in front of a bank of flowers in the drawing room. There were present between forty and fifty guests amongst whom were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hatton, Judge and Mrs. Weller and Mrs. Dean, the Misses Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. Fortye, Mr. H. M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Smith, Port Hope; Dr. and Mrs. Fairbanks, Cobourg; Dr. and Mrs. Norman Walker, Niagara-on-the-Lake; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Edwards, Toronto; Mrs. Mack, Mrs. Perks, Mr. and Miss Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Lowndes, Mrs. Hatton, the Misses Roger, Mr. T. E. Bradburn, Miss Brown, Mr. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Ranney, Mrs. Charles Ranney, Mr. Clurton, Mr. and Miss Lundy, Mr. and Mrs. Graham, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carlon, Toronto; Miss Burnett and Mrs. Fairbairn, Peterborough; Mr. and Mrs. Morris, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Chicago; Miss Gilmour, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Waddell, Kansas City, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Howes, New York; Mr. Mrs. and the Misses Waddell, San Diego, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Hawkes, San Diego, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Elias Vair, Waterloo, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Delong, Kingsville, Ont.

The bridal pair left directly for Kansas City, where Mr. Waddell is professionally engaged and where they will reside. The bride's going away dress was cadet blue covert cloth, handsomely trimmed with black braid and braid ornaments, hat to match of velvet chenille and jet wings, and Russian coat of same material.

In the marriage and consequent departure of Miss Vair the town loses one of its most estimable ladies, whose modest and unassuming demeanour, covered the most commendable qualities of heart and character, which have placed her high in the estimation of not only her own social set, but of all who have come in contact with her. Her loss will be especially felt in musical circles. She is a vocalist of unusual merit, with a well-cultured voice, which has been long used, not only in the service of praise in St. Paul's choir, of which she has been a member, but in social circles and in concerts, in the interest of worthy objects, where it has seldom been equalled by visiting professionals. She will be a decided acquisition to the musical circles of the city, which will hereafter be favoured with her as a resident.

Mr. Waddell is a gentleman who also possesses, to a very high degree, all the qualities of character desirable in a model husband; he occupies a foremost place in his profession, and there is every reason for expecting a literal realization of the cordial good wishes for a life of wedded happiness that follow Mr. and Mrs. Waddell to their home in Kansas City, Missouri.

BIGAMY CASE DISMISSED.

Henry Truesdale Was Not Guilty of Having Two Wives at the Same Time.

The charge of bigamy which was preferred against Henry Truesdale, of Ashburnham, through his stating at an assault case trial recently that Anna Thurston was his wife, was dismissed yesterday, and the prisoner discharged.

The Crown was represented by Mr. R.E. Wood, and Mr. W. A. Stratton appeared for the prisoner.

The preliminary hearing was conducted in the county police court before Magistrate Edmison.

Jas. N. Terrill, of the township of Crahme, formerly of Belmont, stated that he had known the prisoner for about fourteen years. He first met him in Campbellford. Prisoner was married in witness' house at Blairton. The marriage certificate was here produced, and the witness identified his signature on it as having been signed on March 12th, 1884. The certificate was also signed by witness' wife, and Rev. Charles Mearing. The other contracting party in the wedding was Margaret Thompson, a sister of the witness' wife. She was present in the court. After the marriage they went to Campbellford to reside. He afterwards was at their home several times in different years. Afterwards the two moved to Blairton, and from there went to Havelock. Witness also visited them in Havelock. The Truesdales then moved to near Campbellford, later on taking up their residence in that village. When he visited them again in Campbellford the prisoner's wife was living alone with her three children, the prisoner having left her.

Cross examined by Mr. Stratton, the witness stated that Truesdale had told him that he intended leaving his wife. He declined to go into the matter of whether Mrs. Truesdale had been delivered of a daughter out of wedlock. Prisoner had not told him that he was leaving on account of the misconduct of this daughter.

The Crown here objected to the nature of the cross-examination, which the counsel for the prisoner stated he was conducting in this wise in order that the court might understand that Truesdale had been driven from his home by the people who were now endeavouring to prosecute him.

The evidence of the last witness was coroborated by his wife. Truesdale and his wife had lived together since their marriage until two or three years ago when the prisoner had left his wife at Campbellford.

Anna Thurston, who was alleged to be the second wife of the prisoner, was then called. She stated she lived in Ashburnham with the prisoner. She first had met him in Chandos a couple of years ago. She was present at the hearing in the assault case, before the magistrate, of Truesdale vs. Hubble recently. Henry Truesdale had given evidence at the trial. He had sworn that witness was his wife. She also was a witness in that trial. She had also said she was prisoner's wife. She had never been married to him. No marriage ceremony was ever performed between them. She was married to J. L. Thurston and lived with him for seventeen years, until his death about ten years ago. She had never gone through any ceremony with Truesdale before a clergyman, magistrate or any other person. She had called herself his wife on account of living with him so long.

In consequence of the testimony of the last witness the Crown withdrew the case and Truesdale was discharged.

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Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, 50c, for	.40	300 rolls of Wall Paper at.....	.6
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped, 60c, for	.45	300 rolls of Wall Paper at.....	.8
Catholic Piety 25c, for.....	.19	55c Window Blinds for.....	.37½
Garden of the Soul 25c, for	.19	25c Dado Blinds for.....	.19
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for.....	.22	80c Fringed Blinds for	.23
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for.....	.35	25c Cornice Poles for.....	.19
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted.....	.45	45c Oak and Cherry Poles for.....	.33
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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1897.

LOOK AT YOUNG'S POINT.

A Fine New Pier and Breakwater has Just Been Erected.

YOUNG'S POINT, Nov. 24th.—It is with great promptness the Ontario Government looks after our locks here when repairs are needed. Mr. Thos. Walters, superintendent, Lindsay, has had a number of men employed, under the foremanship of Mr. Geo. Delury, building a new pier and breakwater on the east side of the entrance below the locks. The new pier, which is completed, is 150 feet long and 12 feet wide, built of 10 x 12 timber placed close together and filled with stone and covered with fine gravel on top, making an excellent wharf and greatly improving the accommodation for boats and steamers landing passengers and freight as well as improving the appearance of the locks.

The old pier that stood where the new one is built was built of round logs and the timbers were very much decayed, being there since the lock was built in 1870. Mr. Delury, the foreman in charge, is a practical and competent man, and he and his employees have completed the work in a very satisfactory manner. We hope that in the near future the cribbing will be done on the canal above the lock, as it is very much needed to prevent the banks from caving in.

REASONS GIVEN.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—I see there is an exciting election on in Centre Toronto. While I am a supporter of the present Dominion Government, I feel it will be for the best interests of the Dominion that Mr. Howland succeed in beating Mr. Bertram. I know Mr. Bertram; he is a worker, and his motto is Toronto first, last and all the time. Toronto has no end of wants, and has never been backward in asking all kinds of favours. If Mr. Howland is elected the city will have less claim on the Government, and outside towns will be able to get favours which they deserve. Let us hope Toronto will for once place herself outside, and remain there for the next five years.

The Government's majority is large enough, and it will be a relief not to have deputation after deputation waiting on them from Toronto.

Yours truly,
"GRIT."

Peterborough, Nov. 23rd.

MORA AT THE GRAND.

Greeted by an Immense Audience, and Makes a Great Impression.

Mora made a great hit at the Grand Opera House last night. If she fails to hold throughout the week, the fault will hardly exist in her or in her repertoire of comedies. In "Pretty Pell" she took a six-fold character, representing each with truenese. The was supported by a strong company.

The Mora company is composed of clever players. Between acts their specialties are a great attraction. Good singing, clever dancing, and, before the last act, several amusing scenes are thrown on the canvas by Edison's latest invention, the projectoscope. Mora brings her own excellent orchestra.—Kingston Whig. Bradburn's Opera House, week, Nov. 29th.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street church will give their annual thanksgiving Day dinner on Thursday evening, Nov. 25th. Dinner served from 6 to 8, to be followed by an excellent programme, to which Rev. Mr. Crossley, the evangelist, and Miss Lola Ostrom will contribute. Chair to be taken by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P. Admission 25c.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

An Evening with some of the Poets and Dramatists—Mr. J. Jeffries, B. A., Reads a Paper on "Cymbeline."

That the Fortnightly Club has grown into a flourishing institution and is awakening wide-spread interest amongst the citizens, was evidenced by the large and cultured audience which assembled in the Y.M.C.A. Hall last evening, there being fully two hundred present.

The evening's programme was opened by the recitation of Tennyson's "Song of the Brook," by Miss Alma McCollum, whose elocutionary powers invested the selection with additional beauty. Miss Helen Denistoun then gave a rendition of the same number set to music, which was also fully appreciated.

Mr. J. Jeffries, B. A., was then called upon for his paper on Shakspere's "Cymbeline," which gave a clear concise synopsis of the play and unfolded the complications of the plot in a very perfect manner. The characters were carefully analyzed, compared and contrasted and the whole subject was so treated as to merit the warm approval of the audience and of the special speakers appointed to discuss the subject.

Mr. F. D. Kerr in a neat speech gave an account of the drama of the middle ages, referring to the Mysteries and Moralities which preceded the dramas of Shakspere and others, and pointed to the Oberammergau as a survial of the latter. He then compared several of the female characters which Shakspere has drawn, paying particular attention to Imogen, the heroine of the evening and awarding the palm to Cordelia.

Mr. McCaig followed in an address which sparkled with epigram and humour. His comparisons were very apt and he pointed out that Shakspere drew characters of men and women so that in our experience we find the counterpart of every character delineated by his master hand.

The last speaker was Sheriff Hall, who gave a short but incisive and humourous address, supported by quotations from the play, from Ruskin and Tennyson. He humourously referred to the opinion that Shakspere's women are heroines, while his men are not heroes, because Shakspere knew men thoroughly, but was unacquainted with woman.

At the conclusion of the meeting a large number of new members were enrolled, and there are now 122 members for the season.

The next meeting is called for Tuesday, December 14th, when Miss Spence will read a paper on "Victor Hugo."

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Refuge Home Contributions—Generous Donations Towards the Fund.

The secretary of the Children's Aid Society to-day received the following letter from Mr. J. J. McBain, of the Advisory Board:

PETERBOROUGH, Nov. 19th, 1897.

Miss Clarke, Secretary of the Children's Aid and Protective Society, Peterborough:

DEAR MADAM:—I am personally aware of the fact that our Children's Aid Society is need of funds to carry on the work and to furnish and equip the home which we are about to open up for the care and protection of children and other unfortunate ones requiring the aid and protection of our society. This home we are anxious to put in working order as soon as possible. We have been badly in need of it for some time. In view of the above facts I enclose you my cheque for $10 to assist the management of the society in the noble work of God and humanity. I have also appealed to a few of my friends on behalf of the society and Mr. George Webber has kindly handed me a cheque for $10; Mr. John Nugent, druggist, for $5; also Mr. J. R. Stratton, for $5. All of these gentlemen are in sympathy with the work and management of our society and I am sure there are many others who, without doubt, would give us their support if they were made acquainted with the object and work of the Society.

Yours respectfully,
J. J. MCBAIN.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., is in Toronto to-day.

Mr. J. B. McWilliams has returned home.

Mr. F. J. Jameson, Harvey street, is up in Toronto on business.

Mr. W. H. Meldrum returned last evening from a business trip east.

Miss Edith McKee is confined to the house with a severe cold.

Miss Beattie Farrell, of Fenelon Falls, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Ashburnham, are spending Thanksgiving in Galt.

Mr. David LeMay, of Watertown, is in town as the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. H. LeBrun.

Miss Farrell, of Fenelon Falls, formerly of town, is spending a week or two with Miss Grace Kendry.

Councillor Rutherford, of Ashburnham, went up to Toronto this morning for a few days visiting friends.

Miss L. S. Tucker, of Reid street, returned from a two months' visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. W. H. Wrighton and Miss Ethel Wrighton, McDonel street, are spending a few days with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Harry Neil, with Master Percy and Miss Alice left this morning for Galt. They will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Neil's parents.

Miss Laura Morris, formerly of town, who is now residing in Lindsay, is over spending Thanksgiving week with Miss Gertie Lattimer, Gilmour street.

Miss Barnett has returned from Toronto and is again visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. McAllister, Charlotte street. Miss Edyth O'Hara, of Toronto, also arrived to-day to spend a few days with the same hostess.

The Buffalo Evening News of Nov. 11th, reports the death of Mrs. James Roland Davis, formerly of Peterborough, at the age of 68 years. Many in Peterborough will remember the deceased lady, who was the wife of Mr. Davis, of the firm of Whyte & Davis.

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ANOTHER SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. J. R. Burgis, of Lakefield, a Victim of Heart Disease.

Mr. J. Reginald Burgis, son of Councillor C. J. Burgis, was at work at Reeve Lillicrap's on Tuesday morning, about 8 o'clock, when without any warning he fell forward into a corner, as if in a faint, and severely bruised his temples.

Mrs. Lillicrap, who was present, brought restoratives and sent in next door for Dr. J. R. Fraser, but when he arrived death had already claimed its victim, heart disease being the cause.

The deceased was an unmarried young man, 27 years of age, and lived with his parents.

He always took an active part in church work in connection with the Baptist congregation, of which he was a member, and was also an active worker in the Young People's Union, by which he will be greatly missed.

The funeral will take place from the family residence at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon to the Baptist church, where service will be held, and afterward proceed to the Hillside Cemetery for interment.

The family have the deepest sympathy of the entire community in their sad and sudden bereavement.

SHANTYMAN HURT.

Wm. Chynoweth, of Kinmount, Has His Leg Broken Near Dorset.

(Huntsville Forester.)

A somewhat distressing accident occurred last Wednesday at the Longford camps near Dorset, whereby Wm. Chynoweth, of Kinmount, had his leg broken.

The particulars, as obtained from his brother, Richard, are to the effect that while engaged in logging, a sapling, which had been bent by the falling of a tree, became released, and in flying back struck the unfortunate man, with the above result.

He was brought to Huntsville on Thursday by boat, and placed in Dr. Hart's hospital for treatment.

His brother left on the following day for his home in Kinmount.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day—1 p. m. ..... 33° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest*
Yesterday	19°	13°

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Every citizen of Bobcaygeon, says the Lindsay Post, is all agog over a scheme to secure electric railway communication with Peterborough.

The proposal is to build a line to Scott's mills, some twelve miles east, thence south to Buckhorn and on to Peterborough. By taking the above route expensive bridges would be avoided, and the high falls at the Gull river outlet and at Burleigh could be utilized to generate power.

The promoters feel confident that they can secure Provincial and Dominion aid, as well as bonuses from the benefitted municipalities—including a large sum from Peterboroughh. It has been figured out that the line can be built for less than $200,000. Mr. W. J. Read is secretary of the provisional committee, and is hard at work on the details.

From New York.

"I am a commission merchant doing business in the West Indies. I used some of your Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor when in Canada, and think it is the best cure for corns I have ever seen. Please send me a few dozen for friends and customers in South America and the West Indies."—William Gould, New York City.

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GENTLEMEN'S SILK TIES.

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Opposed to Thirteen.

I was buying a parlor car seat for the Atlantic City express when I observed a lady just ahead of me at the window regarding her ticket with a troubled expression. "I won't take that," she said, passing it back to the ticket seller. "I won't have a chair numbered 13." The man smiled affably, and, taking the ticket, rubbed off the one, making it number 3. "No, that won't do," said the woman. "You must give me a new ticket." "But the chair is number 3," explained the man. "That makes no difference," she replied firmly, "I won't take a ticket that is numbered 13, or that has been number 13." And she wouldn't. What would Mr. Lang say to such superstition as this?—Critic.

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THE BOY DETECTIVE.

"The case is hopeless."

So spoke the great criminal lawyer, and as he did so he sighed deeply.

"Tell me the facts again," said his companion, a bright appearing youth of 9, as he took a notebook from his pocket.

"I will," said the other dejectedly, "but I fear it can avail nothing. We can prove that Mrs. Goodlot has been missing since Aug. 2. We know that she had quarreled with her husband and that he had threatened her life. We can show that on the night of Aug. 2 the defendant generated ozonotic gas in his chemical laboratory, and we have every reason to believe that he put his wife into the gas tank, but to prove it—ah, that is the difficulty!"

"What is the effect of ozonotic gas on human tissue?" asked the youth, with a thoughtful expression on his face.

"It converts all animal matter into gaseous vapor. Within ten minutes after the body had been put into the tank there was not a trace of solid substance left."

"I will examine that tank."

"You?"

"Yes."

"It is guarded constantly. They will kill you."

"We shall see."

He arose and, after shaking hands with the great criminal lawyer, passed rapidly to a carriage in waiting. The reader may have suspected ere this that he was none other than Eddie Parks, the newsboy detective.

"Halt!"

As this word was spoken a revolver gleamed in the moonlight.

The watchman standing at the great doorway of the Goodlot chemical laboratory strained his eyes to see what the object might be that was approaching.

"All right. Don't be afraid," came a gruff voice from the gloom, and a policeman stepped into view.

"I am glad it was you," said the watchman in a relieved tone of voice. "We have instructions to shoot and kill any strangers found near the laboratory."

The next instant the watchman felt his throat clasped as if in a vise. He heard a voice at his ear, "Maintain quiet, or I will throttle you."

In a few seconds he was bound and gagged. The policeman took the keys from the prostrate form.

"Now, my good man, stay here until I return," he said gleefully. With that he threw off his disguise.

It was the newsboy detective.

Before starting on his perilous night trip to the chemical laboratory our hero had studied a plan of the interior of the vast structure, so that, even in the pitch darkness, it required but a few moments for him to find the tank in which the ozonotic gas had been generated.

Taking a can opener from his pocket, he cut a circular opening in the tank and crawled in.

After a few minutes he emerged with a satisfied smile on his face.

As he approached the doorway at which he had entered he saw four men standing in the moonlight. The other men on guard had discovered the bound and gagged watchman.

They were waiting for our hero to return.

"I will not be captured," he said, drawing his trusty revolver.

At that moment his foot struck a bottle, which fell and broke with a crash.

The four men came through the doorway. Our hero turned and ran.

He knew that all the doorways were locked. His only hope was the stairway.

The pursuers were close behind. He fled up one flight of stairs after another. Below he could hear the curses and ejaculations of the enraged watchman.

Suddenly he emerged into an open tower. He had reached the topmost point of the great building. Over 100 feet below him was the placid river.

The pursuers came panting at his heels.

There was no time to be lost.

With a defiant shout he leaped far out from the tower and dived for the river.

At 10 o'clock the next morning James H. Webster, the great criminal lawyer, was seated in his office.

There was a knock at the door, and Ralph Dumont, counsel for the defendant, entered the room.

"I came to tell you that the foolhardy youth who dared to visit the laboratory last night is no more," said he, a smile of triumph lighting up his malignant features.

"Dead!" exclaimed the great lawyer, blanching perceptibly.

"Yes—dead. He was pursued to the tower and leaped into the river. He did not come to the surface. So you see, Mr. Webster, that your trump card has failed. You can never convict Anthony Goodlot."

"Don't be too sure of that!" came a quiet voice from behind.

"Perdition!" exclaimed Ralph Dumont.

Eddie Parks, the boy detective, was standing in the doorway!

As soon as James H. Webster saw our hero alive and well he rushed toward him with open arms.

Ralph Dumont hurried from the room, muttering curses.

"He seemed surprised to see me," said our hero, laughing merrily.

"You are indeed a brave youth," said the great lawyer, gazing at our hero in admiration. "But, tell me, have you secured any evidence?"

"I have," replied our hero modestly, and taking a small paper from his pocket he unrolled it and showed a false tooth.

"This is a porcelain tooth and was not affected by the gas," said he. "After finding this tooth I inquired the name of Mrs. Goodlot's dentist."

"Aha!" said the great lawyer.

"I looked up the address in the directory, and upon going to the address I learned that the dentist died three years ago."

"Curse the luck!" said James H. Webster. "The fates are against us. Is there no way to identify this tooth?"

"There is a way," said our hero. "Leave it to me. Now let us deposit the tooth in a place of safety."

As they passed out of the building there was a terrific explosion, and James H. Webster's office was completely wrecked.

The Goodlot murder trial was in progress.

The prosecution was about to close its side of the case.

There had been no direct testimony to show that Anthony Goodlot had murdered his wife.

The attorneys for the defense were jubilant.

Ralph Dumont smiled sneeringly at James H. Webster.

"Edward Parks!"

At the call of this name there was a sensation, for the fame of the newsboy detective had spread far and wide.

Our hero modestly stepped to the witness chair and faced the hushed assemblage.

After the usual preliminaries James H. Webster handed him a small box containing the porcelain tooth.

"Do you recognise the article in that box?" was asked.

"I do," replied our hero.

"What is it?"

"It is a false tooth made of porcelain."

"State whether or not you ever saw this tooth before."

"I found that tooth in the gas tank in the Goodlot factory on the night of Sept. 23."

Our hero briefly related the circumstances under which he had found the tooth.

"Do you know what person, if any, had ever used that tooth?" asked the lawyer.

"I know that the person who used that tooth and the person who chewed the gum contained in this box are one and the same." With these words our hero drew a paper box from his pocket.

"What does the box contain?" asked James H. Wesbter.

"It contains 423 pieces of chewed gum, each showing the imprint of human teeth."

"You may state where you found that gum."

"At the residence of Anthony Goodlot, stuck along the outer edges of chairs, tables, shelves, piano, piano stool, mantels, banisters, sofas and bookcases. I found 23 portions of chewed gum stuck on the columns of the front veranda and I found 14 on various chandeliers and brackets. I found 3 on one closet door and 2 on the caster in the pantry."

"Have you attempted to fit the porcelain tooth which you found in the gas tank into any of the imprints or indentations on or in these 423 pieces of chewed gum?"

"I have."

"Tell the court what if anything you have learned."

"The porcelain tooth fits into the deepest mark on every one of the 423 pieces."

Ralph Dumont arose to cross examine the witness.

He trembled violently and his face was purple with rage.

When he attempted to speak, he gave vent to incoherent sounds and fell to the floor in an apoplectic fit.

As soon as our hero had finished his testimony the prosecution called other witnesses to prove that Mrs. Goodlot had a false tooth and that she was the only one around the house who chewed gum.

Little remains to be told.

Our hero was again recognised as the greatest detective of the age.

The defense could not shatter his testimony in regard to the tooth.

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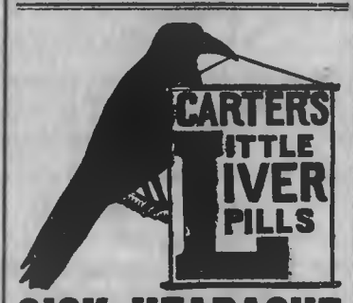

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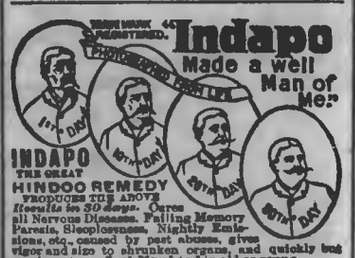

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"In my apiaries, which are cared for by my son," said he, "there are 140 stand of bees. The honey season lasts from April to July. Last season my bees yielded 40,000 pounds of honey, which sells in that country in bulk lots at 4 cents a pound. Two of the hives gave over 500 pounds each. For ten years I have been interested in bees in a small way, and I take greater interest in them every year. A hive or stand of bees is worth $2.50. In it are the queen, the drones and the workers, a total population of from 20,000 to 25,000 bees.

"This very good sized colony," he continued, "resides in a hive or wooden box. In the hive are a dozen frames 13 by 7 inches. In these the bees make or deposit the honey, a foundation of wax having been first placed in each frame by the beekeeper, so that the bees may have something to build upon. The honey is taken out of the frames every other week during the honey season. While doing so there is little need of protecting the hands. The bees seem to be most inclined to sting one in the face. So, as a precaution, the man who is removing the honey from the hives wears a straw hat, from the brim of which is hung a silk veil, like they have to do up in the Klondike country to ward off the summer mosquitoes.

"The queen is an absolute monarch within her dominions. She is the undisputed boss of the job. An ordinary bee lives during the working season only 45 days. Young ones are being hatched out all the time. A bee goes to work at the tender age of 3 days and hustles like a veteran for 42 days. Then it is just naturally all tired out, I suppose, for it dies. The queen lives longer, and when a young queen comes into existence in the hive she drives the old queen out. Her loyal subjects follow her in her banishment, and that is what makes the swarm.

"In southern California the bees make water white honey when the black sage is in blossom. When the white sage is flowering, the honey has an amber tinge. In winter the bees make no honey. Seventy-five carloads of the article are shipped out of San Diego county in good years."—Denver Republican.

GREATEST OF COLONIZERS.

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It has been well said that gold is the greatest of colonizers, and this has proved especially true in the last half of the present century. To what lone regions the footsteps of man were attracted in the earliest times by the discovery of gold we may not know, but within the memory of living men great regions of the earth's surface have owed their settlement and occupation solely to the finding by search or accident of a few shining particles in the earth.

California was a remote and outlying province of Mexico, inhabited by Indians, gathered in missions or scattered abroad, and cattle barons and their dependents, visited by a few ships each year in search of a freight of hides, when the picking up of a few grains of gold in the banks of a mill race called the gold seekers from the four quarters of the earth and transformed a wilderness into a populous empire.

Australia was a corner of the earth selected on account of its remoteness from their former home as a place of banishment for British criminals when the gleam of gold illuminated it and filled the distant harbors with sails and their shores with cities.

South Africa might have remained forever a grassy waste, the home of savages contending with the Boers and the British for the possession of illimitable pastures, had not gold called the miner and those who follow him to build Johannesburg.—Kansas City Times.

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And none may say, since none can know,
Whence comes the vivifying spark
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Of song across the dark.

It is a secret summons, such
As comes unto the spray when spring
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That bids the poet sing!

—Frank Dempster Sherman in New York Commercial.

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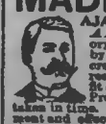

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Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

LACROSSE.

The Peterboroughs are thinking about having their pictures taken in a group, but would like to wait until Lionel King is at home before going to be photographed.

THE DOG SHOW.

Mr. H. B. Hungerford, of Belleville, was in town and, promises at least twenty collies from Montreal for the exhibition. He thinks that it will be a big success, and suggests that Belleville and Port Hope drop into line, and hold bench shows immediately afterwards in order to create a circuit in the district and make it worth while for the best dogs to be brought out for the occasion.

HOCKEY.

Mr. Will Crossley received a letter from Mr. Ernie Clarry, of Millbrook, stating that the skating there was prime, and asking that a team be made up in Peterborough for the purpose of going to the village on Thanksgiving afternoon, and having a game of hockey with the boys there. Mr. Crossley is hustling around to-day, making arrangements with a view to accepting the invitation.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

The following team has been picked to go to Kingston to-morrow to represent Peterborough:—Back, Andy Scott; halves, A. Letellier (capt.), A. S. Lefevre, L. King; quarter, Garnet Bell; scrimmage, E. Rutherford, Hal. Burnham and A. Stetham; right wing, Austin, B. Rickey, A. Hollingshead and A. McClelland; left wing, Wilgar, Picard and Bradburn. The team will leave on a special car, decorated for the occasion, at 8 20 a.m. to-morrow.

The Lakefield News speaks as follows concerning the game of Rugby football recently played here:—

"On Saturday last the Grove Rugby team drove down to Peterborough to play a return match with the P.C.I. team of that place. The day was very cold and a high wind was blowing. The game was played in the P.A.A.A. grounds, Ashburnham.

"The game started about half past two o'clock, and when the teams lined up to play it was easily seen that the P.C.I.'s had a decided advantage with regard to size and weight. In a short time Hutchins had made four points for the Grove, and the P.C.I.'s evened things up by making a rouge. The Grove scored three more points and the P.C.I.'s four more, the first ending in favour of Peterborough by 8 points to 7.

Shortly after the start of the second half the Grove met with a serious drawback by B. Patterson, who played full back, getting laid up, one of the P. C. I.'s striking him deliberately in the face with his fist and nearly knocking him senseless, having to go off the field; shortly after J. McDonald had his leg badly wrenched; which, though it did not cause him to go off the field, rendered him incapable of playing the game he had been doing. This left the team in bad shape and the P. C. I.'s succeeded in getting three more rouges, the game ending in their favour by 10 points to 7. In the two matches the Grove is six points ahead of the P. C. I.'s.

An effort is being made to arrange a match with a junior team from Peterborough and one from here on Thanksgiving Day.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Mr. Drope's boys at his Grimsby Preparatory School played a game of football against the Grimsby High School and were only defeated by the score of one goal to nil, although it was their first game of Association football, the Preparatory School boys being devotees of Rugby. On the team were sons of Mr. Harry Rush and Mr. D. J. Lundy of Peterborough.

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WESTWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Messrs. Israel and Robert Humphrey have returned to the parental roof from the prairie regions.

Mr. William Sharp, jr., has come home for the winter. During the summer he has made cheese at Dairyville, Brock township. We are glad to see his pleasant face again.

The Misses Warner were visiting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Reid on Friday last.

Mr. Thos. Cardwell and family have journeyed to South Dummer. They will recruit there.

Mr. Archie and Miss Edith Stewart were in the village on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris have gone to to visit friends in Michigan.

Mr. John Breckenridge, jr., and Mr. Michael Lynch have relieved Mr. John Baskin, Norwood, of finishing his contract on the new bridge. It is known as Steele's bridge, on the Ouse river, in Asphodel township. The approaches and railings will be completed by the two former men.

At a business meeting of the Y.P.S.C.E. last week, Mrs. A. W. Wright handed in her resignation as president of the society as she was removing to Norwood. The society sincerely regrets the loss, and shewed their gratitude by giving her an address and a well-filled purse. Mrs. (Dr.) McNaughton has been elected president, and Mr. A. Cameron, vice-president.

We noticed a number at the Norwood sale. Some returned in sap kettles, others in cat bins, while others sat on their elbows (stove pipes) or peeped through the window curtains.

Messrs. John Powell, Hilliard Neilson, E. Hopkins and J. German, have returned from their hunt. Each secured one deer. We intend to call on them at an early date.

A special Thanksgiving service was held in the Methodist church on Sunday last. The sermon was one which impressed the mind of the importance of thanks-livingas a means of thanksgiving.

Cupid has been visiting several of our early birds. Gently, boys.

The executive of the East Peterborough Farmers' Institute announces that our meetings are to be held on January 12th, 1898. In the afternoon J. Hugo Reed, V. S., will take the subjects, "How to prevent parturient apoplexy (commonly called milk fever) in the cow," and "Breeding horses for profit." A. McNeil, of Walkerville, "Every farmer his own mason—or how to use concrete in farm structures," illustrated with plans; and "Apple culture. A. P. Kitchen, "Breeding, feeding and handling beef cattle." We would advise the programme committee to put on their mits and make this a success like last year.

YOUNG'S POINT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

We are pleased to see Mr. C. Young, who has been confined to his room with a severe cold, is able to be around again.

Mrs. Richard Reid is dangerously ill, also Mr. D. White.

Mrs. Walter Young is at present in Toronto, the guest of her sister.

Mr. H. J. Kearney is visiting this week with friends in Peterborough.

Mr. Thos. McFarlane, of Ottawa, has returned home after an extended visit with his brother here.

Mrs. J. Carl spent a few days last week with friends in Peterborough.

Miss Emma Scollard is visiting with friends in Selwyn.

Mr. Frank McPherson, of Peterborough, spent a couple of days this week the guest of his aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are spending the winter months in Lakefield.

"Hope" are becoming quite common now around our little village. Quite a number have taken place within the last couple of weeks.

The Lakeview House has been shingled over again, making quite an improvement in appearance.

Mr. James Johnston, who has been in Bobcaygeon during the summer, employed on a steamer there, has returned home.

People Praise It.

DEAR SIRS,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

LIZZIE HARDY,
Mayfield, Ont.

THE RETURN OF THE ARGONAUTS

A MEDLEY BY JASON.

The following poem, composed by a professor of Brown University, Rhode Island, was read at a concert, on the steamer Nebraska on her voyage in August last from Glasgow to New York, in aid of the Sailors' Home, Glasgow. The lines were sent to Mr. R. Fair of the Golden Lion, who was a fellow passenger of the writer of the poem:

I.

Out of a bull's eye misty and dim,
I gaze afar on the ocean's rim,
And watch the billows pitch and toss,
Much to my own internal loss
For in the face of all creation,
To Neptune I have poured oblation;
An offering vain, I must conclude,
Since he is in no better mood.

II.

If I might once more behold the face of her
Who in the rigging of a pictured ship upon a paper sea,
Offered to all travellers, especially to me,
That sovereign remedy for the mal de mer,
I'd hitch a bowsline round her neck,
And drag her to the lower deck,
And say, "I can't recall your name
Since you have made me half insane
With your chloral and cocaine;
I wander in my mind,
And do not know my kind;
I sleep like a log,
And as cold as a frog—
O give me some grog.
Anything to bring back my senses and other defenses
If you please.
From this abominable cure, which, I am sure,
Is worse than the disease.
Faintly and far as from the depths of the ocean,
Arises a voice half choked with emotion—
"One dose is enough
Of the horrible stuff:
Give the fishes a potion."

III.

Down a passage dusky, dark, uncertain,
Through many a door and many a curtain
Comes the ringing and the dinging of a bell.
O, Tophet, Sheol, Tartarus, it is the knell
Of some tourist going to the British Museum,
To the Rhine, to Paris, or Napoleon's mausoleum.
By Lethe flowing sluggishly,
O noisy steward, let me lie;
By poppy and mandragora
And all the drowsy drinks that are
Concocted at a public bar,
Break the constellation
Of thy tintinnabulation,
And get thee to that Plutonian shore,
Where Edgar Poe his raven fed,
For I have been awake an hour or more,
And now would turn me in my bed;
Begone, I said, but the steward answered
"Nevermore."

IV.

In vain I turn, for in that ringer's wake,
Sliding, gliding like a snake,
Or most, like a mermaid's fishy ghost,
Comes an odor vile, not from Ceylon's isle,
Nor best, from Araby the blest.
Out of my bunk I sally,
(On board I'm always dressed,)
Past the cooking galley,
Up the stairway, wide, unsteady,
Out upon the slippery plank,
For some dread of rashness rank.
After me with dread insistence
Follows the fiend with close persistence;
Around my hat, about my clothes,
But chiefly round about my nose,
Growing ever bold and bolder,
She waved and wafted the dismal odor.
Then I called "pernicious sprite,
If I have guessed aright
Thou art a daughter of the night,
Or perhaps
Thou art a lapse
From the traps
Set to catch unwary wights
Out late o'nights,
In gutter or in doorway taking naps."
With lofty disdain and towering pride
To me the spirit thus replied:
"No child am I of city slum,
From fields and gardens fair I come.
If better treatment had been my doom
You would have called me sweet perfume;
But sadder fate has been my lot,
And therefore I have gone to pot,
Still in my veins, or rather spirit,
Run ancestral strains of merit."
"O maiden sage,
Tell me thy lineage
Of high or low degree,
Belongs it to the peerage?
Belongs it to the beerage?
O tell it to me,
For I am a tracer of pedigree.
Mixed is my origin the odor said,
"My blood is blue though my face is red,
My father was a cabbage, my mother a beet):
The lines of my hand run clear and straight,
But upon me fell the hard lines of fate,
(For cooks have always boiled me with meat.)
Cauliflower is my aunt and spinach my cousin,
Onions I recognise when used by the dozen,
Garlic me with pungency invested,
The squash with ambition till its growth was arrested;
But if you would my presence feel,
Give me plenty of orange peel."
"O Spirit, no marvel is it
That thy line is so composite.
"That, said my partner, with sad repartee,
"Is due to the things they have mingled with me—
The flavour of coffee and also of tea;
'Tis worse than the mixing of Mocha and Boker,
To say nothing of eggs, bacon and ham,
Or mutton boiled to resemble a lamb,
And roasting beef to imitate fillet
When it would be far better to grill it."
"Alas! the ghost exclaimed, wringing its hands most wofully,
"To me it has happened as to many a noble family,
I have too vast a pedigree.
I am everywhere,
In the air,
On land, on sea,
No name to declare,
And no individuality.
I am simply a composition,
Without name or habitation,
I am only a wild diffusion,
On shipboard a vile obtrusion."
"Old girl," I answered, let me name you
The ghost of the galley,
But, by all that is sweet, dwell no more in our gallery,—
For much thou movest me against the sea,
And with longing for home and my ain countree."
Then to the stewards I called who in the ship abide,
O men, when home you ride,
Shout to the shipwrights on the Clyde,
Shout in a riperous manner
Above the din of rivet and hammer,
Louder than an Amsterdamer,—
O master-builders make your galley
Wide and long, where cooks may rally
Round the ranges,
And make changes
In the bill of fare.
Place it far from companionway,
Put it on the stern, we say,
Over the smokestack,
Or by Union Jack,
In the cro'-tree,
Anywhere you please,—
If only through it blow a breeze."
Then I hied me to my berth again
To catch a troubled slumber;
For across my agitated brain
Trooped visions without number.
I dreamed of the land I had left behind,
Of landlords and cooks of every kind,
Of every host and a hotel bill,
Of charges exorbitant and attendance nil.
Of chambermaids three, all standing in a row,
And waiting for their fees, three stalwart boots below,
I struggled with porters four for a single trunk,
I gave a cabman tips enough to make him very drunk,
Upon an officer I called to settle a disputation,
He twirled his billy in the air and said, "I ham not of your nation."
Then slowly and sadly in the dusk of the morning
I rolled in my bunk with agonised moan,
Give me, O give me one chance of reforming
And I'll never, no never, abandon my home.

VI.

Postscript.

A week has passed, and with it almost, not quite,
The memory of that stormy day and dismal night,
And the distressful toil and moil
I had with sardines and with salad oil.
Now, unmoved and unmindful of her presence
I walk with mermaid ghost, the cause of my earlier woe,
The bill is no longer the knell of Sinbad on his way
To the bourne whence no traveller returns.
In little—ease, my berth, I roll careless and free from apprehensive dread,
And dream I see my appetite awaiting me on Manhattan's shore.
I laugh at the collector's customs when I think of bivalves on Narragansett beach,
And sweet corn growing rank and ripe in my neighbour's garden all unheed by me.
I even plan to go to sea once more in the riot of my late dreams,
But in no craft of steam and oil;
Me some ship of air shall wing high above the broil of ocean,
To climes where no tip nor fee is asked.
And returning home on eastern trades, I'll drop in some far inland wood
Where no inspector waits to tithe and tax
The treasures I have gathered in lands remote.

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AUSTRIA'S BUSINESS SUSPENDED

Disgraceful Scenes Day After Day—Unparalleled Violence of Language by People's Representatives — Austro-Hungarian Parliament Making a Spectacle of Itself—Other Cable News.

London, Nov. 26.—The correspondent of a London paper, describing the scene in the Austrian Reichsrath, says: "Herr Wolff received the worst treatment. He was struck on the head a dozen times. Blows rained upon his face; the bell was thrown at him; his clothes were torn. As often as he got up he was knocked off his feet.

"Suddenly during the melee a fierce shriek was heard, and a knife was seen flying towards the Leftists. It fell upon Dr. Geessoann, whose hand was wounded. It was wrested from Herr Pfersche by Herr Lemisch, who threw it across the heads of the Deputies.

"Another scream rang through the house. Herr Pfersche had been seized by the throat. Count von Der Lilie emptied glasses of water over the combatants, with a view to separating them. The Police Commissioner, with 15 men, summoned by the President, appeared just as the President was closing the sitting."

Austria's Rowdy Legislators.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—When the Lower House of the Reichsrath re-assembled after adjourning from the scene of unprecedented disorder, all the Ministers were present and approaches to the Presidential tribune were blocked, doors having been erected since the disgraceful fighting of yesterday in and about the tribune and throughout the House. The entrance of the President of the Chamber, Dr. Abrahamovics, was the signal for loud and ironical salutations. As the uproar which followed showed every sign of increasing, Dr. Abrahamovics adjourned the House until 3 o'clock this afternoon, amidst a storm of "Hurrahs" and "Bravos."

Parliamentary Riot Resumed.

The sitting was resumed at 3.30. Immediately the Leftists commenced a tremendous din, in the middle of which the German Centrist, Herr Falkenhyn, conceived as a happy idea a proposal to cow obstructionists by threatening their pockets. He moved that for the future disorderly members might be suspended for three days by the President or for 30 days by the House, during which time their allowance should be stopped; while members refusing to leave the Chamber when requested might be forcibly expelled.

The speech was interrupted with continuous uproar, Herr Wolff shouting "Let's pitch the blackguards out." The President vainly called for order. Finally Herr Wolff stationed himself directly in front of the Presidential tribune and began a shrill whistle. A number of deputies tried to force open the doors at the front of the platform, while a party of Czechs endeavored to prevent them.

When the tumult was at its height Herr Abrahamovics declared that he regarded the motion of Herr Falkenhyn as a necessary measure of self-defence and called for a voting. The whole Right at once arose and the President declared the motion carried. A number of deputies then began climbing upon the President's platform, whereupon he seized his bell and left the House.

After a short interval he returned and began to address the Chamber, but his voice was drowned in a torrent of Leftist yells and shouts of "Get out" and "Shame." Finally the sitting was suspended for an hour, at the close of which President Abrahamovics returned and announced that, in accordance with wishes expressed in many quarters, he had decided to close the sitting, to open again to-day.

Mail Service to New Zealand.

Wellington, N.Z., Nov. 26.—The Premier, Sir John Seddon, proposes to subsidize an alternate fortnightly mail service between Wellington and San Francisco and Vancouver, B.C., passage between Wellington and San Francisco not to exceed 19 days, and passage between Wellington and Vancouver not to exceed 21 days.

A British Admiral Dead.

London, Nov. 26.—Admiral Sir Augustus Phillimore, K.C.B., retired, is dead. He was born in 1822, entered the Royal Naval College in 1835, was made a rear admiral in 1874, a vice-admiral in 1879, and an admiral in 1884. He retired from the service in 1887.

Powers May Blockade Constantinople.

London, Nov. 26.—The Rome correspondent of The Daily Chronicle says: The report is confirmed that the powers have decided to blockade Constantinople in case Turkey refuses to withdraw the troops from Crete and to accept a European Governor for the island.

Ridiculous Story Denied.

London, Nov. 26.—Enquiries made in official circles regarding the report published in The Daily Graphic to the effect that Great Britain contemplated ceding the Channel Islands to France, brought forth an emphatic denial of the whole story.

Steerage Rates Advanced.

Berlin, Nov. 26.—The North German Lloyd Steamship Company and the Hamburg American Packet Company announce that from Saturday, November 28, and thenceforth the rate for steerage passengers on their lines will be 150 marks.

The Strike Conference.

London, Nov. 26.—The conference between the delegates of the striking engineers and the representatives of the employers was continued yesterday. The subject of discussion was freedom of management and, although the matter was argued for and against, all day long, no agreement was reached when the conference adjourned. This was the same subject discussed the day before, the representatives of the employers maintaining that the latter had the right to conduct their affairs without the interference of trades unions.

CUBAN AUTONOMY.

A Tariff Fixing Commission Composed of Cubans and Spaniards a Part of the Plan.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—The clause in relation to the tariffs in the Government's proposed scheme of autonomy for Cuba provides for the creation of a mixed commission to be composed of Cubans and Spaniards, which is to fix the tariffs. The rates fixed by the commission are to be adopted by the Cuban Chamber of Deputies and then approved by the Spanish Cortes before they become effective. Should the mixed commission come to a deadlock the Cortes is to be the arbiter of the question at issue.

Prime Minister Sagasta has received over 100 despatches from persons and organizations in Catalonia, Biscay and other provinces, asking that the autonomy scheme be suspended. A member of the Cabinet said to-day, however, that the opposition to the scheme must soon cease. "Naturally," he added, "the proposed reforms were opposed by a number of persons who, by the past system, had amassed great riches, but the Government has determined to carry out what it considered a patriotic work and its decisions must be respected."

It is expected that the Ministry of the Colonies will be abolished after the application of the reforms, and that colonial affairs will be conducted by the Prime Minister.

Cubans Will Control Customs.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—The Cabinet in Council has approved the article in the autonomy scheme giving the Cubans the control of the customs. Its terms will not be published until it has received the sanction of the Queen-Regent.

Revolt Against Turkey.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—A despatch received here yesterday from Belgrade, Servia, announces that 5000 Albanians, belonging to the districts of Ipek and Diakova, are in full revolt against Turkey. A fight occurred between the Ottoman troops despatched to Usub from Salonica and Monastir and the Albanians. The engagement took place near Diakova and both sides lost heavily.

Death of Mr. Thomas Lawry.

Hamilton, Nov. 26.—Mr. Thos. Lawry, head of the famous pork packing establishment of this city, died at noon yesterday after an illness of only a few days. The wife of the deceased passed away some three months ago, and Mr. Lawry never recovered from the blow. The deceased, who was 55 years of age, was born in Bristol, England, and came out one year later to Canada. The family settled in Hamilton. After passing through the city schools Mr. Lawry embarked in the business which has proved so successful. Two sons and two daughters are left to mourn his loss.

THE GRAND OLD MAN

And His Faithful Life Partner Start for Cannes.

THANKSGIVING PEACE AND AMITY

Cordial Words Spoken in London at the American Thanksgiving Celebration Dinner at Hotel Cecil—Wars and Rumors of War From Elsewhere—An Albanian Revolt—Other Cable News.

London, Nov. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gladstone started from London for Cannes yesterday. The general health of the great English statesman is good and his neuralgia is diminishing. The travelers were loudly cheered when recognized on their arrival at the railroad station, and there was another outburst of cheering when the train drew out of the station.

YANKEES AND ENGLISHMEN

Join Hands in Praise of the Toothsome Thanksgiving Turkey and the Succulent Pumpkin Pie.

London, Nov. 26.—Over 300 American men and women and a few English people celebrated Thanksgiving Day at the Hotel Cecil here last night. The party included Mr. John Hay, United States Ambassador, and his wife and daughter; Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal of Canada, and Archdeacon Sinclair.

The menu, which had been specially designed for the occasion, was ornamented with American and British flags, and over the seat of the chairman was an enormous eagle. The list of toasts was long.

A Message From the Queen.

The health of Queen Victoria was proposed by the chairman, who read a letter, dated Windsor Castle, from Sir Arthur John Bigge, private secretary to Her Majesty, saying: "The Queen desires me to beg that the American Ambassador will be so good as to convey to the members of the American Society in London the expression of Her Majesty's sincere thanks for the beautifully illumined address of congratulation she received from that body. I have further to assure Your Excellency how deeply the Queen was touched by the sentiments of sympathy with the enthusiasm of her own subjects on the 60th anniversary of her accession to the throne which was contained in this address from citizens of the United States."

Tribute to Pumpkin Pie.

When the health of Ambassador Hay was proposed, he responded with a bright speech. He paid an eloquent tribute to "the unknown nameless artist who, in the days of early New England, first brought to perfection the pumpkin pie."

He endorsed Benjamin Franklin's suggestion that the turkey should be the national emblem instead of the eagle, "who with aristocratic profile, loud voice and predatory disposition hardly commends himself as the emblem of modest, industrious and conscientious democracy, while the turkey, like a true altruist, exists only for the good of others and perishes by thousands yearly for the public welfare."

Mr. Hay, in closing his reply to the toast of his health, said: "The great body of the people of the two countries are friends. We are the fortunate heirs to English law and liberty, which both nations respect."

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, responding to "Our Next-door Neighbors," said that "Canada, while loyal to the Queen and to Great Britain, had the fullest feeling of friendship for the United States, and he was satisfied that if either country should get into difficulties the other would help its neighbor."

Archdeacon Sinclair proposed the toast, "The Ladies," which was responded to by Miss Genevieve Ward, the actress.

The Imperial Parliament and Ireland.

London, Nov. 26.—The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the course of an important speech at Birmingham, said he expected that the greater part of the coming session of Parliament would be given over to the Government measure granting local government to Ireland.

Mr. Chamberlain also announced that the Government would introduce a comprehensive measure of army reform, based upon a careful consideration of England's military needs, though without attempting to rival Continental armies or to alter the system of recruiting. He said he considered the army ought to be "strong enough to meet the possible, though improbable, emergency of a break-down in the navy."

Gen. Lockhart Narrowly Escaped.

London, Nov. 26.—A despatch to The Times from Bagh, Province of Dutch Gundava, Baluchistan, says that during the operations near Datoi, which have been conducted during the last few days by General Sir William Lockhart, with the Fourth Brigade of the British punitive expedition, operating against the insurgent tribesmen on the northwest frontier of India, Sir William Lockhart, the commander-in-chief, had a narrow escape from being shot.

A Swindling Captain Sentenced.

London, Nov. 26.—At the Central Court here to-day "Captain" James Henry Irving Cruikshank, who, on Oct. 26 last, was committed for trial on the charge of obtaining about $50,000 from a number of ladies, including Lady Randolph Churchill and her sisters, by false pretences, pleaded guilty of the charges brought against him, and was sentenced to eight years' penal servitude.

The Eastern International.

Port Huron, Nov. 26.—The International Baseball Association was organized here yesterday with the following towns as members: London, Guelph, Hamilton, Port Huron, Bay City and Saginaw. Four of the towns were represented in person, and the other two by proxy. Those attending were enthusiastic as to the project and the success of the venture was thought to be a certainty. The salary limit was placed at $700.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Robert Hall, district agent of the Confederation Life Insurance Company, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Baker has a splendid display of chrysanthemums this year. Our town's people should not fail to call and inspect.

Mrs. A. Greenbanks is in Keene at present under the care of Dr. Harrison. We hope she may have a speedy recovery.

Mr. Chas. Gallagher has been re-engaged as S. S. No. 6, and has had an addition to his salary of $25.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jewison of Poplar Point, Manitoba, are visiting at Mr. T. J. Dealn's.

We are pleased to hear that Prof. Alfred Davies, who sprained his ankle badly, is recovering.

Mr. A. Emery shot a wild goose in Mr. P. W. Stevenson's hop yard the other day.

Owing to an oyster supper in the Methodist church on Friday night, the Model Literary Society did not hold their regular meeting.

The annual free-will missionary offering will be taken up in the Methodist church on Sunday. The Rev. D. M. McCamus, of Port Perry, brother of the pastor here, will preach two special sermons on the subject of missions.

The Women's Mission Circle of the Baptist church intend holding their annual thank offering services on Friday evening, when Miss Marchin, of Big Springs, will deliver an address. A silver collection will be taken up at the door.

The Rev. J. A. McCamus is preaching a series of special sermons on "The Sermon on the Mount."

Don't forget the Thanksgiving dinner in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening.

The Presbyterians have decided to hold their Christmas entertainment on Christmas evening as usual.

The Rev. H. Symonds, of St. Luke's church, Ashburnham, will deliver an address on Thanksgiving evening in the English church here. A very enjoyable time may be expected.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Bible Society was held in the Public Library on Monday evening, when it was decided that the secretary should write and ask to have the Bibles which are now on hand exchanged for new ones.

The following collectors were then appointed:

South Dummer—Misses Spence and Webster.

8th line of Dummer—Misses E Nicol and E Andrews.

9th line of Dummer—Misses McMillan and Kirk.

10th line of Dummer—Miss Howson and Mrs Graham.

North School House district—Misses E Burgess and Elliott.

Belmont Road—Misses M Elliott and E Burgess.

Asphodel, 1st line—Misses Ada Scott and Crawford.

Asphodel, 2nd line—Misses Thistlethwait and M Scott.

Asphodel, 3rd line—Misses Powell and Webster.

Norwood—Misses. B. Pearce, V. Butterfield, A C Moore, F N Pettigrew, W Bailey, Jotcham.

Belmont Road—Miss M Best and Mrs Wood.

It was also moved that the collectors books be put in their hands as soon as possible.

As announced last week the committees for the arranging of the programmes for the Farmers' Institute meetings would be announced latter on. They have since been arranged and are as follows:

Norwood—Misses A. Reddon and A. Squire, and Messrs. H. G. Buck, F. H. Birt, Chas. O'Reilley, J. G. Keefer and John E. Roxburgh.

Keene—Misses Londerville and Bryce, Mrs. Dr. Harrison, Messrs. Robt. English, M. Keanealey, R. McCamus, Dr. Shaw.

Warsaw—Misses. J. Gow and C. Anderson, and Messrs. Geo. Payne, jr., R. P. Payne.

Westwood—Misses M. Brackenridge, B. Sharp and J. Eason, and Messrs. W. Sharp, jr., and Geo. Eason.

The oyster social in the Methodist church was very successful and the programme was an exceedingly good one. As quite a quantity of oysters was left another social was held on Monday evening, which was very successful.

Mr. J. B. Pearce has a lady artist at work on his new stores.

The Modelites are busy practising for their closing concert. They say it is to be the best yet held. We hope so.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss McEwen is visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Maud Cox, who has been visiting friends in Lindsay, returned home last week.

Mr. D. W. Dumble, of Peterborough, was in the village on Monday in connection with the suit of Brown vs. Lakefield.

Miss Rose Cox, who has been visiting friends in Lakefield, returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Dunn was called to Toronto owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Col. Chamberlain.

Mr. Elijah Hunt, who has been up in Manitoba for the last two months, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Colville, of Orono, who has been visiting Mrs. E. A. Tanner, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Dickson, of Calabogie, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Reeves.

Mrs. Benson returned home after a three weeks' visiting to her former home at Orono.

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The council at its meeting held last week decided to defend the suit instituted by Mr. Jas. G. Brown against the corporation re. a culvert on Regent street.

Services will be held in the English church on Thursday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

In the Presbyterian church service will be held at 10.30 a.m.

The Baptist church will hold service on Thursday at 10.45 a.m.

On Thursday afternoon the ladies of the Methodist church will hold their annual dinner in the town hall, commencing at 5 o'clock, after which a concert will be held at which a good programme will be presented, also addresses will be delivered by Revs. S. T. Bartlett, H. S. Erb and A. C. Reeves.

On Thursday evening of next week, Court Lakefield, No. 43, will hold its regular meeting. An initiation is expected.

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HAVELOCK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Port spent a few days last week in Norwood as the guests of Miss Nicholl and other friends. Mr. Post addressed the Epworth League in the Methodist church there on Sunday last.

Mr. W. Ritchie has purchased a handsome Gerrard-Heintzman piano.

We are pleased to see Mr. Patten around again.

The vitascope views in the basement of St. John's church on Tuesday evening were well attended, and a handsome sum realized. The views of the Jubilee procession were excellent and well chosen. The moving pictures were admirable and caused roars of laughter. Additional pictures were presented Wednesday night, a graphophone also adding to the evening's enjoyment. The congregation of St. John's church are having several pleasant and profitable entertainments.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

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Toronto, Nov. 26.—The Liberal campaign knew no cessation because of Thanksgiving Day. As a matter of fact the rally of last evening was among the most spirited and effective of the series, and the speeches were decidedly appropriate to the occasion. The audience was large and enthusiastic, and that confidence in a successful issue of the campaign manifested at the outset was greatly increased.

The gathering was at Association Hall, and there Mr. Bertram very neatly put the Conservative candidate in a decidedly awkward position in regard to canal deepening and the policy of dependence on American aid in the work advocated by Mr. Howland. Mr. Bertram said:

"The Liberal Government did not talk canal deepening; they went to work to deepen them, and to deepen them with Canadian money. Mr. Howland, according to his statements, is in favor of the spending of American money in the deepening of our Canadian canals and waterways. If this were done it would give the American people a vested interest in this country. (Cries of 'That won't do.') I say this must not be in any shape or form. We must build our own canals. If the American people put money in our canals they would share the control. (Cries of 'Never.') The canals will be deepened with our own money, and if we have not enough to do it we will get English money. (Applause.) We must not let Mr. Howland persuade us to use American money in that connection at all."

The applause that followed showed how completely the audience grasped the danger of the proposal that the American people as a nation should be allowed to put money into Canadian national works built upon Canadian soil.

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VICTORIA JUBILEE BRIDGE.

Chief Engineer Hobson Expects It to be Ready for Traffic Next August—Montreal News.

Montreal, Nov. 26.—"We are working to have it completely finished by August," was the information given out by Chief Engineer Hobson of the Grand Trunk system, when asked about the progress of the new Victoria Jubilee bridge. Thirteen of the 24 piers have been completed, and work is proceeding on the fourteenth. All this has been done, Mr. Hobson said, without an accident, not as much as a finger being jammed since the beginning of the work.

"Will you continue the stonework during the winter?" he was asked.

"No, I do not suppose much more will be done on the piers this fall, although Mr. Gibson, the contractor, would like to complete two or three more, and the superstructure, that is about all made, and we have as much of the 20,000 tons of steel on the ground as we can find room for. We are putting up one span this fall, and getting everything ready for rushing the great work to completion as soon as the spring opens. We are calculating on having a completed bridge by August next."

Mr. Hobson also stated that the contractor was doing excellent work, and being then asked as to the amount of accommodation the immense structure would offer, he replied that there would be a double track for the railway and a foot and carriage road on each side.

"Will it be a free bridge?" Mr. Hobson was then asked.

"Oh, I know nothing about the financial part of it," was his reply, "but it seems to be understood that the Victoria Jubilee Bridge will have no accommodation for an electric tramway unless the cars use the railway track, and this is not probable."

Widow Poirier Arrested.

As a result of the coroner's inquest in the case of Isidore Poirier, a carpenter living at St. Canut, about six miles from St. Scholastique, who was found lying on his bed Monday with his throat cut, his widow, Madame Poirier, and her lover, Samuel Parsulon, have been arrested.

Mr. Harcourt's Rosy View.

Hon. Richard Harcourt, who was in the city yesterday, expressed himself as quite confident of the result of the arbitration between the provinces of Old Canada and the Dominion. As to business, he said that the feeling was in the air that a vast improvement had taken place throughout Ontario. The farmers were paying their interest with less difficulty and those who have mortgages on their farms are reducing their indebtedness.

"I believe," he added, "that the next census will show Ontario in a far better light than ever before. The Government of Ontario are doing all they can to encourage development of the mining resources, and the capitalists who have invested in Northern Ontario are perfectly satisfied with the outlook and glad they were induced to come.

Consolidation of Quebec's Debt.

It is understood that as soon as the London money market eases off, the Bank of Montreal will begin the consolidation of the debt of this province.

THE THANKSGIVING BATTLE.

Despite the Bad Weather the Citizen Soldiers Had a Useful Day.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—The Thanksgiving Day sham battle here yesterday was participated in by all of the city regiments and the 13th Battalion, Hamilton. Only partially was the programme laid down carried out, but that was done right nobly through the mud and slush. The western force was the defender of the city, and the easterners made it hot for the enemy. Gen. Gascoigne will give his decision later, but has said that the manœuvres were very useful under the circumstances. About 3000 troops were engaged in the exercises.

NEW ZEALAND TRADE.

Commissioner Larke Writes Cheeringly — Gone to Look Over New Zealand.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—Mr. J. S. Larke, the Canadian Commissioner in Australia, has gone to New Zealand to look over the field there. In New South Wales, Mr. Larke writes, the crops promise well, and the prospects of the continent as a whole are brighter than since 1891. "The steamers Warrimo and Aorangi both arrived this month," he reports. "Although they left Vancouver within five days of each other both left cargo on the wharf, being unable to take all that was offered." The Canadian shipments consisted of wheat, flour, cottons, tweeds, bicycles, wallpapers, patent medicines, hops, canned salmon, agricultural implements, musical instruments and woodware. Mr. Larke, believes, however, that shipments of wheat and flour to any extent will soon cease.

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VALUABLE COURSE OF LECTURES

Visits by Students to the Agricultural College and the Experimental Farm—Experiments Studied Under the Dominion Farm Staff—Good Work by Model Schools Also.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—A substantial measure of progress in the direction of the teaching of agriculture in the Public Schools of Ontario has been made during this session of the Provincial Normal Schools. The subject of agriculture has always received a good deal of attention from the Education Department from the early days when three acres of the ground on St. James' Sq are were set apart for experimental purposes, when Lord Elgin offered prizes to encourage the study of agriculture, and when Dr. Ryerson prepared a text book for the use of teachers on the subject. In 1895 Hon. Geo. W. Ross made a step forward when he caused the Principal of the Toronto Normal School to prepare a syllabus for a course of lectures in agriculture suitable for Normal School students, and when President Mills of the Agricultural College and Prof. Shaw were employed to prepare a text book, which is now in use in many schools of the province. Further steps have been the arranging of courses of study in chemistry, botany and physics in High Schools which give considerable aid to an understanding of the scientific basis of agriculture. Agricultural chemistry, in point of fact, may be authorized by trustees as a special part of High School work, and the trustees of rural Public Schools can require agriculture to be a part of the Public School course of study. It is to be feared, however, that trustees have not exercised their powers in this respect with great freedom.

This year a further step has been made, this time in the direction of so equipping the teachers of the Normal School by a thorough course of instruction in the elements of chemistry and botany necessary to a better knowledge of agriculture as to make the early introduction of the subject into the Public Schools practicable. By way of increasing the interest of the teachers in the work, the Minister of Education arranged a month ago for a visit of the Normal School students to the Agricultural College at Guelph, and the visit, with its accompanying inspection of the appliances used by the faculty and the experiments carried on at the college, has, it is understood, been productive of much good.

In addition lectures have been delivered by Profs. Day and Harrison of the Agricultural College at the Toronto Normal School, with the result of greatly quickening the interest of the students in the study. Similar work has been done at the Ottawa Normal School, where weekly visits have been made to the Experimental Farm for about ten weeks of the session, in order to study the experiments carried on under the direction of the Dominion Government and to receive instruction from members of the staff. Moreover, in the County Model Schools this year about 1800 students received instruction in the elements of agriculture.

CANADA'S CHAMPIONS.

The Ottawa College Football Team Defeats Hamilton Tigers at Montreal —A Game in Sleet.

Montreal, Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving Day 3500 people witnessed, through rain and slush, the football match which made Ottawa College the champions of Canada for this year. The game throughout demonstrated the strength of the wings of the Tigers, and likewise their inability to cope with the united masse play of their opponents. In the first half Ottawa College scored 10 points to 5, and in the second they made this 14 to 10, thus winning the championship. The game was thoroughly enjoyed by all who saw it, although rain and sleet fell on the snowy ground through the game.

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Toronto, Nov. 26. The football event in this city on Thanksgiving Day was the Canadian Intermediate championship game between Varsity and the Britannias of Montreal, the best intermediate team of Quebec. Two thousand people witnessed Captain Tanner's Ontario champions win for this province the intermediate championship of Canada by 26 points to 10. Notwithstanding the drizzling rain and consequent sticky field, the game was a good one, filled with splendid punting and tackling and the best running and passing that has been seen in Ontario this year.

The game was by no means a walk-over, although the best team landed the cup. They outplayed their opponents in the scrimmage and in the back division. On account of the bad ground and weather, the ball, after a few minutes' play, became wet and heavy, and caused the men to fumble.

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FOR DURRANT'S SAKE.

The Widow of Blanther Has no Doubt Her Husband Murdered Blanche Lamont.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 26.—The widow of Arthur Forbes, alias Blanther, who was arrested at Meridian, Texas, charged with having murdered Mrs. Philipena Langfeldt in San Francisco, and who committed suicide in the Bosque County Jail, has been located in this city by the police officials. The woman now goes by the name of Ada Taylor. She says that she married Arthur Forbes at Little Rock, Arkansas, in 1893, and that they taught in the Public Schools in Bosque County in 1896. They had some trouble, during which Forbes shot her three times.

Mrs. Forbes says there is no doubt as to Forbes being the murderer of the San Francisco women; that he often told her that he was well acquainted with Minnie Williams and Blanche Lamont, having been introduced to them by Theodore Durrant; that he often referred to the murders in such a manner that she was convinced that he knew of them. Mrs. Forbes, or Ada Taylor, says that one of her trunks is still in San Francisco, where it was used in evidence during Durrant's trial. She to-day wired Durrant as follows: "Have courage. I believe you to be an innocent man. If I can help to prove your innocence, command me."

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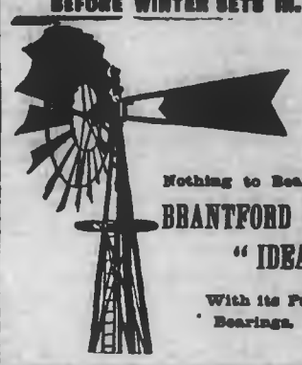

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LOCAL NEWS.

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To-night in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, A. H. Reynar, M. A., the distinguished professor of English in Victoria University, will deliver his delightful lecture on "Humour," under the auspices of the Town Teachers' Association, who are assembled in convention to-day. There will be no admission fee to the lecture, and the citizens are cordially invited to attend. A short musical programme, beginning promptly at 8, will precede the lecture.

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Yours truly,
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"The Pilot's Daughter."

At the opera house last evening the pretty comedy of "The Pilot's Daughter" was presented to a large audience. The sparkling and vivacious little actress, Mora, took the leading role of "Daisy Dean," the pilot's daughter, in an artistic and charming manner. Her bright and witty utterances won warm and lasting applause. She was ably assisted in the different parts by Mr. Williams and the members of the company. Dave Seymour, as "Solomon Isaacs," fairly kept the audience convulsed with laughter. Between the acts the several specialties were good and created much amusement and received well deserved encores. Altogether the the company is a good one. The pictures were well put on and showed to good advantage. The scenery was new.—Kingston Whig. Bradburn's Opera House, week Nov. 29. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labor-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his steam factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 93, or address box 368, and have him send one over to your house.

BRIDAL BELLS ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

A CHIME OF SIX RANG OUT ON THURSDAY.

Cupid's Arrows Create Great Havoc—The Epidemic Began on Wednesday and Lasted Until Last Evening.

SHANNON—SIMONS.

At 8 o'clock yesterday morning a quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral, when Rev. Father Fitzpatrick celebrated the ceremony that united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mr. F. A. Shannon, departmental clerk in the works of the Canadian General Electric Company, and Miss Kate Simons, second daughter of Mr. P. Simons, merchant tailor.

As the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her to be married, entered the Cathedral, the organ pealed forth the notes of Mendelssohn's Wedding March. There was a very large and interested attendance at the Cathedral, at even the very early hour, to witness the nuptials of a young lady who among the congregation was held in the very highest esteem.

The bride looked charming in a costume of peacock blue brocade trimmed with steel and chiffon, with hat to match, and she carried a superb bouquet of Marechal Niel roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Nellie Cauley, of Oswego, cousin of the bride, was similarly attired and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was attended by Mr. M. Coughlin, town.

At the conclusion of the marriage ceremony the nuptial mass was celebrated at which the newly wed communicated.

After the ecclesiastical ceremonies the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the residence of Mr. Simons, Rubidge street, where as they entered the wedding march af Mendelssohn was performed by Miss Maggie Doherty, and the sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken of by the company, which enjoyed a few hours of delightful social intercourse. The heartiest congratulations were extended Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, and the many beautiful presents sent to the bride received the admiration of which they were abundatly worthy. Among the presents were a handsome clock presented by the office staff of the Electric Works and a beautifully chased silver cake basket by the choir of St Peter's, of which Miss Simons has for several years been a prominent and popula member.

Mr. and Mrs. Shannon, who enter their wedded life under the most promising auspices, followed by the good wishes of a large circle of friends, will take up residence at 86 Aylmer street, to which they were escorted last night and where Mrs. Shannon will receive on December 8th and 9th.

BURNET—STEVENS.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place at the residence of Mr. Jas. Burnet, 801 Water street, Thanksgiving Day, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when his only daughter, Miss Helen, was united in marriage to Mr. Herbert H. Stevens, a member of the firm of Stevens. Hepner & Co., brush manufacturer, Port Elgin.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance, of St. Paul's church, and the large double parlours were most beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums for the occasion. The bride was robed in white silk, with white chiffon trimmings, and carried a huge cluster of white chrysanthemums. Miss Ethel Dawson, the bridesmaid, carried yellow chrysanthemums, and was gowned in pale blue silk, with trimmings of chiffon.

The groom was assisted by Mr. James Connal.

The relatives and intimate friends of the family participated in the wedding dejeuner which was served immediately after the ceremony by caterar Long. Amongst the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hutchinson, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Comrie, Cornwall; Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Warner, Cobourg; Rev. C. A. Stephens, brother of the groom, Irvington, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stevens, Amboy, Indiana; Mr. Macfarlane and Mr. Robinson, Port Elgin.

The wedding march was played by Miss Grace Kendry at the conclusion of the ceremony. The profuse decorations of chrysanthemums were the result of the handiwork of Jordan Bros.

The bride was unusually lucky in regard to the number and beauty of the presents she received from her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens left on the 4.10 p.m. C.P.R. train for their future home in Port Elgin, the bride wearing a handsome travelling dress of green tweed trimmed with sable and green hat to match.

GREEN—SAVIGNY.

The residence of Mrs. Mary A. Green, No. 507 Aylmer street, was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, when her only daughter, Miss Harriet Lobe was married to Mr. Wm. M. Savigny, by Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor of the George street Methodist church.

The bride was most attractively arrayed in a gown of cream lustre with garniture of pearls and trimmings of buttercup chiffon. Her bridesmaid was Miss Rebecca Perrit of Madoc, who was gowned in cream cashmere with trimmings of silk lace. Both were large bunches of white carnations, the bride also wearing a white rose in her hair.

The groom was assisted by Mr. James Savigny.

During the evening a most appetising supper was served.

Amongst the numerous presents received was a very handsome pair of drapes from Mr. W. H. Meredith. The bridesmaid presented here with a pretty solid silver butterdish, and the groom's gift was a gold watch. To the bridesmaid he gave a handsome gold chain bracelet.

Mr. and Mrs. Savigny will reside at No. 257 Stewart street.

DENOON—MERVIN.

A popular event took place yesterday afternoon at half past two o'clock, when the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Torrance uniting in wedlock Miss Effie Denoon, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Denoon, of North Monaghan, and Mr. John Mervin, who also resides in North Monaghan, but is one of Peterborough's well-known business men. The weddding took place at the residence of the bride's mother, and only a few of the relatives of the families concerned were present.

The bride was becomingly dressed in a green and brown costume, trimmed with silk and white chiffon and carried white carnations. The bridesmaid was Miss Laura May, who was gowned in black and garnet, trimmed with velvet, and wore pink carnations.

Mr. John Fanning was groomsman.

The groom presented the bride with a very handsome set of furs, and his gift to the bridesmaid was a gold chain bracelet. The bride was the recipient of a cheque for a liberal amount from the George Matthews Co., with whom he was formerly employed. A number of the groom's friends clubbed together and presented him with a beautiful onyx-top table and brass parlour lamp, as well as an imported Italian marble clock. His fellow-craftsmen united and made a gift of two dozen silver knives and forks. A number of presents were received from Buffalo and Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin left on the 4.10 C. P. R. express for Buffalo and points west. On their return they will take up their residence at Mr. Mervin's comfortable homestead just across the boundary.

O'CONNELL—BICKLE.

Another quiet but exceedingly pretty wedding was that which took place at St. Peter's Cathedral at 7 o'clock yesterday evening, being the celebration of the nuptials of Miss Kate O'Connell, daughter of the late Timothy O'Connell, of Ashburnham, and Mr. Samuel Bickle, manufacturer of cheese boxes and dealer in cheesemakers' supplies.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, and the Cathedral was filled with their many friends. The bride wore a most becoming costume of blue covert cloth, trimmed with sable, and a hat to match. She was assisted by Miss Annie O'Connell, attired in pale pink organdie. Both carried roses. The groomsman was Mr Edward McFadden.

After the ceremony the wedding party returned to the residence of the bride's mother on Concession street, where the wedding dejeuner was served. An informal reception was then held when tribute to the popularity of Mr. and Mrs. Bickle was made by a large number of their friends who offered their congratulations. Later on in the evening the newly married couple repaired to their future home on Stewart street, Ashburnham.

A large number of most valuable gifts from Peterborough and Port Hope gave evidence of the esteem in which the bride and groom are held by their acquaintances in the two towns.

AN ELECTRIC SHOCK.

Knocks Down Two Horses, one of Which is Disabled yet.

Last night, at about a quarter after eleven, as the National Hotel 'bus was being driven to the C.P.R. station a live wire dropped down from the trolley pole on the corner of King and George streets and struck the team, felling both horses to the ground and throwing the driver from his seat.

Mr. White, who was inside the 'bus, jumped out and ran around to the horses, where they both lay across the street railway track with their bodies thrown out from the tongue. Mr. White, not knowing what was the matter, took hold of one of the bridles and the chain connecting the tongue with the same horse's collar and attempted to raise the animal, but he experienced a terrific shock and quickly let go his hold and went around to the other side, calling to the driver not to touch the harness, but he was too late as "Andie" had just seized a chain. He was thrown five or six feet away and finally realised what was the matter. The lash of the whip was then wound around the wire and it was drawn to one side, when one horse was able to rise, but the other could not be induced to move being paralysed, apparently, by the force of the electric shock.

The animal laid in the road all night, but Mr. White states that he provided bedding for it and had it covered with blankets, also having a man in charge until morning, when unable to procure a stone-boat he made one and removed the horse to its stable.

The power was immediately turned off and the dangerous wire removed.

PERSONAL.

Miss O'Keefe is visiting friends in Norwood and vicinity.

Miss Addie Lee spent Thanksgiving down the Grand Junction line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Gough were down from Toronto for Thanksgiving.

Miss Lena Walker, of Belleville, is visiting Miss Mabel Roy, Stewart street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schneider, Aylmer street, spent yesterday in Toronto.

Mr. Walter Warne, of Toronto, is visiting at the residence of Mr. A. Comstock.

Mr. Lionel King is home from Trinity University for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. Roger Davidson accompanied the Rugby football team to Kingston yesterday.

Miss Mabel Nixon, of Port Hope, is visiting her brother and friends in town for a few days.

Miss Belle Dickson, of Belleville, is the guest of Mrs. A. H. Stratton, Water street, for a week or so.

Mr. W. F. Stott, proprietor of the Port Hope laundry, has been spending the last few days in town.

Messrs. Will Pope, Ot. O'Boyle and J. Donoghue spent Thanksgiving Day in Lindsay with "friends."

Mr. Andy Scott of Ashburnham, is down from the Dental School for a few days. He is accompanied by a friend.

Mr. Robert Walton, Water street, has just returned from a business trip to Lindsay, Orillia, Beaverton and Meaford.

Mr. A. J. Gendron of the P. Collier Publishing Co., and Mrs. Gendron spent Thanksgiving Day in town with friends.

Mr. Will Schuster, of the Rathbun Co. agency, has been spending the last couple of days in Belleville visiting his mother.

Mr. J. P. Murray of the Toronto Carpet Manufacturing Co., spent Thanksgiving Day in town, the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. L. M. Hayes.

Mr. Jas. Armstrong, public school teacher, of Argyle, Ont, is home for a few days' visit to his mother, Mr. John Armstrong, 171 Antrim street.

Mr. H. Calcutt, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Susie Calcutt, went yesterday to Preston Springs, where he will remain for some time for the benefit of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Corey, of Petrolia, are in town the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Peter Campbell. Mr. B. P. Corey, of Petrolia, a brother of Mrs. Campbell, is also visiting her with his wife.

Dr. Carmichael, who has spent three week's investigation in the hospitals of Chicago has returned to town to resume practice. He had a very profitable and enjoyable sojurn in the western metropolis.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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LIBERAL CONVENTION.

A convention and mass meeting of the supporters of the Ontario Government in West Peterborough will be held in Bradburn's Opera House, Peterborough, on Saturday, December 11th, at one o'clock p. m. sharp, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding of West Peterborough in the approaching Provincial general elections. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. John Dryden, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Senator Cox, and Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P.

It is unnecessary to point out the desirability of there being as large an attendance as possible of the electors, so that the candidate selected may represent the choice and opinions of the largest number in sympathy with the Government. Electors are requested to remember that the convention is called for Saturday, Dec. 11th, at one o'clock sharp.

CHARITY FAIR.

An Important Coming Event in Bradburn's Opera House.

The public will be greatly interested in knowing that a great Charity Fair in aid of the funds of St. Joseph's Hospital will be held in Bradburn's opera house, on December 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th. Housewives will be specially interested in knowing that there will be offered for sale, an immense array of fancy articles as well as of useful articles suitable for personal and domestic use for both adults and children and adults and housewives will do well to wait for the great charity fair on December 14—17.

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BIRTH.

HANNA—On Monday, Nov. 22nd, 1897, at 75 Hunter street, the wife of Mr. James Hanna of a daughter.

MARRIED.

BICKELL—O'CONNELL—On Nov. 25th, 1897, at St. Peter's Cathedral by the Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, Mr. Samuel Hill Bickell to Miss Kate O'Connell, daughter of the late Timothy O'Connell.

West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

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At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. — *G. M. ROGER*, Sec. W.P.R.A.

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Oxford or International Teacher's Bible $1.50.....	$1.12	500 rolls of Wall Paper at.....	.4
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, 50c, for	.40	300 rolls of Wall Paper at.....	.6
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped, 60c, for	.45	800 rolls of Wall Paper at.....	.8
Catholic Piety 25c, for.....	.19	55c Window Blinds for.....	.37½
Garden of the Soul 25c, for	.19	25c Dado Blinds for	.19
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for.....	.22	80c Fringed Blinds for	.38
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for.....	.35	25c Cornice Poles for.....	.12
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted.....	.45	45c Oak and Cherry Poles for....	.33
Your choice of a dozen different games for.....	.25	300 quires of 5c Note Paper for...	.3
Leisure Hour, 1896, bound	.99	200 quires of 10c Note Paper for..	.5
		150 quires of 15c Note Paper for..	.10
		Good Writing Tablets, 100 sheets	.4
		Fine Writing Tablets 100 sheets.	.8
		$2.00 Framed Pictures for	$1.50
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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1897.

ANNUAL CONVENTION

Of the Peterborough Town Teachers' Association.

The annual convention of the Town Teachers' Association was in session all day and was well attended.

Mr. J. Jeffries, the president, occupied the chair, and in opening the convention at the morning session, congratulated the Association on the very favourable conditions that had prevailed during the past year. He referred to the few changes in its membership, and to the success that had attended the work of the various schools as seen in the results of the Promotion, Entrance and Institute Examinations. He commented on the harmonious relations existing among the several schools of the town and among the teachers of each school. The Board of Education was most favourably referred to as most zealously guarding the highest interests of the town and at the same time generously recognising and encouraging the services of their employees. Allusion was also made to the commendable absence of journalistic and aldermanic abuse sometimes met with by the teaching profession in less fortunate places. In conclusion he urged upon all present to contribute their share to the success of the convention by paying sympathetic attention to the papers read and freely taking part in the discussions.

Owing to the great pressure of news matter to-day, and the fact that some of the papers were not read until late in the afternoon, the balance of the report of the meeting, including a synopsis of the various papers, is held over until to-morrow's issue.

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THANKSGIVING CONCERT.

Court Peterborough, C. O. F., Spends a Pleasant Evening with its Friends—An Excellent Programme.

Court Peterborough, Canadian Order of Foresters, held a Thanksgiving Day concert under its auspices last night in their hall on Hunter street, which was packed to the doors for the occasion, the seating capacity giving out before the programme was commenced.

Mr. Harry Nesbitt occupied the chair, and the programme arranged for the evening was an excellent one, as a matter of course, those gotten up by Court Peterborough being always noted for their varied and pleasing character.

Mr. F. J. Perrin of Toronto, who has been here under the auspices of the Foresters before, made himself even a greater favourite than ever with his comic selections. The programme was rendered as follows:

PROGRAMME.

Piano solo.....J H Perrin
Song comic—"All for me".....F J Perrin
Vocal solo.....Miss Hooper
Piano duet.....The Misses Doris
Song, descriptive.....F J Perrin
Illustrated with stereopticon views: (a) Pictures from life's other side. (b) I love her just the same.
Duet.....Mrs Bert Brown and Mr Mulligan
Song in character..Messrs Miller, Butcher and Moncrief
Vocal solo.....Miss Lily Jackson
Vocal solo.....Mr Mulligan
Song, comic—"I'm a happy married man..F J Perrin
Piano solo.....Miss Doris
Song.....Mr D Foley
Song, comic—"Where does my love lie dreaming".....F J Perrin
Vocal solo.....Mrs Bert Brown
Songs, descriptive.....Mr F J Perrin
Illustrated with stereopticon views: (a) Playmates in schoolday's were we. (b) My mother was a Lady.
Duet.....Messrs Butcher and Moncrief
Song, comic.....Mr F J Perrin
Illustrated with stereopticon views: "How I mesmerize 'em."
God Save the Queen.

At the conclusion of the programme Mr. Nesbitt informed the audience that the entire suite of apartments was completely at their disposal, and a great many remained to spend a few hours in social intercourse. The piano was taken into the ball room and the young people enjoyed the pleasure of an informal hop.

ORANGE AT HOME.

L. O. L. No. 80 Entertained a Large Audience Wednesday Evening.

The Orange Hall, on George street, was well filled on Wednesday evening, when an "At Home" was given by the members and a most pleasing programme arranged for the occasion.

The chair was occupied by Mr. Joseph Jones and during the evening Mr. C. W. Sawers made a brief address, in the course of which he stated that he had been asked not to refer in any way to politics in his remarks, but this he would find a hard request with which to comply, as all Orangemen were politicians and he was of the red-hot Orange Tory type, so he hoped he would be excused if he transgressed. In speaking, however, Mr. Sawers confined himself to a brief history of the events which made the words "No Surrender" and "Boyne" the mottoes of the Order.

The musical programme was rendered as follows:

PART I.

Selection.....I O G T Harmony Club
Song.....Mr J Crane
Song.....Miss Florence Hall
Reading.....Rev Mr Armitage
Comic song.....Mr Adam
Vocal duet.....Misses Kindred

PART II.

Selection.....I O G T Harmony Club
Song.....Mr A L Davis
Song.....Mrs Bert Brown
Vocal duet.....Misses Jones and Adam
Song.....Mrs Mean
Speech.....Mr C W Sawers
Comic song.....Mr Adam
God Save the Queen.

During the evening refreshments were served and a pleasant time was generally enjoyed by those in attendance.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Court Chemong, I. O. F., meets to-night at 8 p.m. Musical programme and debate at 8.30, open to Foresters' families and friends.

—The Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital heartily thank some friends for the gift of eight fine turkeys, the smallest sixteen pounds, to enable the patients of the Hospital and House of Providence to enjoy a bountiful Thanksgiving dinner.

—At the conclusion of the Thanksgiving service in the George street Methodist church yesterday, the members of the choir to the number of twenty-nine, went down to Whitan's studio where they were they were photographed as a group.

—The Peterborough Canoe Company to-day shipped a canoe to New York, to be taken by steamer "round the Horn" to Dawson City, Northern Canada. The Company is also shipping some large and folding canoes to New York for a Klondyke company.

—Rev. W. L. Armitage, of All Saints, announced at his Bible class last night that during the season of Advent he would give a series of sermons, beginning on Sunday next, when the subject will be "The Second Advent, the Hope of the Christian."

Catarrh Cured for 25 cents.

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to suffers. Yours truly,
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IN EVERY WAY A GREAT SUCCESS.

The Annual Supper and Entertainment of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church—The "Best Ladies' Aid" Scores a Splendid Success.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street Methodist church last night achieved their annual success in the way of a high tea and concert. It was hardly possible that it could be better than those of other years, but it is high praise to say that it was quite up to the mark.

In the school room three large tables were spread with the most tastefully prepared and appetising dainties, as well as substantials. The arrangement of the tables and their decoration and also the service were quite in keeping with the excellence of the viands. What contributed greatly to the pleasure of the diners was the excellent music furnished during the progress of the repast by Mrs. McClelland, Miss B. Sherin, Miss Campbell, Miss Rose Clark, Mrs. McAllister and Miss Barnett. It is carefully estimated that fully five hundred persons were fed sumptuously, from five to eight o'clock.

The second course of equal excellence with the first was the intellectual banquet provided in the main body of the church, which, notwithstanding the dirty weather, was well filled, large numbers being present besides the congregation of the church. Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., occupied the chair, and preluded the presentation of an excellent programme by a brief and appropriate address. The pastor of the church, Rev. D. O. Crossley, had a seat on the platform and gave a happy little address of welcome and congratulation.

The choir sang two excellent anthems, "Jubilate Deo" and "Benedic Anima Mea." The excellence of the succeeding programme may be judged from the fact that a repeat was demanded of every number and in most instances given. Mr. A. L. Davis sang in fine voice and style "The Bedouin Love Song," encored. Misses Maude and Fox presented a violin duet, encored. Rev. H. T. Crossley, the evangelist, delivered a brief but happy address on "Sociality," and followed it by a song which was redemanded, and he responded at a later stage by singing with great sweetness two other sacred songs. Mrs. C. B. McAllister and Miss Barnett gave a brilliant performance of the "Qui Vive" gallop, but they did not respond to a very warm recall. Miss Lois Ostrom, the ever popular favourite, recited with excellent effect and pathos "What Women did for Men" and was so enthusiastically applauded that she was compelled to give another selection. A fine quartette was sung by Misses Hall and Stevens and Messrs. Davis and Skitch, Miss Florence Hall taking the exacting solo. Miss Ferran, a visitor to town, gave a comic recitation which was so well received that she was compelled to appear again. Miss Alma McCollum recited with fine effect a pathetic dialect selection, "Little Nellie's Pa." She was heartily applauded, but did not respond to the recall. Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor of the George street Methodist church, gave a brief and happy address of congratulation. The entire programme was a most enjoyable one and received the heartiest appreciation of the audience. Rev. Mr. Crossley concluded the pleasant evening's entertainment by a short address in which he very heartily thanked those who had contributed to the programme and had helped to provide so delightful an evening's entertainment, concluding with the benediction.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte street Methodist church are to be congratulated on the marked success of their annual entertainment.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

In Kingston yesterday Peterborough Rugby team met its first defeat after a long succession of victories. This is only the second time the boys have lost this year, and although the score against them yesterday was a big one, they have no reason to be ashamed of it, as in the second half, with the wind against them, they held the Granites down so close as to only allow them to make four points. The Globe gives the following account of the match: "In a downpour of rain and mud, ankle deep, Peterborough and Granite teams played football at Kingston yester afternoon, resulting in a victory for the home team by a score of 23 to 2. A feature of the game was the passing and combination of the Granites, their going straight up the field being a beautiful exhibition of of football. The playing of Scott, the Peterborough back, who did fine catching and tackling, was much admired, as was the work of the halves. The wings were unable to hold their men, allowing the Granites their own way at times. Teams:

Peterborough—Scott, full back; Letellier, King, Lefevre, half-back; G. Bell, quarter; Rutherford, Burnham, Stethem, scrimmage; Picord, Austin, McClennan, Thorne, Hollingshead, Rickey, Herden, wings.

Granite—Back, Reyner; halves, Hamilton, Haslett, McCaig; quarter, Dalton; scrimmage, Mills, Lumb, Dehaney; wings, J. Clark, Chown, Clarke, Young, Rankin, Porter, Asselstine.

HOCKEY.

The Colts Hockey team has organized for the season, the initial meeting being held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Wednesday evening. The following officers were elected:—

Honorary President—W. G. Ferguson.
President—A. A. Hollingshead.
Manager—Chris Graham.
Captain—Hubert McBain.
Treasurer—Frank Bradburn.
Rink Committee—H. McBain, Frank Bradburn, L. Bert, Wm. Cochrane.

The boys will wear a white uniform and practice in the Charlotte street rink.

THE KENNEL.

Aldon Radiance, a smooth haired fox terrier, owned by Mr. A. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, and raised by Mr. Charlie McCormick, of Peterborough, won in the open smooth bitch class and captured a special also at the Brooklyn Bench Show yesterday.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

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Yesterday	30°	31°

Rain yesterday, .38 of an inch.

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(1) North half of Lot 14, and part of North half of Lot 17, West of George street and South of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 100 feet 9 inches frontage more or less on Reid street, with depth of 131 feet 9 inches, more or less on Hunter street, with a well built two story Brick House, with brick and a half hollow walls. This is a desirable residence and most conveniently situated at the corner of Reid and Hunter streets, near St. Peter's Cathedral; Wood furnace, mantels and grates in two rooms, and hard wood floors.

(2) House and Lot, Southeast corner of Hunter and Downey streets, being the North part of Lot 17, west of George street and south of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 36 feet 8 inches Frontage, more or less, on Downey street, by 98 feet depth on Hunter street. This is a two story solid Brick House, well built; lane in the rear to serve this Lot and Parcel one.

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The Contest as Viewed by a Spectator at a Safe Distance.

The movements of the combatants are so rapid in battle that it is difficult to follow them through all of their evolutions, but the plan of battle seems to be very simple, says The Chautauquan. Two bees from the hive are sent to kill one intruder, and the latter always tries to force an entrance, even at the risk of its life. Once inside, it makes room for others of its companions to enter and then, gathering up its abdomen in as small a space as possible, it assumes the defensive. Two of the hive bees pounce upon it and collaring it fiercely they seek to find a vulnerable point between the rings of its body to sting it to death. The attacking bee just as determinedly struggles to cover every unprotected spot. If sufficient time can be gained and the attacking swarm is large enough to force an entrance the badly mauled bees that have not been stung to death will suddenly assume the offensive and pursue the tactics of their enemies. The contortions and evolutions of the various fighters are interesting to the observer.

Should the battle go against the attacking body, the balance of the swarm flies away to seek safety, and the dead carcasses of their companions are thrown contemptuously out of the hive.

But in the event of an opposite termination of the struggle the poor inhabitants are slaughtered. When their fate has been practically decided, many of them turn traitors to their cause, and in order to save their own lives they join the forces of the attacking party and display great vigor in killing their former companions. But there is honest patriotism even among bees. In every hive there are some who fight to the last and prolong the struggle for hours.

Winter Coats.

In coat shapes for the winter both semiloose and fitted shapes are favored. The collars are still the familiar high standing bands finished with braided or braid edged tabs, crenelated strips of velvet, fur bordered points and other fancy shapes formed and decorated to conform to the rest of the garment. Most of the sleeves are very small coat shapes, or else very much reduced mutton leg styles, finished either with a flare at the wrists or turned back with a deep machine stitched cuff. The greatest novelty in wraps, aside from the widely popular Russian model, is the garment closely fitted back and front, the jacket slightly pointed, and reaching only a trifle below the waist line on the sides.

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Aluminium Wire.

Aluminium wire is made of various sizes and used for a variety of purposes. Among its newer uses is the manufacture of door and window screens. When exposed to the weather, such screens do not rust. Aluminium wire is used in the manufacture of hairpins. In a few cases in this city aluminium wire has been sold to be put up on roofs for use as clotheslines. The wire sold for this purpose was No. 6 gauge, which costs 60 cents a pound, and 1,000 feet of which weighs 24 pounds.

Aluminium pigs sell now at about 42 cents a pound, which is about half the price of a year ago. The sale of manufactured articles of aluminium is all the time increasing and things in great variety are made from it.—New York Sun.

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SENTENCED TO DEATH.

The Convict Who Confessed That He Killed Angus McLeod of Napanee to Be Hanged on Jan. 14.

Napanee, Nov. 24.—Convict Troy was brought into court yesterday for sentence. When asked by His Lordship Chief Justice Meredith if he had anything to say why sentence of death should not be passed upon him, he said:

"My Lord, I cannot have anything to say; a sentence of damnation has already been passed upon me."

The judge then pronounced the usual words, sentencing Troy to be hanged on Friday, Jan. 14.

Troy seemed to be satisfied with the death sentence, and before leaving the court asked that Mr. Riddell, the Crown prosecutor, call upon him. It is supposed that Troy has further particulars to give of the murder.

John Hughes was acquitted on a charge of having burglarized the house of Angus McLeod on the night of Nov. 15, 1893, when Mr. McLeod was murdered. Hughes, who is a convict, serving a term for burglary, was implicated as an accomplice by the confession of Convict Troy.

Allison's Alleged Confession.

Berlin, Nov. 24.—It is now generally supposed that the alleged confession of Jim Allison will play a prominent part in the great murder trial which commences on the 29th. The Crown, it is understood, will lose their case, to a certain extent, on alleged statements made by the prisoner, which they will, it is said, prove by reliable witnesses. The alleged confession is said to have be made by Allison to a fellow convict, who was also committed from Galt. Allison, it is said, stated he would have made a full confession long ago had he not been advised differently by his counsel.

An Honest Workingman.

Barrie, Nov. 24.—A man named Patterson, who had been working in Etobicoke Township all summer, got stranded at Allandale on his way to the shanties. He was arrested for stealing a ride on a train, and, on being brought before the magistrate, was fined $1 and costs. He had $1 in his pocket; but this the Allandale magistrate did not take. He accepted his note for the fine and costs, also for $3 he required for his fare to Trout Creek. A few days ago Patterson paid the note in full.

Bryan Plays Football.

Columbia, Mo., Nov. 24.—William Jennings Bryan, late presidential candidate, appeared in Columbia in an altogether new role. Mr. Bryan participated in his first game of football. Clad in a striped old gold and black sweater, the erstwhile presidential candidate appeared on the athletic field of the Missouri University and took part in the game.

Gen. Alger and White Pine Duty.

New York, Nov. 24.—General Russell A. Alger, the Secretary of War, in an interview regarding the tariff said that he would advise that a change should be made in the duty imposed by the Dingley tariff law on white pine imported from Canada. He thought the rate of $2 per thousand feet, as at present in force, was unnecessarily high.

Took Strychnine in Mistake.

Waterdown, Nov. 24.—The household of Dr. J. O. McGregor, Warden of Wentworth County, is rejoicing over the escape from death of Mrs. McGregor. The genial Warden's wife took a dose of strychnine in mistake for a cough medicine, and it required Drs. McClennahan, White and Cummings to bring her out of danger.

Judge Gary Will Try Luetgert.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Judge Gary, who presided at the trial of the Haymarket Anarchists, will occupy the bench at the second trial of A. L. Luetgert. Luetgert appeared before Judge Horton yesterday and signed an affidavit, in which he stated that both Judge Horton and Judge Baker were prejudiced against him.

Relief of Cuban Peasants.

Havana, Nov. 24.—Marshal Blanco, the Captain-General of Cuba, has been authorized by the Government at Madrid to sign a credit for $100,000, to be devoted to the immediate relief of the suffering peasants, who have been gathered in the vicinity of the towns occupied by the Spanish troops.

Thorn's Second Trial.

New York, Nov. 24.—The second trial of Martin Thorn for the murder of William Guldensuppe was begun yesterday, and by noon the necessary panel of jurors was selected. So far the evidence is but a repetition of that given at the first trial.

Taking Another Step.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The Illinois Naval Militia Association has called a meeting at Chicago, Nov. 30, to consider the feasibility of having the old gunboat Michigan, now the sole representative of the United States Navy on the great lakes, replaced by a modern warship.

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On the sidewalks of the crowded streets of New York and Brooklyn a gentleman whose acquaintance among bicycle riders is quite extensive has, as a matter of curiosity, watched his cycling friends walking to and from business. Almost without exception they pass to the right when meeting other pedestrians and to the left when passing them from behind. When turning a corner, the pedestrian who has learned to cycle hugs the wall closely if going to the right and is almost sure to make a long turn if bound to the left.

If all pedestrians would observe the rules of the road on the sidewalks as well as the experienced cyclists observe them on the highways, there would be fewer toes trampled upon and fewer persons nudged in the ribs by protruding and sharp elbows.

There is nothing more annoying to the participants and nothing more laughable to the spectator than to see two persons dancing up and down and taking a series of side steps because both started to pass each other in the wrong direction.

The bicycle is unconsciously teaching people how best to keep out of each other's way. Any one who does not think the result is sure to be beneficial ought to attempt to stem a crowd coming from a theater or crossing the bridge at rush hours. There will be no polish left on the rash individual's shoes, there will be mud stains on his garments, and a feeling of deep, bitter resentment against all mankind in his bosom.—New York Journal.

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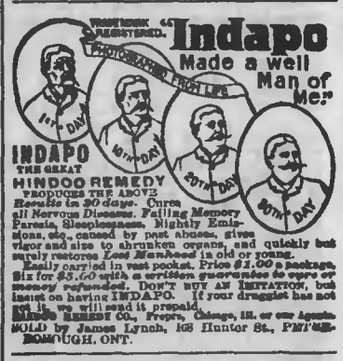
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THE OLD OFFICE DEVIL.

He Tells How He Evoluted Into a Country Editor.

The old time devil was keen to learn. He had gall. He wasn't afraid to ask the milliners for advertising or printing He dreamed of owning a paper of his own. He experimented in a thousand ways. He lived in the office almost, being there early and late. He made a battery and copper plated types before the first type founder thought of doing it. He did stereotyping in a rude way, making a matrix from blotting paper. Desiring to do his work better, he tried to buy proper materials for stereotyping, but he was bluffed so easily by the prices or talk given him by the dealers that for many years he supposed he was the victim of some infamously jealous trusts.

A tramp printer from Chicago made him believe that gasoline could be made. The Chicago man pointed to a big can of the fluid and insisted that he had made it. Gasoline was high priced then. The devil sold the gasoline the printer said he had made to a rival office, and the two divided the money. "Make some more," said the devil. "There is a demand for it." The Chicago printer left that night, and the editor made the devil pay for the gasoline.

The editor can recall his last visit from the tramp printer he "learned the trade" with, the one who made gasoline. He came into the "shop" and was denied work by the foreman. He saw at a glance that the old days and loose ways were gone. Neatly dressed, well kept young men and women were at work in an office as clean as a parlor.

"Whose runnin this sheet now?" he inquired.

"Jack Hill," was the reply.

"I know him," he said laconically. "I taught him his bis."

And then they saw him drift into the sanctum and heard him say: "Hello, Jack! You're doin well. I want somethin to eat and drink."

"Gasoline" got what he asked for, just as all tourists do who apply. The next morning he called on his editor friend again, and when he found him discussing prohibition with two or three ministers and one or two of the elders of the town he lurched right into the editorial den and joined in the talk to help the editor along. He was very drunk. He cried and said that naturally he was a prohibitionist, but he really longed to die and go to heaven, only he had become "such a d——d skeptic he didn't believe there was such a place." Then he went to sleep. The preachers looked at him in pity. The editor spoke kindly of him as a comrade who had seen better days. As the editor talked "Gasoline" awoke and said:

"Jack, if you don't gimme a quarter to buy a drink with I'll sit here and holler."

And "holler" he did.

He "hollered" until the ministers left.

This may or may not account for the fact that prohibition has prohibited in Editor Jack Hill's town since the last visit of his Chicago printer friend.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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MORTALITY OF SLANG

WORDS AND PHRASES THAT RUN WILD AND ARE SHORT LIVED.

The Use of Slang as a Habit Compared to Swearing and the Intemperate Use of Intoxicants—The Harm That Results From the Nonessential Custom.

The Italian method of prefixing an s to a word to give it a damaging significance can be employed with good effect in christening that wayward and degenerate offspring of English known as slang. In its present state slanguage has attained to such a luxurious completeness that it warrants serious treatment. So copious and comprehensive has it become that there is hardly a human want, feeling or emotion of the heart that cannot be translated into the vernacular of the bootblack. In studying the philosophy of slang the first natural query is, How and why did it originate? To the first question one might give, with certain modifications, the same answer that would be given to the question, Why do people swear? The human animal, like a locomotive, seems to require escape valves for occasions when there is too much steam in the boiler. When a man is overflowing with admiration, anger or wonder, the ordinary adjectives do not (or he thinks they do not) meet the emergency. They do not relieve his pent up fullness any more than a sip from a dewdrop would quench a man's thirst. The natural man and the natural woman sometimes find relief under strong emotion in explosive utterances. In the case of anger the escape valve expletive is an oath unless the man in question happens to be a gentleman and sometimes, though very rarely, when he is.

It will thus be seen that slang, being of emotional ancestry, is a first cousin to the oath, and both are used by those who mentally resemble the man whose use of intoxicating drinks has made him forget or underestimate the attractions of pure water. Slang, in sooth, is a whisky distillation of language. It is so strong that it may be taken only very rarely with impunity, and herein lies the chief danger in its use. Not only does the slanguist find ordinary English tame, but he ends in not being able to find any English at all.

Another fatal characteristic of slang is the very one which at first secures its adoption—namely, its pungency. The same law that makes quiet colors and shades wear well in the world of fabrics has its counterpart in the world of speech. We tire very speedily of a startling costume, in high colors, and just as speedily do we tire of slang, which is startling, high colored speech.

Still another reason why slang can never gain a permanent foothold in the language is its utter lack of dignity. No subject can be seriously treated in slanguage. Its sole function is to tickle by its patness or its grotesqueness. It reflects a fugitive iridescence upon current wit and humor, as like the bubble catches prismastic colors, but, like the bubble, it vanishes even while you behold it. Naturally there are slang phrases of all degrees of goodness and badness, ranging from the word which is only a slight remove from a forcible but perfectly decorous adjective to slang of the most daring, deep dyed order. At one end of the scale, for instance, one might place "fetching" and at the other end its superlative "rum." Again, the injunction "play ball" is gentle and seemly, in comparison with the brusque command "get a move on." Along certain lines the slanguist seems to revel in extravagant synonyms and antonyms, especially in those expressing some infirmity in the upper story. The man who has "wheels" is also popularly known as "nutty," "cracked" or "off his trolley." Again, if he comes from the country, he is "corn raised," has "seed in his hair," or his "face doesn't fit him." "Gall," "nerve," "cheek," "sand," "brass" and "face" are also nearly synonymous terms for qualities whose universality has made them a target for popular satire. Equally prolific is the slanguist in coining terms for money. "Dust," "tin," "sand," "rocks," "chink" and "spondulicks" are only a few of the words that translate "filthy lucer."

Two of the slang phrases now in gallingly frequent use are, "That's right," and "That won't cut much ice." The latter, it must be confessed, has certain cool figurative qualities which give it a saving color of grace. But most of these phrases rely chiefly upon their condensed expressiveness, which is the trademark of their American manufacture. They are but one of the many devices of the masses to compass a crosscut and avoid circumlocutions. Thus "snap" and "cinch" are time economy for a moneyed sinecure and an assured competence.

One of the surest tests of the rapid mortality of slang is the extremely painful sensation produced by hearing antiquated slang phrases used—and there are always people who are two or three or ten years behind in their use of such phrases. When other people are saying "Not on your tintype," the user of mildewed slang feebly ejaculates "I should smile." The piquancy and patness of certain phrases make it hard to declare that slang has no legitimate use. But concerning its misuse, there can hardly be two opinions among people whose opinions are worth anything. A careful study of the qualities of men and women who habitually interlard their remarks with slang will furnish anybody with a world of convincing conclusions in favor of pure English.—Critic.

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Came an angry cry and a blow
That bruised the cheek of the little maid
And caused bright tears to flow
And brought from my lips quick, sharp reproof
On the lad who had acted so.

And he stood by, sullen and hard,
While the maid soon dried her tear.
He looked at her with an angry eye.
She timidly drew near.
"Don't be cross, Johnny!" (a little sob).
"Let me fordive 'oo, dear!"

And the cloud is passed and gone,
And again in their play they meet,
And the strong, rough boy wears a kinder mien
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Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.974	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
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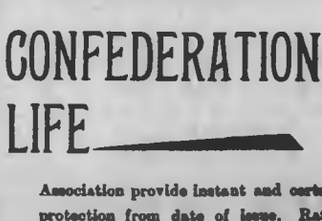

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THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICES.

Thanksgiving Day broke dull and cheerless with a steady pouring rain which greatly damped the ardour of the hundreds who had laid their plans for its enjoyment in their several ways.

UNION SERVICE IN ST. JOHN'S.

At St. John's church the day was observed by a special union Thanksgiving service of the congregations of St. John's, St. Luke's and All Saints. In spite of the dreary rain there was a fair congregation present. The service, a shortened form of Morning Prayer, was conducted by Rev. J. C. Davidson and Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, of All Saints. The prayers and hymns were special. The sermon was preached by Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed, of St. Marks and Allandale. He took for his text the thirty-fourth verse of the fourteenth chapter of Proverbs, "Righteousness exalteth a nation.' The preacher pointed out that a national day of thanksgiving involved a national recognition of God's wonderful mercies and a declaration that we were Christian people. We presented all the outward evidences of a Christian people, but there were to be found in our own country much that was contrary to such a condition, and there were thousands who afforded an apparent refutation of our claim to the character of a Christian people. But on the average the normal plane of Canadian life was as high as that of any other nation of Christiandom. The speaker went on to point out how righteousness exalted a nation and showed how the great nations of antiquity, Greece and Rome, which had not the necessary quality of righteousness, faded away and were brought to naught, and the great British Empire was only guaranteed a continuation of greatness as she exemplified, in the individual and nation, that righteousness that exalteth a nation. The nation was defined as an aggregation of individuals, and it was only by individual goodness that righteousness could be maintained that would insure a future of national greatness. The speaker concluded an effective sermon by repeating Kipling's well-known jubilee recessional, "Lest we Forget."

UNION SERVICES AT THE GEORGE STREET CHURCH.

In spite of the rain there was a fairly large attendance at this church at the union service of the Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist churches. The pastors present were Rev. Dr. Torrance of St. Paul's Presbyterian, Rev. A. T. Dykeman of the Murray street Baptist church, Rev. W. G. Clarke, M. A., of the Charlotte street Methodist church, and the pastor of the George street church, Rev. S. J. Shorey.

Rev. Dr. Torrance read the first lesson, and Rev. Mr. Dykeman the second lesson. He also preached the sermon, taking for his text the first verse of Psalm xcii,—"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High." The reverend gentleman preached a powerful and effective sermon from these words. He indicated very completely the reasons we as a Christian country had for giving thanks, instancing among other things the religious liberty and Gospel privileges we enjoy as well as the civil liberties which contributed to the happiness and prosperity of the people. We had the past year been blessed with prosperity and peace, and the dark shadow of war had not fallen upon us. A bountiful harvest had been bestowed by the Giver of all good, and we had numerous reasons for feeling, as it it was our duty to show, the gratitude due to the bountiful Giver of all good gifts.

The music supplied by the choir was special and excellent. The anthem was "Come, ye thankful people, come; raise the song of harvest home."

SERVICE AT NORWOOD.

Rev. H. Symonds was the preacher at the special Thanksgiving service in St. John's church, Norwood, yesterday, which was well attended in spite of the weather. His sermon was scholarly and apt to the occasion. He was accompanied by Mr. Davies, organist of St. Lukes, and four members of St. Luke's choir, Miss Phillips and Miss A. Tivey, and Messrs. Turner and Edwards, who sang in fine style the quartette, "Lord of all Power and Might," Mr. Davies presiding at the organ.

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The barn was built for the purpose of being devoted exclusively to the great stocking interests of Mr. Kennedy, and it is therefore, a cattle stable par excellence fitted up with all the modern improvements appertaining to the successful feeding of stock.

When entirely completed the structure will be a huge one, consisting of a main building 37x80 feet in size, and a wing 35x50 feet. The former portion has just been completed and the wing will not be erected until spring.

The main building has 20 ft. posts and is built on a ten foot stone wall, of which the contractor, Mr. Edward Mann, of Bridgenorth, is very proud, field stone being used exclusively in its construction. Few dressed stone walls in the county will be found to equal it.

On the ground floor there are stalls for 48 head of cattle, and each and every stall is occupied at present by a beast of huge proportions, picked from amongst the 5000 odd head which have passed through Mr. Kennedy's hands during the season. These are being specially fattened for the local trade, along with thirty or forty more which are kept in another barn.

The stalls are all arranged, of course, on the most modern plans, the heads of twenty-four cattle facing each other from the opposite sides of a corridor along which a car runs on wheels, to facilitate the convenient handling of food for the animals. They are fed on ensilage and grain, the former being prepared in an immense silo holding 120 tons. In this the fodder corn was placed and prepared for feeding at a cost of one dollar a ton. Mr. Kennedy is positive in his assertion that no food at seven dollars a ton is the equal of the ensilage.

Water is provided for the cattle by a windmill which furnishes the power for pumping as well as for cutting green fodder, and operating the root pulper and straw cutter. Water is plentiful and a great tank has been erected in the barn containing 4,000 gallons, which is kept constantly filled. A trough runs down on each side of the corridor between the stalls and the water is always accessible to the cattle.

The upper floor of the barn is reserved for the purpose of storing hay and grain, for the handling of which and its conveyance to the cattle every modern convenience is utilized.

On Saturday Mr. Kennedy held a sale of a large quantity of young stock and at fair prices disposed of seventy or eighty head of cattle and forty or fifty sheep. These were sold largely to the farmers residing in the county, who are beginning to follow Mr. Kennedy's example and do more feeding for the market.

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BASKET BALL AT THE Y.M.C.A.

The Standing of the Different Teams in the Thanksgiving Day Tournament.

The first second, the last first. Such was the result of the game of basket ball, played between the Roses, Thistles and Shamrocks on Thanksgiving Day. The Roses, who were last in the ticket contest, came out first in the game. At 3.15 the Thistles and Shamrocks lined up as follows:

Thistles.		*Shamrocks.*
M Brockenridge	forwards	W Wilson
G Armstrong	forwards	R Irwin
S Hall	centre	H Goldey
L Lancashire	backs	H Halpin
A Wilson, capt.	backs	E Hall, Capt

The contest between these teams was so even that when half time was called neither had any advantage over the other, but in the last half luck appeared to be in favour of the Thistles, for when time was called they were declared to be the winners—the score standing 6 to 5 in favour of the Thistles.

After a rest of ten minutes the following Roses—presented themselves to battle for the championship:—M. MaDonough and H. Morgan, forwards; J. Hall, centre; W. Pedlar and H. Conway, backs—the latter being captain. The game also was very evenly contested so much so that by the time one goal was taken and that by the Thistles—half time was called—a short rest was here given after which the contest was resumed with the result that the Roses won, score being 5 to 4 in their favour. It was a good exciting game all round—everyone was in good humor and played a clean gentlemanly game. It was a very close game the teams were so evenly matched that all but the Roses would like to have it over again. The Thistles think that in order to make the game fair and even the Roses should first vanquish the Shamrocks, as they (the Thistles) did and then in 10 minutes face the Thistles, and the Shamrocks think neither of the others could do them on a try.

There were very few fouls and those that were called were the result of over zeal on the part of the offenders.

Messrs. Bletcher and T. Anderson acted as umpires and scorers, and Mr. D. H. Moore as referee and time keeper. These gentlemen discharged their duties in a satisfactory manner.

In the lecture room great interest centered in the checker competition. The names of players and results will be published later, as the series remained unfinished yesterday.

During the day hundreds of young men visited the building. Mr. Geo. Hartman, chairman, assisted by the Reception Committee, received all visitors.

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SHOT AT HOME.

Adne Howes of Camden Township Will Go Through Life Crippled.

Thamesville, Ont., Nov. 26.—Adne, the 16-year-old son of William Howes, a farmer, residing in the Township of Camden, about five miles from Thamesville, met with a serious accident yesterday while preparing to go shooting with a young friend from Chatham. The men were loading their guns in Mr. Howes' kitchen, when by some means the friend's gun was discharged, the entire charge entering the outer side of Adne's right leg, just above the knee, shattering the lower end of the thigh bone. Surgical aid was secured from Thamesville and the limb amputated through the thigh, about its middle. At latest accounts the young man was resting nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Howes have the sympathy of the whole neighborhood, as Adne is their only son, and an unusually bright and clever lad.

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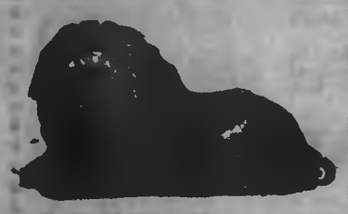

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A NEW LINK OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

Important Announcement at a Centre Toronto Liberal Meeting.

Three Cent Postal Rate for Canadians Throughout the Empire—Sir Louis Davies and the Hon. Wm. Patterson at Massey Music Hall—Enthusiastic Meeting.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—The greatest meeting of the Bertram campaign was held last evening at Massey Hall, when several thousands of enthusiastic Liberals and many independent electors unattached to either party were present to hear Sir Louis Davies and Hon. Wm. Paterson speak on the issues of the contest. The Ministers were in fine fighting trim and two important announcements were made. Sir Louis Davies, in the course of a discussion of Intercolonial extension, stated that so far from there being any scandal attaching to Liberals in connection with the Drummond County Railway purchase the transaction was one of which the Ministry was proud. It had been discovered that the subsidy granted to the road by the former Government was milked, and the Laurier Government would insist at the coming session on a full investigation of the transaction. Revelations would be made that would make men in public life hang their heads in shame, and, added Sir Louis significantly, those men are not Liberals.

The other important announcement was by Mr. Paterson, who said that the Postmaster-General had made arrangements by which, after January 1, letters weighing not over one ounce, would be sent from Canada at a three-cent rate to all parts of the British Empire. This further development along Imperial lines was greeted with an extraordinary demonstration of approval. The meeting was a decided success as a vote-maker, and the crowd cordially endorsed the sentiment—not much to look at but fairly effective as sung—"that there'll be a hot time in the Centre when Bertram is elected."

Mr. Bertram's Address.

The chairman first introduced Mr. Bertram. He made a rattling speech. On the question of free trade he said: "The word free trade was used in many ways. He (the speaker) had no interest in theoretical free trade discussion. He did not want theory, he wanted business, something that would give Canada an opportunity of growing and expanding. (Cheers.) Free trade was impossible in Canada. The country required a tariff for revenue. He believed the country would have been better off if it had never gone to the length of extreme protection—(applause)—if it had held to the Mackenzie tariff and increased that tariff if necessary in the interest of the country. The Liberal party had simply gone back to the old Mackenzie tariff, taking into consideration the requirements of the country and the circumstances of the past 18 years. (Cheers.) He closed an eloquent speech with the single sentence: "A better Government we never had than that now in power at Ottawa."

Sir Louis Davies.

Introducing Sir Louis Davies the Chairman briefly called attention to the fact that he had introduced into the House the first resolution in favor of a British preference. He had done much toward securing the cancellation of the obnoxious treaties. No man except the leader himself was entitled to more of the gratitude of the people of Canada than Sir Louis Davies. (Loud cheers.)

There was much enthusiasm when Sir Louis Davies advanced to the front of the platform to begin his speech. The audience cheered prodigiously and sang with heartiness the chorus "He's a Jolly Good Fellow." The Minister, during a masterly speech, said:

Although we have only been in power some sixteen or seventeen months we have come before the electors since we were first returned to power 28 times and we have won 21 times. We come before you with great confidence on this occasion. When we assumed power, we found the people of this Dominion, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, divided into hostile camps, not on political grounds merely, but divided upon racial and religious cries. We said we had never found in the Dominion of Canada, when an appeal was made to the people to do right and justice, that they did not respond. "Give me a chance to try the application of true Liberal principles to the settlement of that question, and I believe I can settle it in six months satisfactorily to all parties." These were the words of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in June, 1896 and I want to know how he has fulfilled

HON. L. H. DAVIES.
Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

his promise, because he settled that question as he said he would. (Cheers.) To-day, instead of strife, faction, disunion and hatred, instead of race against race and creed against creed, we have quiet, peace and a satisfactory settlement.

We have no reason as free traders to be ashamed of the tariff which we brought down and carried in 1896. The chief feature that that tariff proposed was the clause that declared the Motherland was entitled not to be treated as it had been treated in the past with discrimination against its wares, but was entitled to be treated, in view of what it had done and was doing for us, with discrimination in favor of its wares. I say that I am not using extravagant language when I declare from this platform that the announcement of that policy was received, not only throughout Canada, but throughout the empire at large with acclaim, and I say that there has never been any political action taken by any political party in Canada or any other part of the empire which received such cordial, heartfelt approval in the heart of the Motherland as did Sir Wilfrid Laurier's proposal of preference in the tariff. (Cheers.) The speaker then referred at some length to steps which led to the denunciation of the German and Belgian treaties, and passed on to consideration of the assertions sometimes made that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had refused an offer of preferential trade from Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. This he denied.

What is the Intercolonial Railway? It is owned by the people of Canada, 1900 miles long, built for the purpose of cementing and uniting the various provinces of the Dominion together, running from the sound of the sea up through the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Quebec, till it ends, where? In the woods. Why, sir, for four years the leading statesmen of this Dominion have been considering the best means of getting that railway into the commercial centre of Canada, but the late Government put it off in hopes that it would make a political stalking horse of it for some political question. When the present Government came in they grappled with that business as business men. We sat down as business men with representatives of the G.T.R. Company, and after a time we agreed with them to give $93,509 for the terminal facilities. That is, we shall share absolutely with them in the enjoyment of all the terminal facilities which they have in Montreal. Secondly, we agreed that for $37,500 we should have the same rights of traffic over Victoria bridge that they have; and, thirdly, we agreed that we should buy but one-half of the 37 miles of road from the end of the bridge to Ste. Rosalie, where we meet the Drummond County road, so that it would be half ours and half the Grand Trunk's. The differences between that and the traffic arrangement being that owning half of the road we have the right to traffic along the road, and all we take we put in our own pocket. Of the $210,000 paid for the extension of the Intercolonial to Montreal, $140,000 goes to the Grand Trunk Railway for the purposes I have described.

A Startling Announcement.

Continuing, Sir Louis Davies described the negotiations which had resulted in securing the Drummond County Railway. The road, he said, had been previously subsidized by the Tupper or Bowell Government, and he had excellent authority for the statement that while they subsidized it from the public treasury they milked for political purposes to the tune of tens of thousands of dollars.

"I promised them," said Sir Louis, "that when Parliament meets and the investigation takes place that they are talking about, and which we court—we not only court, but we say that that investigation shall be held, and I can tell you that when it is held there will be some public men in Canada, and they do not belong to the Liberal party, who will hang their heads with shame."

Sir Louis then closed an eloquent speech by telling his audience all about the visit of himself and Sir Wilfrid Laurier to Washington, and his pertinent closing remark was that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had not surrendered one iota of Canadian rights or Canadian privileges.

Hon. Wm. Paterson.

Hon. William Paterson, who was introtroduced by the chairman as one of the greatest manufacturers in the Dominion, after thanking the audience for remaining to hear him at that late hour, said: "We have been in power some 17 months; it was only about seven months ago that we inaugurated our new tariff. Is there desolation, is their woe, in Canada or any part of Canada to-day as a result of establishing a Liberal Government? Why, sir, test it to-day by any means you choose, and Canada to-day is enjoying an era of prosperity greater than she ever enjoyed under a Conservative Administration and a Conservative tariff. When did they ever propose that they would lighten the burdens of the people as we have done, and give a stimulus to the manufactures and commercial interests as we have done?

Sir Louis Davies has alluded to the promises we have made. He has pointed out the fulfilment of some of them. One of the promises and one of the policies that we were put in power to fulfil was to be a revision of the tariff, a lessening of the burdens of the people, a better state of affairs commercially, and I invite your attention to what has been done. Mr. Paterson then, with some detail, gave in clear, terse language, with eloquent figures, the result of the reformed tariff.

Continuing, Mr. Patterson said that while the general tariff as reformed by the Liberal party was in many respects lower than before, it must be remembered that in the whole range of duties, except those upon sugars, liquor, tobacco and a few other articles, there was a 25 per cent. reduction on goods from Great Britain. It had been asserted before the general election that the Liberal policy would close the factories. Instead the people were more prosperous and able to spend more money upon luxuries, thus giving renewed activity to the mercantile and manufacturing interests.

Three Cents British Postage.

Mr. Paterson made an important announcement. He said, "We have and expect to have closer and more intimate commercial relations with Britain under our tariff than ever before. You know that the Government have recognized the fact that while now you can, at a cost of three cents, send a letter or communication weighing an ounce to any part of Canada or the United States, it costs ten cents to send that weight of letter to Great Britain."

The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, the Ministry and the candidate.

LIBERALS NOMINATED.

Actions of Conventions in Various Parts of the Great Province of Ontario Yesterday.

Tara, Ont., Nov. 27.—A large convention of Liberals of North Bruce took place here yesterday for the purpose of selecting a candidate in the Liberal interests for the provincial general elections. Every part of the constituency was well represented. Fourteen candidates were nominated, all retiring excepting J. E. Campbell, A. McCannell, C. M. Bowman, P. Cummings and John F. Smith. A vote, requiring six ballots, resulted in C. M. Bowman being the choice of the convention. Upon motion of Messrs. Campbell and McCannell, Mr. Bowman's election was made unanimous. Strong resolutions approving of the course and policy of the Dominion Government and also of the Ontario Administration were warmly carried.

Mr. Craig Again Nominated.

Fergus, Ont., Nov. 27,—The Reformers of East Wellington met here yesterday in convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the approaching election for the Local House. The names brought before the convention were: John Craig of Fergus, the present member; James Kirkwood of Erin Township; William Cushing of Arthur Township. The second ballot resulted: Craig 68. Kirkwood 39. Mr. Craig's nomination was made unanimous.

A SHORT SESSION.

The Last Session of the Legislature to Be Crowded With Business From the Opening.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—The session of the Legislature will be short, sharp and decisive. The Government printers have been working over time, with a big extra staff of men and could not keep pace with the copy sent in for reports of the various departments of the Government. Orders were issued yesterday that the public accounts were to be printed, to the exclusion of anything or everything else. The matter is all ready, and the accounts will be laid before the House on the second day of the session.

The committees will also proceed at once to work, and the session will be hustled through just as fast as possible.

Moving the Address.

The honor of moving the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne in the Parliament of Ontario is this year a coveted distinction, being the last session of this Legislature and the first of Sir Oliver Mowat's term as Lieutenant-Governor. The Government is in the peculiar position of having had no bye-election since the last session, and thus there is no new member to move the address. Mr. W. M. German of Welland has been asked to undertake the onerous duty, and the seconder will likely be Mr. Farewell of Algoma.

Suicide of Kenneth Campbell.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Nov. 27.—Kenneth Campbell, a Grund Trunk Railway locomotive fireman, committed suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Campbell, who was about 25 years of age, ran between Toronto and Niagara Falls on the Toronto-Buffalo flyer The body was sent to Toronto by the morning train.

Dollar Wheat Again.

New York, Nov. 27.—Dollar wheat was realized again here yesterday.

Mother's Advice

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1897.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

In the United States they keep condemned murderers in suspense. In Canada we suspend them.

The Kingston News says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not really loyal to the British Crown. The News need be in no hurry to have this idea copyrighted, nobody outside of Rockwood will steal it.

If the shade of Annanias could be presented with a file of the Mail and Empire during the election contest in Centre Toronto, he would move for a reconsideration of his sentence.

Here's to you, Sir Oliver [illegible] may you live to approve of [illegible] conservative legislation.—Galt Reformer.

Whereupon the London News pertinently inquires: "Does the Galt man expect Sir Oliver to rival the gentleman of ancient writ who have centuries to their credit?" No more expressive wish for long life than that expressed by the "Reformer" could be uttered.

MR. HOWLAND, the Conservative candidate in Centre Toronto, is the candidate of the party of loyalty in all its cerulean Simon purity. Yet he advocates using American money in the deepening of our canals. This proposition puts the Conservative candidate in a hole that will need no deepening. Mr. Bertram, the Liberal candidate, repudiated such a proposal. We shall deepen and dig our own canals and then we shall own and control them, what we would not do if we allowed the Americans to have a hand in the work. At the same time Mr. Bertram pointed out that the Dominion Government did not talk about deepening the canals; they went at the work. Our evening cotemporary had a fling at the present Dominion Government for its apathy in regard to the extension of work on the Trent Valley Canal. The organ shouldn't show any such hysterical haste over canal construction, when the late Conservative Dominion Government was dangling the canal as a vote bait before the electors for fifteen or twenty years. We shall see the work go on under the present Government at a faster rate than it progressed under the late Government. But we shall not use American gold to dig our canals; as Mr. Bertram says, if we can't use our own money we can get good British money, and then we shall own the canals and control the canals.

ONTARIO'S HARVEST HOME.

STATISTICS OF THE YIELD OF CROPS FOR 1897.

The Yield of Wheat and Other Grains—Interesting Information as to the Crops—Figures of Yield.

Following is a summary of the November crop report about to be issued by the Ontario Department of Agriculture:

The yield of fall wheat has been large and much of it is of first-class quality, but a portion of the crop is not up to the standard in either weight or quality, as some of the grain sprouted during the wet harvest weather. A large area of new fall wheat has been sown but owing to the dry condition of the soil much of the seeding was done later than usual. Spring wheat was rather poor in the west but good in the remainder of the Province although much shrunken grain is reported in some quarters. Rye and buckwheat are evidently being restored to favour, and both were splendid crops this year. Peas have been a great disappointment. A few had good returns, but the yields generally were light, and there are many small peas. The "bug" was unusually destructive. It was one of the worst years for our fancy pea growers. Reports regarding clover seed are on the whole unfavourable, some report, however, doing well. The midge was very active. Young clover looks promising. Corn was a splendid yield, but some got nipped by the frost.

Potatoes were struck by a blight or rot in September, nearly all the older sections of the Province suffering more or less. In some places about fifty per cent of the crop was lost. Since being taken up, however, the rot has been stayed, and farmers are hopeful that there will not be a return of the attack. The beetle was freely at work, and many small potatoes will be the result. Turnips are fair in yield, but are not so good in quality. The yield of carrots has been good, but this crop does not seem to be increasing in favour. All the root crops were well housed.

Much of the

FALL PLOUGHING WAS DELAYED

on account of the drouth, rendering the soil dry and hard, and also no more time than usual being required to thresh and handle the various crops. Good rains at the beginning of November started thousands of ploughs going all over the country.

Except in the extreme east and west, pastures have been from fair to good most of the season. Live stock are in fine condition, less disease than usual being reported. The movement of cattle and hogs to market has been steadier than in former years, especially in the case of the latter, which are fattened all the year around. The season has been a prosperous one for the dairy. Cheese factories have been well patronized, and the butter trade has shown an improvement. Several correspondents allude to the good effects of the visits of the Travelling Dairy.

Fruit trees are in good condition. There is not the usual surplus of pears, and apples are scabby and scarce in most parts of the province. Grapes were abundant, but late clusters were caught by the frost.

AREA AND YIELD OF FIELD CROPS.

Field Crops.	Acres.	Bushels.	Yield per Acre.
Fall wheat	960,225	28,966,861	25.2
Spring wheat	228,205	4,268,161	18.1
Barley	451,518	13,081,779	29.6
Oats	2,482,491	82,312,125	35.5
Rye	127,795	2,292,005	18.0
Peas	806,725	13,927,893	18.5
Buckwheat	151,889	2,464,199	22.2
Beans	50,251	921,840	19.4
Potatoes	169,253	16,149,707	94.1
Mangold wurtzels	41,175	18,146,147	439.7
Carrots	13,025	4,420,620	339.7
Turnips	160,288	68,397,146	427.3
		Tons.	Tons.
Corn for husking (in the ear)	325,020	24,028,998	73.6
Corn for silo and fodder (green)	260,025	2,600,282	12.77
Hay and clover	2,241,426	2,911,513	1.30

The figures of yields given above vary but slightly from those of the August estimate, except in the case of peas, which have fallen off about 20 per cent. The crop of potatoes is 5,200,000 bushels less than last year.

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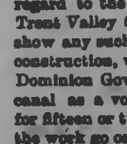

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London, Nov. 26.—(Telegram Cable.)—Hon. W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance in the Dominion Government, was yesterday called upon by several prominent persons at the Victoria Hotel and congratulated on the success of the Canadian loan Mr. Fielding goes to Manchester to-day on the invitation of the chairman of the Canal Company. He sails on the Campania.

Lord Mountstephen's marriage to Miss Tuffnell, postponed on account of the death of the Duchess of Teck, will take place tomorrow at the church of St. Margaret's, Westminster.

Lawyers Will Have a Harvest.

Quebec, Nov. 26.—F. F. Climq-Mars, correspondent of this city for La Presse of Montreal, has taken three actions for damages, one against Le Soleil and another against La Patrie, and one against the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company.

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And his instructions blindly heed,
And wed, I sent her off to college.

Of Latin, French, she learned a store
And delved in science and the 'logies.
She played at football, pulled an oar
And wrote an essay on the dogeas.
She graduated, pretty Prue,
Three prizes from the school she carried,
Four thousand dollars saw her through—
And now she's going to be married.

The dregs of disappointment's less,
You, mocking, say. Sackcloth and ashes
Are meet for her, and, if I please,
Who cheats my aims deserves some lashes.
Ah, no! My arm is round her waist—
Congratulations, sir, are tardy—
But now, you see, she has the taste
To wed the man she calls her "guardie."
—E. L. Sabin in Chicago Inter Ocean.

A SEA SECRET.

BY C. B. LEWIS.

In the year 1849 the Hon. East India company's ship the Star of India set sail from Madras for London, having on board over 200 passengers, and among them Lord Glenham, General Swift, Lady Artwell and her two daughters, and other men and women of note at home and abroad. Aside from her general cargo, the ship carried treasure to the amount of $250,000. The bankers at Madras figured out that the passengers must have had at least $100,000 among them, while an Indian potentate, on his way to be received as a guest of royalty, had a strong box of jewelry and gems valued at so great a sum that no one dared speak it. It was intended that the ship should be convoyed as far as the cape of Good Hope by a man-of-war, as there were plenty of pirate craft still afloat, but the government vessel met with a mishap at sea and was detained somewhere, and the Star finally decided to sail without her, and there was little fear but that she could take care of herself. Two days out of Madras she was sighted and reported, but that was the last seen or heard of her until the year 1864.

The loss of the Star made a great sensation for several reasons, and when it was finally concluded that she had been lost various vessels were sent in search of her, and every effort was made to ascertain her fate. In 1856 a Malay sailor who died aboard of an English tea ship told her captain that the Star was attacked and captured by pirates to the south of Ceylon, and that he was one of the men engaged in the attack. He said there were five native crafts, and that they came upon the Star in a calm and carried her by boarding. The ship made a long and stubborn resistance, but was finally captured, and the pirates had suffered such heavy loss that in revenge they killed everybody to the last child. They then looted the ship and scuttled her, and the plunder was subsequently divided on an island in the China sea. Some people believed this story and some said it was absurd. The general idea was that the Star foundered at sea during a heavy gale. The dying statement of the pirate was never fully investigated for some reason. So far as the investigation went it was proved to be a fact. The pirates had long been scattered, many were doubtless dead, and the idea of bringing the gang to justice was given up as impossible.

In the year 1863 I was one of the crew of the English brig Swiftsure, which was making a survey of the islands to the northeast of Madagascar. At the Chagos group, as we were pulling into land one day, with seven men in the boat, we were upset in the surf and only two of us escaped death. My companion was a sailor named Wallace, and while in a half drowned state we were swept along the coast of the island by a current and finally thrown on shore in a bit of a cove. A boat put off from the brig as soon as the disaster was noticed, but only two bodies were recovered. The three others were pulled down by the sharks before the boat got to them. Believing this to have been the sad fate of all five no search was made for the pair of us cast ashore, and before we had recovered from our exhaustion and prepared a signal the brig had departed for another field. The island on which we were cast is one of a group of nine, and the easternmost one of all. It is likely the same today as then, having plenty of fresh water, most of it covered with verdure, and wild fruits, shrimps and shellfish so plentiful that a shipwrecked crew of 20 men could get along there for months. Wallace and I were inclined to look upon the affair as a lark. We erected a hut in the woods, procured fire by rubbing two dry sticks together, and after a thorough exploration of our domain, which was not over two miles across in any direction, we slept, ate and talked, and had a pretty easy time of it.

We had been on the island about three months, when we awoke one morning to find the sea like a sheet of glass and the air as still as death. The sky was overcast, and yet of a coppery color, and the birds on the island appeared to be in great alarm. Great flocks of them came in from the sea, and all along shore the fish were leaping out of the water as if it were polluted.

After surveying things for awhile Wallace gave it as his opinion that we were in for a typhoon or an earthquake. The sulphury smell in the air inclined him to the latter, and as soon as we had eaten we started for the center of the island. There was a high hill in the center, bare of everything but a couple of trees and a few bushes, and we sought it on account of the tidal wave we knew would surely follow an earthquake. As to a disturbance of the earth, we were helpless except to keep clear of the forest. It was midday before anything occurred. The menacing look of the sky and the sea increased, and fish by the thousands drove up on the sandy beach to their death. Just about noon, when we were wondering what it was to be, the whole island suddenly began to heave and tremble. For what seemed a full minute it was like riding a choppy sea in a small boat, only the sensation was strangely bewildering and made the head swim.

There was more than one shock, but the first was the most violent and lasted longest. The three or four which succeeded were thrills rather than shocks. They ran through the island from east to west and out to sea, and we heard a chorus of what may be called shrieks of distress from the birds with each vibration. Two or three minutes after the fourth or fifth shock Wallace stood up and looked out upon the sea to the east and shouted to me:

"Look, look, the tidal wave is coming in, and there's a big ship on the crest of it."

I sprang up and followed his gaze. Ten miles away there was a wall of water, which seemed to lift its white crest almost to the sky and to reach north and south as far as I could see. Riding on this crest was a great ship, with her three masts standing erect and some of the yards across. For the first ten seconds the wall seemed to stand still. Then it came rolling on like a railroad train, and almost before I could have counted 20 it struck the shore of our island and swept across it. The island was a good 30 feet above water in every part, while on the hill we were at least 100, but all portions save the hill were covered by at least ten feet. I had my eye on the ship alone. It came straight for the hill, but as the wave divided it was swept to the left and struck the earth and was turned full about. While it hung there the waters passed on, and, lo, at our feet, resting almost on a level keel, was as strange a sight as the eyes of a sailor ever beheld.

It was a ship to be sure, but one had to rub his eyes and look again and again to be certain of it. There was the great hull—there the three masts—up aloft the yards, and there were scores of ropes trailing about like slimy serpents. From stem to stern and from keel to masthead the fabric was covered with mud and slime and barnacle and sea grass and shells, and as she rested there the water poured off her decks and out of her hold in such a sobbing, choking way as to bring the shivers. Not a word had passed between the pair of us while the wave raced in and across the island, and the ground below us was clear of the last water before Wallace said:

"I think this ends it, and let us both thank God! This ship was heaved up from the bottom of the sea, where she must have rested for a good many years, but we'll have to wait a day or two before we investigate."

After a couple of hours, to let the ground dry out a bit, we descended the hill to see what damage had been done. About one-half the trees on the island had been uprooted and carried out to sea, and of our hut not a vestige remained. There was scarcely a stone as large as a hen's egg on the island previous to the wave, but now we found that hundreds of rocks had been distributed around, while the dead fish were so numerous that we were hours in gathering them up and giving them to the tide to bear away. Two hours after the last shock the sky cleared, the sun came out, and by night the island was fairly dry in all parts. We, however, gave the ship all next day to get rid of her water and harden in the hot sun. You are prepared to hear, of course, that she proved to be the long lost Star of India. We found that out before we had been aboard of her a quarter of an hour, and later on we had a dozen reasons for believing that the dying Malay had spoken the truth.

I tell you that ship was a queer sight. Her ocean bed had been hundreds of feet deep, and the mud covered everything to the depth of a foot—in some places two or three. Neither one of us had heard of the Star or her loss, but we knew this wreck to be that of an Indiaman, and we went at it to clear away the stuff and get into her. We were a full week doing this, and at every turn we came across evidences to prove the story of the Malay. Three or four of her guns were yet in place, and from the way she had been knocked about by cannon shot it was easy to figure that she had made a hard fight and suffered great loss of life before she gave in. Even before we began work we found the auger holes bored in her bottom to scuttle her. The great cabin and every stateroom had two feet of mud on the floor, and I may tell you that we worked hard for four weeks before we got the hulk cleaned out.

We made the ship our home for six months and were then taken off by a whaler, and our story was the first news received of the long lost ship. The English government sent a man-of-war to the island to overhaul the hulk, and mementos of her have long been on exhibition in the British museum. Nothing could be more queer than the way we found her, or, rather, the way she was heaved up by the sea to be discovered. From soundings made to the east of the island in 1867-8 it was estimated that the great ship rose from a depth of over 2,000 feet. Nothing but an earthquake could have lifted her from that depth, nothing but a tidal wave held her up and swept her to our feet.

UNCLE PETER'S RECIPES.

First.—To keep your feet dry on rainy days: Stand on your head.

Second.—The best way to mind a baby: Do everything he tells you to.

Third.—The safest way to gather chestnuts: Take a pair of scissors and cut them out of the comic papers.

Fourth.—How to get soda water or candy for nothing: Persuade somebody else to buy it for you.

Fifth.—How to make a dollar go a long ways: Put it in an envelope addressed to somebody in the Sandwich Islands and mail it.

Sixth.—How to go west at no expense whatever: Turn your back on the east and walk straight ahead.

Seventh.—To avoid stammering, whispering and impudence: Don't talk.

Eighth.—To avoid swallowing watermelon seeds and cherry stones: Eat no fruit but bananas or apples.

Ninth.—To learn to dance in one lesson: Walk on the hot sand at the seashore at midday in midsummer barefooted.

Tenth.—The surest method of remembering dates: Fix them firmly in your mind and don't forget them.

All children following these rules, which are the result of many years of experience on Uncle Peter's part, will find that they can accomplish the special objects for which the rules are made without any added effort.—Harper's Bazar.

THE CHURN.

Some Timely Advice About Keeping It Sweet and Clean.

We sometimes hear complaints about keeping the churns sweet and clean. They got to smelling strong or "cheesy" and cause considerable trouble, besides injuring the butter made in them.

With proper care, no churn need ever get in this condition. I care not how long in use, writes Mrs. E. R. Wood to The Country Gentleman. Mismanagement somewhere has been the cause every time, and although I am not wise enough to prescribe a cure, I can tell what will restore its sweetness again, I can tell how to care for it so that it will not get into that condition.

In the first place, cream should never be allowed to remain in a wooden churn any longer than is necessary to churn it, and it must be carefully scalded each time before the cream is put in. To let it stand for half a day or longer with cream in is the first step toward tainting it. Scald the churn, cool it with clear, cold water and immediately put in the cream and churn it.

When the butter has been removed, rinse the churn well with cool water at once, and as soon as possible pour in hot water, replace the cover and revolve (if a barrel churn) for a few minutes, then draw off the water, wipe the castings and outside with a clean cloth wrung from hot water, turn the churn bottom side up and hook it in that position, leaving the cover off entirely. It will rarely be necessary to use a brush on the inside, if sufficient hot water is used. Carefully examine the interior under the top rim of the churn to ascertain if any particles of butter have lodged there before washing. This rim is in some churns metal, and if so the butter may adhere to it.

The whole secret of preserving the churn sweet for years lies in its being rinsed free of buttermilk before the boiling water is put in. This water cooks the particles and holds them fast to the wood in the same manner that it does upon milk pails and strainers that are not first washed in water only moderately hot. If any one has noticed a yellowish substance attached to the inside of a milk pail, whether wood or tin, he may know that the cause of it is pouring boiling water upon it before it is freed from every trace of milk. Once on, there is only one way of removing it, and that is by scraping. This can be done with tin, but for wooden ware it is better to throw the utensil away and buy new.

My own way of washing and salting the butter in the churn makes any further rinsing before adding the hot water for washing unnecessary. The churn is thoroughly freed from every trace of buttermilk by the time the washing and salting of the butter is done.

The outside of a barrel churn should never have hot water put on it. To do so is unnecessary, as it does not get at all soiled, and the action of the water soon spoils the varnish, giving the churn anything but a neat appearance. The outer surface needs only to be wiped off with a damp cloth. The standard will need to be thoroughly scrubbed if not kept varnished, as here is where that greenish mold first starts. The cool, moist atmosphere of a creamery or a dairy room makes it difficult to prevent this accumulation.

In selecting a churn it is well to get one with galvanized hoops and castings. Salt soon rusts any other. The cork edge of the cover should be brushed thoroughly each time it is cleansed and all particles of cream carefully removed. If a whitish coating comes upon the galvanized parts, it must be removed by scraping with a thin bladed knife, and more care taken to prevent its formation.

One mistake which many make is in screwing down the cover of the churn too tightly. When it is just tight enough to prevent leakage of cream, stop. To tighten it further injures the cork and necessitates doing the same every time.

Properly cared for, there is no reason why a wooden churn should not be in constant use for an indefinite period without getting rancid. When ice is used in the churn properly to reduce the temperature of the cream, it should be made quite fine, that the inside of the churn may not be made rough by the pieces coming forcibly against it. There is also danger of the sharp corners breaking the glass in the cover.

A Tale of the Sea.

Two American captains were recently relating their experiences on different voyages. One of them told the following story: "About 1 p. m. on March 2 my ship was proceeding under full sail when a cloud about the size of a man's hand was observed on the horizon. It came on, and as it neared the ship we discovered that it was composed of locusts. They settled on the sails, and you couldn't see a bit of canvas for them. When they flew away, there was not a stitch of canvas left on the yards."

"Ah," said the other captain, "I can quite believe that, for at about 3:30 p. m. on March 2 my vessel was proceeding under full sail when we observed a small cloud on the horizon. As it approached the ship we discovered that it was a cloud of locusts, and as they passed our vessel we saw that every man Jack of them had a pair of No. 1 canvas trousers on."—Brazil Nut.

Stagnation.

Stagnation is more dangerous than revolution, but sudden change means a house on sand. Action and reaction is the miserable seesaw of our child world. If these extreme men had their way, the end of the century would be plunged in blood, a universal French revolution. What we have to bear in mind is that, even in a republic, there must be a guiding hand; men of education, experience, weight and wisdom must continue to come forward. They who will not be ruled by the rudder will in the end be ruled by the rock.—Tennyson.

Liquefied air can now be ordered by the dozen bottles in Munich, but just what it can be used for in a general way is in doubt. It is so cold that it blisters the skin at a touch, but its excess of oxygen is a valuable feature. At present chemists are the only customers for it.

The Similarity.

"You speak of your colleague as having a mercurial temperament," said one statesman.

"Yes," replied the other, as he wiped his perspiring brow, "the great trouble about him is that you can't keep him down."—Washington Star.

Gave It Away

Schoolmaster—What is your father by trade?

Boy—I haven't to tell.

Schoolmaster—But you must.

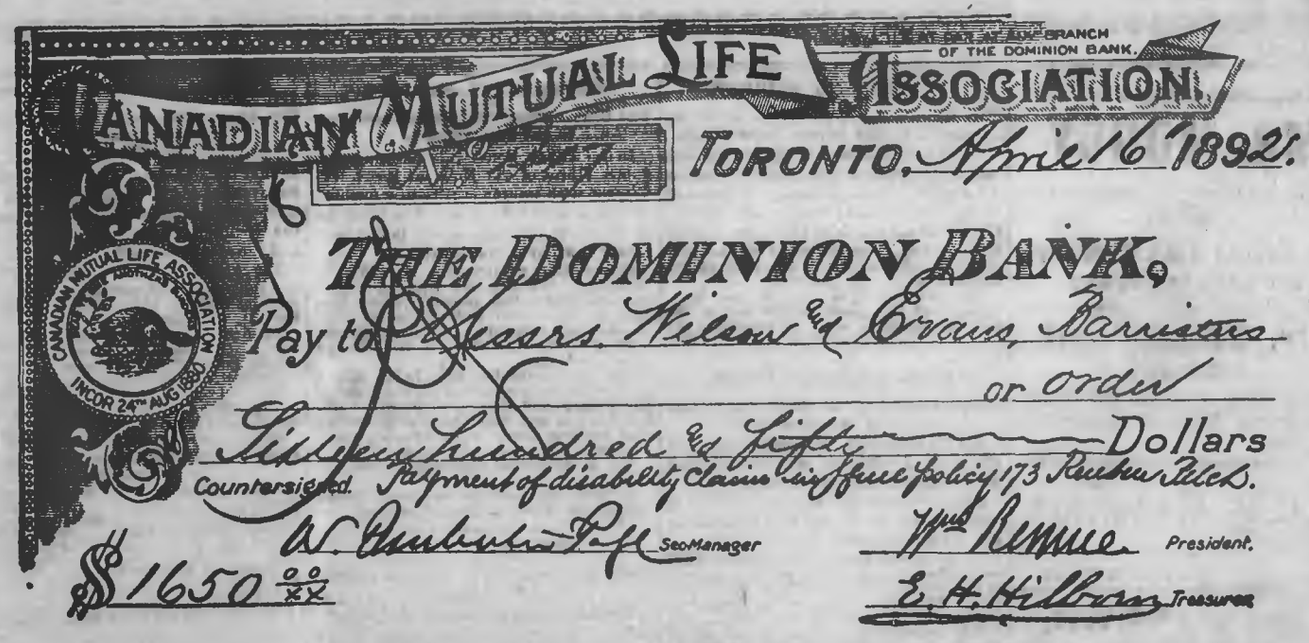
Boy (after a great deal of hesitation)—Please, sir, he's the bearded woman at the circus!—Boston Traveler.

THE CURE WAS PERMANENT.

The Story of a Man Who Suffered the Agonies of a Living Death.

MEDICAL EXPERTS PRONOUNCED HIM INCURABLE AND HE WAS PAID A LARGE DISABILITY CLAIM.

The Case Probably the Most Wonderful in the History of Medical Science—Brought from Hopeless, Helpless Inactivity to Health and Strength—A Reproduction of the Check by which the Disability Claim was Paid.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WHAT DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS have done for others they will do for you, if given a fair trial.

From the Meaford, Ont., Monitor

About two years ago the Monitor procured an interview with Mr. Reuben Petch, of Griersville, in order to ascertain from his own lips if the reports were well founded that he attributed his most astonishing return to health to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The result of the interview was published in the Monitor under the date of Jan. 17th, 1896. Mr. Petch's case was certainly one of the most extraordinary in the annals of medicine in Canada—if not in the world. He had been ill for five years and in that time he consulted no less than six of the best physicians he could find, but none could give him the least relief. His limbs and body were puffed and bloated to such an extent that he could not get his clothes on, and for two years he had not dressed. He had lost the use of his limbs entirely. His flesh seemed to be dead, and pins could be stuck into various parts of his body without being felt or creating the slightest sensation. He could not move about and if he attempted to get up would fall and would have to be lifted up. He was unable to open his mouth sufficiently to take solid food, and had to be fed with a spoon like a child. The doctors said his trouble was spinal sclerosis, and that he could not possibly get better. He was in fact nothing more or less than an animated corpse, so helpless was he. He was a member of the Canadian Mutual Life Association, and was under their rules entitled to disability insurance and made a claim for it. Two doctors, on behalf of the association were sent and they pronounced him incurable and permanently disabled, and in accordance with their report he was paid a disability insurance of $1,650 00. This was about two years after his sickness began. For three years more he lingered in the condition above noted, utterly helpless, and a burden to himself and friends. He was then advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He did not hope that they would help him, but in his sad condition he was prepared to grasp at anything that afforded the prospect of even a slight relief. The first change noted in his condition after he began the use of the pills was a disposition to sweat freely. Then life began to return to his hitherto dead body, and from that time on his progress towards recovery and activity was steady and certain.

The publication of the interview, containing the facts above noted, created unusual interest, not only in this section, but throughout Canada. That a man, whose limbs and body were all but dead, who had been examined by medical experts, and pronounced incurable and on the strength of their report was paid a large disability claim, should afterwards be cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, was looked upon as a marvel. Many were skeptical; not as to the cure—for the fact that he was actively going about proved this—but they did not believe it would prove permanent. In view of the doubts then expressed, the Monitor determined to watch the case closely, and now, nearly two years after the cure was first published, has again interviewed Mr. Petch, with the result that we are in a position to say most emphatically that this remarkable cure has proved permanent.

On being again questioned, Mr. Petch said;—"You see those hands—the skin is now natural and elastic. Once they were hard and without sensation. You could pierce them with a pin and I would not feel it, and what is true of my hands is true of the rest of my body. Perhaps you have observed that I have now even ceased to use a cane, and can get about my business perfectly well. You may say there is absolutely no doubt as to my cure being permanent. Indeed I am in even better health than when I gave you the first interview."

Do you still attribute your cure to the use of Dr Williams' Pink Pills?" ask the Monitor.

"Unquestionably I do," was the reply, "Doctors had failed, as had also the numerous remedies recommended by my friends. Nothing I took had the slightest effect upon me until I began the use of Dr Williams's Pink Pills. To this wonderful medicine I owe my release from a living death. I have since recommended Dr William's Pink Pills to many of my friends, and the verdict is in their favor. I shall always bless the day I was induced to take them."

The above are the chief statements made by Mr Petch in this latest interview, and the Monitor may remark, from long acquaintance with him that we consider his statements absolutely true and reliable. He has no interest to to serve other than a desire to recommend the medicine that has done so much for him, and we feel sure that if any sufferer will write Mr Petch, enclosing a stamp for reply, he will endorse all the statements made above. We may further add that Mr Petch's remarkable recovery leaves no doubt of the wonderful curative powers of Dr William's Pink Pills, and it seems reasonable to infer that they will do for others what they have done for him—restore health and vitality.

The check at the head of this article is a fac-simile of the one by which Mr Petch's disability claim was paid and is given in further corroboration of his statements.

BIG REALIZATION SALE

$75,000 worth of High-Class Dress Goods, Millinery, Mantles, Carpets, Housefurnishings, Hosiery, Gloves, Underwear, Corsets and General Dry Goods to be Slaughtered at Realization Prices.

Our Buyer sails on the steamer Majestic from New York on December 29th to visit all the great manufacturing centres in Europe, and procure the newest and latest productions for Spring and Summer 1898, and in order to make room for an immense season's importation we will have a great 30 Days' Realization Sale

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1st.

Below we enumerate a few of the many Bargains from each Department which will be offered during this Sale. READ EVERY ITEM CAREFULLY:—

Dress Goods and Silk Dept.

100 pieces Heavy All Wool French Dress Goods, fawns, browns, myrtles, navys and blacks, worth 65c, realization price..... .35
75 pieces Heavy All Wool Scotch Tweeds, Broadcloth and Serges, worth 75c per yard, realization price..... .50
25 pieces Heavy Tweed Dress Goods, worth 35 to 40c, realization price..... .20
10 pieces Heavy Double width Miltons, Serges, &c., worth 25c to 30c, realization price..... .20
5 pieces Heavy Double Width Tweeds, worth 17c, realization price..... .12½
75 yds. Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1.25, realization price..... $1 00
75 yds. Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1 50, realization price..... 1.25
75 pieces Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1.75, realization price..... 1.50
75 pieces Heavy Black Gros Grain Silk, worth $1.25, realization price..... 1.00
75 yds. Heavy Gros Grain Silk, worth $1.50, realization price..... 1.25
75 yds. Heavy Gros Grain Silk, worth $2.25, realization price..... 1.50
1000 yds. Habutai Pure Silk, Art shades, worth 25c, realization price..... .20
800 yds. China Silks, Art shades, worth 20c and 25c, realization price..... .12½

Smallwares, Fancy Goods and Novelties.

Brainard & Armstrong Art Embroidery Silks, Filo, Romen, Rope and Twisted Embroidery Silk, all shades, per skein..... .3
Belding Paul & Co's., Art Embroidery Silks, Filo, Russian, Rope and Twisted Embroidery Silks, all shades per skein..... .3
Stamped Linens at Half Price.
All Shades Double Satin Back Ribbon, 2½ in. wide, realization price..... .10
All Shades Double, Satin Back, Ribbon 1 in. wide, realization price..... .5
All Shades Pure Silk Ribbon, 1 in. wide, realization price..... .3
All Shades Veilings, realization price..... .10
Narrow Silk and Oriental Laces for Fancy Work, realization price..... .10
The New Idea Paper Patterns are the latest and best at uniform price..... .10
American Complexion Soap, pure and unadulterated, 3 cakes for..... .10

Hosiery and Gloves.

1000 pairs Children's Cashmere Hose, realization price, per pair..... .10
50 doz. Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, realization price, 2 pair for..... .45
25 doz. Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, realization price 3 pair for..... 1.00
25 doz. Ladies' Best Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, realization price, per pair..... .45
25 doz Ladies Heavy All Wool Hose, realization price, per pair..... .15
10 doz. Ladies' Real French Kid Gloves, lacing, all sizes, Black and Tan, realization price. .75
10 doz. Ladies' Real French Kid Gloves, lacing and button, (Guaranteed) all sizes and colours, realization price..... 1.00
25 doz. Ladies' Best French Kid Gloves, lacing and button, all sizes and colours, realization price..... 1.25
50 doz. Ladies' all Wool Black Cashmere Gloves, realization price, per pair..... .15

Corsets and Underwear.

100 pair Heavy Steel Filled Drab Corsets, worth 75c, realization price..... .50
100 pair Heavy Steel Filled Drab Corsets, worth $1.00, realization price..... .75
5 doz. Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price..... .15
5 doz. Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price, each..... .20
10 doz. Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price each..... .25
10 doz. Ladies' Heavy Undervests, realization price..... .35
10 doz. Ladies' All Wool vests, realization price..... .50
10 doz Ladies Heavy All Wool Vests, realization price..... .75
1 doz. Ladies' Heavy All Wool Combination Suits, worth $2.50, realization price..... $ 1.75
1 doz. Children's Heavy All Wool Combination Suits, worth $2.50, realization price.. .75

Mantle Dept.

Children's Ulsters in Grey, Brown and Tweed with capes, worth $5 50, realization price. 3.00
Misses' Ulsters in Brown, Blue and Green, worth $7.00, realization price..... 5.00
Ladies' Coats Black Irish Frieze, realization price..... 5.00
Ladies' Coats Black Boucle Cloth, realization price..... 5.00
Ladies' Coat Black Beaver Cloth, 28 inches, realization price..... 7.00
Ladies' Coat Black Kersey Cloth, silk lined, realization price..... 8.50
Mantle Cloth in Irish Frieze, worth $1.25, realization price..... 1.00
Mantle Cloth Coloured Beaver and Black, worth $3.50, realization price. 2.00
Elderdown Flannel, all colours, worth 50c, realization price..... .37½
Wrappers, Extra Heavy Flannelette, realization price, $1.35. $1.75 and $2.50.
Waterproofs, large capes, worth $5.00, realization price..... 3.75
Waterproofs, large Heptonette, worth $6.50 and $8.00, relization price..... 5.00

Millinery Dept.

One table Stylish Trimmed Hats, relization price..... 1.50
Ladies' and Children's Untrimmed Shapes, all colours, from..... .25
Ladies' and Children's Sailor Hats for..... .50
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Walking Hats for ... .85
Children's Tams for..... .25
Special Bargains in Widow's Caps, House Maids' Caps and all Trimmed Millinery.
Now is the time to buy and save money.
Birds, Wings, Tips, Feathers, Ribbons, Jets and Ornaments of all kinds at reduced prices.

Staple Dept.

100 pair Flannelette Blankets, grey and white, to be sold per pair..... .50
100 pieces Dark and Light Flannelette, to be cleared at per yard..... .5
Unbleached Table Linen, 60 inch wide, worth 35c, realization price..... .25
100 yards Crash Towelling, realization price 5
1000 yards Grey Cotton, extra good, per yard. .3
1000 yards Grey Cotton, extra good, per yard. .5
100 yards Art Muslin, worth 10c, realization price..... .5
500 yards Fancy Flannelette, to be sold at..... .10
1000 yards White Cotton, 36 inch wide, realization price..... .5
800 yards Light and Dark Prints, worth 12½c, realization price..... .8
Special Bargains in White Wool Blankets, Ladies' Shawls, Grey Flannels, &c.

Carpet Dept.

600 yards 5-frame Brussels, per yard..... 1.50
100 yards All Wool Carpet per yard..... .60
150 yards Union Carpet, per yard..... .25
100 yards Stair Oil Cloth, per yard..... .10
100 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth $1.25, for..... 1 00
50 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth $1, for..... .85
4 pair only Chenille Curtains, worth $14.50, for 8.00
8 pair only Tapestry Curtains, worth $6.00, for 5.00
100 Window Shades, complete with lace, each .45
100 Curtain Poles, complete, each..... .18
Cocoa Outside Door Mats, each..... .50

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SATURDAY NOVEMBER 27, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Your Xmas Fruits.

R. F. Mason & Co are showing very choice goods in raisins and currants, which are large and clean, also candied peels, extracts and jellies.

W. C. T. U.

The W.C.T.U. will hold their regular meeting on Monday, 29th, at 2.30, at Mrs. Patos's, Brock street. After the meeting the ladies will have tea and a sociable time together. All members and friends will be cordially welcome. Mrs. Dr. Youmans, of Winnipeg, will lecture here on the 7th December.

An Endless Shoe Lace.

A representative of Packard & Co., of Montreal, dealers in shoe-findings of all kinds, was in town Friday. Among his samples which he was showing in Gough Bros., was an endless shoe lace—a new and convenient wrinkle for saving time and trouble in lacing and unlacing shoes. It's a good thing and will take like hot cakes.

A Big Company Coming.

The largest popular priced company ever seen in Canada will hold the boards at Bradburn's opera house next week, headed by the comedy sunbeam, Mora, America's most versatile soubrette. For the opening play "Pretty Poll" has been selected, a bright and new comedy drama, showing a beautiful picture of New England life, and introducing the clever little Mora in six widely different characters, supported by twenty-two ladies and gentlemen carefully selected from the leading stock organizations. The new ideas of continuous performances are used and high class vaudeville artists entertain between the acts, assisted by the Mora novelty orchestra. New pictures will be shown each evening by the latest and greatest moving picture machine, Edison's Projectoscope. An entire change of plays and specialties each evening. Prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents. Seats now on sale at Osmond & Walsh's drug store.

STREETS AND BRIDGES.

The Committee Will Take Action in Regard to the Street Raiway Co.

The Street and Bridge Committee met last night and decided on immediate action in regard to the dangerous condition of George street, caused by the projection of the street railway rails above the level of the roadway. The chairman was authorised to confer with the President of the Company as soon as possible.

The broken stone which has been cracked at the Court House during the last few months, will, by direction, be placed on the streets before the snow falls.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

Arrangements to be Made for Cheap Fares on the Railroads.

The Peterborough Central Poultry and Pet Stock Association met last evening with President Cockburn in the chair.

Report was made of a large number of special prizes which had been donated by the town merchants.

Dr. Poole was instructed to forward $10 to the Canadian Kennel Club for a permit to hold the Bench Show under their auspices. Mr. Wm. Collins, the secretary, was authorized to write to the C.P.R. and G.T.R. authorities to secure the usual reduced rates on the railways. Arrangements will also be made to have the exhibits returned free of charge by the Express companies.

The matter of judges was settled for the present by the secretary being requested to write to President Hesse, of the Toronto Association, asking him to furnish a list of poultry judges whom he could recommend.

The meeting then adjourned to meet in the council chamber on Thursday, Dec. 2nd, at 7.30 p.m.

THE GREEN GOODS GAME.

The Swindler Still After Victims—No Letters—Only Telegrams to be Sent.

The green goods game is evidently evergreen. It turns up in new guises with great persistence. Mr. D. Belleghem has, as have several other business men in town, a circular which proposes a green goods racket which claims great superiority over the schemes of the vulgar sawdust swindler, and guaranteeing safe, immediate and immense returns.

This game in any guise is too old and too transparent to deceive anybody. Any persons that deals with these rascals is sure to be nipped and he deserves no pity if he is foolish enough to believe that anybody will give anything for nothing, and for the greater reason that he will be a party to swindling the public and assists in the perpetration of a crime.

Notice.

Notice Waller & Co.'s price list in another column. d124-tf

MIKADO FLOUR.

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W. H. MELDRUM.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

The Case Against Mr. White Dismissed in the Police Court.

In the Police Court this morning Mr. James White, of the National Hotel, was charged with wanton cruelty to animals in leaving a horse belonging to him lying out in the street all night where it had been struck down by a live electric wire.

Before the magistrate, Mr. W. H. Wrighten, the Crown's witness, stated that Mr. White had provided straw bedding for the horse and covered it with blankets and tarpaulins for the night, also leaving a man in charge of it. He had seen this done.

The magistrate felt that in the face of such evidence he could not let the prosecution proceed and dismissed the case without hearing any more testimony, stating that nothing more, in his opinion, could have been done to care for the animal.

Mr. D. O'Connell appeared for the defence.

A writ for damages is being issued against the Street Railway Company.

SEWER SERVICES.

Many are Being put in Without Traps—Foul Gas.

The attention of the Board of Health is called to the assertion that many of the services that have been laid from the mains to connect with private places are not provided with the necessary traps. One gentleman states that when he went to make connection with the service that there was a gush of unspeakably foul sewer gas forced into the building, nearly prostrating the workmen and polluting every square foot of the premises. He had to hastily reclose the opening in the pipe and have a proper trap put in before connection could be properly made. It is the part of the council and the civic officials to see that all sewer connections are properly trapped, and if they fail to do so it is the duty of the Board of Health to make them do so. We spend thousands upon sewers for the sake of improving the sanitary condition of the town. If, by the neglect to put in traps, our sewers are made the source of pollution of premises and the breeders of disease, the object of their construction will be entirely defeated.

Catarrh Cured for 25 cents

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and have found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have used, and gladly recommend it to suffers. Yours truly,

Harry Stone, Rainham Centre, Ont

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

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AUBURN SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Annual Tea and Entertainment on Thanksgiving Evening.

The Auburn Sunday school held their annual tea and entertainment on Thursday evening and it proved a decided success, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The attendance was good and the programme given excellent.

The chair was ably filled by Mr. J. Hampden Burnham, who was warmly welcomed on this, his first visit, but it is hoped not the last, to Auburn.

The different numbers were well rendered. In the dialogue "Scene in a Backwoods School," all the boys took their parts well, as well as their teacher.

The tableau, "Cupid's Dart," was very pretty, Miss Hamilton being charmingly dressed as a peasant girl.

Before the programme given below was rendered a sumptuous tea was served.

PROGRAMME.

Opening hymn—"Onward Christian Soldiers"
Prayer.....Mr Simpson
Chairman's address..Mr J Hampden Burnham
Chorus—"Open the door".....By the children
Recitation.....Tommy Flannery
Solo.....Mary Pratley
Dialogue—"A Rainbow".....Seven girls
Solo.....Miss Hamilton
Reading.....Miss L Starr
Tableau—"Cupid's Dart," Miss Hamilton, Mr A E Frost and Master T Flannery

INTERMISSION.

Chorus—"Joy Bells".....By the children
Recitation.....Wesley Flannery
Solo.....Freddy Gibson
Dialogue—"Scene in a Backwoods school..Mr G G Pratley and seven boys
Recitation.....Jimmy Downing
Dialogue—"Four Celebrated characters"..... Four Girls

Doxology.

The accompaniments were played by Miss A. Ellis and Mits E. Pratley.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Latest Weather Probabilities.

Heretofore the weather probabilities that were printed at the head of the first column of the first page of the DAILY EXAMINER were the latest obtainable—dated at 1 a.m. (midnight) of the preceding day. Hereafter the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company will furnish a weather bulletin which is dated at 10 a.m. of the day upon which it is printed in the EXAMINER.

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What a convenient secretarie is to an orderly business man, a handy workbasket is to a tidy housekeeper—a place for everything and everything in its proper place. Ladies are invited to inspect our new stock of convenient fancy work baskets, with or without stands, novel spool baskets, pretty nursery baskets, etc. At the same time we wish them to see some new and very handsomely framed pictures in very effective mouldings, quite taking, at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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But for another week we must keep on contriving to make more room for Santa Claus' stocks. What a time we have had, selling at any price to clear off the counters and shelves for the new things to come. For another week we must keep it up—this selling at any price—and the money saving chances we have to offer ought to bring the farmers in from the cross-roads and back concessions of the whole country. Give these few sample prices your attention:—

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Solid Leather Yapped Bible, 60c. .45
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Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, 50c, for..... .40
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped, 60c, for .45
Catholic Piety 25c, for..... .19
Garden of the Soul 25c, for..... .19
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for..... .22
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for..... .35
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted..... .45
Your choice of a dozen different games for..... .25
Leisure Hour, 1896, bound..... .99
Sunday at Home, 1896, bound.... .99
Annie Swan series of 50c Books.. .39
Henty's series of books, for boys, 20 different titles, $1, for..... .79
500 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .4
300 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .6
900 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .8
55c Window Blinds for..... .37½
25c Dado Blinds for..... .19
60c Fringed Blinds for..... .38
25c Cornice Poles for..... .18
45c Oak and Cherry Poles for.... .38
300 quires of 5c Note Paper for... .3
200 quires of 10c Note Paper for.. .5
150 quires of 15c Note Paper for.. .10
Good Writing Tablets, 100 sheets .4
Fine Writing Tablets 100 sheets. .8
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$1.50 Framed Pictures for..... $1.00
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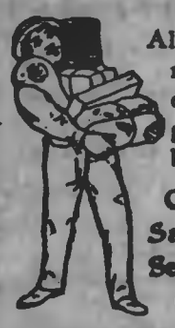

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MISS DELANEY

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Miss Burnham will repeat her lesson in boning a turkey this evening at 7.30 sharp.

Mrs. Kennedy will hold her Bible class this evening, also, from 8.30 to 9. All young women are welcome.

There will be a special meeting of the board on Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

Severe Bronchitis Yields Promptly to Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

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Insurance Agent.
Halifax, N. S.

Missionary Address.

James S. Potter, of Kingston, missionary to sailors of the river and lake ports, will give a missionary address to-morrow night at 7 o'clock, in St. Andrew's church.

WEST PETERBOROUGH.

On Tuesday, November 30th, the fourth and final session of the eighth Parliament of Ontario opens in Toronto. In the usual course of events the Parliament will be dissolved and a general election will follow probably towards the latter part of winter or early summer. This circumstance has resulted in candidates for the coming elections being selected in various ridings of the province, and, as announced yesterday, the Liberals of West Peterborough will meet in convention on Saturday, December 11th, to select a candidate to contest, and it is confidently hoped, to carry, the riding, and give independent support to a Liberal Government in the Parliament to be chosen.

So far as West Peterborough is concerned, the Liberals can look forward to the contest with confidence, for it is probable that at the convention on December 11th a candidate will be brought out who will carry the constituency in the interests of good government. In order to leave the convention the largest freedom of action, Mr. Stratton, the present representative, expresses his entire willingness, and indeed preference that the convention shall feel itself perfectly free to select any candidate whom they may feel will command the confidence of the whole Liberal party and of the electors generally. Liberal nominating conventions in West Peterborough are generally mass meetings, and, therefore, the choice they make generally represents the sentiments of the great body of Liberal electors in the riding.

It is to be hoped that the convention called for Saturday, Dec. 11th, will take the form of a grand rally of the supporters of the Hardy-Ross Government, and that it will result in the selection of the strongest candidate available.

It should be remembered that the meeting will be addressed by Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Senator Cox, Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., and others.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Wm. Watson, a "vag," was sent up for ten days this morning.

—Mr. Porter Preston issued over 100 settlers' licenses in Belmont.

—The mail clerks are preparing for their annual Christmas rush, and already their work is increasing as cards and bundles are being sent out to British Columbia and the Old Country.

—Master Willie Sharp, son of Mr. Sidney Sharp, Hastings, met with a bad accident on Tuesday evening while playing in front of the Clarendon House. While he and others were scuffling he was pushed off the sidewalk and broke his leg above the ankle.

—Mr. Archie Richardson, a former resident of Belmont, and son of the late Edwin Richardson, died at Brandon, Manitoba, on Friday, Nov. 5th. From medical examination it was apparent that he suffered from a growth of a tumor on the brain. The interment took place at Carman, Manitoba.

—J. J. Turner has just returned from Oswego, N.Y., and while there he took quite a number of orders for waterproof horse covers, and which were shipped yesterday. This speaks well for the firm of J. J. Turner & Sons, to send their goods into the States and compete with men in the same business there, as there is a duty of 20 per cent. ad valorem, and 10c per square yard on all waterproof goods, but J. J. Turner & Sons are hustlers, and will get there if there is any possible chance.

FINED ONE DOLLAR.

For Committing an Assault on the Market Square.

A session of the police court was held at noon to-day, when a charge of assault was preferred by one oltizen against another, the assault having just previously taken place on the market square, being occasioned by the plaintiff speaking to the defendant's wife, when he had been warned that trouble would ensue if he did so. A little over a year ago the two men quarrelled over the same subject, when the plaintiff was thrashed and the defendant bound over to keep the peace for a year. The year had expired a few weeks previous to this morning's assault, so the bond will not be forfeited. The defendant was fined a dollar.

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THE TOWN TEACHERS' ASSO. CONVENTION.

IT WAS IN SESSION ALL DAY YESTERDAY.

A Number of Interesting Papers Were Read—An Open Meeting at Night Addressed by Prof. Reynar, M.A., of Victoria University.

The annual convention of the Town Teachers' Association was in session yesterday and all the sessions were well attended.

Mr. J. Jeffries, the president, occupied the chair, and in opening the convention at the morning session, congratulated the Association on the very favourable conditions that had prevailed during the past year. He referred to the few changes in its membership, and to the success that had attended the work of the various schools as seen in the results of the Promotion, Entrance and Institute Examinations. He commented on the harmonious relations existing among the several schools of the town and among the teachers of each school. The Board of Education was most favourably referred to as most zealously guarding the highest interests of the town and at the same time generously recognising and encouraging the services of their employees. Allusion was also made to the commendable absence of journalistic and aldermanic abuse sometimes met with by the teaching profession in less fortunate places. In conclusion he urged upon all present to contribute their share to the success of the convention by paying sympathetic attention to the papers read and freely taking part in the discussions.

The first number on the programme for the morning session, yesterday, of the Town Teachers' Convention was an address on the subject of History by Mr. J. McCaig, M. A., LL. D., of the Collegiate Institute. His treatment of his subject was very broad, comprehensive and philosophical. It took account of the subject on both the theoretical and practical sides. The nature of history and its value as mental discipline was treated in the first part of the address and the scientific principles underlying it were given in the second part.

History being concerned with the activities of man, should, in the first place, be of interest to every man. The faculties of mind trained by History are the memory, reasoning, imagination, moral and religious feelings and will. In respect to the value of mental discipline history is perhaps inferior to classics, mathematics and science, but on another side it far surpassed them. Every subject has a value both as discipline and as knowledge. On the latter side history surpassed all other subjects. It is the best training for citizenship, as we can understand present political institutions only in the light of the past and

TO APPRECIATE THEM.

It develops patriotism, independence, moderation, religious toleration and a regard for justice and right.

With regard to the teaching of history, the speaker showed that as history was a memory subject, the organizing and unifying of its diversified materials depended on the laws of association, and that there were three principles that are indissolubly joined to history, and these are the ideas of time and succession, place, cause and effect. By the skilful manipulation of these, the fabric of organized knowledge is built up in the mind of the pupils. The speaker had no cut and dried system of rules for teaching history, but rather gave the basis for all methods in expounding the philosophy of the subject.

The address was enlivened by appropriate and humourous illustrations, and was warmly commended by those who took part in the after discussion. They were Rev. H. Symonds, Messrs. C Fessenden, D. Walker, Keogh and the Misses Mark and Pakenham.

The discussion on the paper was led by Mr Keogh Misses Mark and Pakenham.

PUBLIC SCHOOL DRAWING,

by Mr. J. C. Smith, was the next paper.

The five books of our Public School Drawing Course were taken up. The grading of this course was touched upon, and where, in each succeeding book, new principles presented themselves, the teacher's attention was drawn to the manner in in which they were presented to the class.

What a child should be able to do for himself after completing each step of our Drawing Course was suggested.

The ensuing discussion was led by Mr. M. O'Brien, Miss Perrin and Miss Hall.

IN THE AFTERNOON

Miss M. A. Nicholls illustrated the teaching of reading by instructing a class. She prefaced the instruction with a few remarks, in the course of which she stated that the first step in the education of the human race began with the establishment of contact between mind on the one side with nature and society on the other. These ideas of the natural and social were simple and depended on environment. But this knowledge was soon reinforced. As men were led to observe, think and remember they began to impart what they learned to others. One generation told what they knew to the following. This was really the beginning of teaching—tradition i. e. oral delivery from man to man and from age to age, which is the second step in the education of the race. Writing and reading may be considered twin arts, forming the third step. These cannot exist apart, as the one depends on the other. The author is the creator of composition, but is unable to keep it alive. That function falls to the lot of the reader, who recreates it. The three requisites for reading are: (1) The reader must have a mental preparation that will enable him to receive the knowledge contained in the composition. (2) He must know the power of the characters used in the expression of printed thought. (3) He must have vocal training that will enable him to convey to others what he himself finds on the printed page.

The discussion was participated in by Mr. H. A. Yeanes, Miss Brown, and Miss O'Connell.

THE LAST ITEM

of the programme was a paper by M. A. Sorsoleil on "Teaching Composition to the Junior Third Grade."

The paper first showed the change in opinion regarding the importance of composition as a culturing subject. In presenting this subject four points required consideration. These were Form, Matter, Language and Criticism. Form is of a two-fold nature—first mechanical and secondly requiring an exercise of thought and judgment. The first referred to the general appearance of the work. The second to the logical arrangement of sentences and paragraphs. These should be taught by observation and the analysis of good models.

In discussing matter it was shown that the subjects should be familiar and within the pupils' range. An earnest discussion should precede each composition in order to arouse interest and give sequence to the subject matter.

The improving of the child's vocabulary is a slow and gradual process. Every subject should furnish its quota of words. The great aim of the teacher should be to bring into organic connection and common use the words thus acquired.

The paper then went on to show how criticism was the most unsatisfactory part of the work. Methods for correcting were given and discussed. The paper closed with an appeal to teachers to pay the greatest attention to the study of models and the arousing of interest in the subject to be written upon.

THE OFFICERS.

The following officers to act for the ensuing year were elected during the afternoon session:—

President—D. Walker, B.A.
Vice-President—Miss Spence.
Sec.-Treas.—J. C. Smith.
Executive Committee—Messrs. Welkey and Keogh and Misses Mark and Cairns.

EVENING SESSION.

In the evening an open session was held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, when a lecture on "Humour" was delivered by Prof. A. H. Reynar, M. A., of Victoria University.

A large audience assembled to hear the address and all went away with a far different idea concerning humour than when they entered the hall. Finely drawn distinctions were given of satire, sarcasm, irony, pathos, wit and humour, and the latter was found to differ so greatly from all other characteristics to such a degree as to make it impossible to class it with any of them. It was one of the things that gave pleasure, and therefore is considered an essential to a complete life. A great mistake was made in imagining that there was any true humour in saying funny things. Nothing could be more distinct from the sense of the term. Humour was seldom found in in woman to the same degree as in man. George Eliot was an exception, however, but her education could be credited with the result. She was brought up in a puritanically religious fashion and afterwards educated on philosophical lines. True humour was found more generally existing in the Scot—the deep thinker. It was found in the books of Ian McLaren, Browne and Stevenson.

The lecturer spoke for over an hour and at the close of his remarks was tendered a warm vote of thanks on motion of Messrs. L. M. Hayes and Robert Fair.

Mr. Peter Hamilton occupied the chair during the evening.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

The Sessions Opens In Peterborough on Monday Before Justice Rose.

The non-jury sittings of the High Court will open on Monday next before Justice Rose, when the following cases will be taken up:

The Central Bridge Co. vs. Dominion Construction Co.—Denniston, Peck & Stevenson for plaintiff; Carscallen & Cahill for defendant. This is a case in which the Central Bridge Company is suing the Dominion Construction Company for $10,429.88, being the alleged balance due on a bridge erected for defendants over the Desjardine Canal at Hamilton. The defendants state that the bridge was never accepted by them, and that they were induced to enter into the contract by misrepresentation regarding the weight of the bridge, which was not to exceed 275,000 pounds, at $4 40 per 100, when in reality the weight amounted to 474,702 pounds when finished, and consequently entailed greatly additional expense.

Brown vs. The Village of Lakefield.—E. B. Stone for plaintiff, Dumble & Johnston for defendant. A case in which the plaintiff, J. G. Brown, sues the Village of Lakefield for $200, and asks that the defendants be restrained from causing the surface water from a newly constructed culvert across the street to discharge itself in such a manner as to flood his premises in the spring. The defendants state that the plaintiff's land is the lowest in the village, and that the culvert has been in existence for over twenty years.

Scriver vs. Quirk et al—Geo. J. Sherry for plaintiff. Edmison & Dixon for defendant. A case in which the plaintiff sues the executors and heirs of the late Rev. John Quirk, of Hastings, to recover wages due, etc., to the amount of $900. The defendant, Eliza Quirk, who disposed of the property of the deceased, states that at the time of such disposition she had no knowledge of the claim of the plaintiff, but that of the money which is now left she is willing that the plaintiff have a fair share if a lawful creditor.

Kinsman vs. Kinsman.—A. A. Smith, of Millbrook, for plaintiff; Robt. Reddy, for defendant.—A case in which the plaintiff, Mary Kinsman, asks for alimony, claiming that the defendant, a short time after his marriage to her in 1894 began to exhibit a very bad temper. He refused to furnish necessary supplies and became addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor and often returned home in a drunken condition and used violent and abusive language toward the plaintiff and threatened to strike and kick her. In November, 1895 the defendant abandoned the plaintiff and went to live in Millbrook. Subsequently he returned to her, but refused to make provision for her maintenance and abused her, threatening her life. In March 1896 defendant made charges against plaintiff's character, falsely accusing her of having immoral relations with other men.

The defendant in the statement of defence, claims that he is 76 years of age, and that since the day of his marriage the plaintiff has acted towards him as if money was her sole object in marrying him, and that defendant executed an agreement in writing whereby he consented to giving plaintiff an annuity of $100 per year, to commence after his death, in lieu of all claims of whatsoever nature for alimony or otherwise which the plaintiff might have upon the property of the defendant, and the defendant pleads the said agreement as a bar to this action.

That on various occasions the plaintiff left her home for three or four days at a time, returning in a drunken condition. That he took a dwelling in Millbrook and asked his wife to live with him there, and forsake her old associates but she refused. That his income is small, but he is the owner of a furnished dwelling, and if the plaintiff would discharge her duties as a wife, and live with plaintiff, he is now and always was willing to receive and live with her as such.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Jos. Matthews has returned from Lindsay.

Dr. McCullough was in Lindsay for Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. F. D. Kerr is spending a few days in Cobourg with his parents.

Miss Kent, of Campbellford, is the guest of Miss Jessie Rutherford.

Mr. Osias Leplante is home from the Osgoode Law school for a few days.

Miss McCarthy, of Peterborough, was the guest of Mrs. J. Quigley last week in Hastings.

Mr. Will Roadhouse has returned from Dunnville, where he has been spending the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Greenaway of Port Hope, spent Thanksgiving day in Peterborough.

Mrs. A. Morrow and children are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien of Lindsay.

Miss Maggie Cox, daughter of Mr. Aaron Cox, is down from Toronto for the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Warner of Cobourg, who were spending Thanksgiving in town, have returned home.

Mr. N. Peters and daughter, Port Hope, have been spending the last few days in town with friends.

Mr. F. Pope of the local Ontario Bank staff, has returned after spending Thanksgiving in Lindsay.

Miss Etta Welsh and Miss Tilly Little of Port Hope, have been visiting friends here for the last few days.

Mr. P. Boyd Tytler of the Ontario bank, Lindsay, has returned to that town after spending a few days in town.

Mr. J. H. Hudson, formerly of the Bank of Montreal staff here, has been up from Perth for the last few days.

Mr. Armstrong, of Campbellford, who has been in town visiting his son, Mr. S.R. Armstrong, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarke, of Toronto, are visiting in town, the guests of Mrs. Clarke's neice, Mrs. W. G. Metheral, 478 Aylmer street.

Mrs. Routh, of Brantford and Miss Routh, of Campbellford, are visiting at the residence of Mr. Arthur Devitt, No. 735 Water street.

Mr. John Craig, M. P. P., an old Peterboreugh boy, has again been nominated as a candidate for the representation of East Wellington in the Ontario Legislature.

Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. D., pastor of the Mark street Methodist church, will be in Keene to-morrow conducting anniversary Thanksgiving services in the Keene church, exchanging services with Rev. J. J. Liddy.

Miss Edyth O'Hara, of Toronto, who has been visiting Mrs. C. B. McAllister since Wednesday last, returned to Toronto this morning, accompanied by Mr. McAllister. Miss Barnett, who has also been a guest of the same hostess, left at noon for her home in Renfrew.

Mr. Richard P. Gough, of the firm of Gough Bros., was down from Toronto yesterday, and is looking happy. He reports their new Toronto store on Queen street getting into good shape, and is well pleased with the auspicious opening of this important addition to their business. He returned to Toronto last evening.

At the Grand Seminary, Montreal, on Sunday last, Mr. T. J. Crowley, of Peterborough, together with twenty other students, (the largest number in the history of the Seminary) received the cassock and Roman collar. The ceremony took place in the presence of an archbishop, three bishops and about one hundred priests.

Mr. Fred Van Norman, until recently clerk at the Grand Central hotel, has accepted the local agency for the famous R. S. Williams Piano Co., (Limited), of which Mr. W. E. Green is the Provincial Superintendent of Agencies. Mr. Van Norman should make a success of his new venture, being well posted in all that pertains to music.

The Hastings Star says:—"Last week Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, who has been in temporary charge of Hastings parish since Rev. Father Connelly's decease, returned to Peterborough, and Rev. Father Scanlon, of the Cathedral, Peterborough, takes his place for the balance of the year. It is not yet known who will take the place of the late Rev. Father Connelly."

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Mothers who wish to save money, and who are economical in home management, are not obliged to buy clothing for their children as frequently as some mothers do. This saving of money is due to the fact that the economical mothers are regular users of the wonderful Diamond Dyes that always make old things look as good as new.

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1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Case Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.24
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 13c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

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THE PORT ARTHUR MURDERS.

Oliver Prevost, Alias Gauthier, Makes Confession—Mrs. Gauthier Put Poison in the Tea—Bodies Cremated.

Pembroke, Ont., Nov. 27.—Oliver Provost, alias Gauthier, sentenced by Judge Armour to seven years for stealing pork and furs at Renfrew, has made a terrible confession to Crown Attorney Metcalfe here. Some time ago he left his wife and went off with a Mrs. Gauthier from Valleyfield, Que. Assuming Gauthier's name, they went to Port Arthur, and started hotelkeeping.

Two men named Rene Dabin and Fred Corriere lived in a shanty near the hotel. The men called on Prevost Feb. 10 last to trade some pigs, and they remained for supper. Prevost says the woman (Gauthier) put poison in the tea for the men, but would not give him any tea. Both men left the table before the meal was finished.

One dropped dead in the house, the other immediately in reaching the door.

Realizing they would be arrested for murder, and to screen themselves, they placed the bodies on a sleigh, took them to their shanty, laid them on their bed, after searching them, and taking what money they found, they set the place afire and cremated the bodies.

Prevost says he frequently quarrelled with Mrs. Gauthier, and was afraid she would poison him also, as she told him she always kept poison on hand. Mrs. Gauthier deserted Prevost, and returned to her husband at Valleyfield.

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Where is May Barnstable?

Montreal, Nov. 26.—May Barnstable, the daughter of a well-known resident of Lachine, near Montreal, disappeared from home a few days ago and no trace of her can be found. The case is shrouded in considerable mystery, as the family, who are well-to-do people, cannot give any reason for her disappearance.

Gary Will Try Luetgert.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Judge Gary definitely announced yesterday that he would take the Luetgert wife murder case for trial and that he would begin the hearing on Monday.

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TROOPER DENNIS HURT.

Calls Out the Sympathy of His Excellency the Governor-General.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—Yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock Trooper Dennis of the Royal Canadian Dragoons was riding east on King street with a horse from the fort for Government House, when the off animal shied at a passing trolley car and fell, causing Dennis' horse to fall at the same time. In falling Dennis' left leg was caught under the other horse, resulting in a serious dislocation of the soldier's foot. He was carried into Government House stables, where his injuries were attended to by Drs. Bruce, Riordan, Gallow and Pepler. Dennis' left leg is also broken above the ankle. His Excellency the Governor-General, hearing of the accident, called to see the sufferer, and was most solicitous for his comfort, remaining until Dr. Riordan had reduced the dislocation. The patient was then removed in the police ambulance to the New Fort Barracks.

MEDALS FOR FENIAN FIGHTERS.

Old Documents Destroyed, and Now There Will Be Trouble About It.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—It appears that during Major-General Herbert's tenure of office a general clearing out of all documents and files was made in the vaults of the Militia Department by the G.O.C. orders. Among the papers destroyed were the pay lists and regimental registers of the corps which served in the Fenian raids of 1866 and 1870. Accordingly the department will have to resort to other means of proving the claims of applicants for medals for those services.

NOTES FROM WINNIPEG.

Illness of His Grace Archbishop Langevin—The Assessor Resigns.

Winnipeg, Nov. 26.—Mr. E. W. Smith, who has held a position as assessor for about 12 years, has handed his resignation to the City Council, owing to what he considers harsh and arbitrary treatment at the hands of the mayor.

His Grace Archbishop Langevin is still in the St. Boniface Hospital, but expects to be out in a few days.

A B. C. MAN KILLED.

A Sad Thanksgiving in One British Columbia Home.

Vancouver, Nov. 26.—J. McMaster of this city was accidentally shot on Wednesday while duck shooting on Lulu Island, near this city. While stepping out of a boat his gun went off, killing him instantly.

CLAIMS CONFIRMED.

Work of the Venezuela Arbitrators Made Easy by Discovery of Old Memoranda.

London, Nov. 26.—A letter received here from Georgetown, British Guiana, announces that Great Britain's legal experts have unearthed in the colonial archives there a series of volumes containing memoranda giving a running history of the Dutch settlement of Guiana, from the middle to near the close of the seventeenth century, fully confirming the British boundary claims.

The memoranda, it is added, were written or dictated by the commander of the settlement, the seat of government being on the River Essequibo. They contain frequent references to trading expeditions to the Dutch depots on the Upper Cuyuni, to the Moruca and to all the northwest country which the Venezuelans assert the Dutch never possessed. It is claimed that the discoveries clear the question and will greatly facilitate the work of the arbitrators.

Turkey Saluted in Due Form.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—Despatches received here from Mersina, Asia Minor, announce that, as a result of the decision of the Turkish Government to grant the demands of Austria for redress in consequence of the ill-treatment of Herr Brazzafolli, the agent of the Austrian Lloyd Steamship Company at that port, and the subsequent insults complained of by the Austrian Consul there, the flag of Austria was duly saluted at Mersina yesterday by Turkish guns, with all the ceremonial demanded by the Government of Austria.

Russia Getting Anxious.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 26.—The Russian newspapers urge that Russia, France and Great Britain should occupy points in China, to counterbalance the German occupation of Kiao Chou Bay.

Japan is Interested.

Yokohama, Nov. 26.—The Kiao-Chou affair is seriously occupying the attention of the Japanese Government, and the representatives of Japan abroad have been instructed to ascertain the resolutions of the powers.

Getting Ashamed of Themselves.

Vienna, Nov. 26.—The unparalleled violence in the Lower House of the Reichsrath yesterday is almost the only subject of conversation throughout Austria today. The German Progressist party has published a note expressing regret at the outbreak and disclaiming any responsibility for it.

SPARED A TERRIBLE FATE.

By the Timely Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills—The Great Life-Saver of the 19th Century—Bright's Disease Robbed of its terrors.

OTTAWA, Nov. 15th—Local medical men common with their brethren in all parts of the country, have always maintained that Bright's disease is incurable, and that all that can be done for the victims of that disease is to ease their journey to the grave. There are thousands of Canadians, however, who know that this opinion is wrong. Among them is W. Young, traveller of this city, who says he was cured of Bright's disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills. "I am completely cured," he says, "and no other medicine but Dodd's Kidney Pills did me any good. These pills are the only sure cure for Bright's disease.

China Preparing to Fight.

London, Nov. 26.—A despatch to The Times from Hong Kong says it is reported there from Canton that the Viceroy of the Province of Quang-Tong, with the Chinese Admiral and General, is preparing defences and river forts on the Canton River, as a result of "telegrams received from the north."

Earthquake in Roumania.

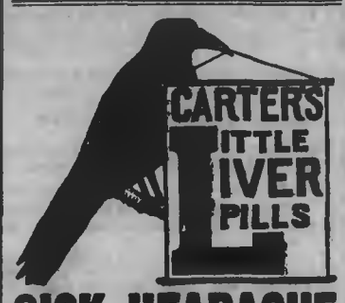
Bucharest, Nov. 26.—There were two severe earthquake shocks here at 1.45 yesterday. No damage was done.

Money Cheaper in India.

Calcutta, Nov. 26.—The Bank of Bengal has reduced its rate of discount from 6 to 5 per cent.

Have the Youngsters Eloped?

Chatham, Nov. 24.—Minnie Brown, the attractive little daughter of Stephen Brown, concession 8, Raleigh, who has been working for some months past in the millinery department of Thomas Stone's, has been missing since Friday evening, and it is now feared that she has been induced to elope with Harry Damon, formerly news agent on the E. & H. R., and partner of John Graham, now awaiting trial on a serious charge. On Friday evening she did not return to tea, and the same night Damon packed up his clothes and departed. They are thought to be in Detroit.



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A CONFLICT IN LAGOS

French and British Forces Meet and Fight.

NIKKI TAKEN BY THE FRENCH.

The News Discredited in Both London and Paris—Territory in Dispute—Aims of the Two Great Powers May Clash—General Cable News.

Berlin, Nov. 27.—A despatch to The Frankfort Zeitung from Rome reports that a sanguinary conflict has taken place between the French and British at Nikki, in the Lagos Hinterland.

A conflict between the French and British forces in the Lagos Hinterland has been anticipated for some time past. Both countries have been hurrying troops into the disputed territory. The trouble is of about 20 years standing, dating from 1868. In 1870 France and Great Britain opened negotiations for the settlement of their respective frontiers in West Africa, and it was decided in substance that French influence and authority should be confined to the north of a certain line, and that Great Britain should have a free hand south of this line. The outbreak of the Franco-Prussian war interrupted the negotiations. Finally it was resolved to appoint commissions to consider the whole matter, a meeting in Paris was arranged, and as a result, during the course of the next ten years, four separate agreements were concluded. One dealt with the territorial limits of Sierra Leone, the second arranged a number of disputed points regarding Gambia, Sierra Leone, the Gold Coast and Lagos. The third agreement drew a line between the spheres of the two countries in the Niger region, running from Say, on the Niger, to Barua, on Lake Tchad, and making a detour so as to include the Kingdom of Sokoto in the British sphere.

The fourth of these agreements settled the interior frontier of Sierra Leone, relinquishing the Hinterland to France.

But since these agreements were arrived at further difficulties have arisen, owing to the failure of the boundary commissioners of Great Britain and France to agree among themselves as to the frontier lines, and especially as to the interpretation of the Say-Barua treaty, principally owing to the absence of any boundary line to the southwest of Say, where the competition of the British and French has been very strong. The British Niger Company, which was first in the field, concluded a number of treaties with native chiefs, bringing the whole of the Borgu and Dahomey Hinterland within the British sphere. This was during the fall of 1894. In the meanwhile the French were trying to establish a a great African Empire, to extend from Algeria to the basins of the Congo and the Upper Nile. But for this purpose it was essential to secure the Hinterland of Lagos and Carnotville, in Northern Dahomey, became the base for despatching a number of French expeditions into the interior with this object in view. The British Niger Company, however, getting wind of the French plans, despatched Captain Lugard, now Major Lugard, to Nikki, the capital of Borgu, for the purpose of negotiating a treaty with the native ruler, and the English officer was fortunate enough to reach there before a French officer, Commandant Decoeur, who was bound for the same place and with the same intention, although the latter had the start, and Lugard secured his treaty and carried it away three weeks before Decoeur arrived at Nikki. The French, however, seemed to have chosen to disregard this fact, and have despatched armed expeditions not only to Nikki, but to Brousse, which has all along been acknowledged to be within the sphere of British influence. Besides this, the French have raised a question as to whether the right bank of the Niger, below Say, is properly included in the British sphere, under the Say-Barua treaty, and to settle these questions commissioners representing Great Britain and France are now tardily beginning to deliberate.

Its Accuracy Doubted.

London, Nov. 27.—While the accuracy of the statement contained in the Rome despatch to The Frankfort Zeitung, announcing that a conflict has taken place between the French and British troops in the Lagos Hinterland, is doubted, the London morning papers yesterday pointed out the imminent danger resulting from the proximity of the two forces in the contested territory.

Later in the day a rumor was received at the British Colonial Office to the effect that there had been a collision between the British and French forces at Nikki, which is said to have been captured by the French troops. The officials of the Colonial Office, however, consider this report to be highly improbable, as they explain, the British police in the Hinterland, who are a very limited number, had strict orders to avoid any collision with the French. It was also understood that the French forces had been instructed not to come into conflict with the British. The British forces in the Hinterland, it is further stated, are being reinforced considerably.

The Colonial Office late this evening received a cable message from Lagos, West Coast of Africa, stating that a rumor is current among the natives there of a collision between 400 British and French troops.

The report, it is believed, will prove to be founded on a conflict between the French and some natives.

Lebon Does Not Believe It.

Paris, Nov. 27.—M. Lebon, the Minister of the Colonies, has received no information of a collision between the British and French troops at Nikki, in the Niger region, and discredits the report.

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A REPLY TO WASHINGTON.

Suspension of Pelagic Sealing Refused by the Canadian Government—The Joint Commission—Other Questions.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—The Government have transmitted to Washington a reply to the proposals of the Hon. J. W. Foster in regard to the means of arriving at a settlement of the various questions between the United States and Canada. When Sir Wilfrid and Sir Louis Davies were in Washington the United States first proposed to pay the Canadian Government a lump sum of money to extinguish pelagic sealing, but this Sir Wilfrid Laurier instantly refused and would not entertain for a single moment.

The reply points out to the United States that pelagic sealing is carried on under the sanction of an international tribunal, and under the sanction of statute law enacted by the Imperial Parliament, and the Canadian Government, and even the Canadian Parliament, have no power to suspend pelagic sealing, even for one year, without Imperial legislation.

The reply likewise says the more sensible plan is for the proposed commission to get together and see if they can agree, a matter that will not consume more than a month's time, and if they do agree steps can be taken to suspend pelagic sealing in Behring Sea during the coming season.

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Batcheller Going to Cairo.

Saratoga, N.Y., Nov. 26.—Judge Batcheller of Saratoga, appointed by President McKinley a member of the international tribunal in Egypt, will, with his family, sail from New York on Dec. 11 for Cairo, his future judicial residence.

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The Trial of Martin Thorn.

New York, Nov. 26.—The second trial of Martin Thorn, the barber who is charged with the killing of William Guldensuppe, is progressing much more quickly than the lawyers on either side anticipated, and, now that the chief preliminary evidence, with the exception of Mrs. Nack's confession, has been reheard, very interesting proceedings were looked for when the court resumed at 9.30 to-day.

Mr. Howe has come out straight and says: "We will show that Mrs. Nack committed the murder."

More Australian Gold Coming.

Sydney, N.S.W., Nov. 26.—The steamer Mona of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand, Limited, which has sailed for San Francisco, took £275,000 in gold.

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Dear Editor.—Please inform your readers, that if written to confidentially, I will mail, in a sealed letter, particulars of a genuine, honest, home cure, by which I was permanently restored to health and manly vigor, after years of suffering from nervous debility, sexual weakness, night losses and weak shrunken parts. I was robbed and swindled by the quacks until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but thank Heaven I am now well, vigorous and strong, and wish to make this certain means of cure known to all sufferers. I have nothing to sell and want no money, but being a firm believer in the universal brotherhood of man, I am desirous of helping the unfortunate to regain their health and happiness. I promise you perfect secrecy. Address with stamp, WM. T. MULFORD, Agents' Supplies, P.O. Box 58, St. Henri, Que.

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Caps in Fur	$ 1.50 to $ 3 50
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Grey Storm Collars	3.50 to 5 50
Blizzard Collars	3 00
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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

The game in Kingston on Thanksgiving Day between the Peterboroughs and Granites is spoken of as follows by the Kingston News:

Yesterday afternoon an exhibition game of Rugby football was played on the Athletic Grounds between the Peterborough team and the Granites. The weather was anything but pleasant for the sport. Rain began to fall about six o'clock in the morning, and came down in heavy showers all day. The athletic grounds were in fair condition in spots, though in other places the mud was thick, and it became worse as the game progressed. The visitors arrived in the city shortly after one o'clock. They partook of their Thanksgiving dinner in Belleville. The game was called shortly after three o'clock, the teams lining up as follows:

Granites.			*Peterborough.*
Reyner		Back	Scott
Murray	Halves		King
McCaig			Letellier
Haslett			Lefevre
Dalton		Quarter	Bell
Mito	Scrimmage		Rathbone
Dehaney			Burnham
Mohr			Stethem
Rankin	Wings		Picard
Assistine			Austin
Young			McLellan
Lamb			Thorne
Chown			Rickey
Clark, J.			Herden
Porter			Hollingshead
Geoghegan		Spare	

Referee, E. Elliott; umpire, Cadet Caldwell; timekeepers, C. Bass and R. Davidson, Peterborough; goal judges, R. Murray and J. Thorne; touch-line judges, Geo. Low and Mr. Quigley, Peterborough.

The Peterborough boys won the toss and elected to kick north, with the stiff south-west wind in their favour. For the first five or six minutes the game was slow. The players were "scraping" acquaintance with each other. The local team then got down to work, and Geo. Dalton crossed the line for a try. Score, 4—0. "Neilly" McCaig then made a run towards the visitors' goal. He was brought low, but not before he had passed to Murray, who still continued to gain ground. He passed to Mohr, who crossed the line for a try, which was not converted. Score, 8—0. As soon as the game was re-started, the ball was again worked towards the visitors' line. Haslett broke through and went over for a try, but the ball was called back. Then came another pretty piece of combination on the part of the Granites. McCaig, Dehaney, and Reyner being the actors. The last named player made a brilliant run and secured a try. Score 12—0. For the next few minutes the Granites treated the spectators to some fine passing, and Dehaney and Murray gained ground, but LeFevre relieved by a long punt, kicking a touch-in-goal. Score, Granites 12, Peterborough 1. The ball was put in motion again, when Burnham punted it away over the dead-line and the visitors were awarded a rouge. Score 12—2. The "Peterborough" players picked up for a time, and the play was forced in the Granite's territory. Lefevre kicked well back of the Granites' goal-line. Reyner lost no time in securing the lemon and, after dodging Hollingshead, made a long run, bringing the ball safely out. Half-time was called and the teams rested. In the second half Peterborough played a much better game. "Paddy" Letellier bucked the line in fine style and gained ground. Lefevre did some good kicking and the full-back, Scott, played a far steadier game than he did in the first half. The points scored in the last half, however, were all in favour of the Granites. They were a rouge, try (Dalton), a safety touch, and try (Clark). Score, 23—2, in favour of the Granites.

The Peterborough Club had no combination. Had the ground been dryer their back division might have kicked better. Letellier put up a dashing game, but was not well supported. Lefevre and Hollingshead did good work at times. Towards the end of the game Scott indulged in some good play. All the Granites played well. Dalton worked his marvellous short passes in splendid style. Murray, Dehaney and Reyner covered themselves with glory and mud. Their brilliant rushes and sure passes were features of the game. McCaig and Porter proved to be valuable acquisitions to the team. The players were literally covered with mud from the chrysanthemum top-knot to their heels. Dalton, Assistine and Haslett looked like mud men, but they played the game as if they were made of the proper kind of "mud." The Peterborough team are true sportsmen, both on the field and off. The took their defeat like men, and asserted as they went off the field, that the Granites were "all right."

"Paddy" Letellier, formerly of Queen's Rugby team, received a royal reception from his Kingston friends. He was always popular in Kingston.

Lefevre, of the Peterborough team, is a graduate of the R.M.C.

When the game was at its height George Dalton exclaimed, "Stop the game—I see a street car ticket." The game was stopped but that was only one of the "yellow kid's" gag

MILLBROOK HOCKEY CLUB.

The fourth annual meeting of the Millbrook Hockey club was held in the fire hall on Friday evening, and was by far the largest and most enthusiastic in the history of the club. It was the unanimous decision of the meeting to enter the O.H.A. and a team will be placed in the Intermediate series. The following officers were elected:

Managing Committee—Messrs. W. G. Wood, R. K. Harris and Walter Coombs.
Hon. President—W. A. Fallis, M.P.P.
President—Dr. H. A. Turner.
Vice-President—Arthur Mulligan.
Secretary—Ernie S. Clarry.
Treasurer—W. H. Coombe.
Captain—Chas. Leach.
Rep. to O. H. A.—W. A. Buchanan,

The club starts out with a largely increased membership, and the prospects for the coming season are exceptionally good.

CURLIANA.

The annual meeting of the Lakefield Curling Club was held on Tuesday evening last. The attendance of members was good, and a great deal of interest was taken in the proceedings.

After the routine business the following officers were elected:

Patron—Mr. F. J. Tate.
Patroness—Mrs. F. J. Tate.
President—Levi Payne.
Vice President—G. B. Hilliard.
Chaplain—A. W. Mackenzie.
Sec.-Treas.—M. L. Strickland.
Committee of Management—R. C. Strickland, J. C. Grylls, J. P. Strickland and J. W. Ridpath.

The election of skips was left over until such times as the club saw fit.

It was decided to enter the Ontario Curling Association this year.

The club starts out this season with good prospects, and it is expected that the season will be a lively one in Lakefield, although the club was a little late in re-organizing.

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MANY ATTRACTIONS.

These are Busy Days at the Young Men's Christian Association.

Last evening no less than five different meetings and classes were held in the building at the same time.

There was a good attendance of members in the Bible class room, when it was decided to organize a debating club. Splendid speeches were made by Messrs. Bennet, C. H. Bradburn, Geo. Fisher and the General Secretary. A committee was appointed to draft a constitution to submit to the meeting next Friday evening at 8.15 when organization will be completed.

About 35 boys were present at the boys' meeting last night. Mr. S. Hall gave an able address on "Daniel." The meeting was followed by a social, in connection with which the boys gave a number of books and other gifts to the boys' room.

The membership contest score now stands:

Thistles	744 points
Shamrocks	77 "
Roses	47 "

Rev. W. J. Clarke, of Belleville, will speak in the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday to men only at 5.15; subject, "Crumbs from a Lion's meal."

General Secretary's Bible class at three o'clock.

To-night the regular social service will be held at 8 p. m. Subject, "Christ, the perfect man."

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CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. First Sunday in Advent, November 28th. Services:—8.30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer and sermon, preacher—Rev. E. V. Stevenson; 3 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. First Sunday in Advent—November 28th. Services, Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon at 11 a.m. Subject, "The Second Advent the hope of the Christian."; 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon. Service and Bible class on the Book of Genesis on Thursday evening at 8.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Nov. 28th. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28th. Services at 11 a. m. by the pastor, and at 7 p.m. by Jas S Potter, Sailors' Missionary. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday 8 p.m, Subject, "Temperance."

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28th. Services at 11 a.m. conducted by pastor, and 7 p. m. by Rev. W. G. Clarke, B.A. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B., pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28th. The following services will be held: Rev J Liddy, Ph B, of Keene, will preach morning and evening at 11 and 7. The evening service will especially evangelistic in its character. The classes Nos 2 and 3 will meet at 10 a m., and Class No 3 at 12:15 p m. The revival services will be continued next week Everybody welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class 3 p m. Young People's Union every Monday evening 8 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O C Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Nov. 28. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening. Bible Training class Friday evening at 8 p.m.

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A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

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	Highest.	*Lowest*
Yesterday	54°	18°

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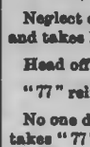

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THE FRENCH AT NIKKI

Reported Battle With the British Denied,

BUT THE SITUATION IS STRAINED

The French Are Engaged in Raiding Contested Territory and a Collision is Not Improbable — Resignation of the Austrian Ministry — Death of a Waterloo Veteran.

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Nov. 27.—The report of a collision between British and French troops near Nikki is unfounded. The French expedition from Porto Novo has reached Nikki without any trouble.

A Confirmatory Telegram.

Paris, Nov. 27.—M. Lebon, Minister of the Colonies, has received a cable despatch denying that there has been any fighting between the French and British forces at Ornur Nikki, in the Lagos Hinterland, West Africa.

Danger of Roving Expeditions.

London, Nov. 28.—In spite of the cheery optimism of the Colonial Offices of both Great Britain and France the rumors of a conflict at Nikki between French and British forces is a matter of the greatest gravity. The reasons for disbelieving the reports are far from convincing. Since the initiation of the policy of sending armed bands from Dahomey and Lagos, led by officers, to assert the authority of their respective nations and grab anything in sight which might still be unoccupied, it has been obvious that a collision was bound to occur sooner or later. Both Governments have repeatedly been warned to recall these roving expeditions and await the settlement of the delimitation commission now sitting at Paris. It is difficult to apportion the blame for this state of affairs. That the French initiated the system of raiding the contested territory in West Africa is indisputable, but the Colonial Columbus as Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the Liberal leader, has nicknamed Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, made what some think a false step in following suit.

Was Wounded at Waterloo.

London, Nov. 29.—Lawrence McCarthy, probably the oldest man in the world and the last survivor of the combatants at Waterloo, has just died in the workhouse at Nenagh, Tipperary, aged 115 years.

McCarthy was born in Nenagh early in 1782, and had a vivid recollection of the horrors of the rebellion of 1798. He had attained his 33rd year when he fought at Waterloo, where he was severely wounded.

LABOR IN BRITAIN.

Engineering Conference Bodes Ill for the Organizations Talk of a National Convention of Labor.

London, Nov. 29.—The engineering conference apparently bodes ill to trades unionism. The essence of the provisional agreement is that the "Masters' Union" (Employers' Federation) is to be free to introduce into any of the federation workshops the conditions existing in any other workshop, without reference to the wishes of the trades unions. The employers have in mind the *system of piecework*, in which the unions have no voice, prevailing in certain workshops, and it is the right to substitute individual agreements for collective bargains, which the masters are asking the unions to sign away. If this is accomplished, it involves such vital changes in the methods upon which industry has hitherto been conducted as to menace every trades union in the country. Indeed, the situation is regarded as being so critical that there is talk of summoning a national convention of representatives of all organised labor to discuss the matter.

Masters Have the Best of It.

New York, Nov. 29.—The London correspondent of The Tribune says: The conference of the engineering trade has settled the most difficult question under discussion. This relates to the management of shops, piecework and machines. The masters have carried their main point, and can well afford to be generous in dealing with the question of hours.

Belfast Elects Labor Candidates.

Belfast, Nov. 29.—The municipal elections here resulted for the first time in the election of six Labor and eight Nationalist councillors. Several Independents defeated Conservatives, while in two Nationalist wards two Conservatives, headed by the Catholic bishop and priests, defeated Dillonites. Ex-Lord McCammond was defeated by an Independent.

LORD MOUNTSTEPHEN'S MARRIAGE.

Postponed Event Solemnized With Much Ceremony at Westminster.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—A special cable to The Star says:

London, Nov. 27.—There was a large and fashionable attendance at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, this afternoon to witness the marriage of Lord Mountstephen to Miss Diana Tuinel, who was a lady in waiting to the late Duchess of Teck. The officiating clergymen were the Bishop of Peterborough and the Rev. Mr. Coggin, vicar of Lemsford. The chancel of St. Margaret's was lavishly decorated with choice plants and flowers. The impressive service was choral.

Amidst the ringing of bells and the strains of the "Wedding March" from the organ, Lord Mountstephen, attended by Sir John McNeill, took his place at the altar railings. The bride, leaning on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Tuinell, passed up the aisle and took her place. She was attended in the capacity as bridesmaids by four pretty little girl relatives, beautifully attired. Then the service commenced.

There were noticed among the guests Field Marshal Viscount Wolseley, Field Marshal Sir Donald Stewart, Admiral Lord Clanwilliam, Sir Stafford and Lady Northcote, Mr. T. Baring, Col. and Mrs. Fellowes, Lord and Lady Selbourne, Lord and Lady Waldegrave, Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, Lord and Lady Clifford, Rev. R. H. Jephson and Mr. Charles Johnston.

B. S. McInnes, his Lordship's private secretary, acted as one of the ushers. There was no formal reception.

Lord and Lady Mountstephen left for the Continent this afternoon. Upon their return to London they will take up their residence at Brocket Hall.

MR. FIELDING IN ENGLAND.

Canada's Finance Minister Attends a Conference at Manchester.

London, Nov. 27.—(Telegram special.)—Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian Minister of Finance, after luncheon with the chairman of the canal directors, Manchester, held a conference at the Lord Mayor's office. There was in attendance a representative body of merchants, and the subjects of Canadian trade and insolvency legislation were fully discussed.

In conversation to-day at Liverpool, Hon. W. S. Fielding expressed the opinion that the Manchester Canal would be a good route to a distributing point for Canadian produce. He qualified his opinion, however, with the statement that the regular line of steamers necessary could not be established without financial aid from both the Canadian and the Imperial Governments.

"We Must Forestall England."

Berlin, Nov. 29.—The presence of Emperor William at Kiel upon the occasion of swearing in the naval recruits has had the expected effect of clearing the situation, so far as Germany's attitude toward China and Hayti is concerned. Within two months a squadron of eight fine cruisers, having on board 3500 men, will be assembled in Chinese waters, and the fact that Prince Henry of Prussia, brother of His Majesty, is to command half this force, lends probability to the reports current in Government circles that hot work is expected, as Prince Henry's great ambition for years past has been to win naval laurels.

Furthermore, the correspondent here of the Associated Press has been told by gentlemen who were at Kiel upon the occasion referred to, that Emperor William, in conversation with Admiral Von Knorr, commander-in-chief of the Imperial Navy, and with Prince Henry, made use of the expression: "We must forestall England."

An Austrian Steamer Sunk.

Constantinople, Nov. 27.—The Austrian-Lloyd steamer Diana has been in a collision off Galatea with the British steamer Antonio. The Diana sank. The 180 passengers and 40 members of the crew of the Diana were saved.

The Diana, which was built at Dumbarton in 1866, registered 1708 tons gross, was 282 feet long, had 35 feet beam and was 23½ feet deep.

Liberals Re-Nominated.

Windsor, Nov. 29.—At the Liberal convention on Saturday Mr. McKee was unanimously nominated for the North Riding of Essex, his present seat in the Legislature.

Brampton, Nov. 29.—Saturday Mr. John Smith, the present member for Peel, received the unanimous nomination of the party again.

BERTRAM'S ANSWER.

His Last Word Completely Floors His Opponents.

TORONTO CENTRE'S FINAL MEET,

Convincing Speeches by the Postmaster-General, the Solicitor-General and Premier Hardy - Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick's Answer to Slanderous Charges Made by Hon. Clarke Wallace.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—The final rally of the campaign in Mr. Bertram's interest was held in the Pavilion on Saturday evening, and proved a very successful and enthusiastic gathering. The splendid addresses delivered by Hon. William Mulock, Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick and Premier Hardy, as well as by the candidate himself, were full of convincing and effective arguments.

The Candidate's Last Word.

Mr. Bertram, in opening his remarks, expressed his belief that he had not only the young Liberals but the old Liberals behind him. No matter what happened, he felt confident of the result, he had made during the past week many acquaintances and friendships that would last through life. He was proud of the support received from the men and of the sympathy of the ladies.

There was but one matter that he proposed to discuss, a question that grieved him much to refer to because it was of a personal nature. The Howland canvassers had told over and over again that he was an irreligious man. His friends had asked him to allude to it and he left his reply as a last word in this campaign and asked the Liberal and Tory papers alike in common justice to report it word for word. Then, amid the reverent silence of his audience, Mr. Bertram said:

I believe in God as the Creator and sustainer of all life, in whom we live and move and have our being.

I believe in the fatherhood of God and brotherhood of man and spiritual leadership of Jesus, the great Galilean Prophet.

I bare my head and bow my knee at the name of Jesus as the leador of all true souls.

I worship at the altar of one living and true God. I read the same Bible and sing the same hymns common to all Christian churches.

I have an undying belief in the immortality of the soul.

I believe that true religion consists in visiting the widows and the fatherless in their affliction and keeping oneself unspotted from the world.

I believe in the religion of Jesus, which is summed up in the words, "Love to God and love to man."

The Postmaster-General.

The Postmaster-General was introduced and was received with much enthusiasm. After referring to the declaration of his religious faith which Mr. Bertram had been obliged to make, he said that he always thought that freedom of conscience was the birthright of every free man, he dealt with the charge which has been made in Mr. Howland's press and on his platform, that a scandal was involved in the Crow's Nest Pass project. The proposition was before Parliament and it was before the country for many months.

There was no citizen of Canada more anxious for the completion of the work than Mr. George E. Foster. He had many an opportunity to speak and raise his voice in protest against the proposition if it was deserving of condemnation. Mr. Foster had consumed one-sixteenth of the time occupied by the last session of Parliament, but it never crossed his mind to say that the transaction was in any sense dishonest or unpatriotic. In the Senate, where all but sixteen of the members were opponents of the Government, no objection was raised to it and no one asserted its passage more than Sir Mackenzie Bowell. Mr. Mulock then discussed the three propositions for preferential trade that had been put forward.

He then passed on to the consideration of his own department, and showed how he had already saved $300,000 a year in its administration.

The Solicitor-General.

The Solicitor-General was given an ovation when the Chairman presented him to the audience. In the present contest he understood that there was nothing objected to regarding the general policy of the Government. There were but two questions raised as an issue, scandals they were termed, by the Conservatives. These questions were the Crow's Nest Pass Railway and the Drummond County Railway transactions.

The speaker then dealt first with the Crow's Nest Pass Railway transaction. Hon. Clarke Wallace had stated that this deal was the greatest scandal of which our political history made mention, and when he said this, standing beside him on the same platform was Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway. "This charge," he said, "was made in the presence of a director of the Canadian Pacific Railway, one of the parties to this nefarious transaction which is said to be the greatest scandal of which history makes mention. I asked myself this question: 'Why should he stand in silence by the side of a man who would make an accusation of that kind against his company?' Surely it must be a sorry condition of things, and it must be a very hopeless cause that requires Mr. Osler to stand idly by and let such a charge be made in order that it may benefit his friend, Mr. Howland. If those are the means to which they must resort their fortunes must be at a low ebb."

Mr. Fitzpatrick made a complete reply to the charge that a scandal is involved in the Drummond County Railway transaction. As a basis of his statement he recited a portion of the history of the Intercolonial Railway, and the comparison which he was enabled to draw between the methods of the present Government and their predecessors was most instructive.

The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, the candidate and Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his Government.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

DURING the past season over two million boxes of cheese have been sent from Canada to England and there is still some 700,000 boxes to be shipped. The grand total of Canada's cheese exports this season will total a value of twenty million dollars—about four dollars for each man, woman and child in the Dominion. Besides the value of the butter exported was three times that of last year, or over two millions and three quarters of dollars. Our dairying interests are large and much of their importance is due to wise government assistance.

HON. N. CLARKE WALLACE says that "a political party's existence depends largely upon the results of bye elections." By this standard the Liberal party is in a pretty comfortable position. Since the 23rd of June, 1896, Liberals have been returned in twelve cases by acclamation and six seats have been retained by a contest and seven have been captured from Conservatives. The Conservatives managed to retain two of the seats they gained in the general elections, East Simcoe and Champlain. Therefore, according to Mr. Wallace's standard, the Liberals have done pretty well, and the addition of Centre Toronto will confirm their favourable condition. If the Conservatives win, then it will be the first offset to twenty-five successful bye-elections.

"MACK," in Toronto Saturday night, thus refers to the succession duties in connection with the Cawthra estate, left by the late Mrs. Cawthra-Murray, of Toronto:—"The statement is made that the Province of Ontario will collect $250,000 in the way of succession duties on the Cawthra estate. This is a considerable sum of money, but the collecting of it will impose no hardship on anyone. Now that the principle is affirmed and acceded to that governments have the right to impose such a tax as this, we may expect to see the idea extended." There is no doubt that the greater part of this immense sum of money, between three and four millions, has escaped municipal taxation during and since its accumulation, and incidentally that many taxpayers have been oppressively taxed in the way of paying interest. It is therefore eminently just that it should pay its fair share of the cost of the civic protection which has surrounded the operations, rendering the accumulation possible.

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But Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets do more. While they are digesting the food, they rest the stomach; tone it up, restore all its old strength, and give it a new supply.

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PREMIER HARDY ON PROVINCIAL QUESTIONS

CONDENSED REPORT OF HIS ADDRESS AT AYLMER.

The Record of His Government—Excellent Legislation as Well as Administrative Record.

In an address recently delivered at Aylmer, Hon. A. S. Hardy, Provincial Premier, pointed out that the Liberal party had been equally active in the promotion of good legislation during the brief session which had been held since he had become Premier, a session than which there had been none more fruitful in the past in measures calculated to promote the best interests of the people. He pointed to the record of the Government, and asked what questions had arisen that they had not dealt with, what they left undone that they ought to have done. He had asked their opponents to point to any one question upon which they had fallen behind public opinion. They had failed to answer, because from every quarter, notably from the judicial bench, came the complaint that they had moved too rapidly rather than too slowly. His government, being a continuation of Sir Oliver Mowat's Government, could hardly be expected to launch a number of new and burning questions upon the people; they had kept pace with the times, and they relied upon their record for good, safe, sound and progressive government. He again challenged his opponents if they had any policy to come out and let the intelligent electorate know what it is. Mr. Whitney and his supporters had been speaking all over this Province since June 14th, and he was compelled to ask them now what their policy is. He asked any Conservative, even Mr. Brower himself, if he happened to be present, to name any single act of third-rate importance, any single stroke of policy of even third class importance that either Mr. Whitney, Mr. Willoughby, Mr. Miscampbell or Mr. Matheson have avowed they will place upon the statute books of the province. (Loud cheers.) All this shows that the Government have not been behind in their legislation, that there are not many flaws in their administrative record. He did not say that there is nothing more to do, because in a progressive province there must always be legislation to keep pace with the march of progress. Mr. Hardy then reviewed the history of the agitation for the abolition of Government House, and his explanation of the manner in which the Government had grappled with the question according to their pledge to the people and had settled it upon terms against which no patron had voted in the Legislature, which relieved the province entirely from the maintenance of Government House in five years and provided for a reduction of 50 per cent. in the cost in the meantime, was received with every mark of approval. The question of official fees was next dealt with, and it was shown that three separate measures had been passed cutting them down, until now some of the officials complained that they were cut down so fine that they could not in some cases much more than pay office expenses. The large incomes to which exception had been taken were in any event, it was pointed out, confined to a few of the larger cities, where the boom had given a great impetus to dealings in real estate and litigation consequent thereon, but which had now become a thing of the past. The incomes now derived from the fee system are not larger than the amounts which their opponents had declared in the House to be a fair and reasonable salary to pay, and the amounts received by the officials of Elgin County were quoted in proof of this assertion to the satisfaction of the audience.

ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE PATRONS.

These were two questions which the Patrons made their own during the last election, and the Government had dealt with them. The complaint that the officials took too active a part in elections was also dealt with by the House by the adoption of a resolution, introduced with the sanction of the Government. Having done this the Government are in a position, where the Patrons have not a candidate of their own, to invite their co-operation. There had been no hard language towards the Patrons on the part of themselves or any member of the Liberal party, whilst the Conservatives upon the floor of the Houses at Ottawa and Toronto had taunted and sneered and jibed at the Patrons. The speeches of Mr. Whitney and Mr. Bennett were given as cases in point. The position of Mr. Whitney upon the licenses bill and his vote against giving the municipal councils power to shorten the hours of sale showed how much might be expected from his promise of a better license law. In reference to the oft-repeated assertions of Mr. Whitney and his supporters that there is no surplus Hon. Mr. Hardy spoke at some length, showing that not only had it a real and tangible existence, but that although since coming into power the Government had spent enormous sums in aid of railways to develop the country, and in the erection and establishment of public institutions, and had relieved the municipalities in various ways of further large expenditures, they still had a surplus much larger than that left by the Sandfield Macdonald Government. The Engledue lease was also explained, and the policy of the Government in endeavouring to induce the investment of British capital in the development of our mineral resources was defended. The terms of the lease were reviewed in detail, and the Premier announced that sixty men were now at work prospecting, and that on one of the locations they had made a good discovery, but had not struck anything on the other. That the explanations of the various acts of the Government referred to were entirely satisfactory was shown by the hearty applause which greeted every point, and Mr. Hardy sat down amid a storm of applause.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

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TORONTO MARKETS.

FLOUR—The market was quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $4.10 to $4.15 middle freights, Manitoba patents at $5.40 to $5.60 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The market continues firm. Sales of red winter were made west to-day at 95c, high freights, and white is quoted at 94c. No. 2 spring is quoted at 94c on Midland, and goose at 73c to 79c. No. 1 Manitoba hard 95c to 96c Port William, and $1 Goderich and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is steady, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 22c.

OATS—The market is quiet, with sales of white at 24½c to 25c west, and at 23c on Midland. Mixed oats 23c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 43½c to 44c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with prices steady. It is quoted at 31c, and cars sold at 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 45c high freights, and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is firm, with cars quoted at 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8 to $8.25 Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Lambskins, 90c to $1.

WOOL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 21c to 22c, and extras at 23c to 24c.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9¼c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard, firm, at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5¼c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 60c per bag, on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 12c to 13c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade inactive, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 9c per lb.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 27.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3¾d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 3d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 34s 6d; do., light, 34s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 42s 0d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart; on passage, sellers ask 3d to 6d advance. Maize on passage firmer.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm. Futures steady at 7s 7d for Dec., 7s 7½d for March and 7s 6¾d for May. Maize steady at 3s 3½d for Dec., 3s 2½d for Jan. and 3s 2⅝d for Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

Cheese Markets.

Canton, N. Y., Nov. 27.—Cheese all sold; 800 tubs butter offered; no sales at 10 o'clock. Market lower here.

London, Ont., Nov. 27.—At this, the last market of the season, seven factories offered 2785 boxes; sales, 55 at 8c, 1130 at 8 3-16c. Cheese in this section about all sold.

Watertown, N.Y., Nov. 27.—Market inactive; sales, 5000 large white sold at 7¾c to 8c; small single and twins at 8⅛c. Fifteen thousand cheese unsold in Jefferson County

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Heavy Cashmere Seamless Hose, with Double Heel and Toes, fast blacks, only	30c
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All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and grays, only	65c

FLANNELETTE GOWNS.

Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front	58c
Extra Heavy Flannelette Gowns, double yoke, back and front, Bishop sleeves, frilled Collar Front and Sleeves	69c
Special line of English Pink Flannelette Gowns, extra large size, made same as above	85c

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Mr. William Dorman, 767 Gerrard street, east, Toronto, Canada, says: "For seven years I was a great sufferer from bladder trouble. I was treated by physicians and used all kinds of patent medicines and to no treatments, but without any permanent relief. Advised by a friend I decided to give Munyon's Bladder Cure a trial. From the very first I experienced great relief, and after using less than one 25c. bottle I have been completely cured. As I lacked confidence in Munyon's Remedies, the result to me has been simply wonderful.

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure never fails to relieve in 1 to 3 hours, and cures in a few days. Price 25c.

Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure positively cures all forms of indigestion and stomach troubles. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia and breaks up a cold in a few hours. Price 25c.

Munyon's Cough Cure stops coughs, night sweats, allays soreness and speedily heals the lungs. Price 25c.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease. Price 25c.

Munyon's Nerve Cure stops nervousness and builds up the system. Price 25c.

Munyon's Catarrh Remedies never fail. The Catarrh Cure—price 25c—eradicates the disease from the system, and the Catarrh Tablets—price 25c—cleanse and heal the parts.

Munyon's Asthma Cure and Herbs relieve asthma in three minutes and cure in five days. Price 50c each.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes. Price 25c.

Munyon's Pile Ointment positively cures all forms of piles. Price 25c.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood. Price 25c.

Munyon's Vitaliser restores lost powers to weak men. Price $1.

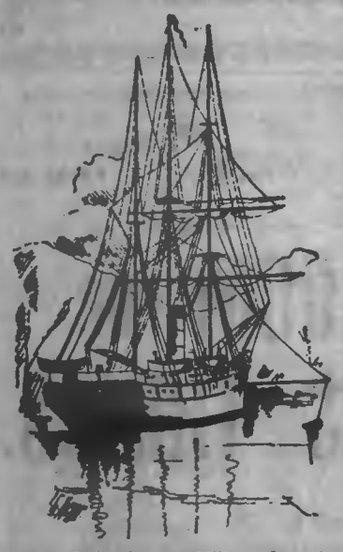
A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, 25c a bottle.

Personal letters to Professor Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

THE BEAR SAILS.

To the Relief of the 265 Persons Imprisoned Within Eight Vessels in the Arctic Ice.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 29.—The United States revenue cutter Bear sailed Saturday night for Alaska to rescue the imprisoned whalers in the Arctic Ocean. The best information obtainable gives the assurance of truth to the reports that a fleet of eight whaling vessels are icebound in the Arctic Ocean somewhere in the vicinity of Point Barrow, and that the 265 persons who were at last accounts on board those vessels are in all probability in dire distress. The United States Government therefore sends this expedition to the rescue. Capt. Tuttle was chosen as commander of the expedition because of his long experience in Arctic work, his familiarity with the region of Arctic Alaska from Point Barrow and the coast line washed by the Behring Sea, from which he but recently



returned, his known ability and reputation as an able and competent officer, especially fit him for the trust. His ship, the Bear, is officered by an incomparable body of men and manned by a crew of his own selection. The ship is fully equipped, fitted and provisioned for the perilous work in view, for such it must be under the most favorable conditions.

The Bear is loaded with 300 barrels of beef, pork, corned beef, flour, sugar, coffee, hard bread, rice and canned goods. Enough provisions are carried to last the officers and crew of the Bear for one year, with 12,000 rations extra for the whalers. Captain Tuttle is given the largest discretion regarding the expedition, for the department realizes that contingencies and emergencies may arise, now unforseen, and which only the commander of the expedition can meet.

But in general he is ordered to steam as far north as possible—to try and make Norton Sound, which is to be the base of operation. Two points are to be especially observed:

First—Food must be gotten to the starving men.

Second—The best and most feasible method of doing this is to be adopted.

Capt. Tuttle carries with him a big budget of letters to those imprisoned in Arctic ice.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

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BEAR GARDENS OVER.

Outcome of the Riots in the Austrian Reichsrath.

BADENI'S MINISTRY RESIGNS.

Another Riotous Scene in the Austrian Parliament Before the Downfall of the Administration - Rioting in Vienna Requires the Hussars to Supplement Police in Obtaining Order.

Vienna, Nov. 29.—The members of the Austrian Ministry yesterday tendered their resignations to Emperor Francis Joseph, who accepted them and entrusted Baron Gautsch, who holds the portfolio of Public Instruction in the retiring Ministry, with the task of forming a new Cabinet. This morning Emperor Francis Joseph addressed an autograph letter to Count Badeni, decreeing the adjourning of the Reichsrath until further orders.

Before the assembling dense masses of people, for the most part workmen, thronged the Ring strasse, from the University to the outer gate of the Hofburg. A charge by the mounted police with drawn swords failing to disperse them, a body of Hussars cleared the streets at sabre point, many persons being wounded. The ambulance society immediately sent two vans to attend the injured.

The streets became more quiet during the afternoon, but at sunset thousands reassembled in the Frangen Ring and the Rathhaus Park, where they indulged in stormy protests against the Government, the passengers in the street cars and omnibuses who went by joining in cries of "Down with Badeni."

Suddenly a change came over the scene. The report spread like wildfire that Count Badeni had resigned. The demonstration ceased almost instantly when the news was confirmed by the police authorities and their subordinates, who announced to the people at various points that they were instructed to inform them of the Cabinet's resignation.

AUSTRIA'S BEAR GARDEN.

The Police Interfere and One of the Delegates is Arrested - The Ejection of Mark Twain.

Vienna, Nov. 28.—The bear garden scenes in the lower house of the Reichsrath were continued yesterday. When the othus, Dr. Abrahamovics, appeared, there was a chorus of "Shame upon you" from the Leftists, accompanied by a deafening noise of whistles and the slamming of desk lids. Many of the Leftists gathered in front of the President's platform, shouting and blowing toy trumpets and flutes while the President was ringing his bell for order. This scene lasted about a quarter of an hour, during which the President quietly remained seated. Then he suspended the sitting.

As President Abrahamovics was leaving the House a number of Leftists pelted him with paper balls. Thereupon the President returned and stood unmoved. After waiting ten minutes and the uproar continuing, the President left the platform. During his absence the noise was not abated, and Dr. Wolff, the German Nationalist leader, and one of the suspended members of the House, who entered about that time, was forcibly ejected by the police, to whom he offered a violent resistance. According to one account Dr. Wolff had to be gagged and was afterwards bundled into a cab and taken to a police station.

At 10.40 a.m., the Vice-President appeared and declared the sitting closed, adding that the date of the next session would be communicated to the members of the House by letter.

Of the 51 persons arrested during the street demonstrations here yesterday, 18 have been sent before the provincial tribunal, charged with causing an illegal assemblage and with holding up the authorities to contempt. One was charged with public violence, ten were denounced to the public prosecutor for trespassing, five will be tried for interfering with official acts, 15 have been fined and one person has been acquitted. The cases of the rest have not been decided.

Later in the day Dr. Wolff was bailed. His case will be referred to the Provincial Court, before which he will be charged with public violence.

Mr. Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), while being forcibly ejected from the lower house of the Reichsrath yesterday, was struck violently by a Czech delegate.

The Reichswehr declared that the uproar in the lower house of the Reichsrath has no connection with the campaign against the language ordinances, but was due to the action of the international social democracy, which considers the time has arrived to complete its destructive work against the State and Empire. Continuing, The Reichswehr says that in view of this fact the State will not yield.

The San Jose Scale in Essex.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 29.—George Mills, Government inspector of fruit trees for the County of Essex, has discovered a section where over two thousand trees are infected with the San Jose scale. He expects that at least one thousand will have to be burned, causing a loss of $6000 or $8000. The infected trees are said to have been part of a large consignment from New Jersey. The County Council has been asked to assist the Government official in stamping out the plague.

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MURDER MOST FOUL.

One of the Most Dastardly and Bloodthirsty Crimes Stands Revealed in Its Appalling Horror.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—Of all the bloodthirsty and deliberately contrived crimes recorded in this province, yesterday's developments around the Poirier murder case at St. Canuto, give it the first place. The facts are these: Poirier, the victim, was an easy-going man, a carpenter by trade, and his only fault appears to have been an appetite for strong drink. He was about 68 years of age and his wife some eight years younger, and, although she was considered somewhat frivolous, Mrs. Poirier was supposed to be a fairly good woman, and this opinion of her seems to have been shared by the parish priest of St. Canute, as she had been engaged for some time past as organist of the village church.

On Sunday morning, however, the whole country was startled by the discovery of Poirier's dead body lying across the bed, his throat cut from ear to ear, and a bloody knife near at hand.

At the Coroner's inquest both the suspects were heard, and they deposed that Poirier had often threatened to take his life, as his business was not going well. However, when Detective McCaskill arrived on the scene he carefully looked over the situation and clapped madame and her lover in jail in very short order. Then the officers began the same tactics that worked so well in the Tom Nulty case over in Rawdon, and with the same success. In a short time the detective had the full confession from their lips.

Sam Paralow declared that he was passionately in love with Mrs. Poirier, and that she had time and again wished him to kill her husband. Some six months ago he bought a revolver in Montreal to do the deadly job, but the woman said that the report would be heard and that they would be caught in the act. He said that he sharpened a butcher knife and that when Poirier was asleep on the bed Saturday night, his wife held her husband down while he (Paralow) cut the man's throat.

Mrs. Poirier makes, however, somewhat of a different story. She said that Sam committed the deed alone, as he had often told her he would put her husband out of the way without her knowing anything about it. She admits, however, that she told Sam that they would divide the $2000 insurance between them. These are the awful facts, and it is generally believed that Paralow's version of the butchery is the correct one.

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100 pieces Heavy All Wool French Dress Goods, fawns, browns, myrtles, navys and blacks, worth 65c, realization price..... .35
75 pieces Heavy All Wool Scotch Tweeds, Broadcloth and Serges, worth 75c per yard, realization price..... .50
25 pieces Heavy Tweed Dress Goods, worth 35 to 40c, realization price..... .20
10 pieces Heavy Double width Miltons, Serges, &c., worth 25c to 30c, realization price.... .20
5 pieces Heavy Double Width Tweeds, worth 17c, realization price..... .12½
75 yds. Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1.25, realization price..... $1 00
75 yds. Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1.50, realization price..... 1.25
75 pieces Heavy Black Peau de Soi Silk, worth $1.75, realization price..... 1.50
75 pieces Heavy Black Gros Grain Silk, worth $1 25, realization price..... 1.00
75 yds, Heavy Gros Grain Silk, worth $1.50, realization price..... 1.25
75 yds. Heavy Gros Grain Silk, worth $2.25, realization price..... 1.50
1000 yds. Habutai Pure Silk, Art shades, worth 25c, realization price..... .20
800 yds. China Silks, Art shades, worth 20c and 25c, realization price..... .12½

Smallwares, Fancy Goods and Novelties.

Brainard & Armstrong Art Embroidery Silks, Filo, Romen, Rope and Twisted Embroidery Silk, all shades, per skein..... .2
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Stamped Linens at Half Price.
All Shades Double Satin Back Ribbon, 2½ in. wide, realization price..... .10
All Shades Double, Satin Back, Ribbon 1 in. wide, realization price..... .5
All Shades Pure Silk Ribbon, 1 in. wide, realization price..... .3
All Shades Veilings, realization price..... .10
Narrow Silk and Oriental Laces for Fancy Work, realization price..... .10
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1000 pairs Children's Cashmere Hose, realization price, per pair..... .10
50 doz. Ladies' Plain and Ribbed Cashmere Hose, realization price, 2 pair for..... .45
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25 dez Ladies Heavy All Wool Hose, realization price, per pair..... .15
10 doz. Ladies' Real French Kid Gloves, lacing, all sizes, Black and Tan, realization price. .75
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100 pair Heavy Steel Filled Drab Corsets, worth 75c, realization price..... .50
100 pair Heavy Steel Filled Drab Corsets, worth $1.00, realization price..... .75
5 doz. Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price..... .12
5 doz. Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price, each..... .20
10 doz Ladies' Wool Undervests, realization price each..... .25
10 doz. Ladies' Heavy Undervests, realization price..... .35
10 doz. Ladies' All Wool vests, realization price..... .50
10 doz Ladies Heavy All Wool Vests, realization price..... .75
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100 yards Crash Toweling, realization price 5
1000 yards Grey Cotton, extra good, per yard. .3
1000 yards Grey Cotton, extra good, per yard. .5
100 yards Art Muslin, worth 10c, realization price..... .5
800 yards Fancy Flannelette, to be sold at..... .10
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800 yards Light and Dark Prints, worth 12½c, realization price..... .8
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Carpet Dept.

600 yards 5-frame Brussels, per yard..... 1.50
100 yards All Wool Carpet per yard..... .60
150 yards Union Carpet, per yard..... .25
100 yards Stair Oil Cloth, per yard..... .10
100 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth $1.25, for..... 1 00
50 pair Nottingham Lace Curtains, worth $1, for..... .85
4 pair only Chenille Curtains, worth $14.50, for 8.00
3 pair only Tapestry Curtains, worth $6.00, for 5 00
100 Window Shades, complete with lace, each .45
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LOCAL NEWS.

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The Coming Concert.

The choir of St. Paul's church has always taken a high place in the estimation of our musical people in the matter of providing first class concerts, and their aim has always been to raise the standard of music in our midst. The choir has been augmented to 50 voices and purposes giving a concert in the Opera House on Thursday evening, Dec. 9th. The excellent character of their singing in sacred music will promise some good work in the programme of part songs by the best writers of the day. Mr. Douglas Bird, tenor, of Detroit, who stands high as a concert tenor, together with *Miss Jessie Alexander*, our own popular entertainer, will assist the choir in a programme which bids fair to be the best of the season.

A Beany Episode.

A story is being told, which is a very good one, but we cannot vouch for its truthfulness. One of the clerks on this section of the T.V.C. keeps such late hours when he sees his best girl that in the mornings he has that tired and dreamy feeling, making it very difficult for him to keep track of the number of men employed. At last one day he hit upon an easy way of doing so. Before going down to work he took a goodly supply of beans—common everyday beans, with him, and for every man counted he dropped a bean in his pocket. He made out his week report, and it was, as he though, one that any person could understand very easily, but the surprise of his superior in office may be imagined when he read the report which showed Buchanan's gang so many beans, Fitzgerald's gang so many beans, Patterson's gang so many beans. It was some time before he found out what the beans meant, and the clerk will no doubt in future do without beans.—Lakefield News.

WAS IT A JOKE?

A Man Takes a Turkey From in Front of a Grocery and Says he Did it for Fun.

Richard Bailey was arrested on Saturday afternoon on a warrant charging him with the theft of a turkey.

Bailey lives on Reid street, and when on his way home Saturday, took the turkey from in front of Mr. Fleming's grocery and slipped it under his frieze overcoat. A young son of Mr. Fleming saw that something unusual was occurring, although he could not make out what was wrong. He ran out to take a look after Bailey, and saw the head and neck of a turkey hanging down below the bottom of his overcoat. A glance at the front of the store revealed the fact that a turkey was gone, and he instantly surmised what had become of it, and told his mother.

Mrs. Fleming immediately followed Bailey to his boarding house, situated a few doors away and found him in possession of the turkey. He endeavoured to laugh the matter off as a joke, but Mrs. Fleming thought the matter had gone too far for that and had a warrant issued for him.

At a special session of the police court Saturday afternoon the prisoner was remanded until Tuesday.

Bailey is the American stonemason who was recently up before the magistrate on a charge of neglecting to support his wife.

THE DIFFICULY SETTLED.

And the Dangerous Condition of George Street on Account of the Street Railway Rails to be Remedied.

Quite a number of citizens who were out on George street this morning at about ten o'clock wondered at the composition of a little procession that came marching down the centre of the road four abreast and one deep. The quartette was composed of Councillors J. B. McWilliams, chairman of the Street and Bridge Committee; T. E. Bradburn, President of the Street Railway Company; Town Clerk Armstrong and Street Inspector Ranney.

They were inspecting the condition of the rails which have occasioned so much complaint on account of the danger involved to rigs in crossing them, protruding, as they were, several inches above the roadway in places.

It seems that an amicable agreement has been reached with the Street Railway Company, whereby the level of the street is to be raised to the rails, the cost to be defrayed by the town and company each paying half.

As the ground is frozen up it is only possible to put gravel on the street this fall, but in the spring it will be metalled and the space between the rails rolled into a path for bicyclists.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

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FATHER CHADWICK'S ADDRESS ON SIN.

IN ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL LAST EVENING.

He Urges the Congregation to Repent and Put on the Armour of Jesus Christ as the Day of Salvation is Near at Hand.

At vespers yesterday in St. Peter's Cathedral Rev. Father Chadwick, chaplain on the United States Navy battleship, "Maine," preached a most eloquent sermon, taking "Sin" as his subject. He took his text from the Epistle for the day—the first Sunday in Advent, being Romans xiii, 11-14:

> And that, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep; for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed.
>
> The night is far spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light.
>
> Let us walk honestly, as in the day; not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and wantonness, nor in strife and envying.
>
> But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make not provision for the flesh, to fulfil the lusts thereof.

In the course of his address the speaker referred to Advent as a time of preparation, and spoke of the lesson which the Church presented in telling all to prepare for the day of their salvation, which was at hand. We are admonished to cast off the works of darkness and to put on the armour of light—to cast away sin and to take the Lord Jesus. Our first duty is to put away sin. Do we realize what a terrible thing it is?

The speaker pointed out a few of the various evils to which man was subject: sickness, poverty and wretchedness, but according to the Holy Scriptures these, he stated, were nothing to the evil of sin. Quotations were then made from the Scripture in proof of this assertion: "If thy right eye offend thee pluck it out and cast it from thee, . . and if thy right hand offend thee cut it off and cast it from thee: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell."

He was positive that in our own souls we realized that sin was the greatest of evils, and pictured a man elevated to the highest dignity—made a king, with wealth, pomp, power, courtiers and all the accessories to royalty, but who had raised himself to his high position by perjury and sin. He then contrasted with him the poor man—a beggar—a Lazarus at the gate—and stated that in our very souls we would respect the poor man who was virtuous, pure and holy, rather than a king who came to his power through injustice and sin. Royalty cannot give respect to sin; neither can rags prevent us from honouring virtue.

Father Chadwick then contrasted the evils that men experience and which they regret the most. When they pass through sickness they remember it and rejoice that they passed through it and it bears with it no remorse, whereas the days passed in sin when they are recalled give no peace in the remembrance, but rather remorse and we would seek to blot them from our memory if possible.

The history of the world showed that all evil came through sin. Everything was beautiful and there was no sin in the Garden of Eden before Adam and Eve offended.

Then it was only through the passion of our Lord Jesus Christ, who conquered sin and death, that peace and grace came into the world again.

In concluding the speaker exhorted his congregation that now the day of salvation was at hand, to repent and put on the armour of the Lord Jesus.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

The Case of Brown vs. the Village of Lakefield Still on.

The non jury sittings of the High Court of Justice opened before Judge Rose this afternoon at the Court House. Amongst the legal gentlemen attending were Messrs. W. R. Riddell, Q. C., Toronto; A. L. Colville, Campbellford; R. M. Ruddy, Millbrook; G. J. Sherry, Norwood; D. W. Dumble, W. J. Johnston, W. A. Stratton, R. R. Hall, Geo. Edmison, R. M. Dennistoun, E. B. Stone, J. Williams Bennett, D. O'Connell.

The first case taken up was that of Brown vs. The Village of Lakefield.—E. B. Stone for plaintiff, Dumble & Johnston for defendant. A case in which the plaintiff, J. G. Brown, sues the Village of Lakefield for $200, and asks that the defendants be restrained from causing the surface water from a newly constructed culvert across the street to discharge itself in such a manner as to flood his premises in the spring. The defendants state that the plaintiffs' land is the lowest in the village, and that the culvert has been in existence for over twenty years. Mr. W. R. Riddell, Q. C., of Toronto, is acting as counsel for the plaintiff.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Keep Your House in Order.

What a convenient secretarie is to an orderly business man, a handy workbasket is to a tidy housekeeper—a place for everything and everything in its proper place. Ladies are invited to inspect our new stock of convenient fancy work baskets, with or without stands, novel spool baskets, pretty nursery baskets, etc. At the same time we wish them to see some new and very handsomely framed pictures in very effective mouldings, quite taking, at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect is to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

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417 GEORGE STREET, Nov. 24th, 1897

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Just a month from to-day will be Christmas Day—a day strong in the hearts of the people of the country as well as of the town. What splendid shape we soon will be in for Christmas shoppers, when our marvellous display of Holiday Goods is placed on exhibition!

But for another week we must keep on contriving to make more room for Santa Claus' stocks. What a time we have had, selling at any price to clear off the counters and shelves for the new things to come. For another week we must keep it up—this selling at any price—and the money saving chances we have to offer ought to bring the farmers in from the cross-roads and back concessions of the whole country. Give these few sample prices your attention:—

Gregg's Family Prayers $1, for.. .75
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Oxford or International Teacher's Bible $1.50..... $1.12
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, 50c, for..... .40
Common Prayers and Hymns, solid leather, yapped, 60c, for .45
Catholic Piety 25c, for..... .19
Garden of the Soul 25c, for..... .19
Ladies' Purses, silver mounted, worth 35c, for..... .22
Ladies' German Purse, 3 pockets, 50c, for..... .35
Ladies' Purses, solid leather mounted..... .45
Your choice of a dozen different games for..... .25
Leisure Hour, 1896, bound..... .99
Sunday at Home, 1896, bound.... .99
Annie Swan series of 50c Books.. .38
Henty's series of books, for boys, 20 different titles, $1, for..... .79
500 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .4
800 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .6
300 rolls of Wall Paper at..... .8
55c Window Blinds for..... .37½
25c Dado Blinds for..... .19
30c Fringed Blinds for..... .38
25c Cornice Poles for..... .18
45c Oak and Cherry Poles for.... .38
300 quires of 5c Note Paper for... .3
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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1897.

MAPLE LEAF CHEESE FACTORY.

Annual Ball and Supper on Thanksgiving Eve.

Maple Leaf cheese factory has already won a reputation for holding first-class social assemblies, (not to say anything of their celebrated cheese) but the supper and ball on Thanksgiving eve eclipsed every former effort in this respect.

The affair, of course, was conducted by Mr. Geo. Brooks and his obliging wife, who are to be congratulated upon the evening's success.

About one hundred couple took in the affair, and excellent music was provided by Messrs. Blewitt and Sullivan, Mr. M. Jamieson being master of ceremonies.

The supper provided by Mrs. Brooks is worthy of mention. The tables fairly groaned under the weight of the excellent repast served, and so well was it patronized that the waiters were obliged to serve four tables.

The evening's enjoyment lasted until about 4.30 in the morning, when the guests departed with the hope that all would gather again next season at the annual supper of Maple Leaf cheese factory.

Beware of Cocaine.

Thos. Hays, Analytical Chemist, Toronto, says:—"I have made an examination of Dr. Chase's Cure for Cocaine and any of its compounds from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is a cure—not a drug. Price 25 cents, blower included.

Found a Horse.

Four small boys dropped into the EXAMINER office this afternoon to report the finding of a stray horse on Aylmer street. The animal is at present in Mrs. Drake's stable, 188 Rubidge street, where the owner can have it on payment of expenses. It is a bay with three white feet and a white strip on face.

More.

To-night this charming little lady will introduce herself to a Peterborough audience, and if the encoimums bestowed upon her elsewhere prove aught, she will certainly be a big favourite and play to a succession of good houses. More is supported by a first class company of 20 artists. She carries her own special orchestra. Between the acts and during the play several bright specialties, including cake walks and darkey melodies, are introduced. For so sterling an attraction the prices are very low, 10,20 and 30c. Between the 3rd and 4th acts, animated pictures will be shown by the aid of Edison's Projectoscope.

For Catarrh in any form use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. R. J. Sanders in Detroit on Nov. 21st.

The demise of Martha Sanders, wife of Mr. R. J. Sanders, occurred in Detroit on Sunday, Nov. 21st.

The deceased was born in Douro in 1862, being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Saunders. She was married in Peterborough and lived here for some time, removing to Detroit with her husband about twelve years ago. Her husband and three small children survive her. Mrs. Byers, of Fraserville, and Miss Eliza Saunders, of Peterborough are sisters of the deceased. Interment took place in Detroit.

Far from her native land,
Ready to go, death found her,
To join the ransomed band;
Friends gone before surround her.
Jesus said sweetly "Come."
And she's with Him forever,
Safe in her heavenly home,
Beyond the shining river.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Lionel King returned to Trinity University this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Pentland has been quite ill for the last few days.

Mr. Ernie Clarry, of Millbrook, is up attending the sessions of the High Court.

Mrs. Wm. Deyell and son, of Lindsay, are visiting relatives in town and Otonabee.

Mr. W. H. Bradburn is confined to the house with what, it is feared, is an attack of pleurisy.

Miss Lena Walker, of Belleville, who has been visiting Miss Mabel Roy, Stewart street, returned home this morning.

—Mr. Ozias Leplante left this morning to resume his studies at Osgoode Hall, Toronto.

Mr. Andie Scott has gone back to the Dental College, Toronto, after spending Thanksgiving in town with his parents.

Mr. Ernie Wasson is spending a few days with his parents in Warsaw prior to their departure to British Columbia and California for the winter.

Rev. Father Chadwick, chaplain in the United States navy, is in town on a visit to Sister Geraldine, of St. Joseph's Hospital, his sister, who is dangerously ill.

Mr. Walter English to-day received official notice of his appointment as assistant signal officer of the American Canoe Association by Frank N. Dunell, the President of the A.C.A.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows celebrate their anniversary next Monday night.

—The handsome sum of $100 was cleared by the Jubilee Tableax and Charity Entertainment in the opera house on November 19th.

—A grey woollen glove was picked up near the EXAMINER office this morning. The owner can have the same by applying here.

—The St. Paul's Concert Chorus will rehearse on Tuesday and Friday evenings of this week, and every member is urged to be present.

—We have had a touch of polycilmatic weather to-day—snow, rain, wind, zephyrs, sunshine, blustering and, almost, balmy weather.

—Mr. Shirley Ouderdonk, son of Mr. Andrew Ouderdonk, the railway contractor, of Hamilton, has gone to Alaska to superintend the surveying of a railroad. He will represent a company composed of Rothschilds, of London, Mr. D. Mills, of New York, and his father.

—The Lindsay Post says:—"The new 2,000 incandescent light dynamo built for the Lindsay Light, Heat and Power Co. by the Peterborough Electric Co., has been delivered, and will be placed in position on Saturday night.

—Mr. Wm. Walsh and a gang of men have returned to Lindsay from Gull Lake outlet, near Scott's mills, twelve miles below Bobcaygeon, where they had been building a new slide and repairing several dams. The body of Hendred, the Norwood hunter who lost his life there three weeks ago, had not been recovered up to the day of their departure.

—Farmers should not undertake during the threshing season to run their own steam engines, but should employ an expert engineer. This fully illustrated a few days ago, when an energetic Ops farmer, after discharging his engineer, undertook to run the engine himself, with results most disastrous. He was put to the expense of taking the engine to Lindsay for repairs and also engaging a first-class engineer for the balance of the season.

GENEROUS GIFTS.

The Children's Aid Society wish to gratefully acknowledge the following generous gifts:

George street Methodist church—One-half of collection on Thanksgiving Day, $16.67.
Mrs. (Dr.) Geo. Burnham, $10.00
Rev. V. Clementi, $5.00.
Mrs. Birdsall, $1.00.
Mrs. Jos. Carey, $1.00.
Mrs. John Butcher, $1.00.
Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, bed and mattress for dormitories at the shelter.
Mrs. Thos. Hay, chair and iron bed for the same.
Mrs. Beck, infant's clothing.

A Microbe's Work.

A microbe is about the smallest thing one meets in a day's journey, but it can do more harm for its size than anything known. Boils, pimples, etc., are simply microbes in the skin which cause irritating blood disorders, if not stopped at once; and it is they that prevent wounds healing also. "Quickcure" kills the microbe immediately after an application, and any sore heals rapidly where "Quickcure" is used.

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This Admonition goes in Peterborough.

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DELIBERATE SUICIDE OF HENRY DAVEY.

A Douro Farmer Takes His Own Life.

THROAT CUT WITH A RAZOR.

No Reason can be Assigned for the Rash Deed Other Than the Fact That the Victim had Been Drinking Very Heavily of Late—He Also Cut the Throat of one of his Horses.

Special to the Examiner.

Sunday afternoon word was brought to Lakefield that a farmer named Henry Davey, residing alone on the — concession of Douro, about three miles from the village, had been found dead in his house, lying in a pool of blood and that one of his horses was also dead in the stable, with its throat cut, and requesting Coroner Bell to go down.

Dr. Bell, together with Dr. J. R. Fraser, drove down to the

SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY,

and found a large crowd had collected; but the house was closed and nothing had been disturbed.

A short investigation soon told the story. The unfortunate man had returned from Peterborough on Friday. Unhitching his team and placing them in the stable he had gone up to the house, taking with him some bread and parcels he had brought from town, removing his two coats and hat.

He then evidently mixed a large cup of Paris green, which was found on the bureau. Changing his mind, he secured his razor and first stropping it, returned to the stable and severed the large vessels in the neck of one of the horses which had been a favourite of his and which he had been heard to say no one else would ever own.

Coming back to the house he left

TRACES OF BLOOD

(which must have covered his hand from the horse) on the door handle, etc. Then sitting down on a chair in his bedroom he inflicted two cuts on the left side of his neck and one on the right side, the latter severing the larger vessels. He had caught the blood in a vessel until getting weak he had slid off the chair in a heap, the vessel full of blood upsetting underneath him.

His watch was found beside the cup of Paris green and the razor beside him, while the sum of $69.15 was in his pocket and also a grain buyer's ticket for forty-four bushels of rye.

No cause can be assigned by the neighbours for the deed except that he had been drinking heavily of late. The body was first discovered by a young man who had gone to see him, and who suspected something wrong when he saw the other horse in the fields with the harness still on and could get no answer to his demands for admittance. When he discovered the dead horse he got some companions and they entered the house and saw the body, and gave the alarm to the neighbours.

An inquest was considered unnecessary.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor was in Grafton on Sunday and conducted confirmation services.

Before his return to Peterborough the Bishop will go to Hastings to hold the Month's Mind service for the late Rev. Father Connolly, at which a large number of the priests and friends of the deceased are expected to be present.

MARK STREET CHURCH.

Rev. J. Liddy, Ph.B., of Keene, occupied the pulpit on Sunday, morning and evening, and preached to large congregations. Mr. Moore took Mr. Liddy's work on Keene circuit.

In the morning Mr. Liddy chose as his text John iv., 14—"But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life." From this text he gave an excellent missionary sermon, bringing out many beautiful and profitable analogies between natural water and the water of life.

At the close of the sermon a subscription was taken for missions and a good sum was realized. The amount raised by subscription this year was more than was raised last year by both subscriptions and collections together. Misses Eva Weir and Edna Armstrong were appointed collectors for the north end of the village and Misses Minnie Hamilton and Maud Dawson for the south end.

The Sunday school was well attended, the attendance being larger than it has been for some time. New workers are taking part and helping on the good work. Everyone, young and old, is cordially invited to the sessions at 2.30 every Sunday.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment of the Sunday school will be held in the new town hall on Christmas night. A good programme is being prepared.

In the evening the service was of an evangelistic nature.

The special meetings will be continued all this week. Song service at 7.30 and the regular meeting at 8. All welcome; come and help in the good work.

On Friday evening there will be a reception service for new members. Many have professed conversion during the meetings.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

The Evangelical or Low Church School of Thought was the subject of the sermon at St. Luke's church last night. The congregation was large. Next Sunday evening the subject will be the High Church School of Thought.

Yesterday being Advent Sunday, there was a large attendance of communicants at St. Luke's at both 8 o'clock and the midday celebration.

St. Luke's annual tea and sale of work will be held in the Ashburnham town hall on Thursday afternoon and evening next. The ladies of the congregation have never taken more pains in the preparation of the event. A large number of useful and fancy articles suitable for Christmas presents will be offered for sale. Tickets, or admission at the door, 25c.

Bedroom Furniture.

It is a statement of plain facts to say that you can get the best value in bedroom sets at CLEGG'S. The number of them sold is proof of this. Dozens of new, neat and tasteful designs to choose from. Prices run from $9 up. Call and see them at CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 426 and 427 George street.

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CHEESE ESTIMATES.

As Received by Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald From Hodgson Bros. in Montreal.

Mr. Geo. W. Fitzgerald has just returned from Montreal where he has been engaged in straightening up his cheese business for the season in connection with the firm of Hodgson Bros.

From a circular issued by Hodgson Bros. the following comparative statements are made concerning the shipments of cheese in 1896 and 1897:

1896. Shipments	2,092,446 boxes
1897. Shipments to Nov. 8, from Montreal	1,923,310
" en route to seaboard	28,000
Stock in Listowel district	48,000
Stock in London, St. Mary's and Strathroy districts	41,000
Stock in Ingersoll district	46,000
Stock in Woodstock, Brantford and Stratford districts	93,000
Stock in Belleville, Campbellford, Peterborough and Napanee districts	57,000
Stock in Kingston, Brockville, Perth, Morrisburg, Prescott, Iroquois and Chesterville districts	61,000
Stock in township French country	37,000
Stock in Montreal on Nov. 8th	340,000
	2,514,310

From the figures given above it will be noticed that the estimated total production of cheese in Canada for the present year exceeds that of last year by about 452,000 boxes. Against this the total exports to date exceed those of the same period last year by 321,000 boxes, thus leaving stocks to day in Canada 131,000 boxes in excess of what were held here at the same time last year.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day—1 p. m. ..... 36° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest
Yesterday	34°	17°

GENTLEMEN'S SILK TIES.

50 dozen Gentlemen's Fancy Silk Ties in dark and light shades, made up in the latest Bow, Knot, and Four-in-hand shapes, regular price 25c each. Grafton & Co's special price 10c. See them in our North Window.

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CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION!

A Conservative Convention for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding of West Peterborough at the coming general elections, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m.

W. SAILSBURY, SECRETARY. T. E. BRADBURN, PRESIDENT.

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West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE
At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. *G. M. ROGER*, Sec. W.P.R.A.

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1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Case Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.24
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 12c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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WHAT GERMANY WILL TAKE.

Murderers of Missionaries Must be Punished and a Big Indemnity Paid.

London, Nov. 27.—A special despatch received here from Shanghai says that Baron von Heyking, the German Minister to China, has presented to the Chinese Government the demands of Germany for the recent murder of German missionaries and the destruction of German mission property. These demands include the discovery and execution of the murderers of the missionaries, Nies and Hennle, the punishment of the implicated officials, the reconstruction of the missionary buildings, the payment of an indemnity of 600,000 taels to the relatives of the victims, and also the payment of a heavy indemnity to cover the expenses of the German naval expedition and the maintenance of the German force at Kiao Chou Bay. The foreign diplomats say that the German conditions are impossible of acceptance, and they will assert that they were only presented to enable Germany to retain Kiao Chou Bay and to extend northward her hold of Chinese territory.

Good Strike News.

London, Nov. 27.—The conference between the representatives of the employers and the delegates of the striking engineers, which began Wednesday morning behind closed doors, after many weeks of negotiation, has taken a decided step towards a settlement of the points in dispute, by an acceptance on both sides of the general principle of non-interference in the management of either trade unions or the employers' workshops.

An adjournment was taken to Tuesday next, when the discussion of details will proceed.

Four Sailors Drowned.

London, Nov. 27.—The British steamer Baron Ardrossan, from Bombay, on Oct. 14, for Antwerp and Havre, collided with the Austrian steamer Jokai at midnight off Dungeness, with the result that the Jokai was so badly damaged that she sank shortly afterwards. Four of her crew were drowned, and 19 others were rescued by a pilot cutter. The Baron Ardrossan had her bow stove in.

A New Dreibund Suggested.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—The Novosti contends that the growth of German influence in the near and far east will necessitate a union of Great Britain, Russia and France, for the protection of their interests.

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Will Come From the Old Land to Canada in a Few Months—The Strathy-Gascoigne Affair.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—Sir Charles Ross, who is here, says that far from injuring the British Columbian mining camps, the Klondike movement will be a bonanza for the Pacific province. Sir Charles calculates that 25,000 people will land in British Columbia next year, bound for the Klondike, but that two-thirds, or certainly one-half, will remain in British Columbia when they realize what they have there. He estimates that syndicates will bring in next year £5,000,000, and the Klondike people almost as much more. He does not think the C. P. R. people have yet decided on a location for the proposed new smelter, but it will no doubt be somewhere on the Columbia River.

Thomas Nulty has been sent up for trial, the date of which has been fixed for Dec. 5.

Another case of smallpox is reported as the result of the recent outbreak in the St. Catherine street school. It is a nun that is affected, and she has been sent to the Civic Hospital.

Are These Men Alive?

Kingston, Nov. 27.—A special to The Whig, from Northport, says that on Wednesday George Cole, postmaster, Big Island, and William Morden went out shooting in the Big Bay, stating they would return the same evening, which they failed to do. Searching parties went out Thursday and spent the day, but failed to find any trace of them or their boat. Searching was resumed again yesterday with the finding of their boats and a pair of oars floating in the bay, which shows they were drowned. Cole is a married man with two children. Morden was a young man and unmarried. Efforts are being made to find their bodies.

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A DUEL TO THE DEATH

Shooting of James McConnell on Lake Tallion.

SAMUEL TONGUE LAID HIM LOW.

The Nipissing Desperado Had Opened Fire on His Slayer and Mr. Bell, With His Rifle by Tongue Secured First—The Relief of the District From a Scourge.

Mattawa, Ont., Nov. 27.—On Thursday, Nov. 18, Samuel Tongue and William Bell, two of our prominent citizens, started out for Lake Tallion and adjoining lakes to look after two valuable dogs that had been lost some few days previously. After paddling their canoe for some miles over the lake they were crossing a bay where the bush is very heavy, and saw coming at a distance paddling towards them, a canoe and man. Thinking they could get some information as to where their dogs were, they paddled towards the approaching canoe, not thinking there was any danger in store for them. When the canoes were about two or three hundred yards from each other, they saw the man let up paddling and draw out his Winchester. Taking good aim he fired at them. This was succeeded by two more shots in succession, which were low and did not take effect, the last shot just striking very close to the bow of the canoe.

Tongue and Bell recognized the desperado at once, and instinctively knew it was a case of life or death, either by drowning or shooting, unless they could escape from him.

Shore not being far off they made all efforts to reach it and escape from this man, if possible, but from all appearances he was determined to finish them, and made after them. Both canoes landed very near the same time, but Mr. Tongue, being somewhat the quicker to strike land, and seeing no escape possible, turned and took aim and fired at the desperado, the ball entering at the pit of the stomach, and coming out at the back, as shown now that the body has arrived.

They were much excited, and on seeing he did not return the fire, got into their canoe and made for Mattawa, where, on their arrival on Friday, they laid an information, and the chief of police with some specials were despatched on Monday to go after the desperado and bring him in dead or alive. Mr. Tongue, however, being an expert shot, was quite positive that he would be found either very badly wounded or dead. By the appearance of the body last evening after its arrival in charge of Chief Fillion, and the way he was found, it is quite clear that he could have lived but a very few minutes after being shot.

The man's proper name is James McConnell, and no doubt this shooting will recall to memory his past career, having only a few years ago been on trial for doing away with his father on Lake Nassbonsing. There are also a number of warrants for his arrest for shooting at various people, cattle, etc. He was a very large and powerful man of 48 years, very heavy, black hair, with sandy whiskers, very poorly clad, as he only had on a poor pair of overalls and shirt to face a cold winter, and has not been known to come out from the bush for the past few years, where he would expose himself to arrest.

There were found at his hut seven boxes of cartridges, a little flour, salt and plenty of deer meat. All farmers and settlers in the vicinity where he roamed are very well pleased to hear of his death, as they more or less had a great fear of him.

The inquest on the body of the deperado, James McConnell, began to-day at 10 o'clock, it having been postponed from yesterday awaiting County Crown Attorney Browning's presence.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conquerer of kidney and liver disease.

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It is the sea which ennobles everything. Between the line and the surf there was but the ancient foreshore, covered with prickly tamarisks and mauve colored heath, with yellow sand conspicuous here and there. At the limit of the foreshore the rugged border line cut clear into a deep and somber blue. It is she—blue as any grape on this cluster which hangs in the cooling breeze. The azure deepens, filling up a good half of the range of sight; the white sail of a fishing smack floats alone, like a hollow shell; the eternal monotone of ocean is borne upon the ear. Draw near and see the leaping silver foam.

Above this intense blue the sky is transparently, superbly pale, and the stars are hurrying to light their lamps. There is not a living soul, nor a plant, nor any sign of the hand of man. There might be nereids and fauns dancing on the strand, as in the days when the world was young.—H. A. Taine in "Journeys Through France."

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Cotton Markets.

New York, Nov. 26.—Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands 5 13-16c; middling Gulf 6 1-16c; sales 600 bales. Futures closed firm; sales 96,600 bales. Jan. 5.72, Feb. 5.77, March 5.82, April 5.86, May 5.92, June 5.96, July 6.01, Aug. 6.05, Sept. 6.05, Oct. 6.02, Nov. 5.66, Dec. 5.60.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 26.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 2s 3½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 3d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 0d; do., light, 33s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 6d; tallow, 23s 0d; cheese, 48s 0d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 7s 6½d for Dec., 7s 7d for March and 7s 6d for May. Maize steady at 3s 2¾d for Nov., 3s 2¼d for Dec. and 3s 2¼d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 3d.

London—Wheat on passage unchanged. Maize on passage firm.

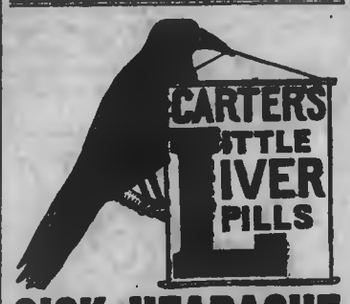
Paris—Wheat 29f 50c for Jan. Flour 62f 30c for Jan. French country markets firm.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 7s 6½d for Dec., 7s 7½d for March and 7s 6¼d for May. Maize steady at 3s 2½d for Nov., 3s 3¼d for Dec. and 3s 2¾d for Jan. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, moderate enquiry. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Miners Return to Work.

Houghton, Mich., Nov. 24.—Two hundred miners and trimmers who were on a strike at the Atlantic mines, with as many more who were involuntarily idle, returned to work last night.



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A LITTLE PROBLEM.

Mr. Richard Beechley told himself that he was a happy man. His friends congratulated him on his happiness. He had good health and a reasonably good education. He could play golf quite well. He could not play cards and had no wish to drink. He was going to make a name at the bar, but he could afford to wait for it in comfort, having £3,000 a year. And he was engaged to a very pretty girl. He told himself that he was a very happy man one morning as he ate his breakfast; he repeated the assertion with what would have been (had he spoken aloud) a note of great determination. Although he was alone in his chambers, he was very neatly dressed. His tea was poured out, he was rather thirsty, but he made a point of eating before he drank. Meantime he read his letters; those from his relatives began "Dear Richard," and congratulated him gravely; those from his men friends began "Dear Beechley;" not one called him "Dear Dick." A letter from the very pretty girl began "Dear Richard," and announced that she had prepared a surprise party for him that afternoon. He was to expect her at 4. He put the letter back in its envelope and made a note in pencil on the outside. Then he turned to the leading article in The Standard. When he had finished his breakfast, he made a pencil mark in the article to show the place he had reached, and went to his writing table. There he wrote out a telegram. It was addressed to Miss O'Donnell, 120 Egerton Gardens, S. W., and ran:

Don't come without a chaperon.

BEECHLEY.

He sent his man with it to the telegraph office, and resumed The Standard.

I am sorry to say that 120 Egerton Gardens presented a somewhat painful contrast to the decorous establishment of Mr. Richard Beechley. Elsa O'Donnell, in a dressing gown and with her hair down her back, was belaboring with a pillow her brother Tom, who lay in bed and cried from time to time, "Stop, you little devil, stop!" while a vigorous knocking on the ceiling intimated that the noise disturbed the repose—it was half past 9—of somebody overhead.

"Say you'll come with me to Richard's."

"Keep your beastly prig to yourself."

Elsa stopped abruptly, dropped the pillow and turned away. She was of the fair type of Irish girl, with pale gold hair, and pale blue eyes, and a pale, beautiful skin, small and slender and upright. As she moved to the door Tom sat up in bed—a brown faced, pleasant fellow, with a tumbled, curly head—and called out eagerly:

"Hello, Elsa! I beg your pardon. I didn't mean to offend you."

She showed him a grave and slightly tremulous face. "All right, Tom. Only I wish you'd understand that I care about Richard and can't bear to hear him abused."

"I'm very sorry. It was beastly rude of me. Only one can't help seeing if there's a weak point in a chap, even if one's sister's going to marry him. I'm sure Beechley's a very good chap, but he is a bit reserved and—and that sort of thing, isn't he? That's really all I meant. I'll come this afternoon all right."

"No, no, Tom. It doesn't matter. I dare say the mater will come."

There was a knock at the door and a housemaid's voice, "A telegram for you, miss."

Elsa took it and looked at it for a longer time than the reading needed.

"Nothing wrong, Elsa?"

"No, only Richard can't be in this afternoon."

She went out of the room, and Tom muttered, "Damn the fellow!" as he settled his head on the pillow.

Ten minutes later a telegram was sent from Egerton Gardens:

Am not coming. ELSA.

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The same day, at 4 o'clock, Richard Beechley went to Egerton Gardens.

"I was afraid you'd be out."

"Oh, no."

"But you wired you couldn't come"—

"I thought I'd remove all apprehension about the chaperon."

"Why, you know you said once you were going to look me up alone, and I was afraid—you know, people don't understand"—

"You needn't explain. I quite understood. Only your fear was groundless."

"I'm very sorry if I offended you"—

"Not at all."

And then Tom came in and greeted Beechley with a somewhat measured politeness, and presently came in Elsa's father and mother and her younger sister Kate. Mr. Beechley discoursed on the bar as a profession and by and by took his leave. Tom saw him out of the house, and as he returned up the stairs met his father.

"Jolly fellow, isn't he?" said Tom.

"Don't talk to me about him," said Mr. O'Donnell.

Outside the drawing room door Kate appeared. She put her finger on her lip and made the most hideous grimace of disgust which her pretty face could achieve.

Meanwhile Elsa and her mother were alone.

"Elsa, my darling, are you really happy?"

Elsa averted her face. "Mother, I do love him, but—but I wish he were more like—more like Tom or father."

Mrs. O'Donnell gave a little sigh. "It's not the jolly, witty men who always make the best husbands," she said. "If you really love him, you won't mind his being serious; but make sure of yourself, my darling, that's all."

Elsa did not reply.

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"Elsa, you don't really mean it? What reason have you? You give no reason"—

"What's the good of arguing about it? It's not a question of argument. I feel I can't marry you—that is enough. I beg your pardon with all my heart for—for disappointing you. But what is the good? We could never be happy together."

"Why not?" said Richard Beechley.

"I'm not your sort, Richard. I know I worry you dreadfully. I'm irresponsible, I suppose, and foolish, and you're—you're serious. We should never get on together."

Richard Beechley bit his lip and took a turn up and down the room. Then he spoke with an effort:

"Give it a longer trial," he said. "You're right in a way. I can't help being serious, as you call it. I can understand I seem heavy to you"—

"Oh, don't, don't! I hate to hear you run yourself down."

"I'm not running myself down," said he stoutly. "I'd rather be as I am. I don't understand men like your brother. I don't see what their aim in life is. But, of course, you expect a lot of social tricks I haven't got. I'm sorry, but you must remember I've not been brought up in the sort of atmosphere you have. My people are so different. Elsa," he said suddenly, "we cared for one another. Don't give it up for such a little reason as that."

Elsa burst into tears. He leaned over her and tried to comfort her after his fashion. She let him kiss her passively.

After awhile she spoke. "Forget what I said, Richard. I will try."

Tom O'Donnell, hearing the hall door shut, strolled up to the drawing room.

"You've been crying, Elsa," he said involuntarily.

"It's nothing," she said and went from the room.

Tom kicked over a chair, and, happening later in the day to pass Richard Beechley in the street, gave him the slightest possible nod.

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The marriage was, of course, broken off. The conversation last reported took place again, twice, thrice, and then without the reconciliation, and the O'Donnell family were bright faced once more.

But the point on which perhaps it would be interesting to be assured is if they who loved Elsa were justified. One may wonder if he should be sorry or glad. A stolid, unimaginative husband and a light headed but simple hearted wife have been happy before now. In this case each went back to his kind. Beechley, if he marries now, will marry, I think, for convenience alone. He is suspicious, and he is not amorous. He has thrown himself heavily into his work and is very busy indeed.

The man to whom Elsa O'Donnell is now engaged is very popular with her father and her brother Tom. Elsa and he seem to be very fond of each other. They laugh together a good deal; they chaff each other wittily and have numberless secret jokes. On the other hand—such is the occasional balance of life—he is inclined to drink rather too much and is certain to go through the bankruptcy court sooner or later.

It is a small problem, this of the actual state and the foregone possibilities of Elsa O'Donnell, but I should rather like it to be solved.—Chapman's Magazine.

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Noting the sunset's golden hue,
Said quaintly to a summer guest,
"Oh, look! the lights almost shine through!"
Then told the tale I tell to you.

The winds blew here, the winds blew there,
In every clime beneath the sun.
We dreamed they would some happy day
Bring tidings of our wandering one.

White ships came in from every sea
That beats between the frozen poles.
We watched them bearing up the bay
Their freights of home returning souls.

A loving fancy came to me,
Staid with me, would not go away,
That some time I should hear his voice
Blown landward from the foaming bay.

One March day, when the tides were out,
My man and I sat in the sun.
An iris blossomed by the step.
'Twas planted by our wandering one.

The neighbors slur the "fond conceit,"
But we both heard these words that day:
"Rest comes not to the watching heart.
Abide in peace and hope and pray.

"The sea is God's. All seas are one.
So sit you here beside the bay
And think these cradling waves perchance
Are love's own hands that show the way
Between you and your lost today."

Since that springtime sweet peace is ours.
We rest and pray and calmly wait.
Our wandering boy seems near us now.
The sea line is the heavenly gate.

—Annie A. Preston in Youth's Companion.

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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

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"How many Canadian merchants speculate in the New York stock market?" was asked by a gentleman the other day. And the reply was: "More than you or any other old-fashioned man thinks." People are certainly not without enticements to risk money in the lottery of Wall street gambling. Within the week we have seen, in one Toronto daily, a double column advertisement a foot in length, signed by a Wall street man, who professes to make profits for his patrons by "no guess-work," but by what is called inside information and by long experience. He gives instances of gains and quotes account sales—of course, he does not relate any losses. He wants so many dollars per week (in advance) for his daily information, which is to make his customers rich. Another man, or rather firm, in the same paper, writes from Broadway offering to make "big money" for any one who will send him $15 per month for advice when to go in or get out of the market, and who will send him money to speculate with, and declaring to every one that "you cannot lose if you follow as we direct." Much more follows to the same effect, plausibly written, and calculated to attract the attention of sanguine people, and they are asked to write at once for full particulars.

We trust none of our readers will be induced by those attractive lures to plunge into the vortex of stock speculation. No broker, however experienced, can tell exactly how a stock is going to move, and the most lucky guesser will miss his guess sometimes. "Runs of luck" do not last, whether at cards, roulette, betting on horses, or anything else into which the element of chance enters. Therefore the man who tells you that you cannot lose by gambling on stocks is leading you astray. If any young man has saved up $50 or $100, and is tempted to risk the loss of it by "blowing it in" at some gambling place, we say to him, don't do it; you had better be sure than sorry. Go straight to a life insurance office and ask some intelligent official to explain to you how best you can invest it in that direction. Or buy outright some shares with it in trusty Canadian mines, if you like (not wildcats). Buy your wife or mother something with it; or put it in a savings bank. Do anything in reason with it, but do not venture your money in Wall street gambling.—Monetary Times.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

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Arrive.....3.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield.....8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

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DOMINION NOTES.

Brief Items Boiled Down From More or Less Extended Accounts.

Mrs. Joseph Tully of Florence was drowned at Smith's Falls by being thrown from a raft on which she was crossing the river. She leaves two children—girls of 5 and 8 years of age.

The Ontario Legislature will open tomorrow. His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen will be present. The portrait of Sir William Meredith will be presented to the House at the close of the opening proceedings and will be received by the Speaker and the leader of the Opposition.

A farmer named Spice, living near Thorndale, was killed by a trolley at London on Saturday night.

Mrs. Lewis Johnson, wife of the caretaker of Ainslie Park, between Dundas and Hamilton, was nearly killed by a buck deer on Saturday. The exhibition animal trampled and hunted her for 20 minutes, finally running his horn through her right hand, before help came.

Hon. S. C. Wood and Hon. A. M. Ross will act as financial and municipal experts in the case of Toronto Junction's financial arrangement with its bondholders.

A provincial detective has gone to Pembroke to take charge of the Port Arthur murder prisoners.

Pierre Desroslers, a Yamaska farmer, lost his barn and crops on Saturday. Value about $1000; no insurance.

Turtle Mountain, Man., returned on Saturday Mr. James Johnston, Conservative, to the Local House.

Gus Clarke of Toronto, who came into prominence in the Westwood murder case, has been arrested at Hamilton and charged with stealing the clothing of his brother Caspar.

J. Savage, a London laborer, was nearly buried in a sewer cave-in on Saturday. His injuries are painful.

Two Men Were Killed.

Winchester, Ky., Nov. 29.—Two lives were lost and thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed in a railroad accident that occurred several miles south of here Saturday afternoon. As a heavy freight train bound north on the Kentucky Central branch of the Louisville & Nashville road was passing over a wooden trestle spanning a deep ravine the structure gave way, precipitating twenty-three coal laden cars to the rocks 65 feet below. The engine and tender passed over safely. A number of bridge carpenters were at work at the bottom of the trestle when it fell. Most of them made their escape. James Harris and Warren Burch, however, were not so fortunate and were instantly killed. Their bodies lie buried under hundreds of tons of coal, lumber, etc.

"On Dit" Among Lawyers.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—It is said that Chief Justice Sir Thomas Wardlaw Taylor, formerly Master-in-Ordinary of the High Court of Justice at Toronto, and now Chief Justice of Manitoba, is about to retire on account of ill-health, and will be succeeded by Mr. Thomas Hodgins, Q.C., the present Master-in-Ordinary of the High Court in Ontario. It is also reported that Mr. Justice Robertson is about to resign. These announcements have not been officially made. They are simply "on dit" among the lawyers.

The Strathy-Gascoigne Affair.

Ottawa, Nov. 29.—There is a strong impression in militia circles that Lieut.-Col. Strathy of the Royal Scots will be summarily dismissed from the service.

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A TERRIBLE TALE!

The Philippine Islands Devastated by a Southern Ocean Typhoon—Thousands of Lives Lost.

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—The typhoon which swept over the Philippine Islands on Oct. 6 was the cause of one of the worst disasters that has been reported from the Southern Ocean in many years. Thousands of lives were lost, including those of many Europeans, and the damage to property was something appalling. Telegraphic advices concerning the calamity have been very meagre.

The natives were panic-stricken and tried to make their way to clear ground. Four hundred of them were buried beneath the debris of wrecked buildings and 126 corpses of Europeans were recovered from the ruins when the native authorities instituted a search for the dead. Reports from the southern coast were received, which claimed that a score of small trading vessels and two Sydney traders were blown ashore and the crews drowned. The sea at Samoa swept inland nearly a mile, destroying property valued at several million dollars and causing a great number of deaths among the natives.

RETURNED KLONDIKERS.

Twenty-Five Men Who Came Out Over Dawson Trail—Food Scarce—Flour $200 Per Sack.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 28.—Twenty-five men arrived here to-day on the City of Seattle direct from Dawson City. They were divided into two parties, the last one of which left Dawson Oct. 16.

They came out over the Dalton trail. They are reported to have among them $60,000 in drafts and $200,000 in gold dust.

All tell stories of a food shortage in Dawson that is almost a famine.

According to the statements made by members of the Dalton party, there is liable to be trouble of the most serious kind this winter in Dawson. Billy Leak told one of the men in the party ahead of him, whom he met at Dyea, that all the people talk about at Dawson is the food famine. Men were gathering in groups and cursing with might and main the new comers that were constantly arriving in the Klondike, loaded with scarcely any provisions. H. A. Ferguson, one of the party, said: Flour could not be bought at all. One or two sacks were quickly picked up at $200 per sack.

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Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without caps, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
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10 a. m. Probabilities.
Winds mostly west and south, fair and cold, local snow flurries.

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EXTRAORDINARY OF
CARPETS and RUGS

Commencing on WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1st., we will offer for sale the following Carpets, Rugs and Squares in our Carpet Department.

The reductions in prices are so marked that these offerings are by far the biggest Values we have hitherto announced.

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—10 Deer Mats, 18x36 inches, formerly $1.25, sale price ..... .75
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THE LEGISLATURE

A Brilliant Ceremony Promised for This Afternoon.

"THE FATHER OF THE HOUSE."

The Governor-General and the Countess Aberdeen to be Present—Arrangements for the Opening by the New Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Oliver Mowat—Ceremonial Detail.

Toronto, Nov. 30.—On account of the presence of the Governor-General the part taken by the military at the opening of the Ontario Legislature this afternoon is to be of a more imposing nature than is usual, as in addition to the contingent of the Royal Regiment of Canadian Infantry from Stanley Barracks, which by the Queen's regulations are always expected to attend the opening of the House, there will also be present four guns from B Battery under command of Capt. Myles, which will be used in firing a salute of honor.

In addition to the presence of the gubernatorial party the proceedings will also have a special interest this year, inasmuch as "the father of the House," the late Premier, Sir Oliver Mowat, will act for the first time in his capacity of Lieutenant-Governor, and should the weather be fine the function this year will no doubt be the most largely attended and the most brilliant in the history of the Province. The doors leading to the chambers will be opened at 2.30.

A detachment of the R.C.R.I. will attend the Lieutenant-Governor to the chamber, and the opening of the House will be announced to the city by the firing of 15 guns by a section of the Toronto Field Battery, stationed on the lawn in front of the buildings. The Union Jack will at the same time be run up to flaunt in the breeze while the Legislature is in session.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen will occupy two great gilded chairs, to be placed on a raised dais, taking up the space usually occupied by the desks of the Attorney-General and the Minister of Education. Carpenters were busy all day yesterday building this vice-regal throne. Sir Casimir Gzowski, A.D.C. to the Queen, will sit at the rear of the dais, behind the Governor-General, who will be attended by his aides-de-camp, Capt. Wilberforce and Capt. H. F. Wyatt.

Admission to the buildings is to be gained only by ticket, and special cards will be required for entrance to the floor and galleries of the chamber itself.

On Wednesday, Mr. W. M. German, member for Welland, will move the address in reply to the speech from the throne; Mr. C. F. Farewell, from the Soo, will second the address, and then the forensic battle of the session will begin. Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition, will lead off the debate on the speech, and the Attorney-General will follow.

Uncle Tom Gibson, from Huron, the oldest member of the House, has arrived to sit for the last time in the chamber.

Hon. William Harty is ill again and will not be able to attend the House to-day.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, Col. Matheson, J. W. St. John and other Conservatives have reached the city.

In the first Speech from the Throne, to be read by Lieut.-Gov. Sir Oliver Mowat, allusion is made to the visit of their Excellencies Lord and Lady Aberdeen to the capital of the Province. The bountiful harvest and the prospect of better times claim a paragraph in the speech, and in that connection the celebration of Her Majesty's jubilee and the remarkable outpouring of sentiment that followed it are referred to. The position of the friendly litigation arising from the unsettled accounts of the Province and the Dominion and out of constitutional questions are noted. Satisfaction is expressed at the success and economy which has attended the working of the County Councils under the act reducing the membership of these bodies.

The reason for calling the Legislature together has been a matter of ingenious conjecture in certain quarters, but it is generally understood that the Cabinet, having decided to take the advice of the Legislature as to the advisability of adopting new regulations with respect to the getting out of logs, there really need be no mystery in the matter. A paragraph appears in the speech calling attention to the action of the United States Congress in increasing the duties on lumber, whereby it is almost impossible to continue sending to that market certain qualities of the pine lumber produced in the province.

The activity in the mining fields of the province during the past year justify the reference to the progress being made in that great industry. The work of the re-foresting commission is referred to, and it is possible that a bill on that subject may be submitted to the House. The work of consolidating the statutes, which has been in progress all year, is mentioned. It is also understood that among the legislation which will be introduced will be bills affecting the license laws, to suppress gambling at country fairs, regulating the drug business, dealing with the spread of disease among fruit trees, and one respecting jails and jailers.

The session is not likely to be a long one, the only interruption in its business that appears probable being the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

ROSS MACKENZIE DEAD.

Sudden Demise of the Famous Lacrosse Player in the Far West.

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Ross Mackenzie, the greatest goal keeper Canadian lacrosse has ever seen, died yesterday. He was engaged with Contractor Haney on the new Crow's Nest Pass Railway, and a simple wire to his wife on Jarvis street late yesterday afternoon told the sad and awful story. No details were given.

Fifteen years ago Ross Mackenzie was the most familiar figure on the field in Canada. He guarded the flags from '76 to '84, when championships for this city were a very common occurrence. He made the record for the longest throw on Oct. 21, 1880, at Montreal, 422 feet, which stood until 1886, when the mark was lowered by an Australian to 440 feet, and in 1893 by Barney Quinn, to 457 feet. Mr. Mackenzie's last appearance in Toronto at lacrosse was in the re-union match, Buffers v. Duffers, four years ago at Rosedale. He leaves a wife and five young children. He was 37 years of age.

South Wellington Liberal Nomination.

Guelph, Nov. 30.—A very largely-attended convention of the Liberals of the South Riding of Wellington met in the City Hall yesterday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the forthcoming Provincial elections. A large number of delegates from the country and city were present. Mr. Donald Stewart Crieff, vice-president of the Reform Association, presided, with Dr. Stirton as secretary. The result of the ballot was: John Mutrie 106, Lieut.-Col. Nicoll 19, J. J. Hobson 2. The result was received with applause. On motion of G. A. Wallace and Ald. Crosbee the choice was made unanimous.

Tore a Horse's Tongue Out.

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Yesterday Benjamin Searle was arrested and charged with having torn out by the roots the tongue of a horse belonging to Charles Watson of York township. The deed is said to have been committed on the 17th inst. Searle himself says that he found the horse seemingly suffering, with its tongue hanging out, and while he had the tongue in his hand examining it he slipped in the mud and fell. When he got up again he found the tongue in his hand. It had been torn out by the roots. Squire Ellis remanded him to Friday next.

Blaze at St. Kitts.

St. Catharines, Nov. 30.—The two-storey brick residence owned by Mrs. Charles Lobb and occupied by William Burke, on Church street, was badly damaged by fire Sunday night. The cause was a defective chimney. Loss on contents about $1000. Insured in Commercial Union and North British and Mercantile for $1500. The building was uninsured.

Boy Drowned at Valleyfield.

Valleyfield, Que., Nov. 30.—The little 8-year-old son of Captain M. Robinault was drowned here yesterday at about 8 o'clock. The boy was on his way to the Catholic Cathedral. He was very fond of the water and had a great habit of walking on the canal bank. His foot must have caught or slipped on something, which caused him to fall into the canal.

Mrs. Gauthier Arrested.

Pembroke, Ont., Nov. 30.—Mrs. Rose Gauthier was arrested yesterday in connection with the Port Arthur murder case, and brought before the Police Magistrate on information from Government Detective Rogers. As the Crown was not ready to proceed, she was remanded for eight days.

Purchased for a Toronto Syndicate.

Kingston, Nov. 30.—Anson Ritchie has purchased smelting works and Loughboro lead mine for a Toronto syndicate, for $13,000. It is likely lead making will be begun in the spring.

Lizzie Deehan Said to be Dying.

London, Ont., Nov. 30.—Lizzie Deehan, the housemaid at the London Insane Asylum, said to have undergone a criminal operation, is reported to be dying, and a commission has been appointed to take her deposition to-day.

OFFICIALLY WARNED

That Starvation Threatens Dawson City Miners.

URGED TO MOVE DOWN THE RIVER

The Notice Prominently Posted Up by the Officials of the Canadian Government—An Explicit Document That Hid Nothing and Showed Anxiety Only to Save Life and Suffering.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 30.—The party which arrived here on the steamer City of Seattle from Skaguay, say that before they left Dawson City, the following notice of warning had been issued and prominently displayed by the Canadian officials of that place:

"The undersigned officials of the Canadian Government, having carefully looked over the present distressing situation in regard to the supply of food for the winter, find that the stock on hand is not sufficient to meet the wants of those now in the district, and can only see one way out of the difficulty, and that is an immediate move down the river of all those who are now unsupplied to Fort Yukon, where there is a large stock of provisions. Within a few days the river will be closed and the move must be made at once.

"It is absolutely hazardous to build hopes upon the arrival of boats. It is almost beyond possibility that any more food will come into the district. For those who have not laid in a winter's supply, to remain here any longer is to court death from starvation, or at least the certainty of sickness from scurvy or other troubles.

"Starvation now stares every man in the face who is hoping and waiting for outside relief. Little effort and trifling cost will place them in comfort and safety within a few days at Fort Yukon, or other points below, where there are now large stocks of foods.

"Capt. Constantine,
"Of the Mounted Police.
"D. W. Davis,
"Collector of Customs.
"Thomas Fawcett,
"Gold Commissioner of the Dawson District."

Hon. Mr. Sifton on Starvation Rumors.

Winnipeg, Nov. 30.—Hon. Mr. Sifton and Hon. Joseph Martin left by last night's train for Ottawa. Before departing the Minister was asked what he thought of the rumors of starvation at Dawson City. Mr. Sifton said he did not put much credence in them, as, from the best information the department could gain, there would not be any hardship in the first part of the winter in any event.

One of Major Walsh's first duties was to ascertain whether the food supply was sufficient, and if not, before it was too late, he would endeavor to get as many men as possible out to the coast, as it was impossible to get food supplies in during the winter.

A New Telegraph System.

Albany, N.Y., Nov. 30.—The Commercial Cable and Telegraph Company, capitalized at $100,000, has been incorporated with the Secretary of State. The principal office of the company is in New York city, and it proposes to operate a telegraph system throughout the United States and Canada. Its directors are John W. Mackay of Virginia City, Nev.; Dumont Clarke of Schraalsburg, N.J.; James W. Ellsworth of Chicago, Edward C. Bradley of East Orange, N.J.; Charles R. Hosmer and William C. Van Horne of Montreal, Alert B. Chandler, William H. Baker and Edward C. Platt of Brooklyn, Clarence H. Mackay, George G. Ward, George Clapperton and Charles E. Merritt of New York city.

A True Bill Found.

Lindsay, Nov. 30.—The Autumn Assizes opened here yesterday before Chief Justice Armour. In the case of the Thompson brothers, for the murder of the young man, Sawyer, at Maple Lake, some months ago, the grand jury brought in a true bill. The case is expected to be reached for trial to-day.

SUFFOCATED BY ENGINE GAS.

Gas in the Sarnia Tunnel Caused the Death of a Trio and Injury to Others.

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 30.—Asphyxiation caused the death of three men in the Grand Trunk Railway tunnel last night. The dead are: Henry J. Courtney, engineer of tunnel engine; Arthur Dunn, conductor; John Dalton, brakeman.

A train which was being hauled through to the Canadian side broke in two. The engine backed down to get the detached portion of the train, but for hours nothing was heard of the crew.

Finally a searching party found the dead bodies, and also rescued William Dunn, the fireman, and William Potter, brakeman, in an unconscious condition. Three members of the searching party were also overcome, but were rescued by another party.

The tunnel gas arises from the hard coal used by the locomotives.

Found Poison in the Stomach.

Port Colborne, Ont., Nov. 30.—The postponed investigation regarding the death of Julia Klee of Humberstone was held yesterday in the Humberstone Town Hall. Prof. Ellis of Toronto reports the finding of a quantity of strychnine in the stomach. The jury returned an unanimous verdict that the deceased came to her death by poison administered by some person or persons unknown.

Child Burned to Death.

Toronto, Nov. 30.—Fanny, the [illegible]-year-old daughter of William Spence of [illegible] Bayard street, knocked over a lamp which was on a table last Saturday night. It exploded, when the child was quickly enveloped in flames. She was dreadfully burned about the face, neck and hands, and died on Sunday.

Use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure

Severe Headaches

Resulting from Catarrh Cause Great Suffering

The Great Blood Purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

Sufferers from any disease caused by impure blood should never be discouraged about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla because other medicines have failed to give relief. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail. Read this statement:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs:—I think it my duty to let you know what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I was suffering with severe headaches daily and also with catarrh. One day a paper was left at my house and in looking it over I read of your great medicine's value to my fellow sufferers. I reasoned that if it cured them, why would it not cure me, although I must own I had some doubts about it, as I

Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. E. GENT, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1897.

A GOVERNMENT THAT DOES THINGS.

Since Parliament was called together under control of a Liberal Government not much more than a year has elapsed, but in that time see what has been accomplished.

The tariff has been reformed to the general satisfaction of the country and to the great benefit of industry and employment.

The fiscal freedom of the country has been greatly widened by procuring the denunciation of the Belgian and German treaties.

A customs preference has been given to the motherland, which admits $70,000,000 of our products absolutely free.

As a consequence of this preference, seconded by the profound impression created by Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit to the United Kingdom, interest in Canada has received a great stimulus in Britain, an interest that manufacturers say is not confined to sentiment but has taken the material form in orders for goods.

A cold storage service has been set in motion that promises to revolutionize the exportation to Britain of perishable products.

The vexing quarantine regulations, by which our cattle were virtually shut out of the United States market, have been removed.

The dilatory policy which prevailed on the important work of canal deepening has given place to an active purpose to complete the task in time for the navigation season of 1902. Before the new century dawns the passage of vessels of fourteen feet draught from Port Arthur to the sea will be an old story.

The fast line project, which has hung fire for years, is definitely arranged for at a price $260,000 a year less than Conservative Administrations had offered to pay for it.

The progress of the British Columbia and western Ontario mineral lands has been assured by aid extended to railways imperatively needed.

Advantage was taken of the situation in British Columbia to gain such concessions in freight rates as to bring the manufacturer, merchant and workman of the east into commercial relations with the consumer of the west.

Arrangements were made by which the freight rates on the agricultural products of the prairies would be greatly lessened. These two concessions, it has been calculated, will be worth half a million dollars a year to the country, even on the present volume of freight.

For the first time in the history of the world coal monopoly in a great coal field has been made impossible.

The new problems which the remarkable discoveries of gold in the Klondyke raised have been energetically and successfully dealt with, including a provision for giving the country a fair share in the source of national wealth.

Common sense and business principles are being applied to the immigration problem. As a consequence of this, aided by the discoveries in western Ontario, British Columbia and the Yukon, it is not too much to expect that our population will be increased by a million souls in the immediate future.

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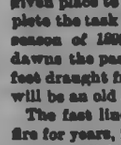

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The school question, which by the incompetence and pusillanimity of the former Government has been allowed to threaten the peace of the Dominion, was settled in a prompt, statesmanlike and constitutional manner by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues.

Action has been taken whereby the deficits on the Intercolonial Railway are expected to become a thing of the past.

The principle of insisting on a fair day's wage for persons employed on public contracts has been adopted. The sweating system can no longer be employed on work done for the Dominion Government.

The carrying of the mails has ceased to be a fruitful source of reward for importunate bankers.

A three cent-an-ounce rate will be established forthwith for letters from Canada to Great Britain.

In short, we have a progressive, originating, prompt, capable Government at Ottawa, whose merits are worthy of recognition.—Globe.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Americans can't afford to be very independent on the timber question. Their timber supply is running short. So wastefully have the pine forests of Michigan and Wisconsin been cut, that, in the opinion of a well-informed lumberman, there does not remain in those States pine lands for more than seven years' cutting at the rate of the last dozen years' consumption.

QUEBEC is to imitate the example of Ontario and institute a department of Public Instruction. It the Conservative rulers of Quebec for so many years, had begun earlier to take lessons from Ontario in the matter of economical, efficient and honest government, the lower province would not now be struggling with a 32 million dollars' debt as contrasted with Ontario's four million odd of surplus.

THE Mail threatens to shoot ploggers at the Central Toronto election to-day. The organ and party would have been saved the waste of a lot of ammunition if they had not passed a Franchise Act that created the plogger's occupation, and if they had not obstructed the Government last session the iniquitious resurrectionist franchise law would have been repealed and a rational one substituted. Then every man in Central Toronto entitled to vote would have a vote. Thousands are now disfranchised.

As an instance of the extent to which municipal ownership may be profitably carried, it is reported that the city of Birmingham, Eng., now builds and runs its street railways, gas works, electric lighting plant, water supply plant and Turkish baths. It buys the food that is sold in the markets of Birmingham, and owns the market, selling the food itself. It owns and operates a farm, a printing establishment and a woollen mill. Peterborough, some think, might do worse than follow its example in some of these respects.

WE do not think much of the name Intercolonial for the Government railway, says the Toronto World, (Con.) We beg to propose that Parliament and the press change the name to the Canadian National Railway. One of the greatest moves on the continent in the way of railway regulation by the state will be accomplished when Parliament declares that it intends to maintain, extend and officially run its railways so as both to give the public cheaper freight and travel, and be a check on the roads not owned by the state. And with the creation of a strong Railway Commission the work will be fairly begun.

THE Brantford Expositor points out that "since the Succession Duties act came into force, and up to one year ago, 20,000 estates have been reported to the government, and of this number only 295 have paid duty, being one out of every seventy-two estates. In 1896, in only one estate out of 309 did direct heirs pay succession duties. These figures prove that the provincial revenue is derived mainly from very large estates, that the vast majority of estates escape the act altogether (fifty-one out of every fifty-two in 1896), and that indirect or collateral heirs pay by far the greatest part of the duties." The large amount of revenue received has come out of the hoards of millionaires. Nearly $700,000 has come into the provincial treasury in this way.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

How to Cure all Skin Diseases.

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

Shocked and Frightened.

Weak, nervous people having heart troubles are easily shocked and frightened. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills fortify the nerves, restore regular action to the heart and cure every form of heart and nerve trouble. Mrs. Gladys McMillan, Toronto, says: "Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills cured me of nervousness and palpitation. I was so nervous that the least noise would startle me; but am now perfectly well."

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs.
Norway's Pine Syrup cures Bronchitis.
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Snow cannot withstand the heat of the midsummer sun. There's no ice on the creeks in August.

No more can Indigestion and Dyspepsia exist when Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are used. The sun melts the snow; Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets digest the food. That's all that is needed to banish Indigestion and Dyspepsia.

But Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets do more. While they are digesting the food, they rest the stomach; tone it up, restore all its old strength, and give it a new supply.

You don't have to take Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets for ever. A short course of treatment, two or three weeks, is enough for any case. Then you can quit using them and enjoy the benefits they have given you.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are specially suited to every form of Dyspepsia. They will positively cure any form of the disease.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets prevent the formation of poisonous gases in the stomach by digesting the food at once. There is no time for it to ferment and create gas.

If the bowels need treatment Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets won't give it. But, in each box is a package of smaller tablets that will. Thus there is a double treatment in every box.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each box containing the double treatment, can be procured from all druggists, at 50 cents a box, or will be sent, on receipt of the price, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

EXPORTS LARGELY INCREASED.

Large Gains Shown at Montreal, Specially in Shipments of Wheat, Corn and Other Gains.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—The season just closed has been a busy one, as will be seen by the following tabulated statement. Large gains will be noticed in the exports, more particularly in the shipment of wheat, corn, oats, rye, etc., while the decreases, compared with last year, are mainly seen in meats and fruit:

	1897.	1896.
Wheat (bushels)	9,874,348	7,027,098
Corn (bushels)	9,384,422	6,778,806
Peas (bushels)	1,771,780	1,865,533
Oats (bushels)	5,018,155	2,631,788
Barley (bushels)	179,045	247,148
Rye (bushels)	792,987	361,627
Flour (barrels)	584,813	772,124
Meal (bushels)	36,630	40,014
Pork (barrels)	1,250	535
Lard (barrels)	27,656	85,023
Meat (packages)	98,796	228,752
Eggs (cases)	157,360	141,853
Ham and bacon (boxes)	6,697	8,123
Apples (barrels)	168,448	725,016
Cheese (boxes)	2,102,965	1,726,223
Butter (boxes)	220,252	157,328

The Nova Scotian Coal Industry.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—A deal has been signed which means a great deal to the Nova Scotia coal industry, as well as to the revenue of that province. The New England Gas & Coke Co., with a capital of $17,000,000, composed of W. L. Elkins, Philadelphia; Hollister & Babcock, New York; Rockefeller & Rogers; H. M. Whitney and others, have signed a contract with the Dominion Coal Co. for delivery of 800,000 tons of coal yearly in Boston, with the right to receive 1,500,000 tons at the same figure. The contract is for a long term—said to be 20 years—and will double the output of the mines, as well as give a big boom to the revenue of Nova Scotia.

Practise Economy

In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy and yet efficient.

For nervous headache use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough, with the bona fide name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO. COCHRANE, License Inspector, West Peterborough

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All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and grays, only	65c

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Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front	58c
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NAMES.	Incomes 1896.	Incomes 1896.	Increase
Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.901	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30 700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.254	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,801.231	1,650.484	349 263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined. $296,178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the Government Superintendent of Insurance, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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FRUIT.

—Catawaba Grapes, —Bananas,
—New Lemons, —Chestnuts,
—New Oranges, —Cranberries.

RELISHES.

—New Canadian Club House Cheese,
—Heintz's German Relishes,
—Catsups and Preserved Fruits,
—English Worcestershire Sauce,
—Boston Rolled Beans.

VEGETABLES.

—Bermuda Onions, —Parsnips,
—Celery, —Cauliflowers,
—Sweet Potatoes, —Carrots,
—Cabbage.

Turkeys, Venison and other game, Canned Fruit, Canned Fish, Choice Confectionery.

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COASTS OF ENGLAND

The Scene of Awful Gales and Many Shipwrecks.

A SEAWALL WASHED AWAY.

Fearful Loss of Life—Vessels and Crews Lost in the Raging Waters—Many Districts Flooded—Phenomenally High Tides Mark the Disaster—Damage on Land.

London, Nov. 30.—The gale raged all night long, and had not abated in fury this morning, when it amounted almost to a cyclone in many places, and was accompanied by snow and hail.

A long list of fatalities, wrecks and damage to property has already been received. All the coast towns have suffered, and a score of bodies have been washed ashore. Falling walls and flying debris have added to the loss of life. Vessels are reported ashore on every part of the coast, and many ships are known to have foundered, with the probable loss of all hands. There is much wreckage about the Goodwin Sands. At Lowestoft, Yarmouth and elsewhere the sea has flooded the quays and neighborhood, washing away the esplanades and doing other serious damage.

The sea wall at Scarborough has been washed away, and the passenger and mail services across the channel have been for the most part suspended.

MANY FATALITIES

Recorded as the Result of the Big Storm in England.

London, Nov. 30.—Reports from various points along the coast show that the gale which swept English waters yesterday, and which had not abated its fury up to noon to-day, was one of the worst storms of recent years.

In the north the wind was accompanied by blinding snow and hail, that hid the lights and immensely increased the difficulties of navigation. Many ships are known to have foundered, in many cases, it is feared, with all on board.

Scarcely a town on the coast has escaped without more or less injury, falling walls and flying debris adding to the loss of life. There have been rocket and lifeboat rescues almost without number.

Five Vessels Go Down.

Stories of thrilling escapes come from all points. On the Norfolk coast, between Backton and Happisburg, five vessels, as yet unidentified, went down, and the crews of all perished. A number of bodies have been washed ashore near Yarmouth.

The British brig Ruby was wrecked off Hornsby. The coast guard service made desperate efforts to save the crew and succeeded in getting a line on board. A dying woman was "rocketed" in safety, and then the brig capsised, all the rest of the ship's company perishing.

A large steam collier dashed upon Flamborough Head, the famous promontory on the North Sea coast, floated off, and then foundered with all on board.

A steamer not yet identified was wrecked on Bridlington Sands, with her entire company.

Last evening the ship Rose of Devon, Capt. Davis, went on the rocks near Redruth, Cornwall, where she pounded all night long, her crew of 19 perishing. This morning the bodies of the captain and five seamen, all wearing life belts, were washed ashore.

Phenomenally High Tides.

Phenomenally high tides are reported in many localities. The district near the mouth of the Thames has suffered severely, several townships being partly submerged. The Sheerness dockyard and the Woolwich arsenal were inundated. At Scarborough, the fashionable watering place, the sea wall was washed away.

At Yarmouth, Lowestoft and other coast towns of Norfolk, the esplanades were flooded.

At Liverpool the squalls blew off the roofs of several houses, threw down chimneys and tore up trees. The Mersey flooded its banks on the Chester side and deluged the shore district for miles.

Valuable Yachts Sunk.

Similar disasters occurred at Holyhead, where a number of valuable yachts were sunk at their moorings. Scarcely a vestige remains in sight of the wreck of Lord Nelson's old flagship, the Foudroyant, long fast in the sands off Blackpool. There is a great deal of wreckage near the Goodwin Sands.

The British ship Larnica, Capt. Burgess, was driven ashore near Fleetwood, at the entrance of Morestown Bay, about 18 miles northwest of Preston. The crew were saved, but the position of the vessel is dangerous. She left St. John, N. B., on Nov. 1, for Fleetwood.

Grand, But Awful.

The scenes at such popular resorts at Yarmouth and Margate were of great grandeur, but the damage done was terrible. Tremendous seas still invade the gardens of the hotels and residences, wrecking the parades and buildings, while debris is floating about.

Immense damage has been done to the Government property at the Sheerness dockyard and the Woolwich arsenal.

At Sheerness and Queensborough, two miles away, hundreds of acres have been submerged, scores of cellars flooded, and two hundred yards of the Sheerness pier have been swept away.

Boom of Distress Guns.

The boom of distress guns from Goodwin Sands has been almost continual. Below London Bridge the low lying houses and cellars are flooded and all work is temporarily suspended along the Thames, even as high as Charing Cross.

Six vessels were wrecked between Yarmouth and Bacton, only a few miles apart, on the Norfolk coast, and 25 lives lost. The brig Vedra stranded at Bacton. The storm tore out her masts, and when the rocket line was fired the crew were unable to haul it in. Finally the line dragged them into the surf and three out of seven were drowned.

The gale is now traveling southward and traversing various parts of the continent. Very rough weather is reported along the north coast of France.

British Steamer Foundered.

London, Nov. 30.—The British steamer Esparte foundered off the Royal Sovereign lightship, in the English Channel, between Dungeness and Beachy Head, yesterday morning, after having been in collision with the French steamer Noel. The latter vessel was beached at Dungeness in a sinking condition. No lives were lost.

PROFIT IN COLD STORAGE FRUIT.

Shipment by Str. Kastaba Shows That New Methods Are Preferable.

London, Nov. 29.—(Telegram cable.)—A cargo of fruit from Canada arrived by the steamer Kastaba to-day. Mr. Crandall, the Canadian Government agent, has made a close study of Canadian fruit shipments, and made many valuable suggestions as to the proper mode of packing, etc. The cargo which arrived to-day by steamer Kastaba was packed and shipped under conditions recommended by Mr. Crandall. The result was in every way satisfatory and encouraging to those who have predicted favorable results from proper methods of transportation. Mr. Crandall's inspection of the shipment makes it very clear that cargoes arriving by a system of cold storage, such as the Kastaba's, will meet with marked preference in the British market. Some varieties of Canadian apples, says Mr. Crandall, are not arriving in good condition. Especially is this so of Northern Spies, which show signs of spot scab, resulting in early decay.

For this reason there is a slump in prices. In the Kastaba shipment cases of apples averaging forty pound weight sold for 5s to 8s 6d, and barrels at 19s to 20s. Pears brought from 10s 6d to 23s per case, according to quality.

Mr. Crandall has visited many places and enquired as to the possibility of developing trade with Canada. Everywhere he has found a hearty willingness on the part of British people to do all in their power to assist in increasing Canadian trade.

A letter in The Morning Chronicle, signed by Mr. Crandall, replies to an article as to the colonial invasion, asking, if the Canadian Government is going into the retail fruit and provision business. The Canadian Government, says Mr. Crandall in this letter, is encouraging the Canadian agriculturist, but at the same time is interfering in no way with the natural order of the channels of business in Britain. There is a fear in some quarters that the article may cause hostility among buyers of Canadian produce.

"DON" IN THE INCAS' COUNTRY.

The Canadian Commissioner and His Project Received With Cordiality.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 30.—The Peruvian press cordially welcomes Mr. Edmund Sheppard, the special commissioner of the Dominion Government to Central and South America, in the interests of the project for promoting increased commercial intercourse by a line of steamers from Vancouver to Panama.

THE BRITISH LION.

He Will Do Nothing Rash in South Africa, But Will Make Sure of His Ground.

London, Nov. 30.—The Daily Graphic says: "Great Britain will carefully avoid imitating the French policy of effective occupation in the disputed territory of the Lagos Hinterland. Although a small French force has occupied Kishi, a disputed town, no attempt will be made to dislodge them, pending the discussion as to the boundaries now in progress in Paris.

"The British force is being collected in the north of Lagos only to be ready for the occupation and organization of the Borgu district, which, it is expected, will be included in the British sphere as a result of the Paris conference."

RUSSIAN DUPLICITY.

A Seizure in the Thames Which Shows Where the Afridis Get Their Supplies.

London, Nov. 30.—Eight barges, loaded with cases of gunpowder, falsely labelled "Arms," have been seized by the customs officers in the Thames. They emanated from Russia, and were about to be transferred to the steamer Baluchistan for Persia. It is suggested that the ammunition was destined for the Afridis.

Intended for Abyssinia.

London, Nov. 30.—It developed to-day from the investigation made into the subject that the eight barges loaded with cases of gunpowder, falsely labelled "arms," which have been seized by customs officers on the Thames, were consigned from St. Petersburg to Jiutil, through a Paris agent, and were probably intended for Abyssinia.

Queensland Rejects Federation.

Brisbane, Queensland, Nov. 30.—The Colonial Legislature, by a vote of 21 against 17, has rejected the federation bill introduced by the Premier, Sir Hugh Muir Nelson.

How Thin You Look.

Do you like to hear it? If not, take Scott's Emulsion. 'Twill fill out your sunken eyes, hollow cheeks, and thin hands. Why not have a plump figure? Don't let disease steal a march on you.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

TORONTO MARKETS.

FLOUR—The market was dull to-day, with prices easier. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, middle freights, Manitoba patents at $5.30, and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The market to-day was weaker. Sales of red winter were made west to-day at 82c, high freights, and white is quoted at 83c. No. 2 spring is quoted at 82c on Midland and goose at 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitobta hard 93c to 94c, Fort William, and 98c to 99c Goderich and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is steady, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 37c west and feed at 35c.

OATS—The market is quiet, with sales of white at 24c to 24½c west, and at 25c on Midland. Mixed oats 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 43½c to 44c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with prices steady. It is quoted at 31c west and 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is dull, with cars quoted at 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8 to $8.25 Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 29.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3¾d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 34s 6d.; do., light, 34s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures firm at 7s 6¾d for Dec., 7s 7½d for March and 7s 6¼d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 3½d for Dec., 3s 2¾d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour, 25s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart. English country markets ½d dearer. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Wheat 20f 70c for Jan.; flour, 62f 85c for Jan. French country markets firm.

London—Close—Wheat off coast very little doing, on passage buyers and sellers apart. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 20f 60c for Jan. Flour weak at 62f 40c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 7s 5¾d for Dec., 7s 6¾d for March and 7s 5¼d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 3¼d for Dec., 3s 2¾d for Jan. and 3s 2⅝d for March. Flour

Nova Scotia Vessel Waterlogged.

Liverpool, Nov. 30.—The British steamer Michigan, Capt. Stubbs, which arrived here Nov. 27, from Boston, reports that on Nov. 18, in latitude 45, longitude 61, she passed the schooner W. J. Geldert of Lunenburg, N.S., a derelict and waterlogged.

Wheat in New South Wales.

Sydney, N.S.W., Nov. 30.—An unofficial estimate places the wheat yield of New South Wales at 11,000,000 bushels, and it is anticipated that the exportable surplus of wheat from Australasia will be 5,000,000 bushels.

VICTOR LOST AN ARM.

A Young Man of Holland Landing Has a Very Serious Accident.

Holland Landing, Ont., Nov. 30.—A very sad accident happened to Victor Emanuel Thompson, a young man in his 20th year, residing with his widowed mother here. The young man left this morning, in company with two comrades, rabbit hunting, and it appears Victor was breaking some ice for the purpose of getting a drink when he hit the hammer of his gun in some way, causing the gun to go off. The contents went through the poor fellow's left arm, close to the shoulder, shattering the bone to splinters, which made it impossible to save the arm. The unfortunate young fellow was taken home and Drs. Stevenson and Scott amputated the limb.

Grain at Owen Sound.

Owen Sound, Nov. 30.—The C. P. R. has one million bushels of grain stored here. There are two more steamers to arrive at this port before the close of navigation.

Would Not Consent

To be Operated on at the Hospital.

The Lady Uses Paine's Celery Compound and is Cured.

Mrs. Saunders, of Bracondale, a suburb of Toronto, lay in the hospital suffering from a trouble quite common with many of her sex. At a critical time in her sickness the doctors deemed an operation necessary. Mrs. Saunders wisely refused to submit to the decision of the medical staff, and decided to try the virtues of Paine's Celery Compound.

After being blessed with a complete cure, Mrs. Saunders wrote as follows:

"It is with much pleasure that I testify to the value of your wonderful Paine's Celery Compound. I was a great sufferer from severe attacks of neuralgia in the left ovary. At times the attacks were so acute that I thought I would lose my reason.

"Several doctors treated me, and I was a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton. I obtained no relief from medical treatment. The doctors said unless I had the ovary taken away I could not be cured.

"Instead of submitting to the operation I used Paine's Celery Compound, and I am thankful your valuable medicine cured me. I feel like a new woman, and I would like all sufferers to know what this great medicine has done for me."

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

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Men who have Been Waiting for a Snap in Suits, can Well Afford to Buy Now!

The City Clothing Store has just opened out a special purchase of

300 MEN'S SUITS

Bought at a Big Reduction from one of the most reliable manufacturers of Montreal, who was in a hurry to clear out his Winter Lines to make room for next season's business. Having secured the whole lot at a lump sum, we are enabled to make the price as low as those asked by wholesale dealers, and sell them at $4.00, $5.00 and $5.50 THE SUIT.

These 300 Suits are well made of Heavy All Wool Tweed, well lined, well sewed, trimmed and finished throughout. The $5.00 Suit would be a bargain at $7.50. Don't miss this snap.

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We have Frieze Overcoats which we can sell at $3.50.

Better ones in Frieze at $4.50 and $5.50.

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Our Own Make All Wool Blue Beaver Overcoat, with Silk Velvet Collar, heavy linings and extra trimmings, made on our own premises, worth $14.00, for $10.00.

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English Pipes and Tobaccos. Just received, a fine shipment of High-class Tobaccos and Pipes, imported direct from England. These new Pipes are worthy of inspection, and consist of the very latest novelties, with Gold and Silver mountings. We are the only dealers in town importing English Tobaccoes, which are recommended for their purity and rare flavour.

The Best Cigars Try our new lines of Imported and Domestic Cigars—Hand-made. We keep the best class of Cigars in Town. JOBBERS. We are fast getting a "Cinch" in the jobbing trade of the town As we can offer superior inducements to Hotels, Stores, &c. People are finding out that TALBOT BROS. are "the only pebbles on the beach." Keep posted about this Store.

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FROM A LEADING CHATHAM MANUFACTURER.

Maple City Cooperage.
R. T. Phillips, Prop.

Chatham, October 18, 1897.

DEAR SIRS,—Some time ago I was treated by one of our best city doctors for continued bleeding at the nose and the treatment I was subjected to weakened my stomach so that nothing I could eat would agree with me and I could retain nothing but bread and milk, which was my chief diet.

I tried a bottle of your Sloan's Indian Tonic and at once began to improve and it has made a permanent cure in my case. I can now partake of any food, no matter how strong, and experience no distress after eating.

I have recommended it to several people and in every case it has given grand results, and a bottle of it should be in every household.

Yours very truly,
R. T. PHILLIPS.

INDIGESTION PERMANENTLY CURED.

St. Williams, Co. Norfolk, October 19, 1897.

DEAR SIRS,—It gives me great pleasure to testify to the fact that Sloan's Indian Tonic has caused a most remarkable change in my condition. For two years I have suffered from indigestion and weakness and not finding relief from any other medicine until your agent came here one day and advised me to try Sloan's Indian Tonic. I did so and have used four bottles. It has made a great change in my life and I can now rest and sleep with ease and comfort. I believe Sloan's Indian Tonic is the best medicine in the world.

I remain,
Yours truly,
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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice.

Notice Waller & Co.'s price list in another column. d124-tf

Your Xmas Fruits.

E. F. Mason & Co are showing very choice goods in raisins and currants, which are large and clean, also candied peels, extracts and jellies.

Young Women's Christian Association.

The class in physical culture will meet as usual to-morrow afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, when the instructor will be present.

Apples for Sale.

John Kincaid has a choice lot of Northern Spies and other varieties of apples for sale. Call early at his warerooms, 372 Water street, as he intends shortly to ship.

Booklets and Calendars.

See the nice display of the very latest novelties in Christmas cards, booklets and calendars at the Peterborough Bookstore. It is none too early to make selections to send to your friends at a distance, and it will well repay you for the time spent in looking over our beautiful stock.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guarranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

Tea and Sale of Work.

St. Luke's annual Tea and Sale of Work will be held in the Ashburnham Town Hall on Thursday afternoon and evening next. Great preparations have been made to render this annual event more enjoyable than ever. High Tea, consisting of turkey, goose and other fowls, with sweets to follow will be served from 5 o'clock. In the programme, Miss Hamilton, of Auburn, Mr. Povah, Holden Blackwell, Wilson's orchestra and others will take part, Rev.. W. L. Armitage will give ad address, and the church Boys' Brigade will give an exhibition drill under Sergt. Edwards. Special Carrie

A Musical Event.

The appearance on Thursday evening, Dec. 9th, of Mr. Douglas Bird, tenor, of Detroit, will be looked forward to by all lovers of music as a treat. Mr. Bird sang here some years ago with much acceptance, and since then has spent over a year in England studying, and competent critics pronounce him one of the finest tenors on the concert platform to-day. The choir of St. Paul's church are to be congratulated on securing Mr. Bird as one of the attractions for their concert. Miss Jessie Alexander, the talented entertainer, has been engaged, and with the concerted work of the choir, a grand concert is expected.

Gough's Great Sale.

In to-day's EXAMINER Gough Bros'. repeat their announcement of the sale of the McKenna-Thompson stock of clothing, &c., bought at 33½ cents on the dollar. They are determined to keep up the remarkable reductions in the prices of this stock during December and to make it the crowning sale of the year. Last week, notwithstanding the unfavourable nature of the weather, each day of this sale was attended by unusual crowds of buyers, and people who had been hesitating about buying came and bought freely. Gough Bros. are determined to make this lucky purchase part of their great programme for big business during December, although prices in every department of their store will be reduced, so as to create an enthusiasm during the the last and best holiday month of the year. There will not be an inch of material held in reserve, and it will be to the advantage of everyone to make selections as early as convenient. The transformation in prices ought to keep the big store crowded, "not in spurts, but all the time." Now is your chance to procure really dependable winter garments, boots and shoes, hats and furnishings at ridiculously low prices. 241w

Result of a Trial.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 19th Nov., '97.

C. C. Lessome, Mgr. People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Bat berfield had 2,000 ton of coal hied put in. I found your coal got up in heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 200 Charlotte. Telephone 306.

TRUE BILL FOR MURDER.

Against the Two Thompson Brothers for the Killing of W. H. Sawer, Minden.

(Special to the Examiner.)

Lindsay, Nov. 30.—At the fall assizes now in session here the grand jury this morning brought in a true bill for murder against the two Thompson brothers for the killing of W. H. Sawer, in Haliburton county, a few miles from the village of Minden, about the first of September last. The trial is now in progress. The evidence so far is a repetition of that given at the inquest and preliminary trial.

HE WAS INSANE.

Henry Davey Took His Life When His Mind Was Unbalanced.

Fuller particulars concerning Mr. Henry Davey, whose suicide was referred to in yesterday's EXAMINER, reveal the fact that the unfortunate man took his own life whilst insane and that he was not a heavy drinker by any means.

It appears that his wife died early in August, and since that time he has been unable to obtain a full night's rest, and being naturally of a very excitable temperament, his brain was unable to stand the strain, and his mind became unbalanced.

His sister, who came to live with him, became frightened latterly at his strange actions, and on Wednesday last made up her mind to leave him and did so. On Thursday he came into town to see her, and seemed to be labouring under the idea that he had robbed her in some way and was greatly troubled over the matter, stating that she would be put out on the street. For himself, he stated, he did not care, as he was a man and could work, but he was very much put out apparently by the thought that his sister would be left in poverty. He mislaid the deed of his farm and this also troubled him greatly, as he could not be convinced but that the finder of the document could dispossess him of the land, and when he was in town on Thursday he was at the Registry office inquiring into the matter and was assured that the deed was no good to any but himself. This, however, only calmed him for a few minutes.

He also called on Dr. Moher whilst in Peterborough, and the doctor is quite sure that the man's mind was unhinged when he was in the office. He was driven into town by Dr. Moher's brother, Mr. Wm. Moher, Jr., and his actions in asking Mr. Moher to come in with him is considered strange as it was something which he had never done before.

During the harvest the deceased was frequently observed working in the fields after midnight.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

Judgment Reserved in the Case of Brown vs. Lakefield.

The case of Brown vs. Lakefield was closed last evening and judgment was reserved.

The Court adjourned to allow the counsel in the Kinsman vs. Kinsman alimony suit to endeavour to reach a settlement, but as this was found to be impossible the case was proceeded with.

This is a case in which the plaintiff, Mary Kinsman, asks for alimony, claiming that the defendant, a short time after his marriage to her in 1894 began to exhibit a very bad temper. He refused to furnish necessary supplies and became addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor and often returned home in a drunken condition and used violent and abusive language toward the plaintiff and threatened to strike and kick her. In November, 1895 the defendant abandoned the plaintiff and went to live in Millbrook. Subsequently he returned to her, but refused to make provision for her maintenance and abused her, threatening her life. In March 1896 defendant made charges against plaintiff's character, falsely accusing her of having immoral relations with other men.

The defendant in the statement of defence, claims that he is 76 years of age, and that since the day of his marriage the plaintiff has acted towards him as if money was her sole object in marrying him, and that defendant executed an agreement in writing whereby he consented to giving plaintiff an annuity of $100 per year, to commence after his death, in lieu of all claims of whatsoever nature for alimony or otherwise which the plaintiff might have upon the property of the defendant, and the defendant pleads the said agreement as a bar to this action.

That on various occasions the plaintiff left her home for three or four days at a time, returning in a drunken condition. That he took a dwelling in Millbrook and asked his wife to live with him there, she forsake her old associates but she refused. That his income is small, but he is the owner of a furnished dwelling, and if the plaintiff would discharge her duties as a wife, and live with plaintiff, he is now and always was willing to receive and live with her as such.

TWO ACCIDENTS.

Mrs. H. W. Watson and Mr. Sims the Victims.

Mrs. H. W. Watson while walking up George street last evening, slipped on the icy sidewalk in front of A. G. Dickson's store and badly bruised her face. She was assisted to the residence of her son William.

On Saturday afternoon as Mr. Jos Sims, of north George street, was putting the double windows on his house, he fell from a ladder, a distance of about ten feet, to the ground, and struck his chest on the point of the ladder, which turned as he fell. He was badly bruised. Dr. Clarke is in attendance.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c, 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

MIKADO FLOUR.

Always at the head of the list. Grocers do not keep it—they sell it. Ask them for it or telephone No. 113. Every bag guaranteed.

W. H. MELDRUM.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE WAS OPENED TO-DAY.

SIR OLIVER MOWAT'S SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

He Refers to the Provincial Timber and Mining Interests and Mentions a Number of Bills Which Will be Introduced This Session.

The Provincial Legislature was formally opened this afternoon by Sir Oliver Mowat, Lieutenant Governor, who read the following speech from the Throne:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—It gives me much pleasure to meet again the members of the Legislative Assembly of this Province with whom I was so long associated in a different capacity. While it was my good fortune to be for many years the leader of the majority in the Assembly, I am glad to know that I always had the friendship and good will of many members who were politically opposed to me and that during my long Premiership I had the personal enmity of none. As Lieutenant Governor and no longer identified with any political party I hope to possess the confidence of all, and I trust that my long familiarity with public matters, as a member of Canadian and Provincial Legislatures and Governments, may enable me to render valuable service to my native Province in the performance of the important constitutional duties which belong to the office of Lieutenant Governor.

I am greatly pleased to be able to state that Their Excellencies the Governor-General, as the Queen's representative in the Dominion, and the Countess of Aberdeen, have come to reside in the capital of the Province for a time, and it is owing to this happy event that we are honoured with their presence to-day. I am sure that I truly express your sentiments when in your name and my own I bid Their Excellencies a most hearty and loyal welcome, and indulge the hope that during their residence in this city they may become better acquainted with the people and institutions of western Ontario than has been possible in the short, but welcome visits which have heretofore been customary. I sincerely trust that this departure from the usage which has hitherto generally prevailed, may not only be found to be of public advantage, but may prove as agreeable to Their Excellencies as it is gratifying to Her Majesty's loyal subjects.

THROUGH DIVINE GOODNESS

the blessings of a bounteous harvest have been vouchsafed to the husbandman in nearly every portion of the province; and it is an additional cause for gratitude that prices for nearly all the products of the farm have been greatly increased since your last meeting. The signs of returning prosperity, not in agriculture alone, but in nearly every important branch of business and industrial enterprise, except that directly connected with the sawn lumber industry, give cause for hearty congratulation.

I rejoice further to be able to congratulate you upon the increased interest manifested by the mother country in Canada and the other colonies and dependencies of the Empire, as evidenced by the reception of their representatives as well by Her Majesty and others in authority, as by the whole people of the United Kingdom during this Jubilee year, and as further shown by the action of the British Government in connection with certain foreign treaties which effected Canadian commerce.

I am pleased to inform you that some progress has been made during the year by the arbitrators to whom was referred

CERTAIN UNSETTLED ACCOUNTS

between the Governments of the Dominion and the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. Appeals have been taken to the Supreme Court against some of the decisions of the arbitrators, and arguments have been heard thereon and they now stand for judgment.

The appeals to the Privy Council in the matters of the fisheries and of the power of appointing Queen's Counsel have been heard by the Judicial Committee, but judgment has not yet been delivered.

It is gratifying that the new county councils, though limited in the number of members under the new Act, are found able to transact the business of their respective counties as efficiently as formerly and at a greatly reduced annual expenditure.

TIMBER AND MINES.

I regret that the congress of the United States has seen fit to increase the duties on pine and other lumber imported into that country to such an extent as to make it almost impossible to continue sending to the markets of the United States certain quality of the pine lumber produced in this province.

The mining industry is making steady progress, and throughout the present year lively interest in the mineral resources of the province has been exhibited. The area of crown lands sold and leased under the provisions of the Mines Act has been largely in excess of that of any recent year, and the revenue derived from sales and rentals has been correspondingly greater. It is gratifying to note that the limits of the several gold fields are being constantly extended by exploration and that their value is being satisfactorily proven by substantial mining and milling work. At a number of central points in the north western part of the Province, where our territorial rights were strenuously disputed for a long time by the Federal Government, there is evidence to show that rich gold-bearing veins exist over a region several thousand square miles in extent, and there is good ground for hope that this part of the Province will soon become the field of successful enterprise and give profitable as well as stable employment to capital and labour. I am confident that the recent discoveries of gold in various parts of the Province will attract increased attention abroad and especially in the mother country.

The perpetuation of the sources of our pine timber supply on Crown Lands not suited for general agriculture has for some time engaged the attention of the Government. A royal commission was appointed last summer to investigate the condition of the young forests which now cover extensive tracts of these vast lands and to report as to the best and most practicable methods of preserving and managing them, and otherwise concerning re forestery. I am glad to be able to announce that substantial progress has been made in the work of the commission and that much information on this important question has been obtained.

NEW LEGISLATION.

Among other measures to be laid before you are a bill relating to the timber and timber licenses; a bill affecting the election laws; a bill to prevent gambling at agricultural and other fairs; a bill affecting the business of druggists; a bill to prevent the spread of disease among fruit trees; a bill relating to extra-provincial insurance companies; a bill respecting gaols and gaolers; and a bill relating to forestry.

I am happy to inform you that the work of revising and printing the statutes of the Province is almost completed, and I hope it will be in my power to issue the necessary proclamation for bringing into force at the close of the year the newly revised statutes embodying once more in two convenient volumes the entire provincial public statute law. A confirmatory bill will be laid before you for consideration. In connection with the revision of our public statutes, the statutory provisions affecting practice and procedure and all the rules and orders heretofore issued by the various courts during more than fifty years, have been consolidated and revised under the supervision and direction of the judges of the Supreme Court of Ontario, with the view of promoting greater uniformity, certainty and simplicity in legal proceedings. Consolidated orders have been adopted under the authority given for this purpose by statute and a bill to confirm the work of the commission will be laid before you.

The public accounts for the ten months ending with the 31st day of October, will be laid before you without delay and for the remaining two months within a few days after the close of the year.

The estimates for the various public services for the coming year will, at an early date, be submitted for your approval. They will be found to have been prepared with all the economy consistent with the efficiency of the public service.

NEWS NUGGETS

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The adjourned annual meeting of St. Andrew's Society will be held this evening in the Morgan House. A full attendance of members is urged.

—The Street and Bridge Committee drove out to the Smith boundary yesterday to decide on the line dividing the town from the township.

—There was another drop of 6d in the public cheese cable on Monday, and the price is now 42s. 6d. for finest American white and coloured.

—The directors of the Public Library are having a new catalogue printed of the books and publications contained in the library. This will be a great convenience to the members.

Incandescent Lamps.

Canadian General Electric Co.'s (Limited) Incandescent Lamps are the best. Buy direct from the manufacturers. 'Phone 73. 3m-eod.

CHILDREN'S COATS

and Bonnets to match selling off at Cost. No room to display them to advantage.

MRS. APPLEBY,
426 Water Street

BIRTH.

LORD.—On Tuesday, Nov. 30th, 1897, at 338 Rutledge street, the wife of Mr. E. E. Lord, of a son.

MARRIED.

BRADLEY—MITCHELL.—At the bride's residence, Elizabeth street, Ashburnham, on Monday evening, Nov. 29th, by the Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., Mr. Wellington H. Bradley to Mrs. Mary Ellen Mitchell.

"THOU SHALT NOT STEAL,"

But you may keep a great deal of your money that usually goes to other people, in your own pocket by looking at the Goods and Prices we offer before paying more money for the same thing elsewhere.

NOTE PAPERS in pound packages, Ruled or Plain 15
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A fine range from the best makers—all prices.

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A complete line; any kind or price you want, at

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CHINA HALL has received direct from Japan, a very large shipment of Japanese Goods, in new and beautiful designs. The assortment consists of

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Business men can select their Diaries now for 1898. The Peterborough Bookstore has received complete lines of all sizes and styles for both office, desk and pocket.

The Annuals==

Our unexcelled galaxy of Beautiful Christmas Illustrated Papers and Annuals is now in full display. Remember to order early and avoid dissappointment.

'Xmas Cards.

Now you get a foretaste of Christmas. We are holding a GRAND CHRISTMAS CARD OPENING and invite all to come and see the fine collection of the reproductions of the masterpieces of artistic printing and new designs. Christmas Card shoppers should select early.

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is the kind that housekeepers who want only the best always buy. Packed in pound and two-pound tin cans, it comes into the home with all its natural aroma and strength. **Protected by our Seal,** the consumer knows that its purity and strength have been untampered with. Your grocer sells this kind, but be sure our seal and name is on the can you buy. Chase & Sanborn.

The Hymn Books used by

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In his Canadian tour are now on sale at

G.W. Mulligan & Co's Music Store,

416 GEORGE STREET.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1897.

MEMBERSHIP CONTEST.

Only Three More Days—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The Thistles still lead in the membership contest, the score being as follows:

Thistles	80 points
Shamrocks	77 "
Roses	67 "

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the last days of the contest.

We have been ahead almost all the time, but wish our friends to remember that over-confidence often loses.

Consequently if we will win we must work and work hard.

Other fellows claim that there will be an exhibition of buried points on Friday to count for them.

How we will enjoy that supper they must provide for us.

We never knew what it was to be defeated and don't intend that our first lesson shall be taught now.

Look out for surprises—the other fellows are after us.

We ask the support of all our sympathizers. If you cant join, get some one else in the notion.

Every dollar counts a point.

Every point will be needed to carry our standard to victory, but to victory it will go.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day—1 p. m. ..... 37° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest
Yesterday	30°	24°

Beware of Cocaine.

Thos. Heys, Analytical Chemist, Toronto, says:—"I have made an examination of Dr. Chase's Cure for Cocaine and any of its compounds from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is a cure—not a drug. Price 25 cents, blower included.

For Catarrh in any form use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

CHARITY BOARD.

The Monthly Statement of Aid Given—Accounts Ordered to be Paid.

At a meeting of the Charity Board last night the following members were in attendance: Messrs. A. L. Davis, chairman, J. J. McBain, Robert Innes, Wm. Fowler, H. Best, Peter Campbell, Jos. Batten, F. W. Miller and the Mayor.

The following accounts were read and on motion of Mr. McBain, seconded by Mr. Innes, were ordered to be paid:

Geo Caston	$16 60
Waller & Co	12 00
"	3 00
D H Kernaghan	3 00
T W Robinson	2 00
A Peters	2 00
D Sullivan	2 00
M J Dunford	21 00
Mrs A Fleming	1 00
W Squires	2 00
E F Mason & Co	1 00
Jos Morris	4 00
Ed Doherty	75
H Wills	3 25
Robt Nicholls	50
W J Greer-d	75
F J R Mitchell	10 00
J smith	4 50

The following statement of aid given was presented:

Groce ies	$ 56 00	$ 630 75
Wood	72 12	170 75
Tailor s		30 70
Sundries	5 25	61 25
	$133 60	$1 0 2 51

Moved by Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. McBain, "That a cheque be issued to the town of Peterborough for $265 to repay an advance made to pay for wood purchased from the P. Hamilton Manufacturing Co."—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

THE COMING SOCIAL CRISIS.

W. A. Douglas Will Speak on this Subject on Wednesday Evening, Dec. 9th.

The tragic death of Henry George has in a measure awakened fresh interest in the teachings of that remarkable man. Many of our citizens may therefore be pleased to learn that Mr. W. A. Douglas, B. A., of Toronto, will visit Peterborough on Wednesday evening, Dec. 9th, and deliver an address on the subject of the "Coming Social Crisis," in which he will give a popular exposition of the Single Tax to the elucidation and advocacy of which Henry George devoted his life. The fact that Mr. Douglas was for many years in an important position in one of our largest financial institutions and that he was for some years Examiner in Political Economy in one of our prominent colleges is a guarantee that he is well qualified to deal with his subject. The graphic style with which he illustrates his subject on the blackboard never fails to make it easily comprehensible to his audience.

CHECKER TOURNAMENT.

Mr. J. L. Garvin is the Champion—The Scores Which Were Made.

The checker tournament at the Y.M.C.A. on Thanksgiving day resulted in a victory for Mr. J. L. Garvin, who defeated all comers. The score was as follows:—

FIRST ROUND.

J L Garvin, 2; J Duke, 0.
McWilliams, 2; LaBell, 0.
Wilkins, 2; Warne, 0.
Birch, 2; J Smith, 0.
Dr Scott, 2; Manning, 0

SECOND ROUND.

J L Garvin, 2; Birch, jr., 1.
Dr Scott, 2; Wilkins, 0.

THIRD ROUND.

McWilliams 1; Dr Scott, 0.
J L Garvin, 2; McWilliams, 0.

FOURTH ROUND.

J L Garvin, 2; Birch, sr., 0.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. McFarlane, of Young's Point, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Harry Neil and children have returned from a visit with friends in Galt.

Mrs. R. P. McMahon, of Merrickville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. O'Connell, in Ashburnham.

Mr. Dan Simons last season was with the Mora Company, which is now occupying the boards at the opera house.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., and Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., are both in Toronto attending the opening of the Ontario Legislature.

Commodore H. Calcutt and Miss Susie Calcutt returned from Preston Springs last night. Mr. Calcutt is looking exceedingly well after undergoing a series of baths there.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Morse, of Toronto, left to day en route for Melbourne, Australia. While in town they were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. H. I. Farnum, 20 College street, and also of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morse, 465 Donegal street. The officers of the International Medical Missionary Society, under whose auspices a medical and surgical sanitarium is building among our antipodes at Melbourne, have made selection of a business manager and also matron in the person of Mr. and Mrs. Morse.

HONOUR ROLL FOR OCTOBER.

S. S. No. 11, Smith.

Fourth class—Noble Milburn, Stella Milburn, Pearl Fitzgerald. Third class—Harold Robinson, Walter Fitzgerald. Second class—Annie Allison, Rollie Blewett. Part Second class—Ethel Robinson, Mamie Robinson, Oscar Rowe. First class—Bertha Chittick, Beatrice Blewett, Lillie Wilson, Stanley Rosebrough.—John Rousel, teacher.

See the fine Dress Overcoats in Beaver and Melton, at $5.50, $6.50 and $7.50 at Grafton & Co's.

DESERVING OF PATRONAGE.

The Mora Dramatic Company at the Opera House.

A fair house greeted the Mora Dramatic Company last evening in the Bradburn Opera House, when "Pretty Poll" was put on the boards. Mora, herself, appeared in six different characters and won all by her magnetic brightness and winning manner. Mr. Neil Twomey as Robt. Stockton did some very clever work and Mr. Fred Williams as his clerk was exceedingly funny, as he was as the deaf old man. Mr. Dave Seymour in parodies, took the house with his comical sayings. Daly and Keaton presented one of the best specialties ever seen here, introducing character changes, negro singing, dancing and cake walk between acts. The new pictures by Edison's famous Projectoscope also caught the house between acts three and four. One of the features of the evening was the music by the Mora Novelty Orchestra. The entertainment is one of the best ever seen here, and should have crowded houses during their week's stay. To-night the jolly four-act comedy-drama, "The Pilot's Daughter," will be presented, with special scenery, new specialties, pictures and music.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Appended is a complete list of amendments to Ontario Hockey Association rules and regulations supplied by Secretary Beeton:—

Amending regulation 2 by inserting:—"That all players must have been bona fide residents of the town which they represent for at least thirty days before engaging in a matched game."

Amending regulation 2 by inserting the words "and certificate of the same to be obtained from the executive committee before playing for the second club," after "residence" in the third line in place of the words "to be decided by the executive."

Amending regulation 4 by adding, "When the status of an individual is questioned, the burden of proving his innocence shall rest with the accused, inasmuch as the real and true facts of the case must lie within his own personal knowledge, and consequently he must be in a position, if unjustly accused or suspected, to prove his innocence to the satisfaction of the executive. To prevent frivolous and groundless charges of this nature, the executive must be convinced that there is good and sufficient cause to question the status of an individual and may insist that all such charges be made upon affidavit.

Amending rule K, page 16, by striking out in line six, "This rule not to be deemed, etc.," down to the word "regard" in line ten.

Amending rules of the game, No. 13, page 20, by inserting after word "match" in first line, "break his skate, or from any other accident be compelled to leave the ice, the opposite side shall allow a substitute to replace him or drop a man to equalise the teams." Strike out lines two and three.

Amending rules of the game No. 14, by adding: "And that no delay shall exceed five minutes."

Amending section E of rules of competition by substituting "Any club refusing or failing to play the club against which it is matched within the stated time shall be considered to have lost the tie."

Amending by adding the following rule: "The puck being played from behind one's own goal cannot again be played by a member of the same side unless it has been hit by or has touched the dress or person of a player on the opposite side."

THE RING.

Great interest is being taken in Costello's training by local sparring enthusiasts, and he should be in fine shape in the course of another couple of weeks. In the morning he goes for a run of eight or ten miles out the Lakefield road with either his trainer, O'Connor, or Chris Graham, and after a rub down takes it easy until dinner time. About two hours after dinner, exercise is indulged in again, and Costello punches the bag, spars with some of the local talent or wrestles, and also skips the rope.

An idea of his cleverness can be gained at the Opera House on Monday, when he will give an exhibition with Mr. James Graham. A number of other bouts have been arranged for the occasion, and Trainer O'Connor will pull off his bag punching contest against White, of Detroit, for a side bet of $50. O'Connor is in shape to give a fine exhibition, and many will prefer to see his clever manipulation of the bag to watching the sparring. A full programme of vocal and instrumental music, clog dancing, tumbling, etc., has been arranged.

THE OTHER FELLOW GOT IT.

A Barber is "Left" through an Excess of Caution.

Here is a good story told at the expense of one of the local barbers. A certain tonsorial artist who shall be nameless was called upon to assist in the toilet of a commercial traveller at one of the hotels last Sunday. When he had completed his labours his customer handed him a bank note which the wielder of the razor could not change. The drummer said it would be all right; that he would look him up the next day, and asked what shop he worked in. The barber thought he smelt a large rat at once, and passages from the Lord's Day Act flashed through his brain. In an excess of caution he gave the address of a rival shop, which also shall be nameless.

Next day the traveller dropped into the shop indicated by his obliging barber and allowed the proprietor to do fifty cents worth of work in beautifying him, and in addition to paying for this he insisted on leaving a handsome remembrance for the courteous barber who had come to his rescue on the Sabbath Day. The proprietor looked wise as he took the unearned increment.

SUNDAY NOISE AND CHURCH BELLS.

A gentleman whose nerves have been severely irritated by the noise of church bells, sends the following from the Helena, Montana, Independent:

A recent issue of the Washington Post contains a letter from a minister of that city on the subject of noise on Sunday. He thinks it all right that newsboys are prohibited from shouting in the streets when trying to sell papers, and that the city should be free from unnecessary noise on Sunday. As for that, a city should be free from unnecessary noises on every day of the week. But we are surprised that the minister does not arise and condemn the church bell, which can and does make a good deal more unnecessary noise than a whole regiment of newsboys. If newsboys can succeed in selling papers without shouting in the streets, surely the churches can get along without harrowing the ears and nerves of citizens. A bell is of far less necessity in religion than is street outcry in selling papers.

The church bell is a relic of the days when people didn't have clocks and watches, and now its sole function is to make an unnecessary clamor.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

ORMERE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Farmers are very busy marketing their produce since stopping the plough, Peterborough getting the bulk of the stuff, particularly that from east of here.

Our hotels are kept unusually quiet this fall, though largely patronized, without much signs of drunkenness. Many use the sheds for their accommodation in all kinds of weather, who have been in the habit of destroying the places of accommodation.

The excellent speech delivered by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., to his constituents north of here has been loudly spoken of by all classes of people, and should be read by every right-thinking person, as it affords much knowledge summed up in such a manner that few are competent of such style of placing "solid facts."

Mr. Potter, father of the Rev. Mr. Potter, St. Andrew's church, Peterborough, gave a most interesting account of the work done amongst the sailors by the Upper Canada Bible Society, of which he has charge. Although 65 years in existence this work has not heretofore been explained, but has met with the sympathy of all who who were fortunate in listening to Mr. Potter.

Dr. J. N. Thompson is one of our busiest practitioners. Although there is not much sickness here, yet his south practice, as far Cavanville, keeps him hustling.

There is one of our leading farmers who has made over $100 out of 150 turkeys, and considers this more profitable than many other lines. They are for the foreign market.

Mr. Jas. Fowler, sen., Smith, general agent, is often seen passing through our village on business, and is a living example of industry and thrift to many younger men.

CHARITY FAIR.

An Important Coming Event in Bradburn's Opera House.

The public will be greatly interested in knowing that a great Charity Fair in aid of the funds of St. Joseph's Hospital will be held in Bradburn's opera house, on December 14th, 15th, 16th and 17th. Housewives will be specially interested in knowing that there will be offered for sale, an immense array of fancy articles as well as of useful articles suitable for personal and domestic use for both adults and children and adults and housewives will do well to wait for the great charity fair on December 14—17.

See Grafton & Co for Underwear, all wool, 35c, 40c and 45c.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
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Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

If you experience any trouble with your eyes in reading have them tested by W. Madill, practical optician. No charge for testing. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

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CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION.

A Conservative Convention for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding of West Peterborough at the coming general elections, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m.

W. SAHLSBURY, SECRETARY. T. E. BRADBURN, PRESIDENT.

West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. G. M. ROGER, Sec. W.P.R.A.

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1-lb Select Raisins, 6c or 5 lbs for	.25	1 lb Cooking Figs 5c or 5 lbs for	.25
1 lb Mixed Raisins 8c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Walnuts	.25
1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Cake Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 12c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
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MAY HAVE MEANT WELL.

But Her Efforts Did Not Meet With Much Success.

Last season a Washington woman, possessing both social and charitable ambitions, elected to give a reception. The affair was to be very exclusive. Judge of the surprise when a bundle of invitations was left at the door of a hospital in town upon whose board of managers Mrs. Z. serves. The invitations were found to be addressed to the trained nurses of the institution, and great was the wonder that the professional ranks had been invaded for society recruits.

A few days elapsed, and Mrs. Z. paid a visit to the hospital. Making herself extremely agreeable, she remarked to the nurses:

"Well, girls, I hope you received cards to my reception?"

Smiles and acknowledgments answered in the affirmative, and Mrs. Z. went on complacently:

"Indeed, I was only too glad to remember you all. I appreciate how much work and how little play you girls have, and I thought you would enjoy a little glimpse of society fun."

"No doubt of it, Mrs. Z.," one of the nurses spoke up, "but none of us are likely to have gowns suitable to wear at such a function."

"Oh, that need not trouble you in the least," returned the smiling Mrs. Z. "Now, my idea is this. Of course I understand you have no evening gowns and that you know very few society people, but these facts must not interfere with your getting a peep at my guests and eating some of my supper. I thought the whole thing would be simplified if you all came in your pretty uniforms and caps and took up your stations in the dressing rooms. You would only have to assist the ladies with their wraps, and you could see the gowns to such good advantage, and"—But such a chorus of indignant exclamation rent the air at that juncture that Mrs. Z.'s sentence was never completed.

The social veneering must be thickly coated on Mrs. Z., for to this day she does not seem to understand why the nurses meet her advances with frigid indifference and why her visits to the hospital are no longer pleasant.—Washington Star.

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Taking Toll.

There is a little girl named Nellie living in Allegheny, says the Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph, who has astonished the neighborhood by a cute little trick which was so bright that even her parents had to laugh, and she escaped even a scolding. A grocer in the neighborhood had sent out a message to his customers that he was in need of money. The little girl's mother thought her bill was about $5 and gave Nellie a $5 bill to give the grocer and told her to bring back some sugar.

"Can I have a penny?" asked Nellie.

"Oh, yes. If there is one left you can have it," her mother replied.

Nellie went to the store and brought back the sugar. A few days later the grocer sent his bill, and it contained an acknowledgment of "cash received, $4.99." The lady had paid no such sum and asked for an explanation. The grocer said, "That's what Nellie brought."

The little girl was called in to explain. She said, "You said I could have a penny, and I went to the drug store and had the $5 bill changed and gave him the rest."

She Wasn't Guessing.

"Can I occupy half this seat?" asked the western drummer after he had succeeded in pushing his way into the crowded car.

"I don't know, sir," said the Boston girl, "but if you intended to ask my permission to try it I beg to inform you that you may do so."—Cleveland Leader.

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A C. P. R. PROBABILITY.

It is Now Thought Likely That the C.P.R. Will Get the Railway From Trail to Robson, B.C.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 29.—It has been known for some time past that the Canadian Pacific have been negotiating with F. A. Heinze of the Trail smelter, with a view to purchase either the smelter, the road from Trail to Robson, or both, and it is now thought that the deal will either go through to-morrow or be declared off altogether. Mr. Heinze and his Trail agent, Mr. Carlos Warfield, are both in the city, and this gives rise to the belief that something will be done this week. It is also said that if the C.P.R. do not purchase the railway they might seek running powers over it from Robson to China, or Murphy Creek, and thence switch off to Rossland by a branch of their own.

Mr. Blackstock of Toronto, who is in the city, denies that the War Eagle have any notion of building a smelter of their own.

Chicoutimi is Booming.

Rural Quebec is going ahead. The town of Chicoutimi has increased its population from 2000 to 5000 in three years and the farmers of the United Counties of Lake St. John and Chicoutimi have received during the past season no less than $250,000 in cash for their butter and cheese, which is sold in London at the same rate as the Ontario and Eastern Township article.

A pulp mill costing $110,000 will also start in Chicoutimi next week and the output for 18 months to come has already been sold in England.

James' Bay Railway in England.

The old scheme of a railway to James' Bay is again being revived on account of the favorable report of Mr. Sullivan, an engineer, sent out to explore the country by the Quebec Government. The distance from James' Bay to Roberval, on Lake St. John, is 373 miles, and the engineer says he took a dip in the bay as late as Oct. 4, and found the water in good condition, while wheat was seen ripe at a Hudson Bay post half way between Roberval and the Bay, or some 400 miles north of the city of Quebec. Mr. Sullivan states that the road can be easily constructed and will pass through magnificent forests and agricultural lands. The promoters say that the railway will come from Roberval to the mouth of the Saguenay, seeking a port at Tadousac.

Suicide at Eglington.

Eglington, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Hearn, a woman 60 years of age, committed suicide at the house of Deputy Reeve Stibbard, here, on Saturday morning. The housekeeper, Miss Brady, at about 8 o'clock found her hanging from a beam by a strap, and quite dead. The dead woman's husband lives at 26 Reid street, Toronto, with one son. Ex-Warden Donald McDonald of Sutton and Mrs J. McDonald of the same place are brothers of the deceased, and Mr. John Stibbard a nephew. Mrs. Hearn has been unwell for months, and at times showed great mental unbalance.

Theodore Durrant is Doomed.

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—Acting Attorney-General Carter has received word from Attorney-General Fitzgerald to the effect that after present legal quibble has been decided he will advise Warden Hale to carry out the execution of Theodore Durrant regardless of any new legal proceedings that may be instituted by Durrant's attorney.

Durrant will be re-sentenced as soon as the controversy now pending is settled, after which the Attorney-General of the State believes no legal step can accomplish further delay in the proposed execution of Durrant.

The Mattawa Killing Case.

Mattawa, Ont., Nov. 29.—The result of a coroner's jury on McConnell's body was that, in the opinion of the jury, the deceased, James McConnell, died from hemorrhage caused by a bullet wound fired from a rifle in the hand of Samuel Tongue. The jury are fully of the opinion from the evidence produced that the shot was fired in self-defence.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conquerer of kidney and liver disease.

Ignorance In Motion.

I do not in the least mind if England, when the people are less ignorant and more experienced in self government, eventually becomes a democracy. But violent, selfish, unreasoning democracy would bring expensive bureaucracy and the iron rule of a Cromwell. Let the demagogue remember "Liberty forgetful of others is license, and nothing better than treason." The hero of the morning is too often the traitor of the afternoon. It was the mob who smashed the Duke of Wellington's windows on the anniversary of Waterloo. As Goethe says, "The worst thing in the world is ignorance in motion." The world would grow into the wickedest of worlds should all this babble and gabble ever succeed in impressing on the people that the obligations of contract are mere tyranny and that law is nothing but coercion.—Tennyson.

Quite Likely.

Teacher—Willie, if your father gave you 10 cents and then took away 4 and gave them to your brother, what would that make?

Willie—Trouble.—Yale Record.

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Contagious Diseases in Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—The Medical Health Officer's monthly report of contagious diseases for November is issued. The deaths recorded are as follows: Diphtheria 64, scarlet fever 58, typhoid fever 14. For the same month in 1896: Diphtheria 64, scarlet fever 44, typhoid fever 24. For the month of October the number were: Diphtheria 24, scarlet fever 30, and typhoid fever 44.

A Deadly Implement of War.

Portsmouth, Nov. 29.—Hiram Maxim's new quick-firing gun was tried here Saturday, with remarkable results. With twenty pounds of cordite it showed an effective range of 16,000 yards.

Jobert on American Soil.

New York, Nov. 29.—Paul Jobert, the celebrated French painter, was a passenger by the French Line steamer La Touraine, which arrived Saturday night from Havre.

He brings with him several new works, among them being the picture which obtained for him this year's gold medal of the Paris Salon. This painting represents a small fishing boat, on the Newfoundland banks, surprised in a fog by a large Atlantic liner. He brings also several portrait pictures.

France, Tunis and the United States.

Tunis, Nov. 29.—The Depeche Tunisienne intimates that France will shortly ask for the denunciation of the treaty of 1797 between the United States and Tunis.

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also pains in my head. My appetite was very poor, and I felt very miserable all the time, hardly able to do my household work. My heart was so bad that I frequently fainted away, and was liable to drop down at any place or time.

Sometimes my heart seemed to bound into my throat so that I thought I would smother. My rest was very much broken, and I grew quite discouraged after using so many medicines without relief.

When I heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and procured a box at John A. Barr's drug store, and now after having used two boxes can say that I am completely cured. My appetite is good, indeed it seems as if I wanted to eat all the time. I sleep well and am thoroughly toned up. Truly I am better than I have been for many years."

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A DRAMA OF THE SEA.

Deeply touched and still quivering with emotion, I write these lines.

Many and full of terrors are the sea tragedies enacted on this island, that is nevertheless rightly named the "beautiful."

Its lovable and courteous inhabitants are divided into two distinct classes—farmers and fishermen.

The former plant wheat, corn, oats and potatoes.

The latter catch the sweet fleshed tunny fish, sardines and lobsters.

Neither farmers nor fishermen ever become rich, and meat is almost unknown in their homes.

The people are, therefore, far from strong, the women especially being tender and delicate, with straight noses, slender, graceful necks and a slow, aristocratic carriage.

The men are of medium height and well built, but lack the vigor characterizing the peasants of Normandy.

The islanders are proud and never beg. A careful observer cannot fail to notice that among the many wrinkles which give character to their faces those written by laughter are wanting.

Both men and women have a serious and melancholy air, and their foreheads seem burdened with sad memories or a certain restlessness. Has not each one a father, a brother, or a son on the malignant water that lies out there—out there—encircling the island everywhere as far as the eye can reach?

Here these people have lived for centuries surrounded by a moving, agitated cemetery that smiles so alluringly and at the same time so savagely.

Occasionally the laughter of a child in one of the huts bubbles out toward its mother working in the fields. Her face lightens up for a moment, but she dare not seem happy, for as she turns there lies the sea, and its waves sob as they roll at her feet.

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Yesterday there stood near me a dainty little girl of 13. She shaded her eyes with one hand in order to watch as long as possible her brother, who was walking down the street leading to the harbor of Bordery. Soberly as a matron she called after him: "Be careful of yourself and do not take cold. Au revoir! Good catch!"

The boy disappeared, and his sister returned to arrange her little household for the home coming of both her brothers, as the three were orphans to whom the state paid a small pension.

The girl was dressed in mourning, Father and Mother Gouenantin having died two years before—he in the hospital after 12 days of cruel suffering caused by the poisonous sting of a fish, she a few days later from consumption and grief.

Yes, there they lived, the three orphans. The elder brother, aged 18, had arisen at daybreak to be ready for his share of sardines, and the other, a lad of 15, was just to depart with his cousin Pierre-Marie to catch lobsters.

The three companions, Pierre-Marie Gouenantin, Eugene Gouenantin, the orphan, and Michel Samzun, boarded a little boat, L'Enfant du Desert, hoisted its pale blue sail and disappeared.

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The heavens were slightly misty, the wind came out of the west, and I, sitting on the rocks, looked before me.

Dreaming the endless dreams born of the changeless yet ever changing sea as one gazes into its depths, full of charm and mystery.

Faraway cries caused me to turn my head and look about.

A flock of screaming sea gulls flying above me had attracted my attention. I was just about to leave the rocks when new cries reached my ears. These were piteous and broken like the sobs of a child. I arose and, looking toward the island where the lighthouse of Poulains stands, saw Mother Le Pelletier, the wife of the lighthouse keeper, down on her knees, waving her handkerchief, weeping and calling for help.

Workmen, busy in the neighborhood, saw the woman just as I did. In a few moments the little island was crowded with people.

What a painful, what a terrifying spectacle!

Opposite the point of the island, 300 meters from land, lay the boat L'Enfant du Desert capsized. Her sails were under water, and on her keel, which rose in the air, clung Eugene Gouenantin, the orphan. His face was as pale as a winding sheet, his eyes were closed, and his head, a plaything for the waves, swayed from right to left. With my telescope I could follow the entire development of the tragedy.

The child had become helpless and was just about to loosen his hold of the boat. Right near him lay Michel Samzun, clasping the edge of the keel convulsively, crying continually for help. His voice, hoarse with the death struggle, was partly drowned by the waves rolling furiously over him, as if reluctant to surrender their prey.

A hundred meters from them Pierre Marie Gouenantin disappeared in the water, the boat's car under his shoulders; but, strong and vigorous as he was, he arose with a cry of joy, for he had seen Father Le Pelletier coming. The lighthouse keeper, hearing the cries for help, had jumped into his boat and pushed from the shore without waiting for any of his companions for fear of being too late.

He was obliged to round the point.

"Courage! Hold fast!" called Michel Samzun to the little sailor hanging to the keel. "Courage! Father Le Pelletier is here, our gallant deliverer."

Then on came a wave, a sheer wall of water, with a foaming crest, and buried the boat. When it had spent itself, Michel raised his head and looked about—the keel was empty. Far away the wave was now rolling, and in its cruel bosom it held the orphan boy. Finally it disappeared in a whirl of waters, boiling and swirling in a horrible struggle for their victim.

The sun just then pierced the fog and shone dimly on the raging, tumultuous sea. In the meantime Father Le Pelletier had rescued Pierre-Marie Gouenantin, and then rowed to the place where the accident occurred. Great tears rolled over the weather stained cheeks of the brave lighthouse keeper, as with inexpressible tenderness he loosened Michel Samzun's cramped hands from the boat's keel.

For three-quarters of an hour the three fishermen had struggled with the waves and with the winds that had been blowing furiously for the last 20 minutes. When Michel's fingers were released, Father Le Pelletier drew him into the boat and placed him next to Pierre-Marie. It being now certain that the orphan was lost, the lighthouse keeper made for the island where Mother Le Pelletier was waiting with dry underclothing, stockings, shoes and coats, while my maid had prepared a drink of hot wine.

Finally Le Pelletier stepped on shore and the two poor shipwrecked mariners followed. The pilot shook the former by both hands, saying over and over:

"Brave fellow, brave fellow! Another rescue added to your long list."

"Oh," answered Le Pelletier, pale with sorrow and in a bitter tone, "a life has been lost!" And, although worn out and wet to the skin, he assisted the two fishermen, whose teeth were chattering, into some dry clothing.

Michel Samzun could not open his hands, so swollen were they. They hung down limp as the hands of the dead and seemed to be clutching something invisible.

Pierre-Marie, the elder—this was his second shipwreck—recovered first. With half suppressed anger he looked at the sea and cursed it. Then in taking off his soaked wool jacket he felt his watch. He held it to his ear. "It did not stop," he exclaimed, tapping the lid lightly. "It is a very good watch."

When the sailors were dressed again and somewhat warmed by the wine, they asked about their boat. A deep flush spread over Pierre-Marie's face when he heard that the pilot, Alexandre, had saved it. Although the sailors' limbs were still trembling and their hair stiff and wet from the salt water they at once stepped into the vessel, hoisted sail and steered for the pretty harbor of Bordery. Some one must tell "la petite Gouenantin."

I took the road and arrived at the same time. The murmurs of the sympathetic crowd was the first premonition the little girl had that something was wrong. She came out of her door, still dressed in black, her restless little head covered with a white coif. She saw the farmers and fishermen form into a group. She knew they were pitying her as they turned aside their heads. She could hear the "alas, alas!" which the wind carried to her.

A nameless fear urged the girl forward to meet the crowd. With pale face and eyes wide open with horror the child understood at once when she saw the two fishermen alone. She fled back home, calling out in tones broken by grief: "He is dead! He is dead!" This was her message to the unseen dwellers there.

"He is dead! He is dead! Dead without confession!" she cried and fell down before the black crucifix that hung on the white wall.

"He is dead! He is dead!" she whispered, kneeling on the floor, her head pressed against the stones, her arms spread out toward the crucifix.

And the crowd of fishermen and farmers stood on the doorsill. They held their hats in their hands. They did not speak. They found no word of comfort.

And I—I was in their midst, one of them.

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But when that fiddle speaks
B'goshs all hemlock, I hain't keep seats,
An I whoop an holler so
Yo'd think 'twas dawn o' kingdom come
When Parlin draws the bow!

The bar'l 'at Parlin's settin on
Keeps still because it must,
But every human 'at hears the fun
Has got to dance or bust.
Wy, even the candles on the wall,
They dances an flicker low
When the boys jes' stomp as they "seshay all"
An Parlin draws the bow!

They hain't a tune 'at he don't know—
"Tempest" an "Ginny Reel,"
"Vesuvianny," "Blackbird an Crow,"
"Lancers" an "Ole Tarkeel."
An he plays with such a ticklesome touch—
Ma's seventy-nine, you know,
But she'll skip an hop till it beats the Dutch
When Parlin draws the bow!

I wonder of ther's fiddle strings
To sound in paradise?
Wy not? Ther's harps an trumps an things
'At ain't not half so nice.
Waal, when I've crossed the crystal wave
I'll dance a jig—by Jo,
I know I shall—on the jasper pave
Ef Parlin draws that bow!

—J. L. Heaton in "Quilting Bee."

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A New Style Fur Jacket	15 00 to 200 00
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An attachable Fur Collar	$4.00 to $18 00
A Cosy Pair Gauntlets	3.00 to 18 00
Imitation Lamb Gauntlets	1.50
Buck, Mocha, & Kid Gloves & Mitts Fur Lined and Wool Lined	75 to 4 00
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WESTWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Jas. Ryan and his sister, Miss Mary Ryan, have moved to Peterborough for the winter.

Mr. Geo. Gillespie has returned from Fleetwood where he has made cheese.

Miss Lena Cumming was the guest of Miss G. Warner for a few days last week.

We noticed the pleasant face of Mr. Geo. Renwick in our village last week.

Mr. Wm. Thompson, of the firm of Ryan & Thompson, attended the cheese meeting held here on Friday. He appears to be very well satisfied with the condition of the factory.

Mr. F. H. Breckenridge, O. B. C., Bellville, has come home for a few days. We hear that he has secured a school at Cahoon's Corner.

Mr. Thos. Eason, jr., has gone to Norwood for the winter. He intends to wear the apron.

Mr. Thos. Evans was in Keene a few days ago. On Packer street he found a very valuable cane. No owner has yet been found and Tom, of course, is glad to have it still in his possession.

Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., has returned to the Legislature, which opened on Tuesday last.

Mr. J. Albert Graham has been re-engaged in Fife's public school at an increased salary; so also has Mr. R. Lancaster decided to remain another year at Cameron's school.

Mr. R. James McColl was so unfortunate as to cut his knee badly. He was conveyed to Dr. MacNaughton's office, where his injuries were attended to. We anxiously await his recovery.

The following were appointed collectors for Asphodel by the Norwood branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society:—Misses Ada Scott, E. Crawford, L. Thistlewaite, M. Scott, M. Powell and R. Wood. The books are to be placed in the hands of the collectors at once. New books are anticipated.

The following committee will arrange for the Farmers' Institute meetings here: Misses M. Breckenridge, K. Sharp and J. Eason, and Messrs. W. C. Breckenridge, Will Sharp and G. Eason. Now, Will, roll up your sleeves.

The annual meeting of the Westwood cheese patrons was held in the factory on Nov. 20th. Mr. Robert Harrison, President, took the chair, and Mr. R. Tudhope acted as secretary. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The auditors, Messrs. R. Tudhope and John Lancaster, presented their report, which was received. It was resolved that the directors should insure the factory next year, putting on $2,000. The salesman, Mr. Thomas Blezard, M.P.P., gave his report respecting the season's business, which was entirely satisfactory. He said Westwood cheese always commanded the very best price on the board. There was no trouble selling it, because it was A1, and the buyers were always after it. He advised the patrons to look carefully after their cows and milk, and in so doing, greatly assist our excellent cheesemaker, Mr. Jas. Ryan, in keeping the cheese up to its proud record it has to-day—no better in the world.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted as appended:

President—Mr. Robert Harrison, (re-elected)

Secretary-treasurer—Mr. Robt. Ryan, re-elected.)

Salesman—Mr. Thomas Blezard, (re-elected.)

Auditors—Messrs. R. Tudhope and Jno. Lancaster, (re-elected.)

Directors—Messrs H Nelson, M Lynch, Jas Lancaster, Israel Mumphries, M J Healy, Wm Sharp, M English, D R Cameron and Thos Eason, (re-elected.))

The whey was first offered for sale in bulk, and then by the day. Mr. Thomas Breckenridge offered 50c per standard for it in bulk. It was then sold by the day but this did not realize as much as before, so that Mr. Breckenridge has the whey for the year.

The auditors' report for 1897 reads thus: The amount of milk delivered at the factory was 2,398,171 lbs., or a little more than 704 standards, from which was made 209,543 lbs. cheese, being an average of 10.93 lbs. of milk per lb. of cheese. The amount received from sales was $18,471.70, being an average of a little more than 8 81 cents per lb. Interest received, $71.64. The value of the whey at 47c. a standard, $330.10, making the total amount value of the business done [illegible] $18,903 44. The [illegible] per standard is $26.75, [illegible] the whey [illegible]

after deducting expenses is $19 90. The greatest amount of milk sent by any one patron was by John Breckenridge, viz, 89,301 lbs., and the average sent by the 99 patrons was 23,153 lbs.

Westwood factory is the largest on the Peterborough Cheese Board and commanded the greatest price paid for cheese in the province. This speaks well for the carefulness and ingenuity of our salesman, Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P. He has ever tried to bring Westwood factory to the front, and this year's showing proves it so to be. Whatever he takes in hand to do is sure to receive his most careful and closest attention, and it is well for the patrons of this factory that they secured as able and shrewd a salesman as he to act in this office next year. Our hearty thanks are due to Mr. Blezard for his thoughtfulness and care in the past.

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Ninety out of of every one hundred homes in Canada make use of Diamond Dyes each season of the year.

Diamond Dyes hold their present high position owing to the fact that they are perfectly pure and harmless. They are prepared with such scientific precision that the colours are always uniform in power in shade. NO ADULTERATION, NO SOAP GREASE in Diamond Dyes, and every package is fully warranted.

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Mrs. G. E. Langille, Port Hawkesbury, N.S., says:

"I have tried all makes of package dyes, but find Diamond Dyes by far the best; they work perfectly."

Mrs. E. Chambers, Massey Station, Ont., says:

"We have used your Diamond Dyes for years; they are excellent and make old things look like new; I could not get on without them."

Mrs. Aubin, Shefford Vale, P.Q., says:

"Have used Diamond Dyes for many years and think they are the best; I do not wish to buy any other make."

Mrs. R. J. Hannah, Poplar Point, Man., says:

"Diamond Dyes are a perfect success and no trouble."

Mrs. James Ingram, St. Mary's, Ont., says:

"I have used Diamond Dyes exclusively for years, and will use no other make."

SPRINGVILLE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss H. Lowery, of Port Hope, is the guest of Mr. Levi Bowles.

Miss Etta Clarke was home for Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Mackenzie and family, of Galt, spent a few days with Mr. W. J. Laing last week.

Mr. Fallis, Miss Fallis and Miss Walsh were the guests of Mr. J. Baptie and family on Sunday.

Miss R. Watt is visiting at Mr. R. Hetherington's.

We are pleased to see Miss M. Baptie out again after her recent illness.

Miss S. Weir, of Norwood, spent Thanksgiving holidays with W. Clarke and family.

Rev. J. A. Tanner, of Omemee, will conduct the preparatory services here on Friday morning at half ten, Sunday following being the Sacrament.

Josh Billing Said

Next to a clear conscience for solid comfort give me an old shoe. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor removes the worst corns in twenty-four hours. Putnam's is the only sure, safe and painless corn extractor.

Cancer Can Be Cured.

Cancer is the severest known form of blood disease. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most powerful medicine known. It cures cancer and all skin diseases. Proof: "My husband had two cancers taken off his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and is discharged. I know this medicine is an excellent [illegible] earlier." Mrs. Wm. KIRBY, Akron[illegible], New York.

[illegible] Cure

Is sold on a [illegible] to cure Incipient Consumption. [illegible] best Cough Cure. Only one [illegible] Regent, 369 George

HOT FROM THE WIRES.

Late Telegraphic News From All Over the World Boiled Down for Our Busy Readers.

Sir James Winter, the new Premier of Newfoundland, and all the members of his Cabinet, have been re-elected without opposition.

John Siegner's house at Hespeler, valued at $350, was burned down yesterday.

It is estimated that during the Weyler regime 400,000 Cubans were starved to death.

Hon. Charles Langelier has been nominated as the Liberal candidate for Bonaventure.

Frank M. Gray was arrested at Edmonton on Saturday, charged with having shot J. W. Shera in a disorderly house.

Mr. Theodore Chabot, lock master of the dry dock at St. Joseph Levis, has been dismissed for not working satisfactorily.

J. F. Willard, of Berlin, nephew of Miss Willard, president of the W. C. T. U., has started on an expedition to Asiatic Russia.

The estate of the Duchess of Teck, cousin of the Queen and mother of the Duchess of York, who died on Oct. 27 last, is valued at £35,471.

The training ship Yantic has arrived in the Iroquois Canal, 20 miles below Ogdensburg. Seven tugs were required to get her past Farrar's Point.

Wm. Miller, a C.P.R. brakesman living at Toronto Junction, had his hand crushed while coupling cars, and he loses the middle finger of the left hand entirely.

A rumor that Hon. J. C. Patterson, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, is to be translated to the Governorship of the Northwest Territories, is authoritatively denied.

It is reported from Ottawa that Mr. Irving of the firm of Bodwell & Irving, Victoria, B.C., will be appointed to the bench of British Columbia in the place of Justice McCreight.

At 11 o'clock last night the steam laundry belonging to Mrs. A. C. Hill, St. Catharines, was badly gutted and the plant damaged. Loss to building, $800; plant, $1500; partially insured.

The second trial of Luetgert for the murder of his wife in Chicago was begun yesterday. The prisoner's counsel objected to Judge Gary, and an effort is being made to find another judge. Nothing was done.

The Detroit Chamber of Commerce building, 18 stories high, fully tenanted, worth $600,000, will be sold at auction tomorrow for an unpaid first mortgage of $420,000 and interest. The New York Life Insurance Co. holds the mortgage.

Policeman Arthur William Osler dropped dead on his beat on Parliament street, Toronto, about 10.30 last night. Heart disease was probably the cause, and Coroner Greig will not hold an inquest.

Sir Richard Cartwright has received a voluminous report from Mr. E. E. Sheppard, Canadian Commissioner to Uruguay and Brazil. Mr. Sheppard says there are good fields in many lines for Canadian enterprise.

The appointment of Mr. Phillias Laberge, Deputy Registrar for the Registration Division of Quebec, is revoked, and Messrs. J. A. Remillard and Joseph P. Roy of the city are appointed joint deputy registrars.

Alex. McMillan, an intoxicated Torontonian, last night tried to cut his throat with a razor in Hulse's hotel bar. P. C. Phillips was too quick for him and he got lodgings in the cooler to give the ugly high cut on his neck a chance to heal.

It has been ascertained beyond doubt that Henry Davey, residing alone in Douro township, near Peterboro, deliberately cut the throat of his favorite horse and then afterwards his own. No motive is assigned, except he had been drinking heavily of late.

Justice Burbidge of the Exchequer Court at Ottawa has confirmed the referee's report and given judgment to A. S. Woodburn for $68,289 for profits on his contract for the book binding to the Government, which was given to others outside the contract.

The Beaver Line mail steamer Gallia, which has arrived at Halifax from Liverpool via Moville, proceeded for St. John N.B., after landing mails and a number of westbound passengers. The Gallia made the run from Moville, notwithstanding the fierce Atlantic gale, in eight days.

Hamilton city council will give the Heinze Pickle Co. of Pittsburg, Pa., exemption from taxation for ten years, water at 5 cents per 1000 gallons, and the necessary sewer connections. A free site has also been secured to bring the Co. to the Ambitious City.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 4.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.00 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

For cold in the head use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

Doan's Kidney Pills are the ones that cure. Remember the name, DOAN'S.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

People Praise It.

DEAR SIRS,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

LIZZIE HARDY,
Mayfield, On

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READ THIS—EVERY WORD OF IT.

Crowning Sale of This Year.

Away above all our Business Strokes of this year we put this latest lucky movement of merchandise now in progress. It is the resultant of complete organization for getting goods at proper sources and at the most favourable movement.

What comes of looking ahead is demonstrated to the public by what is in sight just now all over our house. That lucky purchase of ours when we . . . . . .

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The Whole of the Winter Stock of the well-known Montreal Manufacturers—

McKENNA-THOMPSON CO

At the Unprecedented Low Figure of

33⅓ Cents

Placed in our hands the **GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY OF THE YEAR,** and gave us practical control of the Clothing trade of Peterborough. Opportunity and ability were thus united—and that is how we have collected together this great **$66,000** stock of Merchandise. It is 1897's LATEST, NEWEST, RIGHT-PRICED addition to Peterborough's prosperity, spread out on our tables and shelves for the greatest December feast of our history.

Even the great GOUGH'S are not insensible to a Boom in business. It seems a contradiction to push sales by losing profits we might as well have, when our business is vigorous with healthy activity, and yet we are inspired to do so by sound reasoning. It sometimes pays to lose, especially when you really don't lose at all.

IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices:—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... **$4.90**

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1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following desirable properties.

(1) North half of Lot 16, and part of North half of Lot 17, West of George street and South of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 100 feet 9 inches frontage more or less on Reid street, with depth of 131 feet 9 inches, more or less on Hunter street, with a well built two story Brick House, with brick and a half hollow walls. This is a desirable residence and most conveniently situated at the corner of Reid and Hunter streets, near St. Peter's Cathedral; Wood furnace, mantels and grates in two rooms, and hard wood doors.

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(3) The south part of Lot 17, west of George street and south of Hunter street, in the town of Peterborough, 74 feet 6 inches Frontage, more or less, on Downey str et, with Brick Cottage erected thereon.

TERMS—10 per cent down at the time of sale, balance in one month thereafter without interest.

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10 a. m. Probabilities.

Strong winds and gales from west and north, clearing and becoming decidedly colder, a few light local snow falls. Fine and decidedly cold on Thursday.

R. F.

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EXTRAORDINARY OF CARPETS and RUGS

Commencing on **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1st.**, we will offer for sale the following Carpets, Rugs and Squares in our Carpet Department.

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—10 Door Mats, 12x26 inches, formerly $1.25, sale price ..... .75
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—10 Axminster Rugs, ends fringed, size 27x18 in, formerly sold at $1.25, —sale price ..... .89
—15 Kurdistan Reversible Rugs, ends fringed 30x60 in, formerly sold at $2.25, sale price 1.65
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WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT—for small family. Apply to MRS. J. L. O'BRIEN, No. 87 London Street.

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PETERBOROUGH.

THE GREAT STORM

Britain's Ports Filled With Damaged Shipping.

INLAND KENT TOWNS FLOODED.

The Losses at Margate and Southend—New England Island Swamped and a Farmer and His Belongings Swept Away—A Laborer Frozen to Death—General Cable News.

London, Dec. 1.—Stories of wrecks, fatalities and damage done as a result of the gale in England were received yesterday. All the bays and ports are full of shipping, more or less seriously damaged. Several of the inland towns of Kent are still flooded, and a long time must elapse before the damages done can be repaired. At Margate the damage is estimated to amount to £50,000 and at Southhead to £30,000. Similar reports are being received from other seaside places.

The severity of the weather prevailing in Durhamshire can be gauged by the fact of the finding of the frozen body of a laborer, who lost his way in a snowstorm.

Five artillerymen from Shoeburyness, who were sent out to search for a boat in which six gunners were adrift, were driven out to sea and were picked up last night by the Allan Line steamer Austrian, after their boat had been stove in. It is feared that the boat containing the six gunners had been swamped and that the men have been drowned.

The Ramsgate lifeboat, which, with a tug, the two vessels having a score of men on board, went to assist a vessel in danger on the Goodwin Sands, has not been heard from for 24 hours.

Later in the day it became known that the missing gunners had reached Woolwich safely. New England, an island near South End, several thousand acres in area and surrounded by a high sea wall, was swamped during the gale, and everything, including a farmer and his family, the farm buildings, sheep, horses and cattle, was swept away.

FOR CHINESE WATERS.

German Warship Gefion Sent to Reinforce the German Fleet There.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The German Government has abandoned its intention of sending the warship Gefion to Port au Prince, Hayti, in order to enforce the demands of Count Schwerin, the German Minister there, who is insisting upon the payment of an indemnity to Herr Emil Luederk, for alleged false imprisonment. The Gefion, instead, will be sent to reinforce the German fleet in the Chinese waters.

Damage on Belgian Coast.

Brussels, Dec. 1.—The storm which has been sweeping over the northern part of Europe has done great damage along the Belgian coast. At Heyst and Middelkerke the dykes have been breached, flooded houses have collapsed and a number of vessels have been driven ashore. The Kursaal and other buildings at Blankenberghe, and the dykes as well, have been damaged, the streets are flooded and troops are being employed at various points to assist in the work of rescue.

New Governor of Hong Kong.

London, Dec. 1.—Sir Henry Arthur Blake, Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of Jamaica since 1889, has been appointed Governor of Hong Kong.

Sir Augustus William Lawson Hemming, Governor of British Guiana, will succeed Sir Henry Blake, and Sir Walter Joseph Sendall, High Commissioner for Cyprus since 1892, will succeed Sir Augustus Hemming.

French Brig Wrecked.

St. Malo, Dec. 1.—The French brig Hasparren has been wrecked off Aurigny. A majority of the crew perished. The Hasparren was of 309 tons, and belonged to S. M. Lagasse Nevu Cie. of Bayonne, France. She was probably a fishing brig.

THE THREE CENT POSTAGE.

The Beginning of the End of the Fight for Imperial Postal Unity.

London, Dec. 1.—(Montreal Star Cable.)—English comment on the reduction of the Canadian postage is summed up in a sentence: "This is the beginning of the end of the long battle for Imperial postal unity. If Canada, with a small revenue, risks so much to create a new link in the chain of the Empire how can rich England hesitate to co-operate?"

The question arises, however, whether the International Postal Union, of which Canada and England are members, will not prevent the reduction of the present rates without full and formal notice. In any case Canada's action will probably force the hands of the British postoffice and the Exchequer, as the new tariff forced the hands of the Foreign Office with respect to the treaties with Germany and Belgium.

INTO BRITAIN'S ARMS.

China Said to Have Agreed to Give England a Strip of Territory and Some Islands for Protection.

London, Dec. 1.—The morning papers assert that China has practically agreed to cede to England a strip of territory near Hong Kong and all the surrounding islands, in order to enable England to fortify them securely and to increase the garrison. It is expected that a convention covering the agreement will soon be signed.

Don Carlos' Agitation.

Madrid, Dec. 1.—It is stated here that Don Carlos, the pretender, has summoned to Venice the Marquis of Cerralbo, his representative in Spain, with a view of promoting a fresh agitation.

Raised to the Bench.

London, Dec. 1.—Sir Walter George Frank Phillimore, Baronet, Vice-President of the English Church Union and Chancellor of the Diocese of Lincoln, has been appointed to a judgeship. He was born in London on Nov. 21, 1845, was educated at Westminster and at Oxford, and was admitted to the bar in 1868. Among his publications are: "The Book of Church Law," "Phillimore's Ecclesiastical Law," and "Phillimore's International Law."

New Austrian Cabinet Completed.

Vienna, Dec. 1.—The new Austrian Cabinet, of which Baron von Gautsch von Frankenthurn is President of the Council of Ministers, has been completed and will be gazetted to-day.

Has the Khalifa Been Butchering?

Suakim, Dec. 1.—Advices received here from Kassala announce that reports are current there that the Khalifa recently murdered several Christians at Khartoum.

Among the Honored.

Cambridge, Eng., Dec. 1.—In the honor list of Cambridge University, just made public, Dr. Hamilton Wright of Montreal gets a scholarship of the value of £50.

The Hammond Murder Case.

Bracebridge, Dec. 1.—The Muskoka Assizes were opened last evening at 6 o'clock, Mr. Justice Meredith presiding. The grand jury roll was called and the jury empanelled and the charge given when the court adjourned until 9 o'clock to-day. The first business in the morning will be the selecting of jurors for the trial of William James Hammond, charged with the murder of Katie Tough.

Rescued From Starvation.

New York, Dec. 1.—The Bristol City Line steamer Exeter City, which arrived yesterday from Bristol and Swansea, on Nov. 24 fell in with the British schooner Elite, dismasted and in a sinking condition, and rescued the crew of five men and brought them safely to port. The supply of provisions had almost run out and the little crew suffered greatly from lack of food.

Two Oshawa Boys Drowned.

Oshawa, Ont., Dec. 1.—A sad drowning accident occurred here last evening. Two boys, about 8 years old, sons of John Robinson and Fred Horn, were sliding on the ice on the river and broke through. It appears they went out to slide shortly after school, and when they did not appear at tea time a search was made. After dragging about an hour the bodies were found side by side in about six feet of water.

Big Fire at Kingston.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 1.—About 11 o'clock last night fire broke out in Richardson's elevator and the building and contents were totally destroyed. The elevator was filled with grain, and the loss will amount to fully $75,000. The amount of insurance cannot be ascertained at this hour, but it is believed to be fully covered.

Haycock is Working.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 1.—J. L. Haycock, Patron leader, has been holding meetings throughout Frontenac, and he thinks his prospects are good for re-election.

A GREAT VICTORY

Bertram Carries Centre Toronto by an Increased Majority.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER PLEASED.

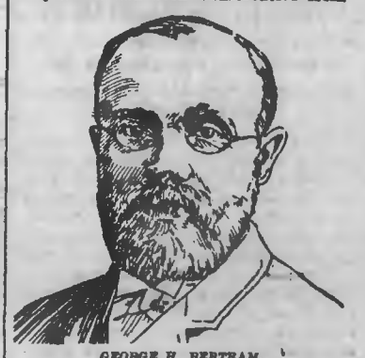
A Splendid and Brilliant Campaign Carried to a Successful Issue—Enthusiasm at Liberal Headquarters—Mr. Bertram Speaks Warm Words of Thanks to His Friends.

Bertram	2,234
Howland	1,958
Majority for Bertram	276

Toronto, Dec. 1.—A good cause, an excellent candidate, enthusiastic workers and supporters, combined to make the Liberal forces of Centre Toronto irresistible yesterday. The battle was one of the most determined ever fought in the city, both sides being keyed up to do their utmost.

There was no disunion in the Conservative ranks to excuse failure. Tupper Tories and anti-Tupperites, remedialists and anti-coercionists, Mr. John Ross Robertson and Mr. George E. Foster, Mr. Clarke Wallace and Dr. R. B. Orr, who tried to unhorse him in West York in the general elections—every section of the Tory party was at work.

The result is that in a city which the Conservatives formerly thought a pocket borough of the party, and in a constituency which had been Conservative from



GEORGE H. BERTRAM,
Member-elect for Centre Toronto.

1878 till it was redeemed by Mr. Lount in 1896, the Liberal majority of 240 at the general election has been increased to 276. This, too, in a deliberate trial of strength and on ground of attack chosen by the Opposition and accepted by the supporters of the Government.

Headquarters was crowded with workers after five o'clock waiting for the verdict. When the returns, which came in rapidly, proved beyond doubt that Mr. Bertram was member for Centre Toronto the ardor of his friends broke bounds, and cries of "speech, speech," were heard all over the room. Mr. Rutter, who has done such magnificent work in the management of Mr. Bertram's campaign, before calling on Mr. Bertram, thanked the members of the Executive Committee, every man who worked in the campaign, and every elector of St. John's and St. James' Wards who supported Mr. Bertram.

Mr. Rutter then introduced Mr. Bertram, who was received with tremendous enthusiasm. Every man in the hall waved his hat in the air and shouted, and shouted again. "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" was sung with great vigor, and the cheering was renewed. Mr. Bertram said: Fellow electors of Centre Toronto,—I am proud to think that the Liberals, that the electors, of Centre Toronto have by their vote shown that they have confidence in the Liberal Government led by Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier. I am far more satisfied with that vote on behalf of the Government than I am that it concerns me personally, because if the electors had lost confidence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier the Government would not have been sustained, and allow me to add this—now that I am in, the Tories will never get me out. (Cheers.) I desire to thank the Liberals—the Liberals, I desire and wish to emphasize the word. It is the Liberals that I desire to thank for the splendid support they have given me." He then reviewed the issues of the campaign and closed with still warmer words of thanks, if that were possible.

At The Star office and The Globe office, to which Mr. Bertram was escorted by enthusiastic supporters, the member-elect also spoke in similar terms. From all over Canada poured in telegrams of congratulation, this one from Ottawa was received with great enthusiasm and pleasure.

Sir Wilfrid Gratified.

"Ottawa, Nov. 30.—The news of the result of the Centre Toronto election reached the Premier's office just as he was leaving for home, shortly after 6 o'clock. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was very much pleased at the expression of confidence from such a constituency as Centre Toronto, particularly when it represented the opinions of a large body of business men."

At Conservative Headquarters.

A cheerful speech was made by the defeated candidate, Mr. Howland, and he was followed by Mr. George E. Foster, ex-Finance Minister, who dwelt upon the importance of a fight even though it had not been won.

Team Ran Away and Killed Him.

Palmerston, Dec. 1.—Thomas Hayes, a farmer living near Teviotdale, was killed last evening. His team, a spirited one, ran away, throwing him out and fracturing his skull. He was carried into a house near by, but lived only a few minutes.

A Railway Conductor Decapitated.

Stellarton, N.S., Dec. 1.—John McDonald, a conductor on the Intercolonial Railway, while shunting cars here yesterday afternoon, fell under one and was decapitated. He was 45 years old and had a large family.

Use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure

Nervous Prostration

Sick Headache and Dizziness—All Cured.

Little Girl Has Grown Plump and Rosy Since Taking Hood's.

Nervous mothers and sickly children endure a vast proportion of the suffering which is caused by impure and impoverished blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives relief by purifying and enriching the blood. Read this statement:

"I was bothered with sick headaches and dizziness. I also had nervous prostration and weakness in my stomach, which made me feel very ill indeed. I decided to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, which was highly recommended by many, and by the time I had taken four bottles I was in perfect health. About a year ago my little girl, then six years old, had bronchitis and chicken pox. We were told that her

Only Chance for Life

was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKMSON, 988 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1897.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The last session of the eighth Legislature of Ontario was opened yesterday afternoon in Toronto, and the speech of the new Lieutenant Governor, Sir Oliver Mowat, better known as the veteran statesman who has so long and well controlled the affairs of the Province, was published in the EXAMINER a few minutes after its utterance. The governmental programme is eminently satisfactory, and its exhibit at the session will be of a character that will give earnest of its triumphal return to power after the coming elections. The finances of the Province are in a solid condition, the receipts are in excess of the expenditure and the surplus is large. The public accounts will be given perhaps too soon, to please the Opposition, for they will contain a complete refutation of the reckless statements with which the little band of romancers, headed by Mr. J. Piiny Whitney, have been regaling an incredulous public during the summer and fall. The vexed question of the lumber interests will be dealt with in an intelligent and, as far as the Opposition will permit, practical manner, and measures which will best conserve the provincial interests adopted. Some changes in the educational procedure in the direction of improvement will be made, and it will be seen that the hand of the admirable administration of the past twenty-six years has not lost its cunning, and is guiding the provincial ship with its accustomed skill.

GROWING COMMERCE.

There have been some very remarkable increases in the volume of exports from the port of Montreal this year. Grain has shown an immence increase. The total quantity of wheat, oats, corn, peas, barley and rye shipped in 1896 was, roundly, seven million bushels; in 1896 it jumped to nineteen millions, and this year there has been another bound to twenty-seven million bushels. Of this eight millions of increase—more, by the way, than the total exports of 1895—wheat claims 2,847,340 bushels; corn another 2,605,526 bushels, and oats 2,396,370 bushels.

Montreal has also handled for export 400,000 boxes of cheese more than last year, each containing about seventy pounds; 63,000 more packages of butter, each of fifty-six pounds, and 15,000 more cases of eggs.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

YESTERDAY was the day dear to the hearts of Scots the world over. Their national day is one in which those of other races can bear a part with some degree of pride. They belong to an Empire, in the building of which, notably in Canada, the Scot has borne a large part. All can be "brithers" and wear the heather on that day.

CHRISTMAS comes but once a year, but when it comes—etc., etc. It is somewhat close at hand now and advertisers should govern themselves accordingly. By bringing their wares before the notice of the people promptly the sales will commence the sooner, the demand can be better met and the public and the merchant alike will be spared the rush and pressure which must result from leaving the matter until the very eve of the festive season.

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The Toronto Society's Celebration of the Great Anniversary. Chief of the Gordon Clan Present.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Yesterday was St. Andrew's Day and the brethren of St. Andrew's Society of Toronto were not behind their brethren in commemorating the anniversary. In the splendid capacious dining hall of the Queen's Hotel, gathered hundreds of braw Scotchmen to tell over again the praises of Scott, Burns, Wallace, Bruce and Bannockburn and the "Thin Red Line."

Additional relish was presented this year in the light of recent feats at Dargai Ridge. The praises of the Gordon Highlanders were sung, the more lustily that the chief of the clan, Gordon, in the person of the Earl of Aberdeen, Governor-General of Canada, was present. His Excellency replied to the toast of the evening, "The day an' a' wha honor it."

A MILLION AND A HALF

To be Paid Out by Canadian Banks in Dividends to Shareholders.

Montreal, Dec. 1.—St. Andrew's Day was royally celebrated here last night. The ball and concert were each a marked success.

Banks Will Pay out Money.

To-day 10 of the leading Canadian banks will begin to pay out over $1,400,000 in dividends. The payments are in every case half yearly. The largest amount that will be set rolling is $600,000, and that will be by the Bank of Montreal. The next largest amount is $240,000, which will be paid out by the Merchants' Bank of Canada, while the third amount is $210,000 by the Bank of Commerce. Here is a full list of the amounts payable to-morrow: Bank of Montreal, $600,000; Merchants' of Canada, $240,000; Bank of Commerce, $210,000; Bank of Toronto, $100,000; Imperial Bank, $68,220; Standard, $40,000; Quebec Bank, $68,750; Bank of Hochelaga, $28,000; La Banque Ville Marie, $14,288; Jacques Cartier, $17,500. Total, $1,406,758.

CARBERRY'S BIG FIRE.

Twelve Places of Business Lately Destroyed, Contents Partly Saved.

Carberry, Man., Dec. 1.—Twelve business places were burned here yesterday morning, namely: Walker's Bazaar, News office, Morton, harness; H. McFeridge, boots and shoes; J. McFeridge, workshop; Silvester, implements; Massey-Harris, implements; Thompson Elliott's blacksmith shop, Walker's Liverpool, Kennedy's restaurant, County Court offices, Robertson, furniture. All the buildings were totally consumed. The contents were partly saved. Loss about $30,000; insurance not learned.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

Fruit Shipments.

Hamilton, Dec. 1.—Messrs. T. Carpenter & Son, fruit exporters of Winona, have sent a consignment of Canadian apples and pears to the West Indies via Halifax. The shipment consist of 200 boxes and the fruit is neatly packed, something in the same style as the California fruit comes to the Canadian market.

Judge Dartnell Stricken With Apoplexy.

Orillia, Ont., Dec. 1.—Yesterday Judge Dartnell of Whitby, County Judge for County of Ontario, was stricken with apoplexy while holding revision court at Longford Mills, about nine miles from here. He was brought to town and now lies at the Orillia House in a critical condition. He is being attended by Drs. Harvey and Ardagh.

Dismissal Decided Upon.

Ottawa, Dec. 1.—It is reported that the dismissal of Lieut.-Col. Strathy of the 5th Royal Scots of Montreal has been decided upon, and that the officer will not even retain regimental rank.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

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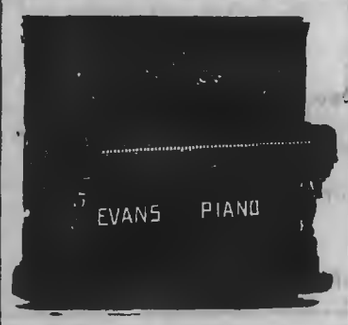
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Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53 395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160 889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006 801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355 149	30 700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1.301.221	1,650.484	349 263
TOTALS	[$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295 178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the **Government Superintendent of Insurance**, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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THE LEGISLATURE

Sir Oliver Mowat Opens the Ontario Assembly.

THE SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

The Floor of the Chamber Crowded With Distinguished Citizens—Several Important Pieces of Legislation Promised—A Portrait of Sir Ralph Meredith Presented to the House.

Toronto, Dec. 1.—Seldom in the Parliamentary history of this province have the opening ceremonies of the Legislature been attended with the grandeur which marked the inauguration yesterday of the fourth session of the seventh Parliament.

It was not only an important function of State and a notable social event, but it marked an epoch in the career of one of Canada's greatest statesmen. Sir Oliver Mowat made his first public appearance as Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario and discharged his first important official duty.

Additional lustre was imparted to the occasion by the presence of vice-royalty, which was sufficient to make it a distinct social success. Distinguished amongst those present was Hon. Edward Blake, Sir Oliver Mowat's predecessor in the Premiership of Ontario.

Brilliant toilettes and gold lace gave to the scene a festive appearance, and the picture presented by the great throng of fair women who composed the larger part of the assemblage was one of surpassing magnificence. The formal ceremony was disposed of expeditiously, but with a traditional accuracy of detail, thanks to Commander Law, A.D.C., who is a master of such things.

Contrary to expectation Their Excellencies had no military escort. Special raised seats had been provided for them at the right nearest to Mr. Speaker, where they sat throughout the ceremony. A pleasant feature of the opening was the unveiling of a portrait of Sir William Ralph Meredith, former Conservative leader in the House. The artist, J.W.L. Foster, unveiled the portrait, which was presented by Mr. J.R. Whitney. Mr. Hardy made a neat and appropriate reply.

Letter From the Queen.

Office of the Governor-General's Secretary,
Ottawa, Aug. 9.

Sir,—I am desired by His Excellency the Governor-General to inform you that he has received instructions to convey to the Legislative Assembly of Ontario the Queen's cordial thanks for the loyal congratulations and assurances of devotion to her crown and person contained in the finely illuminated address to Her Majesty on the occasion of her Diamond Jubilee.

I have the honor to be, sir,
C. J. JONES,
Per Governor-General's Secretary.

To the Hon. the Speaker, Legislative Assembly of Ontario, Toronto.

The letter read, a messenger announced the presence of the Lieutenant-Governor. Sir Oliver Mowat, attended by a glittering staff, thereupon appeared, the one-time Premier walking directly to the Speaker's chair.

Speech From the Throne.

The speech from the throne was as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

It gives me much pleasure to meet again the members of the Legislative Assembly of this Province with whom I was so long associated in a different capacity. While it was my good fortune to be for many years the leader of the majority in the Assembly, I am glad to know that I always had the friendship and good-will of many members who were politically opposed to me, and that during all of my long Premiership I had the personal enmity of none. As Lieutenant-Governor, and no longer identified with any political party, I hope to possess the confidence of all; and I trust that my long familiarity with public matters, as a member of Canadian and Provincial Legislatures and Governments, may enable me to render valuable service to my native province in the performance of the important constitutional duties which belong to the office of Lieutenant-Governor.

I am greatly pleased to be able to state that Their Excellencies the Governor-General, the Queen's representative in the Dominion, and the Countess of Aberdeen have come to reside in the capital of the province for a time, an it is owing to this happy event that we are honored with their presence to-day. I am sure I truly express your sentiments when in your name and my own I bid Their Excellencies a most hearty and loyal welcome, and indulge in the hope that during their stay in this city they may become better acquainted with the people and institutions of Western Ontario than has been possible in the short but welcome visits which have heretofore been customary. I sincerely trust that this departure from the usage which has hitherto generally prevailed may not only be found to be of public advantage, but may prove as agreeable to Their Excellencies as it is gratifying to Her Majesty's loyal subjects.

Through divine goodness, the blessings of a bounteous harvest have been vouchsafed to the husbandman in nearly every portion of the Province; and it is an additional cause for gratitude that prices for nearly all the produce of the farm have been greatly increased since your last meeting. The signs of returning prosperity, not in agriculture alone, but in nearly every important branch of business and industrial enterprise, except that directly connected with the sawn lumber industry, give cause for hearty congratulation.

I rejoice further to be able to congratulate you upon the increased interest manifested by the mother country in Canada and other colonies and dependencies of the Empire, as evidenced by the reception of their representatives, as well by Her Majesty and others in authority as by the whole people of the United Kingdom, during this Jubilee year, and as further shown by the action of the British Government in connection with certain foreign treaties which affected Canadian commerce.

I am pleased to inform you that some progress has been made during the year by the arbitrators to whom was referred certain unsettled accounts between the Governments of the Dominion and the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. Appeals have been taken to the Supreme Court against some of the decisions of the arbitrators, and arguments have been heard thereon, and they now stand for judgment.

The appeals to the Privy Council in the matters of the fisheries and of the power of appointing Queen's counsel have been heard by the Judicial Committee, but judgment has yet been delivered.

It is gratifying to learn that the new County Councils, though limited in the number of members under the new act, are found able to transact the business of their respective counties as efficiently as formerly, and at a greatly reduced annual expenditure.

I regret that the Congress of the United States has seen fit to increase the duty on pine and other lumber imported into that country to such an extent as to make it almost impossible to continue sending to the markets of the United States certain qualities of the pine lumber produced in this province.

The mining industry is making steady progress, and throughout the present year lively interest in the mineral resources of the province has been exhibited. The area of Crown lands sold and leased under the provisions of the Mines' Act have been largely in excess of that of any recent year, and the revenue derived from sales and rentals have been correspondingly greater. It is gratifying to note that the limits of the several gold fields are becoming constantly extended by exploration, and that their value is being satisfactorily proven by substantial mining and milling work at a number of central points. In the north-western part of the province, where our territorial rights were strenuously disputed for a long time by the Federal Government, there is evidence to show that rich gold-bearing veins exist over a region several thousand square miles in extent, and there is good ground for hope that this part of the province will become the field of successful enterprise and give profitable as well as stable employment to capital and labor. I am confident that the recent discoveries of gold in various parts of the province will attract increased attention abroad, especially in the mother country.

The perpetuation of the sources of our pine timber supply on Crown lands not suited for general agriculture has for some time engaged the attention of the Government. A Royal Commission was appointed last summer to investigate the condition of the young forests which now cover extensive tracts of these waste lands, and to report as to the best and most practicable methods of preserving and managing them, and otherwise concerning reforestry. I am glad to be able to announce that substantial progress has been made in the work of the commission, and that much information on this important question has been obtained.

Among other measures to be laid before you are, a bill relating to timber and timber licenses; a bill affecting the election laws; a bill to prevent gambling at agricultural and other fairs; a bill affecting the business of druggists; a bill to prevent the spread of disease amongst fruit trees; a bill relating to extra-provincial insurance companies; a bill respecting gaols and gaolers; and a bill relating to reforestry.

I am happy to inform you that the work of revising and printing the Statutes of the province is almost completed, and I hope that it will be in my power to issue the necessary proclamation for bringing into force at the close of the year the newly Revised Statutes, embodying once more in two convenient volumes the entire Provincial Public Statute law. A confirmatory bill will be laid before you for consideration.

In connection with the revision of our Public Statutes, the statutory provisions affecting practice and procedure and all the rules and orders heretofore issued by the various courts during more than fifty years, have been consolidated and revised under the supervision and direction of the judges of the Supreme Court of Ontario, with the view of promoting greater uniformity, certainty and simplicity in legal proceedings. Consolidated orders have been adopted under the authority given for this purpose by statute; and a bill to confirm the work of the commission will be laid before you.

The public accounts for the ten months ending with the 31st day of October will be laid before you without delay, and for the remaining two months within a few days after the close of the year.

The estimates for the various public services for the coming year will at an early date be submitted for your approval. They will be found to have been prepared with all the economy consistent with the efficiency of the public service.

Adjournment.

After the Speaker had formally announced Mr. Howland's resignation, the House adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock today.

Notes of the House.

Sir George and Lady Kirkpatrick were unable to attend the opening through the illness of the ex-Lieutenant-Governor.

Hon. E. H. Bronson is ill, and was thus absent from the opening ceremonies.

Forty private bills, about 75 per cent. of the usual number, have been handed in.

No one was admitted to the Parliament buildings during the opening proceedings without a ticket.

The Government has intimated to the Opposition that the House will adjourn on December 23 and stand adjourned for two weeks.

Conservatives one and all say their indications are that the Government cannot possibly save itself even in a short session of six weeks.

That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

TORONTO MARKETS.

FLOUR—The market was quiet to-day, with prices steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, middle freights, Manitoba patents at $4.30 and strong bakers at $4.

WHEAT—The market closed firmer to-day. Red winter was sold west at 87½c to 88c, high freights, and white is quoted at 75c to 78c by sample. No. 2 spring is quoted at 81c to 82c on Midland and goose at 76c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard 93c to 94c, Fort William, and 98c Goderich and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is steady, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is quiet, with offerings of white at 24c west and of mixed at 23c.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 43½c to 44c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with prices steady. It is quoted at 31c west and 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, at 45c middle, and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Nov. 30.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; No. 1. Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 24s 6d; do., light, 24s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 6d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage easy for white and partially 3d lower. English country markets quiet. Maize rather easier.

Paris—Wheat 29f 65c for Jan.; flour 62f 45c for Jan. French country markets quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 5½d for Dec., 7s 5⅝d for March and 7s 4¾d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 3d for Dec., 3s 2½d for Jan. and 3s 2½d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 4⅝d for Dec., 7s 5⅝d for March and 7s 4⅝d for May. Maize dull at 3s 2⅝d for Dec., 3s 1½d for Jan. and 3s 2d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, buyers and sellers apart. Maize on passage dull for American and firm for Danube.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 29f 50c for Jan. Flour 62f 40c for Jan. Weather in France cloudy.

Cotton Markets.

New York, Nov. 30.—Cotton: Futures closed steady; sales, 122,000 bales; January 5.69, Feb. 5.73, March 5.78, April 5.83, May 5.88, June 5.93, July 5.97, August 6.02, Sept. 6.02, Oct. 6.00, Dec. 5.64.

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DEAR SIRS,—Some time ago I was treated by one of our best city doctors for continued bleeding at the nose and the treatment I was subjected to weakened my stomach so that nothing I could eat would agree with me and I could retain nothing but bread and milk, which was my chief diet.

I tried a bottle of your Sloan's Indian Tonic and at once began to improve and it has made a permanent cure in my case. I can now partake of any food, no matter how strong, and experience no distress after eating.

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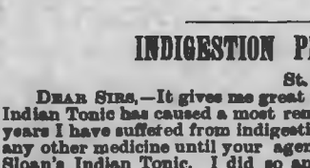

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Daily Examiner.

WENNESDAY DECEMBER 1, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice.

Notice Waller & Co.'s price list in another column. d124 tf

Your Xmas Fruits.

E. F. Mason & Co are showing very choice goods in raisins and currants, which are large and clean, also candied peels, extracts and jellies.

Apples for Sale.

John Kincaid has a choice lot of Northern Spies and other varieties of apples for sale. Call early at his warerooms, 372 Water street, as he intends shortly to ship.

Kicked by a Horse.

Wm. Carter, a farmer living in the township of Smith, was kicked on the wrist by a horse while engaged in feeding his stock Tuesday. One of the small bones was broken.

Booklets and Calendars.

See the nice display of the very latest novelties in Christmas cards, booklets and calendars at the Peterborough Bookstore. It is none too early to make selections to send to your friends at a distance, and it will well repay you for the time spent in looking over our beautiful stock.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Rev. Mr. Patterson.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, the eloquent pastor of Cooke's church, Toronto, will lecture on "From the Hub to the Golden Gates by way of Chicago and Salt Lake City," in St. Andrew's church on the evening of December 10th. Mr. Patterson's well-known descriptive powers will be given great scope by the subject, and the address will doubtless prove most interesting.

Gratefully Acknowledged.

The Committee of Management of the P. P. Home gratefully acknowledge the following donations:—Mr. A. Hunter, 1 bag of potatoes, 1 bag of apples; Mr. A. Dawson, 2 bags of vegetables; Mr. Jas. Ferguson, Emily, 1 bag potatoes, 1 quarter of veal; A Friend, bread; Mrs. Walsh, goose; A Friend, roast beef; Mr. Hoy, bag of onions; Mrs. Petrie, geese.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guarranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

Tea and Sale of Work.

St. Luke's annual Tea and Sale of Work will be held in the Ashburnham Town Hall on Thursday afternoon and evening next. Great preparations have been made to render this annual event more enjoyable than ever. High Tea, consisting of turkey, goose and other fowls, with sweets to follow will be served from 5 o'clock. In the programme, Miss Hamilton, of Auburn, Mr. Povah, Holden Blackwell, Wilson's orchestra and others will take part, Rev.. W L. Armitage will give ad address, and the church Boys' Brigade will give an exhibition drill under Sargt. Edwards.

St. Paul's Church Choir Concert.

The Toronto World says:—"No better tribute to the popularity of an entertainer could have been bestowed than the fact nearly 3,000 people turned out in last night's storm to the annual recital given by Miss Jessie Alexander at Massey Hall. The Kingsley selection was given with great dash and aroused patriotic feeling to a high pitch. Charles Dickens' funny production aroused much merriment and "The Brave Cameron," accompanied by the subdued strains of "The Cameron Men," by the band evoked warm recalls. The Romeo and Juliet excerpts were taken from the passage following the balcony scene; after the marriage, and the potion scene, in all of which Miss Alexander's dramatic power was made fully manifest. But the piece de resistance was Miss Alexander's own description of her experience on a bargain day morning. The audience laughed incessantly at the true-to-life pictures drawn, and the applause was uproarious at the close." Miss Alexander appears at the St. Paul's church choir concert on Thursday evening, Dec. 9th, in Opera House. 1d

A YEAR IN THE MERCER.

A Girl who was Completely Beyond the Control of Her Father.

Ellen Spenceley was this morning committed to the Mercer Reformatory for a year by Magistrate Dumble on a charge of the theft of a brooch and a pair of bracelets from Mr. Robt. Jones.

The girl went to work for the Jones family, but proving unsatisfactory was discharged after being there a couple of days.

The jewelry mentioned disappeared at the time of her departure, and Mr. Jones tracing her to the residence of Mr. Morency, where she spent a few days, ascertained that the girl had shown a brooch, corresponding to the one lost, to Mrs. Morency.

The arrest was made on Thanksgiving Day, and the case enlarged until this morning.

The girl pleaded guilty to the theft of the brooch but denied taking the bracelets. Her father, who was in court, stated that the girl was completely beyond his control and went tramping about the country, causing him great anxiety.

County Crown Attorney Wood mentioned the fact that the girl was at liberty on remanded sentence from the County Magistrate's court on a charge of stealing a valise.

A sentence of a year in the Mercer was then imposed.

HE WAS DRUNK

And did not Take the Turkey with the Intention of Stealing it.

Richard Bailey, the man who removed a turkey from the front of Mrs. Fleming's store, Reid street, on Saturday, was up before Magistrate Dumble this morning.

The circumstances were as mentioned in Monday's EXAMINER. Bailey was seen by Mrs. Fleming's son removing something from in front of the store and in looking after him saw the head of the turkey hanging down below his coat. Mrs. Fleming then followed the man to his boarding house a few doors away and found the turkey in his possession, Bailey stating that he only took it for a joke.

It seems that the man was under the influence of liquor when he took the turkey and it was while watching him staggering along the street that Mr. Fleming saw him take the turkey. Under these circumstances the magistrate consented to look upon the act as one not committed with any criminal intent and allowed the prisoner to on suspended sentence. Bailey, however, will have to pay the costs of the prosecution, amounting to $12 35.

Mr. D. O'Connell appeared for the prisoner and Mr. R. E. Wood represented the Crown.

SNOWPLOUGHING TENDERS.

The Contracts Awarded this Afternoon to Zimri Blodgett and Robert Nicholls.

At a meeting of the Street and Bridge Committee this afternoon the following tenders were received for the season's snowploughing:

NORTHERN DIVISION.

Napoleon Gagnon	$73 00
Zimri Blodgett	74 00
John Parnell	85 50
Wm Breckenridge	78 00
J Murphy	66 00

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Robt Nicholls	$60 00
Wm Breckenridge	69 00
Wm Foster	80 00

On motion of Councillors Dawson and Best, the contract for the North will be given to Zimri Blodgett, and that for the South to Robt. Nicholls.

PERSONAL.

Mr. T. E. Bradburn was in Port Hope yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Bradburn is still unable to leave his room.

Capt. Scollard and Mr. Frank Young, of the Majestic, are down from the Point today.

Mr. R. Mulholland, private banker, of Peterborough, is in town to-day.—Port Hope Times.

Miss Clara McNichol and Miss Lauretta Clancy, of Norwood, are the guests of their cousin, Miss Viva Clancy, Hunter street.

NEWS NUGGETS

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The town snowploughs were out this morning.

—In answer to an advertisement for a lost cheque of $14 50 Mr. Simon Weir dropped into the EXAMINER office yesterday with the missing piece of paper.

—People who cast their eyes heavenward last evening shortly before six o'clock saw an unusual sight. Luna was surrounded with a bright circle, and in addition two other circles appeared. These additional circles divided the first one in the centre, thus having the moon on their circumference instead of in the centre.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 26 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Boy's Short Pants, 25c, 35c and 45c at Grafton & Co's.

Unexcelled Specialties.

At the Opera House last night Mora appeared in the soubrette character in the "Pilot's Daughter," and took the part with great brightness. Her support was well up to the mark and a big house should again greet the company to-night, as the manner in which the various plays in their repertoire are staged, warrants a liberal patronage. The specialties introduced between every act have never been excelled in Peterborough.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Lemens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,

BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 200 Charlotte. Telephone 366.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

TRIAL OF THE THOMPSON BOYS FOR THE MURDER OF WILLIAM HENRY SAWYER.

The Crown Case Closed at One O'clock—Drs. Frost, of Kinmount, and Curry, of Minden, Say the the Injuries Were Sufficient to Cause Death.

At 10.30 yesterday morning, as announced in the EXAMINER, the grand jury at Lindsay brought in a true bill against Messrs. Thos. and Matthew Thompson, of Stanhope township, for the murder of William Henry Sawyer, of the same township, on Wednesday evening, Sept. 1st, 1897, and the case was at once called by His Lordship.

Hiram Sawyer, father of Wm. Henry Sawyer, examined by Mr. D. B. Simpson, Crown prosecutor said: "I live in Stanhope; I was with my son, William Henry Sawyer, at Maple Lake post office on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, at 7 o'clock; we drove in a buggy from our house, about a mile and a quarter distant; the Thompson boys, Matthew and Thomas, arrived there after us; when the mail had been delivered and some talk had taken place, we

STARTED TO DRIVE HOME;

the Thompsons were walking; we overtook them about half a mile away and bade them good-night. My son asked them about a rumour that he had been with Thos. Thompson's wife, and said it was "a d——d lie." Thos. Thompson said, "can you back that up?" and my son said "yes, I can." Thos. Thompson then said, "if you can, get right out here." My son got out the opposite side of the buggy, saying he would hitch the horse, While he was doing so Thos. Thompson ran up and kicked at him under the horse's neck, hitting him on the hip. Then my son, Wm. Henry, sprang around to the opposite side and Thompson struck him on the shoulder with his fist; then Thompson tried to strike him again and young Sawyer knocked him down with his fist, and fell upon him, holding him face down. Then Matt. Thompson helped his brother up and kicked Sawyer in the stomach. A little later Thos. and young Sawyer came together again and young Sawyer knocked Thompson down the second time. All this occurred while I was getting out of the buggy and tying the horse, and it was at this time that James Barry, the mail-carrier, came along and interfered, calling for fairplay. The boy in Barry's buggy drove the horse up near the men lying on the road and Barry took him by the head to tie him, and while doing so Matthew Thompson jumped forward and

KICKED WILLIAM HENRY

in the head; Sawyer was then lying upon Thos. Thompson, and as he rolled off Matthew kicked him again apparently on the back of the neck; I then rushed upon Matt. Thompson to pull him away and he let into me, leaving me almost useless. The first thing I remember was trying to scramble to my feet; I was reeling around. My son was sitting on a root, and Matt. Thompson was chasing Thomas Archer around the horse, but he got away; Barry then said "I'll have you all arrested," or words to that effect, and later on helped Wm. Henry Sawyer into the buggy; the Thompsons had gone by this time; my son was 20 years of age, and weighed about 155 lbs., Mr. Barry also helped me into the buggy and I then drove home with my son, about a mile or so distant. My son was unconscious, or nearly so, and felt very poor that night; we did not go to bed but slept on a mat on the floor. Next morning my son was not able to accompany me when I went to lodge a complaint against the Thompson boys. I got a Doctor for him as soon as possible, Dr. Frost, of Kinmount, but he died four days later, on the 4th Sept.

HE VOMITED BLOOD

frequently. I could not be there all the time as I had to travel 20 miles to see a magistrate. I think the kicking and pounding caused my son's death—he was a very strong and healty man.

Cross-examined by Mr. Steers, the witness said he and his son met a young man named Thos. Archer while driving to the post office and invited him to take a ride. He did so for about half a mile, when he jumped off to speak to a young man named Cruickshanks, saying the road was too bad to ride farther. When they reached the post office there were a number of young fellows standing about. We were probably there half an hour; the postmaster, Darling Redner was taking to us while we were getting our mail, but nothing was said about a possible row. I do no know that my son was a very great friend of Redners. I am aware that there was some trouble between Redner and Thompson about killing deer out of season, but I never heard Redner threaten to get even for it, nor did I ever hear that my son was to thrash Thompson for having informed. The Thompsons did not speak to myself or son. We left the post office probably a quarter of an hour after them. I did not hear Redner and my son have any private conversation before we left, nor did we talk of them on our way. When we caught up to them we said "Good evening," after which the fight followed as I have already stated.

FOUND GUILTY.

Justice Armour in summing up in the case of the Thompson brothers said that in a fair boxing fight, if by an unfortunate blow one should be killed, there was room for sympathy, but this could could not be called a fight, but a vile brutality on the part of all concerned.

Counsel for the prisoners made a strong plea for light sentences for the men on account of their previous good character and their being the only support of their aged parents. In view of these facts and also of a strong recommendation to mercy from the jury, his lordship imposed a sentence of twenty-three months in the Central Prison, the charge having been amended to manslaughter.

No Rubbing Needed.

In cases of severe sprains or strains, ordinary liniments that require rubbing are very painful. A little "Quickcure" spread on linen or cotton, and placed over the sore part removes the pain more quickly and surely than any other known means. The 50c and $1 00 sizes contain three and nine times the quantity in trial size; only a little is required.

See our Men's heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants at 69c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50. Grafton & Co.

A LAKEFIELD WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Ada E. Erwin and Mr. Milton Nelson.

A pretty wedding took place at 8.30 o'clock, Nov. 24th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Steele, Lakefield, the bride being Miss Ada E. Erwin, neice of Mr. and Mrs. Steele, and the groom Mr. Milton Nelson, popular agent of the G.T.R. and son of Mr. Samuel Nelson, all of Lakefield.

At the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss May Nelson, sister of the bridegroom, the bridegroom, with Mr. J. B. Nelson, the groomsman, entered the drawing room, soon followed by the bride, escorted by her uncle Mr. Steele, Miss Nellie Fitzgerald, of Smith, acting as maid of honour.

Rev. G. Warren, of St. John's church, performed the ceremony, after which congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson by the friends present.

The bride wore a handsome gown of fawn and brown silk effect, with white silk and lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses, cream carnations and smilax, presented by the bridegroom. Miss Fitzgerald, as bridesmaid, was becomingly attired in fawn, with trimmings of mauve silk and lace.

After partaking of an excellent and prettily arranged breakfast, the remainder of the evening was spent in various amusements.

The bridal gifts were numerous and valuable, among others a handsome brass piano lamp, presented by the members of St. John's choir, as a token of their appreciation of the bride's services for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson will take up their residence on Queen street, amid the best wishes of their many friends.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

St. Andrew's Y. P. S. C. E.

A goodly number attended the temperance meeting Monday evening. Mrs. Paton addressed as topic, How can we consecrate ourselves to the temperance and similar reforms? In speaking of the convention recently held in Toronto, she presented a very sad picture of the foreign delegates who were there from far off lands. They attributed their present state of intemperance to the white people. What a sad responsibility is resting upon us as those who profess to know different. She showed how it was high time that we rise up in arms against this curse, and our young people have a large share bringing the day of freedom from the rum king's power. She closed by appealing to all to sign the pledge and the new declaration of independence against king alcohol, and to use our influence to induce others to do the same. It being our consecration service, the roll was called, and as active member added to the list. The meeting closed with the benediction.

Gough's Great Sale.

In to-day's EXAMINER Gough Bros'. repeat their announcement of the sale of the McKenna-Thompson stock of clothing, &c., bought at 33½ cents on the dollar. They are determined to keep up the remarkable reductions in the prices of this stock during December and to make it the crowning sale of the year. Last week, notwithstanding the unfavourable nature of the weather, each day of this sale was attended by unusual crowds of buyers, and people who had been hesitating about buying came and bought freely. Gough Bros. are determined to make this lucky purchase part of their great programme for big business during December, although prices in every department of their store will be reduced, so as to create an enthusiasm during the the last and best holiday month of the year. There will not be an inch of material held in reserve, and it will be to the advantage of everyone to make selections as early as convenient. The transformation in prices ought to keep the big store crowded, "not in spurts, but all the time." Now is your chance to procure really dependable winter garments, boots and shoes, hats and furnishings at ridiculously low prices. 2d1 w

BIRTH.

O'BRIEN.—At Peterborough, on Wednesday, 24th of November, 1897, the wife of Mr. J. L. O'Brien, of a daughter.

GREEN.—In Ashburnham, on Tuesday, November 30th, the wife of Mr. G. Walter Green, of a son.

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West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX J. R STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. — *G. M. ROGER,* Sec. W.P.R.A.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION.

A Conservative Convention for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding of West Peterborough at the coming general elections, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, at 8 o'clock p. m.

W. SAILSBURY, SECRETARY. — T. E. BRADBURN, PRESIDENT.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1897.

SONS OF ST. ANDREW GREATLY RE-ENTHUSED.

HEIR MOTTO IS "NEVER SAY DIE," APPARENTLY.

The Society Re-organized and a Merry Evening Spent—There will be no Dinner this Year, but Bobbie Burns' Birthday will be Commemorated.

The adjourned annual meeting of the St. Andrews Society was held on Tuesday evening in the Morgan House parlour. There was not a large attendance, but they were a lot of enthusiastic Scotchmen who were present. They had come to the meeting with something of that resolute determination which characterized the Gordon Highlands in scaling the heights of Dargai, having with them minds fully made up that the St. Andrew's Society should "never say die," as long as their Scotch blood was warm.

The President, R. W. Bell, M.D., took the chair, and explained the business of the meeting. Two weeks ago they had met at their regular annual meeting, but as there was only a quorum present, it had been decided to adjourn until St. Andrew's night, with the hope that a larger number of Scotchmen would be present. He was pleased to see some new faces at the meeting, and felt encouraged to think that there was material enough present to bring the society safely through its critical stage once more.

The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, which were on motion, confirmed.

The treasurer reported the receipt of additional subscriptions since last meeting which, with the amount on hand, would only leave a balance of liabilities against the society of $6 26

A member volunteered to pay off the remaining liabilities so as to start the Society's new year with a clean sheet.

On motion of Mr. Charles Cameron, seconded by Mr. Alex. Gibson, the offer was accepted with thanks.

Moved by Mr. W. Menzies, seconded by Mr. Alex. Gibson, that this meeting proceed to the election of officers for 1898.—Carried.

OFFICERS FOR 1898.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, the following being unanimously elected for 1898:—

President—R. W. Bell, M D., for the third time.

1st Vice—A. G. Dickson (re-elected).

2 d Vice—W. Breckenridge (re-elected).

3rd Vice—Alex. Grieve.

Chaplains—Rev. Messrs. Torrance and Potter.

Physicians—Drs. Carmichael and Caldwell, of Peterborough, and Dr. J. R. Fraser, of Lakefield.

Treasurer—Alex. Gibson (re-elected).

Secretary—W. Menzies (re-elected)

Executive Committee for Town.—Same as last year.

Executive Committee for County.—Same as last year.

The President thanked the members for the honor they had conferred on him for the third time, and promised that with the co-operation of the officers, he would devote more of his time to recruiting Scotchmen, with the hope of swelling the ranks of the society.

Mr. Chas. Cameron suggested that in lieu of the annual dinner this year some effort should be made to celebrate Burns' Birthday, Jan. 25th.

The suggestion was taken up and approved by a number of the members, and left in the hands of the President to act upon it.

This closed the actual business of the evening.

THE AFTERMATH.

Being St. Andrew's Night, the members were loth to part without some celebration of the day. A few of the older members gloried in telling the meeting about some of the past trials of the Society when even fewer members presented themselves at the annual meeting than there were present, and when its days seemed to be almost numbered; but the old fire smouldered and was fanned into flame again by the slogan cry of Auld Scotia forever!

Mr. Wm. Breckenridge was called on for his popular song "The Tinker's Weddin'." Mr. Breckenridge responded in splendid style. He seized a walking cane with an unusual exhibition of his old time spirit, and as he waltzed o'er the floor to the tune of his "tirrum da and tirrum da tirrum dum and tirrum daddy," he brought the house down with applause.

Mr. Marshall, of Belleville, an ardent Scot and an enthusiastic lover of Scotch song, gave "Ye banks and braes of Bonnie Doon," and a number of other familiar airs which stirred the hearts of the members.

Mr. John Cunningham sang "Maggie Lauder," in which the company all joined in the chorus.

Mr. Chas. Cameron spoke of "The day and a who knew it." Although they were only few in number to-night to do honour to the day, he was glad to know that all over the world Scotchmen were joining hands in celebrating the event. Montreal and Toronto were having an unusual brilliant time, and from ocean to ocean the best orators in the world were extolling Scotland and her worthy sons. (Cheers.)

Mr. Marshall told a toothsome Highland story, "The Height O' Hospitality."

Mr. Gibson reminded the company about the flight of time, according to his chronometer, when all joined hands in singing "Auld Lang Syne," finishing up a good old time St. Andrew's meeting, with "God save the Queen."

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

WHEELMEN'S MEETING.

A meeting of all wheelmen members of the C.W.A., and of the Victoria and Peterborough Bicycle Clubs will be held in the rooms of the Victoria Bicycle Club, Bank of Commerce Building, on Friday evening, Dec. 3rd, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as matters pertaining to the C.W.A. will come up for discussion.

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Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—428 Water street.

THE DANGERS OF THE CHILKOOT PASS.

ANOTHER LETTER FROM THE YUKON DISTRICT.

Mr. Dufferin Pattullo, of Woodstock, Writes From the Great Gold Country to his Father—Some Interesting Experiences.

Mr. Dufferin Pattullo, of Woodstock, who is accompanying Major Walsh to the Yukon country as his secretary, writes the following interesting letter from the far north to his father, the Registrar of Oxford county:

We are now over the great Chilkoot Pass, the awful divide has been surmounted, and we are just about to push on into the far interior on a mission, the importance of which, perhaps, cannot be overestimated. Now that I have crossed the Pass, it seems to me that for the man in search of riches the glamour of gold must lose much of its brilliancy, and in its place come the gloom of stern reality, darkening his expectations in a way that cannot fail to leave its life marks. To see the despair written on men's faces as they carry their packs up the awful hill is almost enough to make one's heart ache. But I haven't time in this letter to moralise or tell you all I would like. I want to confine myself to as clear and as exact an account as possible of our trip over the Chilkoot. In order to do so I think, I cannot do better than quote a few extracts from my diary. Circumstances indeed are not favourable for writing at length. That our expedition has met with so much success thus far is almost marvellous considering the many adverse circumstances to be encountered. Anyone unacquainted with military or other expeditions cannot realise the enormity of the task before us, the tremendous difficulties to be overcome and the magnitude of the work undertaken. The general public only realises that an expedition has started into the Yukon territory with the object of establishing law and order in the country. It probably fails to grasp the endless detail absolutely essential to the success of an expedition such as this. It is fortunate that the command of this expedition has fallen into such competent hands and on shoulders so capable of carrying the enormous responsibilities involved. I have always heard, just as everyone else has, of Major Walsh's indomitable courage, but it seems to me that he possesses in no less degree another characteristic equally essential to the success of this expedition, and that is a complete mastery of detail. There is no detail, from the administration of law and order to the shoe string of an Indian's outfit, of which the Major has not full cognisance; and I think it is this characteristic, as well as his great courage that has brought to a successful culmination every undertaking which Major Walsh has been connected with.

"FORWARD" HIS WATCHWORD.

Another of Major Walsh's high qualifications for command in his confidence. The other night when we were in such great danger at the foot of the summit, I must confess that with a man less courageous, should have faltered and should have felt like turning back. As it was I knew no fear, and am now as confident of success as is the Major himself. A little incident here will show the Major as he is. Mr. Scott, a contractor for packers, went up to the Major and told him that as the storm was so severe and the foot of the summit the very worst spot on the whole trail, he had better return to Sheep Camp for the night. The Major replied promptly, "My route is forward, not backward!"

It is only fair to my comrades to say that the other members of the party have been similarly chosen because of fitness for their respective positions, and I believe it was the intention of the Minister of Interior to so constitute the Yukon Expeditionary Party as to make it an out and out, all round and effective body of men, capable of meeting any emergencies and fully alive to the exigencies of the moment. How well the Minister has accomplished his purpose I think is already illustrated by the success of the expedition thus far.

And now I must take you with me over the summit and see what you think of it.

THE START FROM SKAGWAY.

Left Skagway Sunday, Oct. 24th, at 2 p.m., arrived at Dyea with all our baggage at 3 o'clock. Had great difficulty in landing. The tide being out and the current very swift rendered it impossible to secure a favourable landing and our party was obliged to jump into the river to keep the boat straight and prevent her from being swamped with all our goods.

Dyea, Monday, 25, 4 a.m.—Drizzling rain. Our baggage in shape and our Indians started for Sheep Camp, 15 miles distant. Major Walsh, with his servant, followed, and later Capt. Bliss, Philip Walsh, and myself mounted our horses. 11.30 we reached the Canyon, four miles from Sheep Camp. From here the ride is up and down almost perfectly straight mountains. The trail is in a deplorable condition and frequently so narrow that we were obliged to lift our legs and rest them on the horses necks in order that they be not crushed on either side. Capt. Bliss' monumental figure was too much for his charger on the awful hills, and he was frequently obliged to dismount. Philip Walsh and myself rode right through without once dismounting and we were afterwards informed that this was unprecedented and that it was a miracle we were not killed. Had our horses slipped or made a misstep we might have been hurled hundreds of feet below. Fortune favoured us. Arrived at Sheep Camp at 1.30, where Major Walsh had preceded us.

UNCOMFORTABLE REPORTS.

Sheer Camp, Tuesday, Oct. 26, 4 a. m.—Strong south wind and sleet. Preparations being made for crossing the Chilkoot to-day. We secured about fifty packers which started for the summit with packs. It was not a sufficient number to take all our baggage and Major Walsh decided not to attempt the ascent of the summit until to-morrow. The reason of being short of men was that a report came in that a man had been blown over a precipice on the summit and this frightened the packers. The report was false. 9 a. m. the wind so strong as to several times blow three or four of our tents down. 11.30 a. m. some of the packers are coming back, having left their packs at the foot of the summit, and reporting that the weather was too severe to attempt to cross the pass. Later others arrived saying the summit absolutely impassable to day. 12 15—Major Walsh despatched Philip Walsh and myself and two of our Port Arthur Indians to the foot of the summit to see as to the safety of the baggage that the packers had left there. The trail was covered with snow nearly all the way. On arrival at the foot of the summit which is called the Scales, we met three men who reported that a furious storm had been raging on the summit all morning but that it was now clear. We returned to camp at 3 30.

SNOW TO THEIR NECKS.

Sheer Camp, Wednesday, Oct. 27, 3 a.m.—Northerly wind blowing. We start at daylight to cross the summit. Breakfast at 4 30 a. m. At 5 a. m. heavy sleet set in and wind from north increasing in violence. We are able to secure enough packers and Major Walsh commanded me to lead off the first detachment, consisting of two of our own police, our Lake Superior Indians, and numerous regular packers, giving me orders to let no man pass the Scales at the foot of the summit until his arrival there. Accordingly I started off at

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IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices:—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... **$4.90**

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1 lb Case Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
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"A heavy iron roller then passes from end to end, spreading the glass to a uniform thickness. This rolling operation has to be done by expert hands quickly, as the boiling glass, when it comes in contact with the cold metal of the table, cools very rapidly. When the rolling process has been completed, the door of the annealing oven is opened and the plate of glass is introduced.

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The New Jersey Vote.

The amendment to confer school suffrage on the women of New Jersey was defeated by a majority of over 12,000. The antigambling amendment was defeated by over 3,000, and another amendment was lost by only 843. This vote shows two things—first, that the suffrage amendment was defeated by opposition and not by indifference merely; second, that it could not carry even the vote of the moral element of the state. New Jersey needs a good deal of education.—Woman's Tribune.

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"Well, Willie?"

"Do you really spank me because you love me so much?"

"That's the reason I punish you, Willie."

"And don't you love papa at all?"—Chicago Post.

In a London paper a young married woman of title asks £1,000 for the discharge of the duties of a chaperon for the space of three months.

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THE GALT MURDER TRIAL.

Grand Jury Has Returned a True Bill Against the Allison Boy—A Libel Suit Adjourned.

Berlin, Ont., Nov. 30.—The fall assizes opened here at 1 p.m. yesterday, His Lordship Chief Justice Meredith presiding. His Lordship addressed the jury and complimented them on the fact of there being so few criminal cases to be tried by the court, one of which, however, was a most serious one—a young lad stands accused of murder, and it was for them to weigh well all the evidence brought before them, disabusing their minds of all newspaper reports and other discussions they may have had, and be guided strictly by the evidence. He said there was no direct evidence that the boy struck the blow that killed Mrs. Orr. On the morning of the murder Mr. Orr and his young son left the farm at an early hour, leaving Allison, Mrs. Orr and two small children at home. Prisoner was given a duty to perform necessitating his going to a neighbor's a short distance away during his (Mr. Orr's) absence. When Mr. Orr returned he was informed of his wife's disappearance. A few day's later the woman was found buried. It is the purpose of the Crown to try and show that the boy was at the house when Mrs. Orr was killed. The Crown will also endeavor to show a motive on the part of the accused. He asked the grand jury to carefully weigh the evidence pro and con.

True Bill Against Allison.

The grand jury then retired and at 4 p.m. brought in a true bill against the prisoner, James Allison.

A WOMAN'S WIT.

She Braved Her Husband's Anger and Boosted Him to Success.

"Know him?" asked one of the two men talking at the corner as he nodded toward a handsome old gentleman just passing by. "No? Well, sir, that's Dr. Blank, the noted surgeon. I've known him ever since we used to frequent the same swimming hole. Just how long that was before the war I'm not going to say. He beat me in the race for the girl that he married, and if he hadn't the chances are that the doctor would still be driving, night and day, over a little back county, attending to a practice that couldn't pay if it wanted to.

"When they were back there in the woods and he was performing operations that no other member of the profession had thought of undertaking, she gathered from the talk of friendly doctors in the same section that he was original, daring and successful. She begged him to advertise his abilities, but he sternly rebuked her for asking him to transgress the ethics of the profession.

"But you know how it is when a bright woman sets her head. The doctor's office was a shabby little den without carpet, window shades, pictures or anything else but the plainest furniture. He resisted all her efforts to change this. One evening he came home from a 36 hours' stay with a patient to find that office so transformed in velvet carpet, tapestries and pictures that he flatly declined to enter it. His wife was away on a visit. Men had been there, done the work and disappeared. There were no bills, the home merchants knew nothing, and the doctor was so mad that he advertised everything for sale. The thing was told in the local papers as a huge joke, and incidentally there were related some of the stories of how he took people apart and put them together again. City papers copied and city doctors ridiculed. This riled Blank. He proved that he had worked greater wonders than were credited to him, and he was famous. The means and the end were the work of the little woman who had figured them out before giving a secret commission to furnish that office."—Detroit Free Press.

Herrmann and the Cheat.

A characteristic story is told of Herrmann. The incident took place at a well known London club, where ecarte was one of the favorite games indulged in for stakes by no means insignificant. It was observed that on these occasions a certain member almost invariably rose a considerable winner. At length so marked became the good fortune of this member that another determined to probe the matter to the bottom. One evening, accordingly, at his own rooms, he introduced Herrmann under a false name to a select party of the members, among whom figured the suspected one. At the close of the night's amusement, when the guests had departed, the host turned to the conjurer and demanded his opinion. "Not a doubt of it," replied Herrmann, "our friend cheats, but exactly how I can't say yet. Give me another chance." A second meeting was subsequently arranged, and play began. Suddenly Herrmann, looking straight at the supposed culprit, exclaimed, "Where did you get that king?" "Where?" replied the other. "Out of the pack, of course." "Impossible, my dear sir," retorted Herrmann, "for I happen to have all the four kings here," and thereupon he calmly drew them from his sleeve and laid them on the table.—St. James Gazette.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conquerer of kidney and liver disease.

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For the mind must feed, as the body does,
Or, like the body, dies!

Then it's oh for Dickens, Thackeray, Poe
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The stately style of the scholarly Burke
Or Hugo by the ton!
There's Shakespeare, Lytton and Dumas pere,
And file of famed "Camille;"
Longfellow, Whittier, Bryant and Poe—
They ring of the truest steel.

Then it's oh for a book of some kind tonight!
This slave is my only friend.
Like friendship, too, it is brittle and thin;
Once broken, hard to mend.
But with friends in books you ne'er fall out.
They're true in hour of need
So come, add a year to my time, if you will,
But give me a book to read.

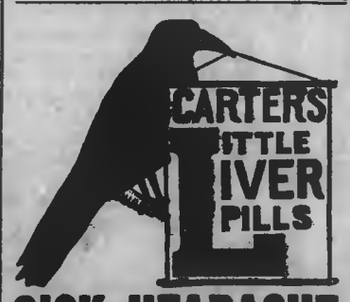
—Philadelphia Times.

A Titled Costermonger.

An aristocratic costermonger is what one would hardly expect to find in Shoreditch, yet some years ago this was a favorite character of Lord Lonsdale. It was no unusual thing for this eccentric nobleman to lay aside his dinner dress and robe himself in the corduroys and colored handkerchief of the coster, and a capital coster he made, having a pair of lungs like a couple of foghorns and a genius for acting the part which was irresistible.—London Answers.

Fountain pens are rather older than most people imagine. As long ago as 1824 they were in use, for in that year Thomas Jefferson saw a contrivance of this sort, tried it and wrote to General Bernard Peyton of Richmond asking him to get one of them. The pen was of gold and the ink tube of silver, and, according to Jefferson's letter, the maker was a Richmond watch repairer named Cowan.

There are more than 100,000 children in the national schools of Germany who stutter.



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THE RAINBOW'S LUCK

BY C. B. LEWIS.

During the palmy days of the whaling fleet no craft sailing out of any port was referred to as often as the bark Rainbow. Her history from beginning to end was a curious one, and it would be hard to find an old whaleman who hadn't heard it half a dozen times over.

The ship Wanderer went whaling from the port of Bristol, commanded by Captain Joseph Watkins. She was out 18 months and never took a whale. Four of her crew died of fever, three were killed by accident, and the ship returned so wrecked that she was sold for a collier. The owners lost heavily, of course, and Captain Watkins was called a Jonah and could not get another craft. One day when he was digging in his garden he unearthed three jars which were filled to the brim with gold-pieces, and which had been buried for perhaps a century. His find footed up about $90,000, and with the greater portion of the money he built and fitted out the bark Rainbow. Instead of shipping a crew on shares he paid by the month, and thus set out on his first voyage with the best seamen of Bristol.

On the second day after leaving port the bark came across a dead whale floating about which yielded 80 barrels of oil. On the fifth day, just as the decks had been cleared up, she came upon the scene of a fight between five whales and seven or eight of that species of fish known as the killer, which is the mortal enemy of the leviathan and the only known one he has in any sea. The bark hove to and let the fight go on, and when it was over she had two dead whales to tow alongside and added 150 barrels of oil to her cargo. In four months from the day she left Bristol she entered port again, having a cargo of bone and oil which sold for more than $30,000. In addition to that she brought home the complete skeleton of a whale 85 feet long, for which the British museum paid $5,000 in cash.

The lucky voyage of the Rainbow created much talk, and when Captain Watkins was ready to set sail again he had to turn sailors away by the hundred. This time the crew was shipped on shares, and no man had reason to regret it. In 150 days the bark was back in Bristol with 2,870 barrels of common oil, 320 barrels of "case" or fine oil, and the largest cargo of baleen, or whalebone, ever brought to port by a whaler. She had not lost a man, boat or a sail. Everybody was astounded over the luck of a man who had been out a year and a half in another ship to meet with nothing but disaster, and the name of Captain Watkins was heard whenever two sailors met. He had money enough to enable him to live comfortably the rest of his days, but he was persuaded to make one more voyage. On this third cruise the leviathans of the deep seemed to hunt for the ship. In 156 days she made the port of Bristol with a cargo worth $6,000 more than either of the preceding ones.

When the Rainbow had completed her third voyage, Captain Watkins determined to remain ashore. There were so many men who wanted to buy the lucky ship that she was put up at auction. Men came from every seaport in England and Scotland to bid on her, and the price was run up until she sold for $5,000 more than she had cost to build. She was bid in by a Bristol firm, and the command of her given to a Captain Travers. Her complement of men when ready for sea was 33, but so widespread was her fame as a lucky ship that there were over 700 applicants for the 33 places.

Three months after she arrived home on her third cruise the Rainbow went to sea again. Up to this time I had never seen the bark, but had heard all about her a dozen times over from men aboard of our whaling ship, the Nancy Lee of Marblehead. One day as we were cutting in a whale to the north of St Helena the Rainbow came up from the east, and the two craft remained in company for three or four hours. The lucky ship had then been out of port 40 days without a capture and all were disgusted. More than that, she had been through a severe gale and had three men hurt and lost sails and topmasts. Her luck had changed. Captain Travers was a fine seaman, an old whaler, and had never brought an empty ship into port, but the fact remained that the Rainbow had not yet even lowered for a whale.

Just as she was ready to leave us, however, two large whales spouted water within a half mile of the ships. They were a quarter of a mile apart, and while we lowered for one the bark took the other. We had but little trouble in killing our prey, which was a female and good for 70 barrels of oil. The other was a bull whale and evidently in bad temper. He first led the boats a chase of three miles to the south and then slowed around and waited for them to come up. When the mate's boat was within 500 feet of him, he rushed forward and ran it down, and as it floated astern of him he smashed it with a blow of his flukes. Two men were killed by this blow.

Two weeks later, just as we had scrubbed our decks, and while we were under easy sail to the south of St. Helena, we lowered for a school of whales and got two. There were 12 in the school, and 10 went off to the southwest. We were making our captures fast to the ship when the Rainbow came down on us from the south. She was now 54 days out, and ill luck still pursued her. After parting from us she lowered for a whale and lost two harpoons and lines and had half a day's work for nothing. Two men had fallen from aloft, had broken arms or legs, and her captain had to come aboard of us to buy oil to keep his lamps alight.

As I was third mate of the Nancy Lee, I had an opportunity to hear of the feeling which prevailed aboard the bark. Her crew were on the verge of mutiny, and Captain Travers had become alarmed for his own safety. The men had come to regard him as a Jonah, and on the day he ran down to us had come to the decision that if the run of ill luck was not broken they would compel him to return to Bristol with an empty ship. Captain Travers was still aboard of us when a monster whale broke water within half a mile of the two craft. We got him aboard of his ship as soon as possible, but long enough before he reached her his mates had lowered and were away. The hour was 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and we knocked off work to see the fun.

There were those aboard of the Rainbow who said it was the same whale which had killed two men and smashed a boat to the north of St. Helena. Be that as it may, he had a harpoon sticking in him and was badly tangled up in a whale line. He was rolling on the surface when both boats came up and made fast at the same moment. For 15 seconds the monster did not move a fin. Then he started off with a rush and made a complete circle about both ships, leaving such a wake behind him that there were times when we lost sight of the boats in the foam. Having completed the circle the monster slewed about until he was head on to the first mate's boat. He lay for a moment swinging his lower jaw to right and left and then made a rush. The boat attempted to shoot ahead and avoid him, but he caught her with a swing of that terrible jaw and left only fragments behind as he came down between the two ships and went off to the south. The second mate's boat was obliged to cut loose to pick up the other crew, but three men, one of whom was the first mate, had lost their lives. When the extent of the calamity became known, open mutiny resulted.

The men demanded that the Rainbow be headed for Bristol, and two hours later she laid her course for that port and left us. Never did a more disgruntled crew reach port. The owners at once removed Captain Travers from command. The men scattered, and it was three months before the bark started out for another cruise. She had lost prestige, but she was still looked upon as a lucky craft and there was no lack of applicants when she was ready for sea. On this, which proved to be her last cruise, she was commanded by Captain Thorndyke, who was a whaler of 15 years' experience and had commanded some of the best vessels in the fleet. On leaving Bristol he told the owners he would come back with a hold full of oil or not at all.

We in the Nancy Lee had meanwhile transhipped 1,400 barrels of oil and worked our way down to Cape Horn and 200 miles south of it. We were cruising east and west, taking a whale occasionally, when the Rainbow came down on us for the third time. This was some nine or ten months after her last adventure, and she had made the trip from Bristol without sighting a spout. She came down to us at 10 o'clock one morning, remained hove to until 3 in the afternoon and then headed away to the east.

We came about, and two days later sighted the Rainbow again. Neither craft had sighted a spout, but at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, as they lay within a quarter of a mile of each other, a whale broke water within a cable's length of the bark. He was so close to her that we had no show and did not lower. It was a lone whale and a big one, and we no sooner had him under our glasses than we saw that he was a fighter. There were half a dozen scars on his head, and the way he rolled about showed his temper. As he was head on to us he must have seen both ships and the two boats lowered for him, but he made no move until the mate's boat was close upon him and ready for a dart. She had made a half circle to get out of his line of vision and approach him broadside on, but he heard the approach and indulged in a strange manœuver.

Few men ever saw a whale back water, and there are plenty of whalers that contend that he cannot. This whale, however, backed a distance of 100 feet, and with amazing swiftness, too, and striking the boat with his flukes he killed four men and reduced her to matchwood. Then he started straight for the Rainbow, and his rush was that of an avalanche. Every man of us had our eyes on him when he struck her on the port bow, and we plainly heard the crash of planks and timbers. After the shock he started off and settled down and was seen no more, but in ten minutes the Rainbow was at the bottom of the sea. Not a man saved even an extra jacket. There was scarce time for them to lower their boats when the bark pitched forward and went to her grave. We, of course, took them aboard, and after a few weeks they were landed at Bahia.

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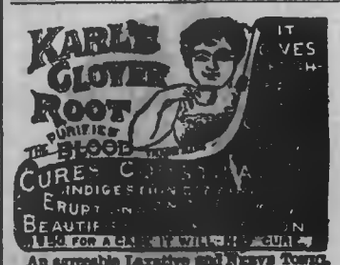

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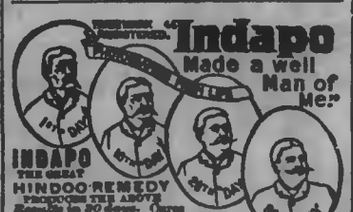

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THE DANGERS OF THE CHILKOOT PASS.

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7.40 and at 8.15 passed Shonyiskey's grave. Wind and sleet increasing. 8.30, snowing hard nord and several inches deep. 8.45, the snow and sleet blinding. Can't follow trail at all and as we go up the trail the depth of the snow increases. 9 a. m., the snow three feet deep, a climb on hands and knees over snow-covered boulders and up perfectly straight ascents. 9.30, snowing hard and up to our arm pits. 9.55, struck the red flag which designates the entrance to the Pass, just below the Scales. 10 a.m., first man at the Scales, attitude 3,000 feet. The men in my charge came immediately following, and a few minutes afterwards Major Walsh, Scott, contractor, and Carbno arrived.

The ascent thus far was something awful, the snow blinding and so deep one scarcely had strength enough to pull himself out. Several of the packers kept coming in, but on account of the extreme severity of the weather they all refused to go any further and deserted us. To Capt. Bliss and A. F. Hardman, who were to follow us immediately, the Major sent word back to return to Sheep Camp and if the weather was favourable next day to follow us. Our party at the foot of the summit is now composed of Major Walsh, Philip Walsh, Louis Carbno, five of our Lake Superior Indians and myself.

CAMPING UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

We are just 700 feet from the summit and Major Walsh at once ordered us to pitch a tent. We had no shovel at hand to remove the many feet of snow, but one was procured from a tent already pitched by someone to protect his goods, and Carbno began to shovel a suitable spot for the tent. It was such slow work, however, that Major Walsh procured a frying pan and himself threw back the snow with much success. We got down to rock, but it left huge projecting stones which, when we threw our blankets on at night, was much like sleeping on a bunch of church steeples. Our tent was soon up and set in place. Major Walsh had not forgotten dry kindling wood and a fire was soon started. Unfortunately, there was not a stick of timber within a mile of the camp and Major Walsh therefore sent out five Indians with axes to procure some firewood, and word was sent back to Sheep Camp to have firewood sent up in the afternoon. Noon, wind still blowing heavily but not very cold. So much snow, water could not be found and we started to melt snow. Later, by digging a hole in the snow some six feet, we were able to strike water. We now began making preparations for the night. At 3.40 wood came up from Sheep Camp by packers.

A TERRIFIC CYCLONE.

At 3.45 Major Walsh told our Lake Superior Indians that if they thought it perfectly safe, he would like if they would each take a peak over the summit, and when the Major backed it up with a monetary consideration, our Lake Superior boys didn't mind the snow from five to fifteen feet deep, and mounted that hill in great style. They returned at 5.25, reporting a hard passage, but had safely deposited their packs on the other side of the summit, and were feeling as gay as larks. They brought back with them a woman, a Mrs. Sohan and her husband, who were coming from Long Lake. It was fortunate that our Indians ran across them, as it would otherwise have gone hard with the woman. Major Walsh invited Mrs. Sohan and her husband to tea. The good lady brightened our evening, as we had not seen a woman for some time. 7 p.m.—A very heavy wind is setting in. Drying our clothes and preparing to cross the summit to-morrow. 9 p.m.—Retired. Heavy wind blowing. 10 p.m.—Such a cyclone, our tent is in danger of being blown to shreds. Truly we had struck the proverbially roughest spot on the whole trail. Something must be done to save our tent and ourselves as well. We therefore got up and by building a six-foot wall of snow around our tent were able to break a great deal of the force of the wind. This was undoubtedly the only thing that saved us. The wind kept up most terrifically until 4 a.m., when it died down. It will have to be something frightful to prevent us crossing that summit at daylight.

The Scales, Thursday, Oct. 28th, 6 a.m.—Still windy with slight sleet. Our long day yesterday, from 3 a.m. until after midnight, has kept us a little later than usual this morning. Breakfast at 7. No packers having again arrived from Sheep Camp, our Indians again left with packs, needless to say for the same consideration, and crossed the summit. We intend to do all our packing should no packers arrive. 9 a. m., the morning clear and the sleet has removed considerable of the snow. 9.05, our packers began to arrive. High up the mountain our Indians, looking in size like nine pins, could be seen returning from the summit and it was amusing to watch the consternation on the faces of the packers as they realized that they were losing their packs, and still later when one of our Indians, Joe Crow, started up the great high hill with two big bags, apparently with no exertion at all, a packer was heard to remark, "And just look at the loads the sons of guns are taking!" 9.30. The packers keep coming in, and nearly all our baggage is en route over the summit.

ON THE SUMMIT.

At 10.30 we struck camp and ourselves started up the ascent. From the Scales to the summit of the Chilkoot is about 700 feet apparently almost perpendicular. The snow this morning anywhere from two to fifteen feet deep, but the trail being now broken we managed to reach the summit much more easily than we otherwise would and headed by Major Walsh landed on top at 11.10. Altitude 3,700 feet. Distance from Sheep Camp about five miles. Distance from Dyea from 18 to 20 miles. It seemed a hundred. Crater Lake at 11.45. A short delay here. The Lake frozen but very slushy on top and we thought it better not to risk crossing it. A long tramp around it and headed by Major Walsh we reached Long Lake at 3 o'clock, after having waded through a river up to our thighs and having also soaked ourselves as we had come prepared for climbing, not for fording streams, and had no rubber boots. The water was frightfully cold and did not add to our comfort. There is no timber at Long Lake, and we therefore pushed on to reach Lyndeman, a good camping ground and timbered. Not caring to trust ourselves to the leaky boats on Long Lake, we had our baggage ferried across and ourselves marched around it. At the head of Long Lake, Major Walsh sent me ahead with orders to Captain Norwood in charge at Lyndeman to prepare for the arrival of our party. I accordingly pushed on, reaching Lyndeman at 5.30. Capt. Norwood had gone down to Bennett, leaving Constable Purser in charge. Everything was got in readiness, and shortly after Major Walsh's arrival at 8.10 we took tea; 8.30 we retired—throwing our blankets on great boughs and feeling that we deserved a good rest after our hard passage over the Chilkoot Pass.

Lyndeman, Friday, Oct. 29th—Capt. Bliss and A. F. Hardman arrived here at noon to-day from Long Lake, having camped there over night after crossing the summit. We are now making every preparation for our trip into the interior.

Well, we are over that summit. I have given as brief an account of it as possible, but no language can describe the hardships encountered. Just one more word for our Lake Superior Indians. When we arrived at Lyndeman we found there was no boats to be had, and we would therefore be blocked. Major Walsh heard that there was one for sale about six miles up the Chilkoot, and our Indians were sent after it. Think of it. They carried a boat 25 feet long, six feet beam, six miles down the Chilkoot to Lyndeman, and we are able to proceed. We have since procured another boat. These Indians are fine fellows.

SENTIMENT WON'T DO.

There are a thousand things I would like to tell you but can't do so very well at this writing. To the thousands who purpose coming out here, I would say don't do so rashly. The chances of gold aren't worth the hazard. Undoubtedly the gold is there, but it is paying too big a price for the whistle. The other night when coming down the hill into Lyndeman after having crossed the pass, it was about tea time, and at that moment as I thought of home, I would have given all the gold in the Klondike to be there, but now it would take all the gold in the Klondike to turn me back. Sentiment won't do away up in the Klondike. Every man who comes here must be willing to take life risks and ready to stand every imaginable hardship. I venture to say that 75 per cent. of the men who come here and do all their own packing, go back broken in health. Another thing, any man who starts out without a year's provisions and at least a thousand dollars in his pocket is exceedingly foolish. One only needs to be up here a short time to realize that.

Judge McQuire, F. C. Wade, C. C. McGregor and Inspector Starnes with police and dog drivers left about a week ahead of us and will proceed to Dawson city. They were more fortunate than we in securing good weather. It is always the way with the Major though, he will be the last man to leave the ship. It is, however, absolutely necessary for him to remain behind until all the supplies for his command are enroute for Selkirk. The consequence of our waiting behind is that instead of getting through by water we shall in all probability have to cross on ice.

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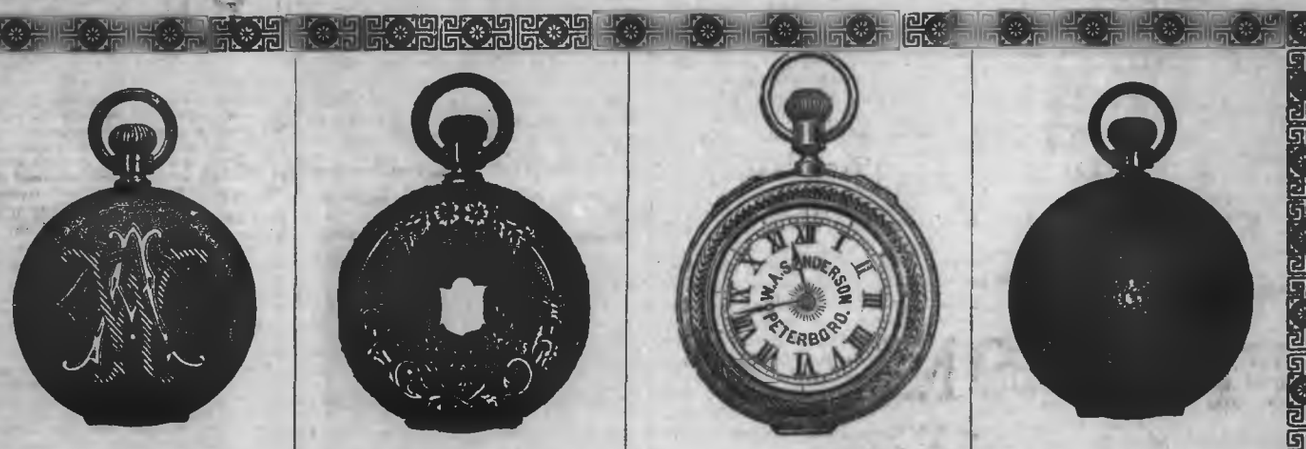

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THE LEGISLATURE

Mr. Whitney Forced By Mr. German to Retract.

BEGINNING OF THE REAL BATTLE.

How the Mover of the Address in Reply to the Speech From the Throne Called the Turn on the Opposition Leader —Debate Adjourned.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—The proceedings yesterday in the Local Legislature were most lively and interesting. The Government and its supporters scored point after point with regularity and had the satisfaction of forcing Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition, to retract certain statements made upon the stump during his summer tour.

On Tuesday the session opened with unusual eclat owing to the presence of the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen, who assisted Sir Oliver Mowat in the formal proceedings.

Beginning of the Battle.

Yesterday the real battle began when Mr. German, member for Welland, moved the address in reply to the speech from the throne in a rattling speech which evoked applause not only from the Ministerial benches but the galleries as well. Mr. German reviewed the record of the Government, eulogized the course of the Ministers and drew attention to the programme laid down in the speech as to the intentions of the Government with reference to legislation to be enacted this session.

He then called the attention of the House to certain statements which had been made by Mr. Whitney during his political tour of the Province last summer. He charged Mr. Whitney with having stated, at Exeter June 14 last, that the last of the timber limits belonging to the Province would soon be sold, and again with having said at Shelburne in September last that the last of such limits had actually been sold.

This brought the Opposition leader to his feet. He denied having made any such statement.

Opposition Statements Disproved.

Mr. German called the turn upon him amid thunders of applause when he quoted from The Mail-Empire, the official organ of the Opposition, to substantiate his assertion. Mr. Whitney, who seemed to grow very much excited, sprang to his feet and denied the correctness of The Mail's report, but admitted after considerable bantering that he had made a statement to the effect that the timber limits were nearly all sold. The members on the Government side enjoyed the discomforture of the leader of the Opposition, while his own followers maintained a discrete silence.

During the discussion Mr. Whitney appealed to Mr. Speaker to protect him on the ground that his word should be accepted. Mr. German reminded him that he was rather late in the day in his denial of statements attributed to him by his own organ. "The proper course," said Mr. German, "would have been for my honorable friend to have denied in his next speech following the publication its accuracy, or to have had the newspaper correct the statement. This, however, he did not choose to do, and the statement printed months ago has been allowed to stand as a fact before the country until now my honorable friend is called upon to make it good." (Cheers.)

The Seconder of the Address.

Mr. Farwell, member for East Algoma, delivered a rattling speech in seconding the address. He referred with satisfaction to the fact that Tory rule in Canada was a thing of the past and that after years of jobbery and corruption the people had an honest, working Government at Ottawa as well as Toronto.

Mr. Whitney was not prepared to answer the many strong arguments which had been hurled at him. He asked that the debate should be adjourned. The Premier granted his request.

Funny Opposition Leader.

The leader of the Opposition then began asking questions of such a character as caused amusement. He desired to know practically when the Provincial elections would take place. Hon. Mr. Hardy informed him that the Government had not as yet considered the date of the elections in Council, but guaranteed there would be four full sessions of the present Parliament. (Laughter).

Mr. Whitney then wished to know when the Government intended bringing down its bill dealing with timber licenses and was told the Government had not decided as to the day.

HEALTH OF THE PROVINCE.

Annual Report of the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—The annual report of Dr. Bryce, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, on the births, deaths and marriages in the province for 1896, will shortly be presented to the House. It will show that under the new Act of last session, better returns than ever before have been obtained regarding vital statistics. The estimated population of Ontario, based on the increase of births over deaths, is 2,268,493.

To indicate how much more generally the returns are being made, it need only be said that while in 1895, 78,075 births, marriages and deaths were registered, the number last year was 86,669. The increase of returns is chiefly as regards births and deaths, for so far the clergy have been negligent about complying with the law, which requires them to make returns as regards marriages to the Registrar-General. Under the new Act, all license issuers have now to make returns of licenses issued to the Department, and by means of the provision it has been discovered that the clergy have neglected to report no less than 1500 marriages within six months.

The Death Rate.

The death rate for the entire province is 10.9 per 1000. England's rate is 18.7 per 1000. Toronto's rate is 15.1; Hamilton's 14.1; Ottawa's 21.1; London's 11.9.

There were 6.5 marriages for 1000 of population, i.e., 13 persons in every thousand got married during the year. More wedded in towns than in rural districts, and more in border towns than in other parts of the province. In Windsor the marriage rate was 58 per 1000, i.e., 116 persons out of every 1000 entered matrimony during the year. This is probably due to the fact that many couples cross the line to marry under the laws of Canada.

Decrease in Contagious Diseases.

The report indicates a marked decline in deaths from contagious diseases or diseases under the Public Health Act. From 1892 to 1897 the decreases of deaths from four different diseases were: Smallpox 98 per cent., scarlatina 50 per cent., diphtheria 6 per cent., and typhoid 46 per cent.

The decrease in deaths from typhoid is largely due to the introduction of waterworks systems in 100 different places.

In the cities the diphtheria death rate has steadily gone down. The improved situation is due to the use of anti-toxin treatment.

Consumption the Slayer.

The report shows that tuberculosis keeps up its deadly work. In 1896 Ontario showa mortality of 2758 persons from the "white plague of the north," or 11 per cent. of all deaths. In the cities the mortality from tuberculosis is 13.3 per cent. of deaths from all causes.

Muskoka and Algoma are freest from this disease, the Lake Huron and central counties come next, and those on Lake Ontario, the St. Lawrence and the lower Ottawa have most of the epidemic. The deaths from consumption in fact amount to more than double those from scarlet fever, smallpox, measles, whooping cough, diphtheria or typhoid combined.

Petitions Before the House.

The following petitions were presented:

Mr. German—For the extension of the Lord's Day Act so as to prohibit work on the Lord's Day by all classes of persons without limitation.

Mr. Caven—From the Epworth League of Wellington, Ont., asking for further limitations of the liquor traffic. It asks that no license shall be issued in any polling sub-division in which a majority of the municipal electors petition against the granting of such license, and that power may be given to a majority of municipal electors in a locality to further limit the hours during which liquor may be sold in places in which licenses are in operation.

Ontario's Alien Labor Law.

The Ontario Government's alien labor inspector, Mr. Jonathan White, is said to be enforcing the law prohibiting alien labor on Crown timber limits. He is said to have already deported ten transgressors.

All Except the Premier.

Paris, Dec. 2.—The Cabinet met last evening and the newspapers express the belief that all the Ministers will resign, and that M. Meline, the present Premier, will reconstruct the Ministry.

All Re-Elected.

Berlin, Dec. 2.—The Reichstag has re-elected Baron von Buol-Berenberg to the Presidency of the House, and also re-elected the Vice-Presidents, Herren R. Schmidt and P. Spahn. The next sitting of the Reichstag will take place on Friday.

Killed 30, Injured 40.

Homburg, Dec. 2.—A fire damp explosion in the Frankerholz coal mine, near here, yesterday killed 30 men and injured 40.

THE HAMMOND TRIAL

Evidence of the Prisoner at the Inquest Read.

PRISONER'S SECRET MARRIAGE.

The Crown's Statement Insurance on His Wife's Life—Purchase of the Poison—What Katie's Mother Said—Last Interview of Prisoner With His Wife—Length of the Trial.

Bracebridge, Dec. 2.—The second trial of William James Hammond, charged with the murder of Kate Tough Hammond, opened yesterday promptly at 9 o'clock, and inside of forty minutes a jury had been selected. Although the selection of the jury took but a short time Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, who represents the prisoner, exhausted the whole twenty challenges to which the prisoner is entitled. Hon. Mr. Justice Meredith is the presiding Judge. Mr. Osler, Q.C., and Mr. Thos. Johnston represent the Crown, while Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, Q.C., and Mr. Ashworth represent the prisoner.

The case is causing intense interest in the community. Hammond's aged father had a seat at his son's side.

The Crown challenged 16 jurymen and 15 were told to stand aside.

The jury is composed as follows: W. H. Morgan, Brunel; William Lowe, Ryde; Wm. Clarke, Chaffey; John Dale, Franklin; Wm. Grilby, Chaffey; John A. Clarke, Stisted; Harry Field, Sinclair; Charles Ferris, Draper; William Spong, McLean; G. W. Franklin, Morrison; Robert Hutchinson, Huntsville, and S., T. Vincent, Stephenson.

In opening, Mr. Osler reviewed the whole case in a speech of nearly an hour's duration.

The first witness was William Galbraith, a provincial land surveyor, who identified a map made by him of the district in which Katie Tough met her death.

Miss Ida Campbell and Miss Annie Bailey found the body of Katie Tough on the night she died. It was about five minutes to 9 o'clock, and the girl was alive at the time she was found, but died ten minutes after being removed to the house of her father.

James McAllister of Muskoka stated that the prisoner had been to his house on the night of the death of Katie Tough. He did not seem very much excited, or seem to have anything on his mind when he left for his home shortly after 8 o'clock.

When Coroner Bridgland was called a dispute took place between Mr. Osler and Mr. Johnston. Mr. Osler proposed to read Hammond's deposition at the inquest to the court. Mr. Johnston objected and quoted authorities, but the bench overruled them all and allowed the evidence to be given. His Lordship, however, gave Mr. Johnston the privilege of cross-examining the coroner at any length before the deposition was read, which operation took nearly half an hour.

The prisoner's deposition was then read, but it did not contain anything very startling, except the statement that he had carried the bottle of prussic acid purchased by him at Dr. Campbell's store, on the day Katie died, all day long, and after her death had thrown it away. He did this, the deposition stated, because he had no more use for it, and it was dangerous. Hammond had suspicion that his wife died of poison, but he thought it was self-administered.

At the opening of the afternoon session the certificate of the marriage of the prisoner Hammond to Katie Tough by the Rev. George Whinian of Buffalo in November, 1895, was put in as evidence, the defence consenting. During the afternoon 11 witnesses were examined.

J. R. Dawson stated that Katie Tough came to Cornell's drug store at a few minutes to 8 o'clock on the evening of her death, and Drug Clerk Brodie testified that he sold a young woman phosphoric acid on that occasion.

Henry Oaten stated that he saw Miss Tough on the street going in the direction of her home at 8 o'clock same evening.

Elizabeth Tough, mother of the deceased, was examined at length, and her cross-examination lasted an hour. She stated that her daughter went to Toronto in 1894, and she thought she was dressmaking. While she was away witness had sent her $31, besides parcels. When she came home in February, 1895, she had no money nor trunk. Her attention having been called to prisoner's statement that deceased got a label from him to put on a bottle containing poison she was using to kill cockroaches, witness said she knew nothing about it. On the night of the death, witness asked prisoner what he had done to Katie. He said he had done nothing, denied he had been with her that evening, or that he had been married to her. While the body was lying on the lounge, prisoner put his face close to the face of deceased several times.

Allan McNabb and two brothers of deceased gave evidence as to the times deceased was seen that evening, and the time she was carried home, also the time of finding the bottle.

Rosina Russell said she saw a man and woman walking slowly in the direction of the Hammond house at about 9 o'clock that evening, and this was corroborated by Charles Oakes, who said he passed a couple who were walking very close together, near Hammond's, at about the same hour.

The court adjourned at 6.30 until 9 o'clock this morning. During the day three hour's time was gained over former trial, but the case will not likely be given to the jury until Friday afternoon.

A Lone Farmer Burned Out.

Sunderland, Ont., Dec. 2.—About 4 o'clock yesterday morning a fire was discovered in the house of Mr. James Waddell, sr., one mile north of this village. Mr. Waddell lives entirely alone, and had barely time to escape with his life. House and contents a complete loss. Insured for $400 altogether.

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Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

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than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Gwynneth Tate spent her Thanksgiving holidays at home, returning to Toronto on Monday, where she is attending Miss Veal's school.

Miss Frosts, of Peterborough, spent a few days in the village last week, the guest of Miss Maud Carveth.

Miss Waddell, of Peterborough, spent Thanksgiving in the village.

Miss Beatty and Miss McDonald, of Peterborough, were in the village on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Mellmoyle, of Selwyn, spent a few days in the village last week, visiting friends.

Miss Mann, of Bridgenorth, is visiting friends.

Mrs. J. A. McWilliams, who has been visiting friends in Havelock, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Nevision, of Fenelon Falls, who has been visiting Mrs. Jas. Campbell, returned home last week.

Mr. Ernest Burgis, of Sparta, is in the village, called here by the death of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McWilliams, of Peterborough, spent Thanksgiving in the village.

Mr. W. J. Nelson, of London, was in the village on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Ada Cox is visiting Miss Preston, of North Smith.

Miss Mary Gordon is visiting friends in Peterborough.

Miss Fraser left here on Wednesday for Toronto.

The following citizens were in Peterborough attending court re the trial of Brown vs. Lakefield, which took place on Monday at the High Court of Justice: Messrs. Jas G Brown, John Dinwoodie, W H Casement, John Hall, Geo Postlethwaite, J C Sherin, G J Galvin, Dr J R Fraser, R H Braden, C J Burgis, F J Moore, J F Dilltcrap, Dr A Bell, Wm Doldge, S Nelson, T Hendren, A Mowry, Isaac Garbutt, Wesley Sherin, Jonathan Griffin, Mrs James Long and Miss Mary Smith.

New rubbers for men, women and children just received at R. Graham & Sons, in great variety.

A number of our young people were at a party on Tuesday evening at Mr. James Walton's in Douro, where they enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Miss Maud Allen, of Peterborough, was in the village on Thanksgiving day.

Miss McCallum, of Port Hope, spent Thanksgiving day with her sister.

Miss Edna Stubbs spent her Thanksgiving holidays at home.

On Thanksgiving Day a very impressive funeral was that of Mr. J. R. Burgis, who died so suddenly on Tuesday of last week. After a short service conducted at the house, the body was taken to the Baptist church, where service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. S. Erb. On the platform with him were Rev. Geo. Warren, of the English church; Rev. T. J. Edmison, of the Methodist church, who all took part in the service, testifying to the pure life of the deceased. The church was crowded with people, who were present to show their sympathy with the bereaved parents and their tribute of respect to the dead. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. A. McDonald, Jas. Isbister, Wm. Isbister, T. Ridpath, John Young and Everett Griffin. The Baptist Young People's Union gave a beautiful anchor of carnation roses, etc., a wreath from Mrs. Tate, also one from the relatives and a bouquet from Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar. After the service the remains were taken to Hillside cemetery for interment.

The hockey club organized Friday evening and decided to join the junior league. The officers are:

Hon President—Rev E R Tate.
President—Mr J S Madill.
Vice-President—Mr Vivian Hall.
Manager—Mr Gus Sawers.
Captain—Mr T C Ridpath.
Vice-Capt—Mr Melville Strickland.
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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church held a very successful tea on Thanksgiving Day. Although the day was wet, yet the people turned out well. A good tea was served and all enjoyed themselves. After tea was served speeches were delivered by Rev. S. T. Bartlett, Rev. A. C. Reeves and Rev. H. S. Erb. Solos were rendered by Miss Hendren and Miss Chesty, and the choir furnished very choice music. The chair was very ably filled by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Edmison. The proceeds amounted to $70.

R. Graham & Son are daily receiving new goods for their Christmas trade.

The band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nelson on Tuesday evening.

On Thursday evening of this week Court Lakefield No. 49, C.O.F., will hold its regular meeting.

On Friday evening the School Board will hold its regular monthly meeting.

On Monday evening Bersefort L. O. L. No. 135 will meet and hold their election of officers.

On Tuesday evening Clementi Lodge No. 313 A.F. and A.M. will meet and elect their officers for the year 1898.

On Thursday evening Munro Camp No. 150 will meet, at which the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. C. S. W. Scott of Newmarket, has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. John Finley.

Miss M. Nelson of Warsaw, spent Sunday at Mr. Hugh Scott's.

Miss A. Wilson of Stony lake was home for Thanksgiving.

Miss Edna Waters left on Wednesday for Watertown, N. Y., where she intends to remain some time.

Mr. W. Ross Cameron spent Thanksgiving in Toronto.

Miss L. Bowlds and Mrs. (Dr.) Berry were in town on Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Roxburgh paid a short visit to her son, Mr. G. B. Cameron, in Peterborough last week.

Mrs. Bogart and her son and daughter, of Napanee, were the guests of Mr. John Finlay on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Keene, spent Thanksgiving with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno Davidson.

Mr. Richard Honey of Buckley, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. F. Code was called away on Wednesday to Ottawa where his father is very ill. Mr. Code returned on Monday and reports that his father is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Toronto spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan.

Mr. Jno. Fitzpatrick, of Asphodel, has purchased Mr. Jno. Baskin's farm on the Hastings road, consisting of 200 acres.

Over 80 tickets were sold at the C. P. R. station on Wednesday evening.

Mr. D. H. Booth has been appointed agent of the Sun Fire Insurance Company, of London, England.

The skating on the pond is splendid and the young people are enjoying it.

We are very sorry to learn that on account of illness Mr. F. R. Rutherford has been compelled to discontinue his studies at University, but we hope he may be speedily restored to perfect health.

Posters announcing the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Show, have reached here.

The principal features of the Model School concert will be a mock trial and tableau. As the mock trial will be something new to the Norwood people, an enjoyable evening may be expected.

Mr. Ivey has moved into his new blacksmith shop and the old one is being torn down.

Mr. Laing, our laundry man, who has been living a short distance out of town, has moved back to his old stand on Peterborough street.

The new post office has been completed and it is certainly a very creditable one both to Mr. J. B. Pearse and the village, and we are sure that there are but few, if any, villages in Ontario that can boast of a better one.

A meeting of all interested in hockey was held in the McGregor House on Friday evening for the purpose of re-organizing, when the following officers were elected:

Hon. President—H. G. Buck.
President—Rev. P. Conway.
Vice-President—M. McGregor.
Manager—F. C. Code.
Captain—F. W. Ashe.
Sec.-Treas.—W. Ross Cameron.
Executive Com.—M. McGregor, B. Hendron, W. Stewart.

It was decided to enter a team in the junior series only and Mr. W. A. Buchanan and Mr. J. P. Tache were appointed to represent the club at the meeting of the O. H. A.

The Thanksgiving dinner in the Presbyterian church was very successful notwithstanding the unfavourable weather and about $40 was realized. The programme, which was well rendered, was as follows:

Chorus—"Make a Joyful Noise,".....Choir
Solo—"The Broken Pitcher"...Miss M Pengelly
Address.....Pastor
Solo—"If the Waters could speak as they Flow"...Mr Jno. Davidson
Quintette—"There is rest in Jesus Arms"...
Misses M Pengelly, N Davidson and Messrs A Finlay, T Finlay, J E Roxburgh.
Reading—"The Grumbler".....Rev J F Somerville
Duett—Select.....Misses E Cumming and N Davidson
Recitation—"The New Church Organ".J W Anderson
Anthem—"Thanks be to Him".....Choir

The address given by the Rev. Herbert Symonds, of Ashburnham, in the English church here on Thursday evening last was very interesting. Mr. Symonds took as his subject "Commerce and Invention," which he dealt with very nicely and showed how much we had to give thanks for.

The open missionary meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society in connection with the Baptist church, on Friday evening, was very interesting but not as well attended as might have been. The address by Miss Minchier, of Big Springs, on "Foreign Missions," was exceedingly instructive and all were much interested.

The Rev. Mr. Watson, of Colborne, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday and delivered a very forcible sermon on the text: "The harvest is past, the summer is ended and we are not saved."

Mr. C. S. W. Scott, of Newmarket, sang a solo in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, entitled "De Profundis." Mr. Scott has a good voice and the solo was well rendered.

The Edison Vitascope Co. will give an entertainment in the town hall on Dec. 3rd and 4th, under the auspices of the Epworth League of the Methodist church. The programme will consist of views of the Royal Jubilee procession and naval review, which occurred in England on June 22nd and 23rd. The arrival and departure of an English train and many other scenes, including a number of comic views. This promises to be one of the most interesting and instructive concerts of the season.

The pulpit of the Methodist church was occupied on Sunday by Rev. D. M. McCamus, of Port Perry, who delivered two very interesting discourses. In the morning he took as his text Mark xvi., 15—"Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature," in which he strongly put forth the cause of missions. In the evening his remarks were based on II. Thes. iii., 1—"Finally, my brethren, pray for us that the word of the Lord may have free course, etc.," and were exceedingly well and forcibly worded.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

HAVELOCK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Hemsell, who is yard engineer at Smith Falls, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday at home.

Mr. John Weir formerly of Havelock, passed through here to-day on his way to Smith Falls.

Mr. J. McCutcheon, fireman on the Perth local, is home for a few days.

Mr. George Liscumbe spent Sunday at home.

The council has built a new sidewalk in front of W. Dineen's hotel.

The License Commissioners of East Peterborough, met in Peterborough last Saturday. They have taken no action yet in regard to transferring Mr. W. Dineen's license to his new hotel.

Rev. Mr. McConnell preached an eloquent sermon in English church last Sunday evening.

There will be an entertainment at Garrison's school house on Dec. 8. Proceeds in aid of English church.

Mr. Kalewasser has been re-engaged at Garrison's school for another year. We congratulate the people of Garrison's school for securing Mr. Kalewasser's services.

Locomotive Foreman Thos. Milne is leaving Havelock for a similar position in Windsor. Mr. Milne has many friends in Havelock who will miss him very much. Mr. Thomas Reynolds, of Toronto, takes Mr. Milne's place here.

Dr. Fowler has moved into his new residence on Ontario street.

Conductor Robt. Barlow has moved into the house formerly occupied by Dr. Fowler.

Mr. Martin, engineer, has moved into Mr. Barlow's late residence.

Mr. William Patterson has a number of men employed this week unloading the winter's supply of coal for Havelock yard.

Mr. William Coulter disposed of 1,000 cords of wood this week.

Mr. Eakins, of Peterborough, is in town buying horses. He has bought a goodly number already.

Mr. Arnold Richards sprained his ankle recently while stopping a runaway horse.

Mr. Herb. Williams has sold his house to Mr. Walter Wilde.

The shooting match of Thanksgiving Day was postponed until next Thursday.

On Friday evening last what might have proved a serious affair was prevented by Mr. Graham and Mr. Dodd. A young fellow of the west end got under the influence of liquor and then went to the Graham House, wher he demanded liquor. Mr. Graham, seeing he had sufficient, refused him. He then drew a knife to stab Mr. Graham when Mr. Graham knocked him down and secured the knife. He then went to the station and, using profane language, demanded a revolver to shoot Graham. Mr. Dodd sent for the constable and had him locked up. He was taken to Peterborough on Saturday and was let off on suspended sentence. We hope this will teach him a lesson for all time to come. We heartily commend Messrs. Dodd and Graham's action in the matter.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conqueror of kidney and liver disease.

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GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825	
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30 700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349 263	
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441	

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RIOTING IN PRAGUE.

Germans Attacked in the Bohemian City.

CITY NOW UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

A Howling Czech Mob Exchange Shots With Troops and the Police—Several Rioters Killed—Chief of Police Inciting the Mob—Great Damage Caused—Cable News.

Prague, Bohemia, Dec. 2.—There were fresh disturbances here yesterday. The houses of Germans were bombarded with stones, and a howling mob, which gathered on Wensel-Plats, had to be dispersed by the police.

Under Martial Law.

Prague, Dec. 2.—As a result of the riots and disorders of the last twenty-four hours the authorities have proclaimed the city under martial law. The chief of police, who is a Czech, was discovered encouraging rioters and has been suspended from office. It is now known that the number of injured Germans reached 300. They are being cared for at the different hospitals.

The disturbances yesterday have amounted almost to a rebellion. Thousands of Czechish miners streamed into Prague this evening from the surrounding villages to assist the rioters. The scientific instruments in the German University and High School have been destroyed, and valuable archives preserved for a long time at Kinsky Palace, the largest in the Altstadt, have been burned.

The constant cry of the rioters was: "Down with the Germans!" "Down with the Jews!" Ladies venturing on the street were obliged to wear the Slav tricolor in order to avoid being attacked. Nobody dares to utter a word in German.

Collision With the Troops.

Since 6 o'clock last evening the streets have been held by twelve battalions of infantry and a squadron of Hussars. All traffic is suspended and the shops and business houses are closed. In spite of the military a large Czech mob made a descent during the evening upon the German quarter and plundered houses and shops in several streets. The furniture of a well-known German cafe was piled up in the street and set on fire.

Mobbed Troops Fire Into the Crowd.

When a detachment of troops approached to disperse the rioters the soldiers were greeted with showers of stones, broken glass and other missiles. The officer in command ordered his troops to prepare to fire, but at the urgent request of a police official the order was not carried into effect. Shortly after 9 o'clock a mob attacked a cartridge factory at Zizhkow, a suburb of Prague. The troops stationed at the factory poured a volley into the crowd. It is known that at least two persons were killed outright, and it is feared that others were killed or wounded.

The Wensel Plats, where the revolution of 1848 began, has been the chief centre of excitement. It is about sixty yards in width and 750 yards in length, and will hold 100,000 people.

BRITISH AT METEMMEH.

Anglo-Egyptian Expedition Occupies the Chief Dervish Position.

Cairo, Dec. 1.—It is rumored here that the Anglo-Egyptian forces have occupied Metemmeh, on the Nile, the main Dervish position between Berber, the headquarters of the expeditionary force, and Omdurman, near Khartoum, the stronghold of the Dervishes. The latter are said to have evacuated Metemmeh previous to its occupation by the Anglo-Egyptian troops. Metemmeh is less than 150 miles from Omdurman.

TURKEY'S TROUBLES.

Five or Ten Thousand Albanians Said to Be in Full Revolt.

Vienna, Dec. 2.—It is reported here that the Albanian revolt which recently broke out in the districts of Ipek and Diakoba, north-east of Scutari, is increasing in seriousness. The Bulgarian and Servian Governments have despatched considerable bodies of troops to the disaffected district, and sharp fighting has already occurred between the insurgents and the Ottoman troops despatched to Uakub from Salonica and Monastir. Between five and ten thousand Albanians are in full revolt against Turkey.

CHANCE FOR A DISPUTE.

United States Demands Indemnity Which the Turk Declines to Pay.

Constantinople, Dec. 2.—The United States Minister to Turkey, Mr. James B. Angell, has renewed the demand of the United States for an indemnity from the Turkish Government for the pillage of American missions at Kharput, Marash and Haskonj, Armenia, but the Porte denies any responsibility for the pillaging, on the ground that the Government acted under the stress of unavoidable circumstances. Minister Angell, however, insists upon the Government's responsibility as Turkish troops and gendarmes participated in the outrage.

CHINA WANTS WAR.

Japanese Papers Think She Yearns for a Thrashing From Germany.

London, Dec. 2.—A special despatch from Shanghai says that the Japanese newspapers are discussing the probability of war between Germany and China as the result of the occupation of Kiao-Chau and Kiao-Chau Bay by the Germans and assert that the German Minister to China, Baron von Heyking, is preparing to leave Pekin.

Russia and France to Oppose.

London, Dec. 2.—It is reported here in well informed circles that the views of the Russian Government have undergone a change as to the situation at Kiao Chau Bay. Seeing the large force that Germany is assembling there, Russia is inclined, with France, to oppose German action.

It is currently reported here that France, Germany and Russia have entered into a compact for acquisition of Chinese territory, Germany taking Shan Tung, Russia taking Corea, and France taking Fo-Kien and Formosa.

The movement of the British and Japanese fleets are supposed to indicate suspicion as to the conduct of the other powers. Japan objects to the German occupation of Kiao Chau until China has paid the war indemnity.

It is understood at Shanghai that China will propose to refer the whole matter to the powers for arbitration.

'TIS A LITTLE THING.

That Creates a Crisis in France—Radicals Claim a Government Defeat.

Paris, Dec. 2.—The Senate, after a heated discussion of the removal of a magistrate, which was denounced as illegal, by a vote of 182 against 113, rejected the motion of M. Darlan, Minister of Justice, to shelve the subject and adopted a resolution calling upon the Government to enforce the laws.

This resolution was a Government defeat, and was greeted with loud cheers by the Radicals. When the news reached the lobbies of the Chamber of Deputies, the Radical members there declared that they would demand the resignation of the Cabinet.

Owing to the defeat of the Government in the Senate M. Darlan has requested the Premier, M. Meline, to inform the President, M. Faure, that he has tendered his resignation.

Ship Going to Pieces.

London, Dec. 2.—The British ship Larnica, from St. John, N. B., for Fleetwood, ashore at the latter port, as before reported, fills at every tide. It is imperative to have her cargo salved immediately to prevent its total loss.

A BUSINESS GOVERNMENT.

Another Step to Make Business Men's Lives Easier—Visit of Mr. F. C. Selous—Capital Notes.

Ottawa, Dec. 2.—The Minister of Customs has taken a step in the interest of business men in simplifying the method by which postal packages on which there is duty to be paid reach their destination. Under the existing rules they must go to one of the eighteen central offices in Canada, from which the manifest is issued. By the new rule the packages in crossing the international boundary will come direct to the customs office nearest the point of destination.

Another circular will be issued from the Customs Department to insure the reporting of shipments made to foreign countries. The export figures have never been complete, and it is with a view of making them as accurate as possible that an order is to be issued which will require exporters to file with the railway companies by which they ship a list of goods shipped.

Ryan & Macdonald have been awarded a contract for sections 1 and 2 on the Soulanges Canal.

The Board of Visitors for the Royal Military College were appointed yesterday as follows: Lieut.-Col. Aylmer, Adjutant-General, chairman; Lieut.-Col. Gordon, D.O.C., of Montreal district; Lieut.-Col. Peletier, D.O.C., of the Quebec district, and Mr. MacPherson of the Canadian Pacific Railway, a graduate of the College.

Mr. A. T. Phillips, the acting superintending manager of the Rideau Canal, has been appointed permanent engineer.

Major Sherwood has consented to accept the command of the 43rd Battalion, vacant, owing to the retirement of the popular commander, Lieut.-Col. Wright. Lieut.-Col. Sherwood will make a most popular colonel. Major Bell will be senior major and Captain-Adjutant S. M. Rogers junior major.

Mr. F. C. Selous, probably the greatest elephant hunter alive, is in the city on his way home to England, and is visiting Mr. J. B. Tyrrell of Alexander street. Mr. Selous is said to be the "Alan Quatermain" of Rider Haggard's famous novel, and probably Mr. Selous' adventures in South Africa were as wonderful as those of Rider Haggard's hero.

The trouble over the 43th Battalion of Halifax is as good as settled. The statements made by Major-General Gascoigne were misunderstood by the regiment and exaggerated in the press. Some explanations have been made and the matter will likely drop.

Ferdinand Carrier, the man from Rimouski, who was up on Wellington street some weeks ago looking for Premier Laurier with a gun, has been taken to Brockville asylum.

The writ for Nicolet was issued yesterday. The nomination takes place on the 14th and polling on Dec. 21. The vacancy in this constituency was caused through the death of Mr. Bolsvart, Conservative. It is understood that the Liberal candidate will be Mr. Leduc, who represented the constituency in the last Parliament.

At the Assizes the grand jury returned a verdict of "no bill" in the case of James McCuaig, engineer of the freight train which collided with the Toronto express near Stittsville about two months ago.

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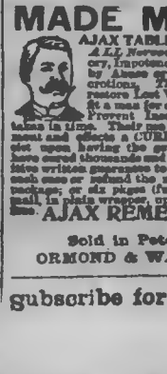

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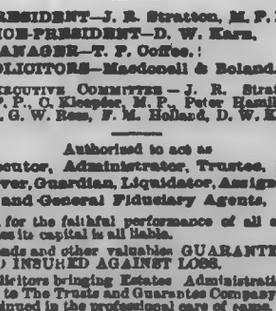

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY DECEMBER 2, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

For Boys.

Boys' meeting at the Y.M.C.A. at 7.30 to-morrow evening. Topic, "Sowing and Reaping," led by Herb. Woods. All boys from 12 to 16 years invited.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Buy Our Fruits

And by our Xmas fruits you shall know that we have the cheapest that cash will buy. They are larger and cleaner than any in the market. R. F. MASON & Co., grocers. See prices and inspect the goods.

Debating Club.

A meeting to complete the organization of a debating club in connection with the Y.M.C.A. will be held in the Bible class room Friday evening at 8 p.m. A constitution will be submitted and officers elected.

Catholic Association Entertainment.

The third Catholic Literary Association concert will take place on Monday evening next, Dec. 6th. Mr. D. O'Connell, B. A., will deliver an address on "William Pitt," and an excellent programme will be presented. Admission 10c. 2d

Requiem High Mass.

A solemn anniversary requiem high mass was chanted at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning for the repose of the soul of the late Richard Nagle, of Ottawa, who died Nov. 30th, 1896. The mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Phelan, of North Bay. Rev. Father Fitzpatrick acted as deacon and Rev. Father O'Sullivan as subdeacon. There was a large congregation.

Booklets and Calendars.

See the nice display of the very latest novelties in Christmas cards, booklets and calendars at the Peterborough Bookstore. It is none too early to make selections to send to your friends at a distance, and it will well repay you for the time spent in looking over our beautiful stock.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

The Coming Concert.

The Windsor Record says: Douglas Bird is a British tenor who has been less than three months in Detroit, but his presence cannot fail to have a markedly beneficial effect on the excrescent vocal art of that city. In Sims Reeves and his successors, Great Britain has furnished the only tenors worthy of the name in the last forty years, and Mr. Bird is a true disciple of that classic school which has sung itself into favour in all parts of the world. Nature has done much for Mr. Bird, but art has done still more. His voice has an uncommon compass, ranging to A without visible effort, while his upper tones are broad and warm. Mr. Bird has a large fund of dramatic force, which, of course, the canons of good usage require should be suppressed in ordinary concert solo work, while extremes of force have no less to be carefully avoided. Mr. Bird showed himself the true artist in all his singings. He has that distinct enunciation which in itself is an acknowledgment of the true function of song, and his tones are free from that "delirium tremens" which has run riot in American vocal art. The subscription list for the St. Paul's church choir concert will be found at Salisbury's Bookstore on Friday and Saturday. Those subscribing will receive first chance of seats on Monday when the plan will be opened.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guaranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

A NORTH MONAGHAN WEDDING

Nuptials of Miss Sophia Barnard and Mr. W. H. Rightmyer.

At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Jos. Barnard, of North Monaghan, Rev. S. J. Sherey, last evening, performed the marriage ceremony uniting Miss Sophia Barnard and Mr. Harrison Rightmyer.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Ida Barnard, and the groomsman was Mr. W. C. Rightmyer, brother of the groom.

There was a large number of guests present, who participated in the wedding dinner which was served at the conclusion of the ceremony.

DONATIONS WANTED.

The New C.A.S. Society Ready for the Furnishings.

The Board of Management of the Children's Aid Society will thankfully receive donations of blankets, sheets, quilts, pillows, chairs, &c., for the fitting up of the dormitories at the "Shelter," corner Charlotte and Stewart streets. Donors will kindly leave their contributions at the above address as early as possible; or the articles will be sent for if a card be addressed to the secretary, 186 Brock street. The new shelter has been thoroughly renovated internally, re-painted, re-papered and in all respects ready for the reception of inmates as soon as the furniture and equipment, for which donations are solicited, are provided. A committee of gentlemen are visiting the hardware shops to-day, making inquiries as to the iron cots for the Shelter.

GOT THE WORST OF IT.

A Citizen Makes a Poor Deal in Trading Horses.

A citizen was before the Cadi this morning on a charge of wanton cruelty to animals.

It appears that he traded horses "blind" and got "did," for when the exchange was made and he went to remove the new charger from its stable it fell out on the road before he could get it home. He unhitched it from the waggon and stripping off the harness, left the animal on the roadside near its former owner's stable, thinking that, for old times' sake, the man he received it from would see to its comfort and make pleasant its declining days. The other fellow, however, didn't see it that way and the animal had to be despatched and carted away at the expense of the town.

The Magistrate imposed a fine of five dollars to be paid in ten days. In default the defendant will go up on the hill for fifteen days.

THE STORY OF LAURA SECORD

To be Told by Miss Fitzgibbon on Thursday, Dec. 16th.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon, of Toronto, will deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Peterborough Historical Society on Thursday, 16th Dec. 8 p.m. The subject will be "The story of Laura Secord, a heroine of 1812." The lecture will be illustrated by stereoptican views. Mr. Roy has kindly offered his services and lantern to Miss Fitzgibbon for the occasion. It is intended to have some vocal and instrumental music during intervals. Notice of this lecture will be given later.

A PLEASANT EVENING.

Mrs. Geo. Paton Entertains the Members of St. Andrew's Choir.

The members of St. Andrew's choir spent a couple of hours very pleasantly on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. George Paton, Brock street.

The time was very enjoyably passed in the singing of choruses, etc., and at the conclusion of the evening refreshments were served.

Mrs. Paton gives an evening to the members of St. Andrew's choir annually, and it is always anticipated with great pleasure.

REPRESENT THE CONGREGATION.

Members of the George Street Church Elected to Act on the Board.

At a meeting of the congregation of the George street Methodist church last evening the following representatives were elected to act on the Board: Messrs. J. Jeffries, Jno. Nugent, J. J. Hartley, S. R. Armstrong, H. Stabler, T. M. McFadden and J. H. Cobb.

The Ladies' Aid Society made arrangements for the holding of a reception in the parsonage on the evening of Friday, Dec. 10th.

PERSONAL.

Mr. H. H. Buxton, physical director of the Y.M.C.A., arrives back this evening in time to take charge of his class.

Mr. G. B. Stevenson of Hastings, general superintendent of agencies for the Noxon Co., was in town to day.

Mrs. Geo. Gobiel of the Grand Central, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Hamilton, in Toronto.

Mr. "Jimmy" Spellman was in town today on his way to Hastings, after a pleasant holiday spent in Oswego and Buffalo.

Mr. Will Robinson was in Toronto yesterday, and whilst in the city had the pleasure of visiting Goodersham's Kennels.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 1 p. m. ..... 27 above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	38°	15°

During last night, or early this morning the temperature sank to 1 below zero. By 7 o'clock it had risen to 4 above. First zero weather last fall was on Dec. 21st.

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Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 13th Nov., '97.

C. C. Loewen, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 220 Charlotte. Telephone 36b.

SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD.

Miss Lizzie Ryan Engaged on the Staff of the Murray Street School.

The regular meeting of the Separate School Board was held last evening, there being present the following trustees: Messrs. Quinlan, chairman, McGrath, Doris, Gosselin, Sheehy, Kylie and Hickey. The reverend local superintendent, Ven. Archdeacon Casey, was also in attendance. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The following

ACCOUNTS

were presented and ordered to be paid when certified:

The Register Printing Co.	$1 25
The Catholic Record	1 50
Steinberger, Hendry & Co.	13 44

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The school attendance for November was as follows:

	On Roll.	Av.
Central School	311	169
Convent	239	134
Lake street school	133	161
	683	513

The reports were received.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received from the principals in charge of schools asking for supplies. On motion of Mr. Sheehy, seconded by Mr. Doris, they were referred to the Property Committee with power to act.

ARRANGING FOR THE ELECTION.

On motion of Messrs. Hickey and Gosselin the secretary was instructed to make the necessary arrangements for holding the nomination and election of trustees according to law.

On motion of Messrs. Gosselin and Doris the Property Committee was instructed to have the necessary repairs made to the chimney at Lake street school.

TEACHERS APPOINTED.

The applications for position of teacher as received in the reply to advertisement, were referred to Committee of the Whole Board.

The Board went into Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Sheehy in the chair, for the purpose of considering the applications received.

After consideration of the several applications, the committee rose and reported, recommending the re-engagement of Miss Lizzie Ryan as teacher of Murray street school.

On motion of Mr. Doris, seconded by Gosselin, the report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sheehy, seconded by Mr. Kiley, the Property Committee was instructed to have a room furnished for the junior department for the beginning of the New Year.

The board then adjourned.

THE BISHOP'S RETURN.

After Spending Nearly a Week in the Southern Portion of his Diocese.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor returned this morning from a trip through the southern portion of his diocese, after having held a communion service in Grafton on Sunday, and a Month's Mind Mass in Hastings.

The latter service was held in connection with the demise of the late Father Connelly, and about a dozen priests were present at the ceremony.

His Lordship preached the sermon: Rev. Father Murray of Cobourg, celebrated the mass; Rev. Father Collins of Brighton, was deacon for the occasion, and Rev. Father O'Sullivan of Douro, sub-deacon.

NICHOLLS' HOSPITAL.

Report for the Month Ending Nov. 30th, 1897.

The following is the report of the Nicholl's Hospital for the month ending November 30th:

No. of patients remaining in Hospital	22
" " treated	39
" " pay patients	13
" " free "	21
" " from Peterborough	23
" " from other places	7
" " cured	8
" " improved	7
" " died	2

Dr. McCullough attending physician for the month.

Physicians in attendance on private patients—Drs. Fife, Halliday, Beecher, Ball, Carmichael, Greer, Pigeon and Brown.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—At 8 o'clock to-morrow in the boys' room Mr. H. Godwin will give a talk on "The Boys of London."

—Remember St. Luke's church High Tea and sale of work in the Ashburnham town hall to-night. Tea from 5 until 8 p. m., programme to follow.

—The liquor men of Montreal are about to petition the Government to establish in Montreal a systematic inspection of liquors. They have discovered recently three flagrant cases of adulteration by men in the trade. In one instance the whisky seller puts caustic in the white whisky, as he says, to "make it bite," adding of course many more gallons of water to "make him rich." This is a case that can be proven with the greatest ease. In two other instances the saloon keepers never buy from the wholesale whisky men, but from the wholesale drug stores, making up their liquors from drugs with a fine strong flavour.

See our Men's heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants at 69c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50. Grafton & Co.

Appropriate Decorations,

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

ASHBURNHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL.

November Reports, 1897—Promotion Examinations in December.

Senior Fourth Class—455 marks. Ida Armstrong (honours), 362; Wallie Wood (honours), 338; Rose Craig (honours), 348; Ralph Quinn (honours), 334; Florence Dormer, 331; Daisy Distin (honours), 329; Bruce Armstrong, 307; Bruce Pollock, 306; Mabel Crocker, 294; Maud Long, 289; Lannie Mowry, 278; Harry Rogers, 274; Ethel Record, 241; Pearl Law, 230; George Smith, 208; Annie Dawson, 201; Bertha Symonds, 198; Gertie Saxsmith, 181; Eva Moore, 179; Frank Eden, 142; Helen Stethem, 114.

Several pupils in this, and in each of the other classes, were absent a great part of November on account of measles and other forms of illness. They thus missed some examinations, and their marks consequently are low. At times more than half the pupils were absent.

Junior Fourth Class—455 marks—Gordon Logan, (honours) 351; Alex. Gillespie, 339; Sid Gibbs, 294; Claude Rogers, 292; Howard Bennett, 292; May Pollock, 291; Effie Fowler, 273; Annie Ferguson, 248; Bruce Gillespie, 242; Ivan Law, 204.

Senior Third—Bertha Telford, Evelyn Dormer, Maurice Lowery.

Junior Third—Norman Smith, Emma Williams, Clara Craig.

Senior Second—Annie Pollock, Bella Long, Herbert Stethem.

Junior Second—Hattie Williams, Jessie Waddell, Hurrell Dodds.

Miss Dawson's room—Senior Part II—Laura Smithson, Clara Adams, Percy Crane.

Senior Part I—Pearl Smith, Lily McCubbin, Kathleen Long.

Second Tablet—May McCubbin, Muriel Henderson, Ray Nellist.

First Tablet—Clara Dodds, Wesley Chrowe, Ethel Bullied.

Miss Erskine's room—Jr Pt II—L Chrowe, T Hamilton, M Anderson.

Third Tablet—L Telford, Violet Whittaker, Chas Graham.

Second Tablet—Fred Hubble, Cecil Buck, Chas Stevens.

First Tablet—Roy Tripp, Albert Whittaker, Pearl Graham.

Promotion examinations for December will begin on Wednesday, December 15th, in the junior second class, and in all classes below that. Pupils not present at the examinations need not expect promotion. Parents are urged to see that all pupils attend as regularly as possible.

Only those who attend regularly and work faithfully need expect promotion at any of the promotion examinations.

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DIED

ROPER—At the family residence, 413 Sherbourne street, Toronto, on Wednesday, Dec 1st, 1897, of pneumonia, after a week's illness Annie, beloved wife of Mr. Frederick Roper.

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	From	Down to
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Any shade of Brown or Grey Frieze you like.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1897.

THE CONSERVATIVES SELECT A CANDIDATE.

MR. J. W. GARVIN THE CHOICE OF THE CONVENTION.

Mr. Hampden Burnham Resigns the Vice-presidency—Mr. C. W. Sawers and Mr. J. W. Garvin the Only Candidates That Would Stand—Speeches by the Aspirants—The Man Without a Past Defeats the Man with a Record—Mr. Garvin Gets 89 Out of 104 Ballots Cast — He Accepts the Nomination.

At the adjourned Liberal Conservative convention held in the Forester's Hall last night, to select a candidate to contest West Peterborough in the coming provincial general elections, there were about one hundred present, chiefly from the town, comparatively few being from the country. Mr. T. E. Bradburn, President of the Association, occupied the chair.

After the reading of the minutes, the secretary said he had received a postal card from Mr. J. H. Burnham stating that he could not accept the position of vice-president of the Liberal Conservative Association.

THE REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE.

The Secretary read the report of the Nominating Committee, which detailed the mode of procedure to be by ballot, the lowest to drop out till the candidates were reduced to two, and the balloting to continue till one of the candidates received a two-third vote. The report concluded by stating that the two persons who had consented to become candidates, if they received the nomination, were Mr. J. W. Garvin and Mr. C. W. Sawers.

On Mr. Hayes' motion to adopt the report,

Mr. W. S. Robinson moved, seconded by Mr. J. W. Garvin, that the clause of the report, calling for a two-thirds' majority, be amended in favour of a majority vote.

Mr. W. H. Moore explained why the committee that adopted the condition thought it desirable to avoid the necessity of calling another convention in case of a very close vote. Mr. Moore added that Mr. Garvin at the meeting of the committee had approved of the two thirds clause.

Mr. Garvin said he was still in favour of it if the meeting was.

Mr. R. E. Layfield, suggested that this two-thirds clause tended to nullify the motion passed, at the first convention, as to all the Conservative members having a voice, and that the present meeting would be called for nothing.

Mr. Robinson regarded it as appearing like a move to block the wishes of a large number of Conservatives in the riding. (Cheers.)

Mr. Foote asked as to the mentioning of more names than the two named in the report.

The chairman explained that the course adopted was to have no name submitted unless he were willing to run; and the two names were the only ones willing to take the nomination.

The motion to adopt the majority vote was carried on a standing vote, Mr. Sawers remarking when the votes were being counted, that they wanted "no hole and corner work."

Mr. Adam Dawson—"Is it the understanding that we be confined to the two gentlemen named? (No, no.) If it is, I'm not going to vote for either of them." He favoured the convention selecting the candidate.

Mr. Sawers said he had not attended meetings of the committee, and he did not approve of the meeting being confined to the action of the Nominating Committee. If another candidate got a larger vote he would be glad to support him heartily.

Mr. John Sawers—It looks as if the committee was going to run the Conservative party.

Mr. Bradburn explained that this was not the case. The meeting was now open to receive further nominations, and he suggested that 10 minutes be allowed for nominating candidates—which was agreed to at eighteen minutes to 9 o'clock.

At this juncture Mr. R. M. Dennistoun entered the room, and Mr. W. H. Moore seeing him, at once moved, seconded by Mr. Frasmus Green, that Mr. Dennistoun be the candidate, a proposal that evoked perhaps the heartiest cheers of the evening.

Mr. Dennistoun and Mr. C. W. Sawers nominated Mr. T. E Bradburn.

Mr. John O'Donnel—I beg leave to nominate Mr. Hampden Burnham.

Mr. Garvin—"He's not here." This proposal having no seconder, Mr. Burnham's name did not go to the convention.

Mr. H. B. Moharry, seconded by Mr. L. M. Hayes, nominated Mr. F. H. Dobbin.

Mr. J. Wesley Miller nominated Mr. C. W. Sawers, and in support of his proposal said that Mr. Sawers was the best known Conservative in the riding. He was an old war horse who had worked hard for the party. He came to us now in our need when we required a candidate that would work hard.

Considerable discussion took place in regard to the nomination of candidates, and it was made plain to Mr. Miller that Mr. Sawers being one of the names mentioned in the report of the Nominating Committee, his further nomination was unnecessary.

Mr. W. S. Robinson, seconded by Mr. J. W. Garvin, nominated Mr. W. H. Moore.

The time for receiving nominations having expired, the report of the nominating committee was adopted.

THE CANDIDATES DECLINE.

Mr. Bradburn, the chairman, said in response to his name, that his acceptance of the nomination was out of the question. Some other time, if it were the wish of the party, he might consent to contest West Peterborough.

Mr. W. H. Moore also declined to accept nomination. He hoped, however, that they would select a good strong candidate. He would like to see Mr. Dennistoun consent. (Hear, hear.) He (Mr. Moore) had the greatest confidence that if Mr. Dennistoun accepted the nomination, West Peterborough would be redeemed by a flourishing majority. The boys would rally around him and elect him. He appealed to Mr. Dennistoun to consent.

Mr. Dennistoun returned his thanks for the honour of the nomination. The nominating committee had asked him to allow his name to go before the committee, but for various private reasons he was compelled to decline. He believed that the present was a time when the Conservatives of West Peterborough should have a good strong candidate. He believed the Hardy Government was on its last legs. There was a big majority in West Peterborough to pull down. What they wanted was a candidate who would largely box his own row and go out and work as Mr. Stratton had done. He suggested that the majority vote be enforced in case there were only two candidates before the meeting.

Mr. Dobbin briefly declined the nomination.

MR. GARVIN SPEAKS.

Mr. Garvin, in rising to address the meeting before the balloting began, was received with cheers by his friends. He had consented to have his name go before the convention with the greatest hesitancy and had only consented when he had tried and found that Mr. Dennistoun would have nothing to do with it. He had entered upon his political career in another county, because he recognized that there were so many brainy and clever Conservatives in West Peterborough; but when these were asked and declined to come forward at the present time he had decided to yield to the wishes of many members of the party to become a candidate. One of the reasons that influenced him to enter the field was the fact that he had no past; but since his name had been discussed, he was finding out that he had a past. He spoke of the rumours that had been circulated by the enemies of the Conservative party to the detriment of himself (Mr. Garvin). He had been accused of having voted for Mr. Stratton. He said in this connection he had a confession to make. He spoke of his position as inspector of schools which netted him some $1300 per year and it was felt that with the Reform influence on the School Board and Mr. Stratton's great influence that his position would be in peril if he voted against that gentleman; but he cast his ballot for Harry Wiech. He had been accused of writing the article in the Times in which he was put forward as a candidate, in which in the beginning he was described as a "dark horse," and at the close as a "horse to work" and the two being put together meant that he was a dark horse to work. He knew nothing about the article and he appealed to Mr. Walter English, of the Times (who was present) and to Mr. W. H. Robertson (who was absent) to contradict the statement. As a matter of fact he (Mr. Garvin) had not read the article till the Thursday afternoon following its appearance on Wednesday afternoon. It had been urged that he was put forward by a clique, but his resolution at the convention on the 20th was an answer to that.

Speaking in regard to expenses of the campaign, Mr. Garvin was understood to say that he did not look to the party for that, it was enough, he thought, for the rank and file of the party to do the hard work without putting up the expenses of a campaign. It was charged that Mr. Sawers (his opponent for the nomination) was a strong temperance man, and that he was afraid to state his policy on the subject. Mr. Garvin inquired if, with an Irish father (County of Armagh) and an English mother, was it likely that he should be afraid. He had signed the temperance pledge when he was eight years of age, and his troublesome conscience had not permitted him to break it yet.

Mr. Garvin contended that a candidate should not be asked to make specific pledges. "I"—Mr. Garvin began and corrected himself by substituting—"a legislator—should be allowed a free hand."

The Globe and THE EXAMINER and the other Grit sheets had reiterated the charge that the Conservative party had no platform. He hurled back the accusation with scorn. They had a platform with a hundred million planks in it—to be sawn by the brawny hands and sinewy arms of Canadians on Canadian soil. He referred to the question of school books and had a third reader in his hand which was sold to 100,000 third book children at a cost of 35 cents. He showed also another and, as he said, a larger book, which sold for 19 cents. (This book appeared to be one of the Lupton series of novels, printed by the tens of millions from old plates, on pulp paper with sleazy, cheap binding). Mr. Garvin contended that the third book could be sold at a saving of 15 cents on each volume. He also denounced the numbered ballot, which was held over the heads of licensed victuallers and school teachers. If he were elected he would abolish this slavery. Now was the chance for the Conservative party. The Liberal party had no captain. It was called the Hardy-Ross Government, with two lieutenants, but no captain, while the Conservatives had that great leader, Whitney. There was, he asserted, a strong feeling against the present representative (of West Peterborough). He (Mr. Garvin) had bed pledges of support that would make "their hair stand on end" if they heard them. He concluded by saying that he would support Mr. Sawers if the balloting gave the latter the nomination. He was working only in the interests of the Conservative party.

MR SAWERS' APPEAL.

Mr. Sawers said he was proud of this big gathering, which would put a quietus on Mr. Stratton's efforts to hold West Peterborough without a contest. The conditions were different now. The party was drawn into the unfortunate Equal Rights contest. It had been forced on them by their leaders. At the last election the result reminded him of the charge of the Light Brigade—

Voters to right of us,
Voters to left of us,
Voters in front of us,
Volleyed and thundered—

and as the Light Brigade had been badly commanded, so had the party in the last general elections. He (Mr. Sawers) believed that the riding could and would be redeemed, no matter who the candidate was. The feeling was good all over the country. Mr. John O'Meara of Ottawa, formerly of Peterborough, had told the speaker the Conservatives would sweep the eastern part of the province. The "good Sir Oliver" was gone, and there only remained "the wicked gardner." The surplus was gone, and the Legislature was called to struggle with the timber question. The speaker said the Michigan lumbermen were preparing to take out five hundred million feet of logs. He referred to their "secret conference" with the Government and said that a good pile of greenbacks would come good just now. Mr. Sawers said that unlike Mr. Garvin, he had a past.

He had been an active worker for the Conservative party for twenty years. He was willing to state his views. If elected he would. He did not pose as a teetotaller. He drank a little beer or whiskey on occasion and would not be afraid of entering a bar for it if he wished to do so. He had several proposals for the improvement of temperance legislation which he stated were:

1—Fewer licenses.
2—Higher licenses.
3—Bars closed at 10 o'clock p. m.
4—Hotelkeepers to be liable to a fine in case of a drunken man being found in his bar.
5—The same penalty for giving drink to a drunken man.
6—The fourth offence against the act to forfeit the license to the premises.

He would also favour legislation to abolish the treating system. He believed that a man had a right to take a drink for himself, but not to drag in another man. If he were elected he would do his best to represent the riding well. If he were not nominated he would support Mr. Garvin. There had been too many dissensions in the past, especially in the late Dominion elections. He believed that if Mr. Garvin were selected all his (Mr. Sawers') friends would work for him. They should work for the Conservative candidate and not for the individual.

THE BALLOTING.

Preparations for balloting were made by Mr. Garvin appointing Messrs. John Green and W. S. Robinson as his scrutineers, and Mr. Sawers choosing Messrs. J. D. Baptie and R. E. Layfield.

At this point Capt. Carson asked if these nominations were final. Were the local leaders of the Conservative party willing to take up and work for these two men, or was it a farce and a nomination for fun?

Mr. Dennistoun on being appealed to as to his willingness to support either of the candidates, said he thought he had made that fact plain when he declined the nomination. He would support the nominee of the meeting.

Mr. T. Cavanagh—"You'd better run yourself, and then we won't need any balloting. (Cheers.)

The first ballot resulted as follows:

Garvin	89
Sawers	43

with two spoiled ballots.

On motion of Mr. Sawers, Mr. Garvin's nomination was made unanimous.

The chairman tendered the nomination to Mr. Garvin, who in accepting it said it was an unexpected honour. He was not prepared with a speech. He little thought a week ago that he would that night occupy the proud position of Conservative candidate for West Peterborough. He would go to work with all his energies. He would leave no stone unturned to secure the election, and would bend every energy of mind and body to the redemption of West Peterborough.

The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, the candidates for the nomination and for the chairman.

Boy's Short Pants, 25c, 35c and 45c at Grafton & Co's.

West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

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1 lb Blue Raisins 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Walnuts	.25
1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Cane Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 13c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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Some Amusing Stories of Their Blunders In Hotels of a Big City.

The clerks at several of the hotels tell amusing stories about some of the guests who come in from the rural districts. An aged couple came into the Moser and wanted a room. When informed that there was none, the woman turned to the man and snapped out:

"It serves us right. We will have to walk the streets tonight."

When asked for an explanation, the man said that they had arrived that morning and paid for a room at some house in advance for the week. He said they forgot to take the number and street and had looked for three hours for the house and then given it up. They had not the slightest idea where the place was.

A man from Arkansas told the housekeeper at the Moser that he was going out and might not be back for supper, but she need not wait for him.

Another man came into the St. James and, seeing an advertisement on the blotter in the register headed, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," asked for the address.

"That's the man I've been looking for," he said. "I was robbed last night, and I want to borrow money to get home on."

A man at the Rossin apologised to the night clerk for keeping him up until 11 o'clock. He said he hadn't noticed how late it was.

A well dressed man at the St. Nicholas told the clerk that there was no oil in his lamp. It wouldn't light. A bellboy went up and turned on the incandescent and told the guest that he had forgotten to turn up the wick. He acknowledged that he had.

A man and woman were registering at the Moser when a hackman came and asked them for his money for hauling them up from the Union station.

"Why, you ain't going to charge us, are you?" asked the man.

"Sure," cried the hackman.

"Didn't you ask us if we wanted to ride?" demanded the man.

The hackman said he had.

"Well, then," exclaimed the man, "what do you want us to pay for?"

The clerk explained matters and the visitor to the city paid the bill. He remarked that that was the first time he had ever known of any one being invited to ride and then asked to pay for it. —St. Louis Republic.

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Mr. Whitelaw's Barns Burned.

Meaford, Ont., Dec. 1.—At about 9.30 last evening the valuable barns belonging to William Whitelaw, a farmer residing on the 4th line of St. Vincent, about two miles from this place, were totally destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $4500, insured in Sydenham Mutual for $2800.

Poor Little Ida is Dead.

Mason, Mich., Nov. 30.—Ida Bowdish, who was shot by her father, Scott Bowdish, before he committed suicide Saturday morning, died last night. The little girl died with the words: "Mamma and papa" on her lips. Unrequited love for a married woman caused Bowdish to commit the double crime.

How Thin You Look.

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FIRST DEGREE MURDER.

This is the Verdict of the Jury in the Thorn Case - After Prisoner Heard the Verdict He Owned Up.

New York, Dec. 1.—The trial of Martin Thorn, for the murder of Guldensuppe, was concluded and the case was handed to the jury in an extremely impartial charge by Judge Maddox at 2.25 o'clock yesterday. After being out three hours, the jury returned and announced their verdict. They found Thorn guilty of murder in the first degree.

District Attorney Youngs moved that a day be set for sentence.

Mr. Howe immediately moved for a new trial on the ground that the verdict was against the evidence and the weight of evidence adduced.

Judge Maddox denied the motion for a new trial, and set the day for passing sentence as Friday next at 10 a.m.

Thorn Owns Up.

New York, Dec. 1.—When Thorn had been led back to his cell after the conviction he admitted that the verdict was just, and that he, and not Mrs. Nack, had killed Guldensuppe. This acknowledgement of guilt took place while Thorn's cell in the jail was being prepared for him.

He said; "I am glad it is over and the verdict given. I am convicted and I am contented. It was I who killed Guldensuppe, and I cut up his body. Every word that Mrs. Nack said upon the stand was substantially correct. When I was on the stand I lied when telling the story as I did, but I lied to clear myself. It is no use carrying it any further. I am guilty and am convicted. It is what I expected and what I suppose people think I deserve, and perhaps I do."

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

A Boy of 16 Fell From a Load of Wood Which He Was Teaming and the Wheels Crushed Him.

Sunderland, Ont., Dec. 1.—Henry Maybee, a boy of 16, was teaming wood from the 4th concession of Brock to this village, and riding on top of the load. When coming round a turn about two miles from home the wood on which he was sitting gave way and he was thrown between the horses and the wagon, the wheels of the latter passing over his shoulder, chest and ribs, crushing him fearfully. He lay there for some time before being found by Mr. P. Keenan, agent of the Massey-Harris Company, who at once picked up the poor boy and hastened home with him, where everything possible was done for him, but he expired shortly after 6 o'clock last night.

Miss Leslie's Charitable Bequests.

Dundas, Dec. 1.—The late Miss Helen Leslie of this town, who died Nov. 8, bequeaths $150,000 to her heirs and other legatees. The China Inland Mission gets $1500, the New Hebrides Mission $1500, and the same to the Baptist Foreign Mission Society of Canada, the Protestant Italian Mission of Italy, the Spanish Evangelistic Mission, the Grande Ligne Baptist Mission, the Toronto Mission Union, the Boys' Home, Hamilton; The Toronto Home for Incurables, the Toronto Industrial Refuge and Aged Women's Home, Toronto Y.W. C.A., the Y.W.C.A., Hamilton.

AN AFRICAN POISON STORY

Strange Phenomenon Witnessed In the Northeast of the Dark Continent.

Charles M. Stern of Chicago, who returned to this city after a journey through northeast Africa, told of a curious meteorological phenomenon which he observed in a district called Gwallah. "The vegetation in that region is very luxuriant," said he, "and the plant life must give off an unusually large quantity of carbonic acid gas. At least that was the conclusion I reached after seeing three natives die and four or five dogs.

"The moment the animals put their noses close to the ground they would fall over and gasp and die in about five minutes. The natives who died slept on the ground instead of in hammocks, as others did. I saw hundreds of dead birds. My theory is that a stratum of the deadly gas covered the ground for a depth of three or four inches, and any living thing breathing in that area would be asphyxiated.

"I could not understand, however, how the gas was not distributed in a thinner layer and what kept it in one place for a whole day. Nothing like it had ever been known there before. The deaths of the men and the dogs all occurred within 24 hours. Then the gas, if it was really gas, seemed to dissipate. It was a very strange occurrence, and I might have been induced to make a more exhaustive investigation if my presence had not excited distrust. I got away as quickly as possible rather than be accused of being the cause of the sudden deaths. The natives are superstitious and attribute most of their misfortunes to witchcraft, so I thought it the part of wisdom to get away."—New York Mail and Express.

Caught Napping.

"Where did the police catch their man?"

"Found him asleep on a seat in the park."

"Oh, I see. Then, I presume, they arrested him on a bench warrant."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Nipped In the Bud.

Mudge—Which is proper to say—"Lend me $10," or "Loan me $10?"

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Does she love me? That is Greek—
Far too deep for me to know.
Do the sweet lips always speak
From the heart's deep overflow?
Can I tell each gentle sigh
Is the breath of answering love?
Are the glances of her eye
Forged by Cupid or by Jove?
Only this to me is known—
That I love her, her alone.
Only this I clearly see—
She is more than earth can be
And full half of heaven to me.

Does she love me? Do I know
Christ has risen from the tomb?
Or where roses, when they blow,
Get their color and perfume?
Faith would have no mission here,
Hope would still in heaven be,
If I did not trust the dear
Pledges of her love for me.
Though I cannot prove it mine
By an algebraic sign,
Yet, as love divinely grows,
It believes and feels and knows.
Thus through soul and every sense
Her true love gives evidence,
And I clear and clearer see
She is more than earth can be
And full half of heaven to me.
—Charles M. Dickinson.

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In Iceland there are no prisons, and the inhabitants are so honest in their habits that such defenses to property as locks, bolts and bars are not required, nor are there any police in the island. Yet its history for 1,000 years records no more than two thefts. Of these two cases one was that of a native, who was detected after stealing several sheep, but as he had done so to supply his family, who were suffering for want of food, when he had broken his arm, provisions were furnished to them and work was found for him when able to do it, and meanwhile he was placed under medical care, but the stigma attached to his crime was considered sufficient punishment.

The other theft was by a German, who stole 17 sheep.

But as he was in comfortable circumstances and the robbery was malicious the sentence passed upon him was that he should sell all his property, restore the value of what he had stolen and then leave the country or be executed, and he left at once. But though crime is rare in Iceland and its inhabitants are distinguished for honesty and purity of morals there is, of course, provision for the administration of justice, which consists, *first* of all, in the sheriff's courts; next, by appeals to the court of three judges at Reikiavik, the capital, and lastly in all criminal and most civil cases to the supreme court at Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark, of which kingdom the island forms a part. The island of Panaria, one of the Lipari group, is equally fortunate in having neither prisons nor lawyers and being absolutely destitute of both paupers and criminals.—*Boston Transcript.*

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 20th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

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Dear Editor.—Please inform your readers, that if written to confidentially, I will mail, in a sealed letter, particulars of a genuine, honest, home cure, by which I was permanently restored to health and manly vigor, after years of suffering from nervous debility, sexual weakness, night losses and wasting abuses and pelfs. I was robbed and swindled by the quacks until I nearly lost faith in mankind, but thank Heaven I am now well, vigorous and strong, and wish to make this certain means of cure known to all sufferers. I have nothing to sell and want no money, but being firm believer in the universal brotherhood of man, I am desirous of helping the unfortunate to regain health and happiness. If you need my services, address with stamp, W. E. MILFORD, Agents' Supplies, P.O. Box 98, St. Henri, Que.

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HE WAS AT LUCKNOW

A CHICAGO CABMAN WHO WENT TO THE RELIEF OF HAVELOCK.

He Tells In His Own Way the Story Which Has Often Been Told Before. One of the Famous "Light Brigade," Though Not at Balaklava.

T. J. McNally, a cab driver with a station at the northeast corner of Dearborn and Monroe streets, is one of the survivors of that regiment of British soldiers who went to the relief of Lucknow. He is a hardy, rugged, stout built man, with a medal of honor on his breast and a memory of ten years' service in the army of Great Britain. The command with which he served in India was composed in part of that little band of heroes left from the famous fight at Balaklava—that immemorial "Charge of the Light Brigade." And he shared with them the splendid honor of rescuing from beleaguered Lucknow the English women and children, and the English officers and men as well, who had fought for more than life against the savagery of a sepoy rebellion.

"I was born in Scotland, but of Irish parents," said Mr. McNally, chatting of the rough service and the men he had marched with and fought under in those days, which resembled so closely the perilous phases of England's situation in India today. "I was born at Barrhead, and Jan. 28, 1856, I enlisted at Lanark in the Ninety-second or Gordon highlanders, and after some months of drill and garrison duty volunteered Feb. 28, 1857, to the Ninety-third or Sutherland highlanders, who were stationed at Dover Heights. There was continual talk of their going out to the China war, and I wanted the adventure and the experience of real soldiering.

"It was Dover castle those days, for the castle still stood there. It was one of England's defenses and had been for centuries. I am told the castle is all ruined and gone now.

"We embarked at Spithead June 15, 1857, for the China war and sailed away down the west coast of Africa. After we were out at sea we spoke a vessel from the cape and heard of the Indian mutiny, but of course our duty was to go on to China, where we had been ordered. It was pretty hard lines for us. We wanted to get up into India, where they needed us, and at cape of Good Hope a lighter vessel from England overtook us and countermanded our orders. We were sent from there with all haste to Calcutta and landed Sept. 30, 1857. Think of that! More than three months getting to the mutiny!

"There were no railroads, and we started right out and marched up country as far as Cawnpur, 680 miles. It was a hard, hard march, but we made as good time as British soldiers ever did anywhere. At Cawnpur we were joined by General Hope Grant and Sir Colin Campbell, who had been waiting for reenforcements so they could hurry on Lucknow.

"Then we went on and reached the besieged city Nov. 18, 1857—over 700 miles in less than 50 days. We had but 4,000 men even then, and there were 60,000 native soldiers, armed as we were armed, for they had been part of the British army, but they were not commanded so well, and they did not have so much to fight for.

"It was quick work—all with the bayonet. They could not stand the rushes. We forced our way to the citadel, and the third day we took out the women and children and what was left of the garrison. Then we retired in the night. They could not realize we had done so much, and they could not believe we would withdraw, but we were not strong enough to hold the place and selected a position of our own at Alumbaugh, three miles away. If they had known we were going to slip away they could have massed their forces, leaving the city uncovered, and hemmed us in, but we were away and ready for them before they knew it.

"There Havelock died of dysentery three days after the relief. He would have been dead a week before we came, but he didn't dare to die. He had to defend those women and children.

"I was wounded at the Lucknow fight, but it did not amount to much. I staid on duty all the time. The bullet was extracted and I got along. No, there is no pension. You get a pension after 21 years' service in the British army, or after being positively disabled. I was only ten years in the service. After that I came to America—to Chicago. I have had money and am getting on all right yet. Medal? Yes, I wear the medal. That regiment is the only one that wears its medal on its colors. That is because it fought at Balaklava and at Lucknow too. Many a time the other fellows told me of the fight with the Russians, but I did not see it. I was not in the command at the time."

The Indian insurrection broke out on the night of May 30, 1857. Sir Henry Lawrence had fortified the residency and garrisoned it with 750 British troops. July 1 the place was besieged. July 4 Sir Henry died from a wound. Three times the gallant little army beat back the assaults of the multitudinous enemy. July 22 Havelock captured Alumbaugh, and four days later reached the residency. But he, with the others, was at once penned up there. Then came Colin Campbell's long waited, almost unhoped for relief, and the little garrison and colony were saved.—Chicago Post.

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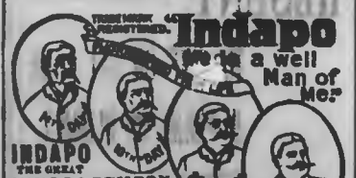
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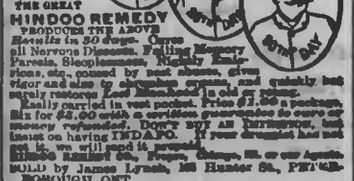

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TRIAL OF THE THOMPSON BOYS FOR THE MURDER OF WILLIAM HENRY SAWYER.

Verdict of Manslaughter Returned by the Jury—The Accused Sentenced to Twenty-Three Months Imprisonment in the Central Prison for the Killing of William Henry Sawyer in September Last.

As stated in yesterday's EXAMINER the Thompson brothers were each sentenced to twenty-three months in the Central Prison in connection with the killing of William Henry Sawyer. Appended will be found the balance of the evidence which was adduced at the trial yesterday morning.

As stated yesterday the jury returned at 5 o'clock with a verdict of manslaughter. In the morning at 9 o'clock His Lordship sentenced the accused to twenty-three months in the Central Prison :—

To Mr. Barron, Hiram Sawyer explained that it was after Thos. Thompson had called out that William Henry was biting him that the latter was kicked by Matthew.

To Crown Prosecutor Simpson—"My son was merely holding Thompson down and was not biting him."

James Barry, mail carrier, sworn, testified to Mr. Simpson: "I carry the mail from Minden to Maple Lake P.O., and was there on the evening of the fight referred to; I saw the prisoners and the two Sawyer there, but did not see the latter start for home—I left before them but they passed me when about 40 rods away. Later on I came up with Thompsons and Sawyers on the road; Thos. Thompson and Wm. Henry Sawyer were fighting, and the latter was holding Thompson down; I got out of my buggy, gave the lines to the boy with me, and said: 'Stand back, give fair play,' or words to that effect. I heard Thompson call out that Sawyer was biting him, after which Matt. Thompson ran over and kicked Sawyer, then Thos. Thompson got on his feet and also kicked young Sawyer in the head. Hiram Sawyer and Matthew also clinched, but a little later Matt. left Hiram and took after Thos. Archer, who had just come up. At this time Thos. Thompson and Wm. Henry Sawyer were standing and talking about hay, then Sawyer struck at Thos. and the latter kicked Sawyer on the left side, who then sat down on a stump. I said, 'Stop this or I'll have every man fined,' and the fight was then stopped. Young Sawyer seemed to be stupid after being kicked. I helped him and his father into their buggy, after which they started for home. I went over to their house later on, and found the young man pretty bad—complained of his head and side, and occasionally vomited blood."

Thos. Archer, sworn, said: "I was at the Maple Lake post office on the evening of Sept. 1st, and saw the Sawyers and the Thompsons there; on the way home I caught up to them—they were fighting; I saw Matt. Thompson leave Hiram and go over and kick Wm. Henry Sawyer, who was lying on top of Thos. Thompson; Young Sawyer seemed to become unconscious after the blow; Matt. returned to Hiram, and I then told him to have respect for an old man; he then turned and knocked me down and kicked me, remarking with an oath that he had a grudge against me, too. I heard Barry threaten to have all hands arrested, and the fight stopped soon after."

To Mr. Steers—"Hiram Sawyer is my uncle, and the deceased was my cousin."

Hamilton Boyce, sworn, said to Mr. Simpson: "I knew the Thompsons and Sawyers; the morning after the fight I was at Wm. Thompson's, brother of the prisoners, and Matt. asked me if I had heard of any writs flying for law, and I said it would probably cost him dear; he said, 'I did kick Wm. Henry d——d good."

To Mr. Steers witness said he had never heard of any threats being made by either party.

Wm. Loscombe, sworn, said he knew the prisoners; Thos. Thompson had been working at his place on the day of the fight, and said he intended to go away, but first there were two things he wanted to do—beat Wm. Henry Sawyer as long as he was able, and poison Clarke's old cow; he said Sawyer had met his (Thompson's) wife on the road and helped to carry her child; he did not say why he wanted to poison the cow.

To Mr. Steers, witness said his wife was Hiram Sawyer's neice; he had not warned Hiram that the Thompson's meant trouble, and had no talk with Wm. Henry on the subject; he was to be called as a witness for the defence, but preferred to be called by the prosecution because of the witness fees.

Mr. John Archer, sworn, said: I knew deceased and saw him the day after the fight and nursed him till he died; he was in a very low condition when I called first, but could speak; his trouble seemed to be in the left side and stomach; he never rallied and died on Saturday evening.

Dr. R. S. Frost, of Kinmount, sworn, said: I live in Kinmount, and called to see Wm. Henry Sawyer on Saturday, 4th Sept, about 4 o'clock; I found him insensible and in a dying condition; he was in a very high fever, and I believe his condition was due to the injuries he had received. On the 7th I called again with Dr. Curry to conduct a post mortem examination, and found a superficial wound on forehead between the eyes, and a good deal of post-mortem lividity. Upon opening the obest I found that the sixth rib had been separated from the breast bone, and the inside lining was badly torn; on the left side the seventh rib was found to be broken square across. Death in my opinion resulted from the injuries mentioned.

Cross-examined by Mr. Barron, witness said the injuries in the head were not alone sufficient to cause death, but contributed to the result.

To Mr. Steers, witness said deceased might have recovered had he received proper treatment in time.

Dr. Curry, of Minden, was the next witness. He described his examination of the body with Dr. Frost, and his conclusions were similar. In his opinion the injury to the lung was sufficient to cause death.

At this point Crown Prosecutor Simpson stated that he would rest his case on the evidence already given.

FOR THE DEFENCE.

Thos. Thompson, one of the prisoners, was placed in the box and told his story. He blamed Redner, the postmaster, for stirring up the trouble with the Sawyers, and said that at the post office on the evening of the fight Redner was throwing slurs at him (Thomson), and said he was going hunting next day—he wanted a deer skin to make a pair of trousers. Thompson said he should see that he didn't pay too dear for them. On a previous occasion Redner had used language to him that was likely to provoke a fight. When the Sawyers caught up to them they were driving fast, and Wm. Henry took off his coat in the buggy and appeared anxious to fight and later on threatened to use a knife on him.

To Mr. Steers—He was very angry when he spoke about my wife. I invited him to come out of the buggy, and we both struck at the same time. There was no kicking that I remember. He tried to bite me several times, and did so finally. When the fight was all ended Hiram said he wished he had had his revolver, and he would use it.

To Mr. Simpson witness said he did not think the trouble arose over his wife—he thought Redner was to blame for it. He could not account for all the bruises on body of deceased, but knew he had kicked him in the stomach or somewhere as Barry was pulling him away.

Messrs. Steers and Barron addressed the jury in behalf of the prisoners at some length, and were followed by Crown Prosecutor Simpson.

His Lordship, Mr. Justice Armour, then instructed the jury as to their duties. It was of the utmost importance that human life should be protected. The taking of human life may be manslaughter or murder, and the two prisoners might be found guilty on either count, or one be found guilty of manslaughter and the other of murder, if the evidence proved that one had been actuated by malice aforethought. Every unlawful killing was murder in the eyes of the law, but the presence or absence of malice increased or mitigated the punishment. According to his judgment the evidence given did not show any great malice on the part of the prisoners. Stress had been laid upon some supposed ill-feeling held against the prisoners by deceased owing to a man named Redner having been fined for killing deer out of season. It had not been shown that Redner was related to the deceased. What took place when the Sawyers overtook the Thompson boys had been made very clear by the evidence of Hiram Sawyer and Thos. Thompson; the trouble started with a reference to Thompson's wife which resulted in young Sawyer being invited out of the buggy. If two men go out and one is killed that constitutes manslaughter; if the presence of spite is established the crime is murder. In the encounter referred to deceased was beaten and subsequently died, and medical men declared that death resulted from the injuries received in the fight. If so, then the prisoners were responsible. and it made no difference which of them struck the fatal blow, as the wounds given by each contributed to the result. Matthew Thompson had told witness that he had given Sawyer "a d——d good kicking," and added that "kicking was the only way to settle such things in this country." Both parties had been willing to fight, hence there could be no question of self-defence set up. Liscombe, a witness, had told that Thos. Thompson said he wished, before going away, to beat Sawyer and poison a cow; Thompson denied having said so, and it was really unimportant. Personally he thought the prisoners were guilty of manslaughter, but he did not wish the jury to be guided by his opinion.

NOVEMBER WEATHER NOTES.

The following facts and figures regarding November weather may prove of interest :

The past month had a large number of overcast and rainy days, in fact there was rain or snow on 16 out of the 30 days that went to make up the month.

The first snowstorm of the season was on the 9th, when about 8 inches of wet snow fell. This remained on the ground, however, but for a few days. On the 17th and 19th there was a heavy fall of snow, particularly for so early in the season, which gave fair sleighing for a few days.

The rainfall amounted 2¼ inches and allowing 10 inches of snow to equal 1 inch rain, the total precipitation was 3.62 inches, about average.

The highest temperature was 59 degrees on the 5th; the lowest 12 degrees on the 24th. The average daily temperature was 33 degrees. This is in five or six degrees lower than November, 1896, which was a warmer month than usual. Only on 8 days did the thermometer not sink to the freezing point.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

WHEELMEN'S MEETING.

A meeting of all wheelmen members of the C.W.A., and of the Victoria and Peterborough Bicycle Clubs will be held in the rooms of the Victoria Bicycle Club, Bank of Commerce Building, on Friday evening, Dec. 3rd, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested, as matters pertaining to the C.W.A. will come up for discussion.

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The Lindsay Post publishes the following letter of interest to the hockey players of the district :

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The writer offers the above suggestions for what they are worth, not being in a position to take an active part himself, but would like to see a move made to start the game. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I am—Yours, PUCK.

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THE HAMMOND TRIAL

The Letters From the Dead Girl to Her Husband.

WORRIED ABOUT MISSING TRUNK

The Evidence For the Prosecution All in—The Defence Announces That it Will Produce No Evidence—A Double Adjournment—A Verdict Expected To-Day.

Bracebridge, Dec. 3.—The Hammond murder trial was in progress the whole of yesterday, and at 5.30 Mr. Osler said: "That closes the case." Mr. Johnston said he would call no witnesses on behalf of the defence, and at his request Court adjourned until 7 o'clock, when it was understood he would proceed with his address to the jury. However, it was arranged that the addresses should not begin until 8.30 this morning.

Dr. Campbell, Gravenhurst, was called. He testified that the prisoner came to his drug store during the forenoon of March 6 and purchased an ounce bottle of hydrocyanic for the purpose of destroying some cats. Forty-five drops, or three-quarters of a teaspoonful, would be a fatal dose. Prisoner was warned as to the nature of the poison. The bottle found was shown witness, and also another bottle from his store, and he said they were both alike. "I heard of the death of Katie Tough on the next day, and went to see prisoner at his father's house. I asked him what he did with the bottle I sold him. He indicated that he had thrown it away. I asked how it happened he threw it away. I told him that people were talking, that it would be best for him to find it. I saw him again the same day. I found I had omitted to have him sign the poison book. He came to the store and signed it. We had a conversation about the deceased. He said she was married to a man in Toronto named James. After prisoner had signed the poison book I sent word to Coroner Bridgeland to come down."

Constable William Sloan was called and gave evidence concerning the finding of the bottle stopper, and conveying the stomach of deceased to Dr. Ellis of Toronto, provincial analyst. This witness conveyed prisoner to the Bracebridge jail, and on the way prisoner said Rosina Russell's statement that she saw him and deceased together on the night of the 6th of March, was true. The prisoner says he saw Miss Russell on the steps of her sister's house.

Mrs. Lee, 459 Bathurst street, Toronto, was called. She said she knew Katie Tough, she having been employed by her as a servant. The trunk shown her had the appearance of the trunk belonging to deceased. Prisoner was a frequent visitor at the house while deceased was living with witness.

Mrs. Bryan, boarding house keeper, Toronto, sworn, said she knew the prisoner. He had boarded at her house for two months. He had no trunk, but a trunk came afterwards. The trunk shown her was like the trunk he had there. The week following the death prisoner's father and an expressman came and took the trunk away.

Detective Burrows said he had been detailed on the 12th of March, 1896, to assist Archy Sloan in getting the trunk. "I got some information. I saw an expressman and he saw me and tried to pass the check to another man. We had a tussle and I got the check and then the trunk."

Archy Sloan was called and stated that he searched prisoner and found certain letters. He got a key from prisoner, and the key fitted the trunk which he got from Detective Burrows. In the trunk he found a number of letters which were produced and identified. Some of these letters were found on the prisoner and others in the trunk, and had reference to insurance and other matters. The following are samples of some of the letters read:

The first letter was from Buffalo, just after Hammond had gone to New York, whither she was to follow him in a few days. She was remaining over to complete negotiations for the life insurance. Although married, she was living under the assumed name of Katie Harrington, and this name is endorsed on the back of the letter:

"Buffalo, N.Y., *Nov. 20, 1895.*

"Dearest Will,—You have no idea how lonely it is here without you, and just think you have only been away a few hours. I don't know what I will do before the week is up. I have attended to all business this morning. Everything will be all right, except the Equitable. They are going to send the policy by express, as they think it will be safe, to 1900 Broadway, so you will have to see about it there. They gave me a receipt, which I will enclose in this letter. The New York Life is all right. You can get it by calling at the home office in New York. You will receive a line from there telling you when to call, and I hope everything will be all right. You will hardly get it before the end of next week. I guess the people here thought it strange I should send my trunk, and not intending to go myself, for Olive said at the table she supposed they would be losing me to-day, as I had sent my trunk. She looked surprised when I told her I was not. Now, Willie, be sure and write just as soon as you get this, for I will be very anxious about the receipt, also to hear how you are getting along, and how you like New York. I will pray every night for success in all your undertakings, and trust my prayers will be answered. I think this is all at present, so good-bye, my darling, my sweet love, and write soon. I remain your loving

"CATHERINE."

The next is a brief note after they had returned from New York to Toronto. Katie had taken a position as domestic at Mrs. Lee's, 459 Bathurst street, from which house the next is written:

"459 Bathurst street, Toronto, Jan. 16.

"Dearest Willie,—As I have to keep house this evening, I will not be able to go to Beverley street. Would be pleased if you would call about half-past seven.

"Yours in haste, KATE."

The other two letters are written after Katie had gone home to Gravenhurst and before Hammond had left Toronto.

"Gravenhurst, Feb. 18.

"Dear Will,—I have waited for my trunk till I am tired. I have to tell one lie after another, till I don't know what I'll say next, so you must send my trunk at once, for how in Heaven's name do you expect me to get along without my things; besides pa is going to see Mr. Torrey about it, so for Heaven's sake send it by express or freight! But I am afraid you will have to pay it. I think the least you might have done was to send me word you were not coming when you said, for I have walked the streets for two evenings in the storm. Now, remember, I wish you to send my trunk at once. I don't care what excuse you have, I must have it at once. I remain your loving

"KATE."

"Gravenhurst, Feb. 27th.

"Dear Willie,—This is the fourth time I have written to you and I have only received one card from you since I came home. I have not got my trunk yet. I don't know what to think about it—whether you sent it or not. If you have it must be lost. I don't know what the people think. They never say anything about it now, but at first I had quite a time, for, as I thought surely I would get the check from you on Monday evening, as you said, I told them I had given it to the 'bus driver. Of course, when it didn't come they were anxious. I told them not to bother, for it was all right. Frank seen the fellow up town, and asked about it. The fellow knew nothing about it and I got into a terrible fuss. They think is is kept for my board. Think of it! You don't know how ashamed I feel. I got a setting out from pa last night. He told me it was a shame for me to stay away as I did, working for my board, for, as far as he could see, I had made nothing. I had a trunk full when I went away; I came home with nothing but a few rags on my back, not fit to be seen. What does your father say to you about being married, for I suppose he has heard all about it? For it is no secret here. Every one I see ask me about it, but I gave them no satisfaction, so they are in the dark as ever. Annie Scott heard it from Mrs. John Cockburn. She said she thought it was quite true and that we had been seen together in New York. Well, that is bad, as it would not look very well for us to be there unless we were married. I wish I knew who saw us. I told Annie she must have made a mistake, so she thought it must be a mistake altogether. Now, will you please write as soon as you get this. Don't send a card for I may not get it myself. I can't imagine why I don't hear from you. I watch the office like a cat watching a mouse. If I don't hear from you before next Tuesday I am going down to Toronto, so be sure and write. I remain ever your loving KATIE."

At 5 p.m. Mr. Osler announced that the evidence for the Crown was all in. The greater part of the afternoon was taken up in hearing expert evidence. Drs. Grant and Cornell of Gravenhurst, who conducted the post mortem examination, while admitting that sufficient prussic acid was not noticeable in the chest, the only part of the body which smelled of the acid, to cause death, they were nevertheless of the opinion that death was caused by prussic acid.

Dr. Johnson of Toronto felt satisfied from the indications that death was owing to the same cause.

The most expert testimony was given by Prof. Ellis, Government analyst. He said he found prussic acid in the stomach in the proportion of one-third of a grain, and that only one-tenth of the quantity taken found its way to the stomach. It was the acid which entered the system which caused death. Witness also found phosphoric acid in the stomach. Two-thirds of a teaspoonful of prussic acid would cause death, and he considered, from the quantity found in the stomach, that deceased had taken much more than necessary to cause death.

The evening was spent in the trial of a young man named Cake, charged with indecent assault.

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ALLISON IS ON TRIAL

Story of the Murder of Mrs. Orr Retold.

IMPORTANT QUESTION OF TIME.

The Prisoner's Errand to Barrie's—His Foolish Statements—Where Was He at the Moment of the Murder?—The Finding of the Body and Other Details of the Crime.

Berlin, Dec. 3.—James Allison, as he stood in the prisoner's dock yesterday, charged with the death of Mrs. Emma Orr, did not much resemble a murderer. The time spent in jail has much improved his personal appearance.

H. P. O'Connor, Q.C., of Walkerton, is conducting the Crown's case, with Detective Murray present to aid him. J. R. Blake of Galt and J. J. A. Weir of Berlin are defending the prisoner.

Allison's father and mother, the latter with an infant in her arms, are present.

Seventy-two jurors had been summoned and there were a good many challenged. Finally the jury was completed as follows: Arthur Ruler, Wellesley; James Nicholl, Elmira; John S. Smith, Berlin; William J. McKee, Wellesley; A. Rudell, Waterloo Township; John D. Neustadt, Waterloo Township; William Gleanie, Woolwich; Hobart Runstedler, Wellesley; Louis Rank, Wellesley; Adam S. Meyers, Wellesley; Anthony Starr, Bamberg; John Ottman, Hawkesville.

Chief Justice Sir William Meredith occupied the bench, and, after the jurors had been sworn, Mr. O'Connor outlined the case for the Crown. He said it would be proved that the prisoner killed Mrs. Orr, and pointed out that Allison had repeatedly contradicted himself in regard to his gun. Though able to prove that the gun was shot off that morning Mr. O'Connor said the Crown would not claim that the woman was shot, but would prove that death was caused by a blow on the back of the head. Counsel concluded with a reference to the new evidence the Crown had obtained lately. It would be proved, he said, that on the evening before the murder Allison had told a chum that other men had been intimate with Mrs. Orr, and that the first time he got her alone he would take advantage of her.

Surveyor A. H. McPherson having given evidence, with plans of the scene of the murder,

Anthony Orr, the husband of the dead woman, was called to the stand. He said that he left his farm with two children at 7.30 a.m., on the morning of Aug. 9. When he returned at 10.20 Allison met him at the gate. He was laughing and grinning, and when witness asked him what he was grinning about he didn't reply. Witness ran into the house and looked for his wife. She was nowhere to be found. Allison's gun and one cartridge were also missing. Orr said he then went to Galt to make enquiries about his wife. Returning, he made a search of the swamp and found a hole dug as if for a grave. A spade belonging to Allison was picked up beside the embryo grave. There was black soil on the spade, which made it evident that it had been used to dig the grave. Witness said he also saw hairs on the spade.

Cross-examined by Mr. Blake, Orr stated that his wife could milk five cows in 25 minutes. At the magistrate's hearing Orr said that he was positive the woman was alive at 10 minutes to eight. To-day he said she must have been alive till 8 o'clock.

Maggie Orr, the little girl left at the farm with her mother and Allison, was the next witness. She stated that when she got up she saw Allison raking up the chips at the back door with a dung fork. She asked where her mother was, and he said he did not know. Later on he told her that her mother had bet him a quarter he could not shoot a ground hog which was in the field near by. He shot at it, but it ran into its hole, he said. A few days later he told her another story about having shown Mrs. Orr how to use the gun.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Dryden swore positively, however, that they met Allison driving two cows towards Barrie's farm on the morning of Aug. 9 between 8.45 and 9 o'clock. The Crown examination did not shake their testimony.

John Ramsay strengthened the foregoing evidence by stating that he met Mr. and Mrs. Dryden on the road about 9 o'clock.

Norman Orr, the 7-year-old son of Anthony Orr, was sworn, and related as to being away with his father on that morning. When he and his father came home his sister Maggie came out and said: "Ma is gone." He heard his father ask Allison what was the matter. He said he saw Allison on the Friday following, crawling out from the corn in the cornfield.

Mrs. John Barrie, sworn, said she saw Roddy the milkman, at 8.30. Prisoner came over and informed her of Mrs. Orr's disappearance. She went and straightened up things at the house and returned in the evening. She was also present when Mrs. Orr was found, and assisted in washing and dressing her. She considered that it would be fast milking for one to have milked five cows in half an hour.

Anthony Marshall deposed that he found the spade on exhibit in the stable under the barn floor. Inspected the same, but found nothing thereon other than a light-ish clay.

William Bond, sr., swore that he had a conversation with Allison on the Thursday following, and Allison told him that Mrs. Orr requested him (Allison) to bring out the gun. She asked him to show her how the gun worked.

William Bond, jr., found a shovel under some brush. This instrument fitted the marks on the side of the grave in the swamp, and belonged to Anthony Orr.

William Dryden said Allison had told him that Mrs. Orr had taken one cartridge with his gun. Next day he brought Allison to task about telling him a falsehood about the gun, and he admitted having done so.

Alvin Dryden, sworn, said he overheard the prisoner's father tell him (the prisoner) to keep his mouth shut.

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A GOVERNMENT THAT DOES THINGS.

The gold discoveries in the Klondyke attracted universal attention, and the Government was prompt to look after Canadian interests. Hon. Mr. Sifton, the Minister of the Interior is a "Government that does things," has just returned from a ten weeks' trip in the Northwest, where he has been personally looking over the situation. He did not commission some underling on the circumlocution office, who would have brought in a report with the speed of the Dominion Liquor License commissioners, but he went himself. The Liberal Government acts on the principle of the old proverb, "If you want your business done, do it; if you don't, send." He visited the White Pass and the Chilkoot Pass. He had been away about ten weeks, and in that time had travelled over ten thousand miles. Besides examining the routes to the Yukon, and looking into the Alaska boundary question, Mr. Sifton made an extensive tour of the mining districts of British Columbia. He visited the gold and silver mining camps of the Kootenay region, and was greatly impressed with the rapid development of the mines. The Minister also went over the Crow's Nest Pass Railway to see how the road was progressing. At Edmonton strong representations were made to Mr. Sifton in favour of the all-Canadian route from that place to the Yukon. Mr. Sifton was banquetted at Vancouver, Victoria, Rossland and other points on his trip. He appears to be in the best of health after his long and arduous trip. It is more than probable that as a result of his visit active and prompt measures will be taken to protect Canadian interests in the Klondyke and other Northwestern gold fields, and in the interest of a direct all-Canadian route to to the subpolar Eldorado.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Liberal re-action did not begin at the Centre.

THE newspapers report as a curiosity a man cutting teeth at 67. There are a good many political aspirants that have their eye teeth yet to cut.

MR. OLIVER HOWLAND has now leisure to reflect on the precipitancy that led him to desert a seat which would have permitted him to pour out little rivulets of vapid verbosity in the debate on the address.

THE Mail and Empire takes it very much to heart because Hon. Mr. Hardy did not tell Mr. Whitney when the general elections were to be brought on. Possibly Mr. Hardy has not decided the question, and could not, therefore, tell himself, let alone the anxious Mr. Whitney.

MR. HOWLAND'S majority in South Toronto, in the Local House seemed to be a pretty good thing from his point of view. He couldn't have thought much of Mr. Whitney's chances for giving him a cabinet seat, when he took the risk of being "turned down" in a fight against Mr. Bertram.

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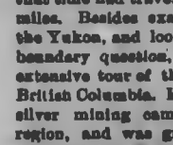

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MR. WHITNEY in spite of his stumping experience the past summer, struck a snag the first day of the Legislature when some of his wild campaign statements were challenged and disproved. Mr. Whitney will soon begin to revise his theory that the Government is a blue funk summoned the Legislature to stop his missionary tour. It's Mr. Whitney's careless campaign facts are what will suffer by the meeting of the Legislature.

POOR Gascoigne, says the Bobcaygeon Independent, is getting into a blooming old pickle. The Royal Scots are after the General's scalp now. These old country generals never can realize the fact that our militia is not intended to be taken seriously. The most absurd Bombastes Furioso army that was ever put on the stage was solemnly martial compared with our Canadian militia outfit. The general should report that the million dollars now thrown away might better be devoted to maintaining public skittle alleys for the pleasurable and healthful recreation of the people.

THE October return of the chartered banks of Canada places the note issue at $61,580,000, the greatest amount of paper money in circulation at any period in the history of Canada. The Dominion notes not held by banks swell this amount to over $49,000,000. The increase for three months is $6,871,600, which is over $2,000,000 more than the increase of any previous three months. Dominion notes (issued by the Government) in circulation on October 31 were $34,751,959, also the greatest on record, and as compared with $31,607,453 on October 31, 1894. Canada has got a move on.

THE hysterical jingo rant that is being made by many Opposition journals respecting the condition of Ontario's timber interests is purely gratuitous in view of the legislation promised in the speech from the throne which will deal with the matter. The organs can afford to wait. In a few days the intention of the Government will be made known. But they won't wait; they will do all in their power to complicate the question and make the work of dealing with it satisfactorily more difficult. The Government has to consult general and not special interests in dealing with the question. They will find a remedy for the trouble; not introduce a mere expedient. We have every confidence that the situation will be promptly and efficiently dealt with.

CHEAP POSTAGE.

What was the most important announcement made for many years, in connection with postal matters was that made by Hon. Wm. Paterson at the Liberal meeting in Massey Hall, Toronto, the other night. To use Mr. Paterson's own words: "I had hoped," he said, "that Mr. Mulock, the Postmaster General, would have been here to-night, because it would have been more proper that he should make the announcement that I have to make. He has given me permission to make it; the permission came over the telephone, and what was it? He said, 'We have, and expect to have, closer and more intimate commercial relations with Britain under our tariff than ever before. You know, he says, that the Government has recognized the fact while now you can, at a cost of three cents, send a letter of communication weighing an ounce to any part of Canada or the United States, it costs ten cents to send that weight of letter to Great Britain. Economies have been effected while efficiency has been maintained and increased in our post office department. Revenues have come in under the Postmaster-General that have enabled him to give effect to the wishes of the Canadian Government, who want to do everything they fairly can to facilitate trade between Canada and Great Britain, and he tells me the word has gone forth and has been flashed across the Atlantic, that after January next an ounce of letter may be sent to every part of the British Empire, wherever the British flag floats, and three cents shall carry it."

This announcement was received with loud and prolonged cheering. A boon which we longed for, in vain, for a number of years, is ours at last. The matter was often talked of by Conservative governments, but nothing was done. It was left for the "Administration of business men" to accomplish the end sought. Such works as these—for to the present Dominion Government credit is due—assist in strengthening the already strong hold which the Laurier Government has obtained on the affections of the Canadian people."

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CAPITAL TOPICS.

Sir Mearry Joly Makes a Very Interesting Statement About Inland Revenue—Mr. Sifton Back.

Ottawa, Dec. 3.—Sir Henry Joly, Minister of the Inland Revenue, has prepared a very interesting statement concerning the revenue of his department. The statement shows that the revenue accruing between July 1 and Nov. 1 last, was $721,000 less than the revenue which accrued between the same dates last year. This, he claims, is due to the fact that the distillers and tobacco manufacturers imported immensely in anticipation of a change in the tariff. This is evidenced by the fact that the revenue for March, April, May and June was $3,807,247, as against $2,615,774 for the corresponding four months of 1896—or this year shows an increase in these four months of $1,191,473. Sir Henry maintains that it took months for these men to dispose of all this imported matter, but that the revenue has now come back to its normal condition, quoting in proof of this the fact that last month's (November) revenue was $16,000 in excess of that of November, 1896. This increase, he expects, will not only be maintained, but exceeded.

Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, returned to the capital after his trip to the Klondike, last evening. He is apparently in a perfect condition of health. He will cause the Mounted Police Force in the Yukon district to be increased, the present contingent stationed there not being sufficient to properly protect the immense area covered by miners and prospectors.

Hon. Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia and Defence, leaves for Europe on the 8th inst. Prof. Prince, expert of the Fishery Department, also leaves for England on the same date.

Official information of the swearing in of Lieutenant-Governor McInnes at Vancouver yesterday was received here to-day. His term of office began from yesterday.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conqueror of kidney and liver disease.

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London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115	
Canada Life	2,006 801	2,025.716	18 825	
Manufacturers	324.449	353.149	30 700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.436	
North American	485.254	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	832.874	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263	
TOTALS	[$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441	

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THE LEGISLATURE

The Premier and the Opposition Leader Foregather.

A VERY SPIRITED ARGUMENT.

Issues in the Coming Election Contest—The Timber Question—American Companies Exporting Canadian Logs—Some Opposition Fables—Able Defence of the Government's Policy.

Toronto, Dec. 3.—During the summer months just passed Mr. Whitney and his henchmen have been prowling about the country from riding to riding thundering against the policy of the Provincial Government, charging all kinds of political crimes, reading from supposed authorities to prove such statements and predicting the downfall of the Hardy Ministry as soon as the people would have a chance to express their opinions through the ballot box. These gentlemen, including their leader, Mr. Whitney, presented a sorry spectacle in the House yesterday when called to account by the Premier, who literally wiped the floor with Mr. Whitney. The leader of the Opposition began his speech in reply to the address shortly after three o'clock, and opened fire by announcing the fact that he did not intend to allow the Government to "bully" him this session. He was going to say all he desired, and in his own way. He had his say, but after Mr. Hardy finished with him it was quite evident he regretted having opened his mouth. He began in bad nature, and contrary to custom, to find fault with the addresses of the mover and seconder of the address. He seemed to be frightened of something and appeared to be bolstering up his courage by waxing loud and wroth. He was not satisfied because the arbitration proceedings between the provinces had not yet reached a conclusion; the reference that had been made to the County Councils Act called for another kick; the fact that the Government had not definitely announced what they intended doing about timber licenses he thought an outrage; the calling of the present session before Christmas did not please him in any degree; it was a political crime the seconder had committed when he had referred to the fact that Sir Wilfrid Laurier now reigned at Ottawa; he was dumbfounded to hear it stated the loyalty of the Conservatives was but "lip-loyalty," and ventured the opinion no such charge had ever been made before; he charged Hon. Mr. Dryden with having made misstatements upon the stump during the summer, but wisely refrained from attempting to point out a single instance, he simply lashed himself into a fury, and raved over what he termed the "Engledue mining deal"; he mentioned the "Piggery," but stated, amid the laughter of both sides of the House, he would leave that question to be dealt with by Mr. St. John, who had discovered the pigs; he admitted he had not attended the meetings of the Public Accounts Committee, and was therefore not in a position to fairly discuss the expenses of the Government, and wound up an ill-natured and wondering speech of an hour and a half by refusing to state definitely his policy regarding the timber of the province. He was asked by Mr. German, "Does my honorable friend favor an imposition of duty on sawlogs leaving the province?" to which he replied, "We have no power here to impose a duty." Mr. German, evidently determined to place the public in possession of the platform of the Opposition upon this point, again asked, "Do you favor regulations which would virtually prohibit the export of logs?" His reply was, "I shall deal with that later." (Laughter).

It was within an hour and a half of recess when the Premier, in splendid form and voice, stood up to reply. He was loudly cheered by the House, the enthusiasm proving that though their old leader was gone the Reform members had every confidence and trust in his brilliant successor. Mr. Hardy began by stating that he saw every reason to congratulate the mover and seconder of the address, though Mr. Whitney had been ungracious enough to overlook the custom in this regard. He referred to Sir Oliver Mowat's elevation to the post of Lieutenant-Governor of his native province in eloquent terms. Sir Oliver was known as a man of peace and peaceful ways, and yet he had led in the fiercest struggles short of warfare that had been known in Canada. Sir Oliver's judgments upon great questions had been vindicated time and again by the highest authorities in the Empire; he had always been found upon the right side, whether it was fighting for the preservation of the boundaries of his province, its autonomy or its freedom. (Cheers.) His acceptance of his present position did honor if possible to the post. The Premier then expressed his pleasure that the Viceroy had so honored Toronto as to take up his residence here in company with the Countess of Aberdeen.

The Premier then turned his attention to Mr. Whitney, and it is safe to say that never in the Legislature did anyone receive such a castigation as did the leader of the Opposition. He had complained that no important legislation had been foreshadowed in the speech from the throne and yet he had not suggested a single bill. Why had he not pointed out some crying need or requirement? He had gone about the country crying that the Government was afraid of his charges. He had been on the contrary called face to face with and challenged to make his charges. (Cheers.) On the stump he had been prolific in charges and yet, when upon the floor of the House, with the country looking at him, he had miserably failed. Why did he not make the same charges in the House as he had not scrupled to use upon the stump? He dared not do so. (Cheers.) He sat with bated breath in his seat fearful that his misstatements would be nailed. One reason the session was called for the first of December was because it appeared the most convenient time for the agricultural members. (Hear, hear.) It afforded an opportunity of bringing down the public accounts, so that the electors might review them before the elections. A full and free discussion of them would be afforded the members of the House, while more space would be given the proceedings of the House in the newspapers since the session at Ottawa would come on later. An early session would "clear the decks" for action, and the battle could then be fought upon its merits. (Cheers.)

Complaint had been made that more legislation had not been foreshadowed, notwithstanding the fact that the bench, the profession and the magistrates were all opposed to any legislation not pressingly necessary.

Mr. Whitney had complained that no mortal man could find out what the Government intended doing about the liquor licenses, and yet in a speech at London all he had promised was to "arrange the liquor traffic for the public good and according to common sense." So much wisdom had probably never been contained in so few words and yet this was all the leader of the Opposition had to offer the public upon this important subject after all his talk and bluster. (Laughter). He did not intend to touch upon the question of "lip-loyalty." He would remark, however, that Mr. Whitney would do well to go back and look over his history and there find that well-founded charges had repeatedly been leveled against his party before upon this line. (Cheers).

Mr. Whitney had stumped the country from end to end and what was his policy? Direct taxation. The Opposition did not dare avow it openly because the public would not stand it, but they had declared "we are face to face with it." What did that mean? It simply meant if they by any hook or crook should gain power they would have direct taxation. Their cry was the Government was paying current expenses from capital account. Mr. Whitney had at a dozen places stated that money had been so spent which should have been placed out at interest with which current expenses could be met. Did the honorable gentleman expect the electors to swallow any such twaddle? (Laughter.) Where would the revenue come from to pay current expenses if not from timber dues, liquor licenses and succession duties? If these sources were not employed would it not be necessary to impose a direct tax? That was the policy of the Opposition. The Opposition were using such arguments throughout the country, making demagogues of themselves, knowing that all Governments had used this money in same manner. He challenged Mr. Whitney to deny in the House his policy was direct taxation.

Mr. Whitney had many times of late stated the resources of the province were exhausted. If this were true how else then could he hope to conduct the affairs of the province but by a direct tax? The statement, however, was not true. He would not deal in generalities, but would furnish him with facts. (Cheers.) The Provincial Government had an annual subsidy from the Dominion Government as agreed at Confederation of $1,096,000; it had $200,000 annually from interest on Dominion Government bonds; it had $280,000 from licenses, $196,000 from succession duties, $109,000 casual revenue, $146,000 revenue from public institutions, and $1,000,000 from Crown lands. Did this look like pauperism? (Cheers). Mr. Whitney's statements were hatched in the egg of wildest romance. (Laughter.)

Not a Boaster.

Mr. Whitney had said he was not a boaster. He said the Government had called him off the stump. Well, he had been called to the House, face to face with his opponents, where day in and day out, he could have his say, but where he would have to say truthfully or be nailed to the mast. (Loud cheers). He had said all or nearly all the timber lands had been sold.

He evidently did not know how much had been sold and how much left. He had stated that $98,000,000 worth had been sold. He was out in his calculation over $7,000,000 since but $91,905,000 worth had been sold by all governments since Confederation.

He had stated if this money had been kept and placed at interest such "income would meet the current expenses." This was simply bosh. Since Confederation $90,000,000 had been spent, while the interest would have amounted to but $10,560,000.

He had stated that at present the Government were employing five times as many civil servants as at Confederation. The statement was false and he could not substantiate it in any degree. (Cheers.)

A great deal had been said about the amount of timber lands held by Americans, and yet out of the 4297 square miles owned by purchasers, but 315 square miles were held by Americans. He wished the House to understand that when the Government offered these limits for sale they were put up at public auction before the whole world, where Englishmen, Canadians or Americans could bid for them. They went to the man, regardless of nationality, who offered the province the most money.

Mr. Whitney was the last man in Canada who should say anything about Americans holding timber lands since he was a member of the Saint Anthony Lumber Company, composed exclusively of Americans with the exception of himself. (Cheers.)

Mr. Whitney said his name appeared as a member of the company simply for technical purposes, and that he had not paid a single dollar for stock in it.

Mr. Hardy replied that his name appeared there simply for the purpose of fraud and to hoodwink the law.

The Premier sat down amid a storm of applause.

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TAPS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

Henry George was married to Miss Marie Hitch of Chicago yesterday.

The message of President McKinley will be devoted practically to the subjects of foreign relations and the currency problem.

Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of the President, was stricken with paralysis yesterday at Canton, O., and it is feared that her death is only a question of a short time. The President will be there this morning.

The coroner's jury in the Potrier murder case at St. Canute have brought in a verdict against Sam Parslow and Cordelia Vias, widow of the murdered man.

Twenty car loads of poultry will be shipped from Toronto to-day for the port of St. John, N.B., to connect with the steamer leaving for the English market on Dec. 8.

An 11-year-old son of W. Phillips, West Lorne, was so seriously injured yesterday by the breech of his gun flying out and imbedding itself in his brain that he will die. He pluckily endeavored to remove the piece of steel from the gaping wound as he tried to walk home after the accident.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor Licence Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough, with the bona fide name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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J. J. CROWE,
Hall's Glen P.O
License Inspector, East Peterborough

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Even the great GOUGH'S are not insensible to a Boom in business. It seems a contradiction to push sales by losing profits we might as well have, when our business is vigorous with healthy activity, and yet we are inspired to do so by sound reasoning. It sometimes pays to lose, especially when you really don't lose at all.

IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices :—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8 00, selling at	4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... **$4.90**

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Shoes

Piled to the ceilings—a whole section heaped with Winter Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children—to fit all feet—at the Easiest prices in this or any other Town. The growth in this particular branch shows clearly that we are doing it better and better all the time, and winning new friends every week. Come and see how it is done. No skimp in anything. We can dress your feet in the newest styles of hand-sewed Shoes with any fashion of toe you desire. Felt Overshoes, Rubbers, Fur-lined and Flannel-lined Shoes and Slippers for Grandma and Baby. Assortments better and values better than you'll find anywhere. "ALWAY'S GOOD AT GOUGH'S"—Not in Spurts but ALL the time."

A CASH BUSINESS.—Under our constantly growing organization CASH becomes an important factor in Buying as well as in Selling. Credit is a curse to the human family. Cash is King. In future, therefore, SPOT CASH will be our invariable rule. Your money back if not satisfied.

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Maple City Cooperage.
R. T. Phillips, Prop.

Chatham, October 18, 1897.

DEAR SIRS,—Some time ago I was treated by one of our best city doctors for continued bleeding at the nose and the treatment I was subjected to weakened my stomach so that nothing I could eat would agree with me and I could retain nothing but bread and milk, which was my chief diet.

I tried a bottle of your Sloan's Indian Tonic and at once began to improve and it has made a permanent cure in my case. I can now partake of any food, no matter how strong, and experience no distress after eating.

I have recommended it to several people and in every case it has given grand results, and a bottle of it should be in every household.

Yours very truly,
R. T. PHILLIPS.

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St. Williams, Co. Norfolk, October 19, 1897.

DEAR SIRS.—It gives me great pleasure to testify to the fact that Sloan's Indian Tonic has caused a most remarkable change in my condition. For two years I have suffered from indigestion and weakness and not finding relief from any other medicine until your agent came here one day and advised me to try Sloan's Indian Tonic. I did so and have used four bottles. It has made a great change in my life and I can now rest and sleep with ease and comfort. I believe Sloan's Indian Tonic is the best medicine in the world.

I remain,
Yours truly,
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—OF—

Millinery and Mantles

During the month of December while thoughts are being turned towards Christmas, we will hold a Special Reduction Sale of every line of goods in our store. Every day of the week we will offer Bargain inducements to the Ladies to get what they want before Christmas at very low prices, as we must effect a clearance of our stock before the New Year:—

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
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Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Veilings
Chiffons, Laces, Collars, Cuffs
Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

REDUCED MUCH BELOW THEIR VALUE. This store always satisfies regular customers and this Sale will bring new customers, who have seen what others bought and appreciate our store.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 3, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Buy Our Fruits

And by our Xmas fruits you shall know that we have the cheapest that cash will buy. They are larger and cleaner than any in the market. E. F. MASON & Co., grocers. See prices and inspect the goods.

Booklets and Calendars.

See the nice display of the very latest novelties in Christmas cards, booklets and calendars at the Peterborough Bookstore. It is none too early to make selections to send to your friends at a distance, and it will well repay you for the time spent in looking over our beautiful stock.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Notice of Removal.

Madam Jabar, the celebrated phrenologist and palmister, who is now making her Canadian tour, and who has been in town for some weeks past, has removed her office to rooms over the new Bank of Commerce, entrance Hunter street. The offices are centrally located, and as Madam Jabar is an adept in the art, she will no doubt continue to make her stay in Peterborough a success.

Oddfellow's at Home.

Otonabee Lodge of I.O.O.F. will hold an "At Home" on Monday evening next in commemoration of the resuscitation of the lodge fifteen years ago. An especially attractive programme has been prepared for the occasion, consisting of vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments will be served during the evening. Tickets may be procured from any member of the Lodge. 2d

The Choir Entertained.

Last evening the Charlotte street church choir were entertained at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Morrison, where a most enjoyable evening was spent. During the evening Mr. E. Hall entertained with some good whistling solos and the bones, which he handles most skillfully, and Messrs. W. Squires and F. Skitch sang some comic duets and character sketches that were thoroughly enjoyed, as was also the ample supper, so kindly provided by Mrs. Morrison.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Tea by the Car-load.

The recent rejection of immense quantities of rubbish from China and Japan, shipped to the United States as tea, has created demand for a pure article to replace these rejected spurious imitations. An entire car-load of "Salada" Ceylon Tea is on its way to Boston, and is expected to arrive there in a day or two. There is besides this, four tons on its way to Buffalo, Pittsburg and Cleveland. The demand for pure teas manufactured by machinery has been growing on the American people, and the tea regulations which are now being enforced are fostering this improved taste, as it is keeping the cheap adulterated article out of the country.

Mot the Third.

The newspapers are saying that if Mrs. Sternaman is hanged on Jan. 20th next she will be the third woman to suffer capital punishment in this province. They cite the cases of Mrs. Phoebe Campbell, hanged at London in 1870, and Mrs. Elizabeth Workman, hanged at Sarnia in 1873, as the only two cases. This is wrong for a woman was hanged at Belleville some twenty-eight years ago. The woman and her husband died on the scaffold together for the murder of a neighbour, with whom the man had a dispute and quarrelled, the woman coming to his assistance with a scythe and killing the man. Old Belleville residents will remember this hanging as a public one.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 13th Nov., W. C. C. Lecesne, Esq., *People's Coal Co'y, City:*

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
EGLI. SERVICE,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 200 Charlotte. Telephone 366.

MONCRIEF CASE SETTLED.

The Town, Fairweather & Co. and the Toronto Savings and Loan Co. each to Pay One-third.

A meeting of the Legal Committee was held this morning in the Town Clerk's office when a telegram was considered from Mr. James Fairweather, stating that Hon. George A. Cox on behalf of the Toronto Savings and Loan was willing to pay one third of the judgment and costs in the Moncrief case if the town and Mr. Fairweather, as tenant, would pay the other two-thirds between them. Mr. Fairweather agreed to pay a third, and at the meeting of the committee it was thought advisable to pay the other third and settle the matter instead of allowing it to go further in the courts.

The judgment and Mr. E. B. Stone's costs amount to $231 26, and of this each party mentioned will pay $77.13 and meet their own costs.

Mr. A. E. Dixon's costs have already been paid by the town to the amount of $41 55, as he was wrongfully named as a party to the suit. The costs of the Toronto Savings and Loan, amounting to the same sum, have already been paid by the town, but will be returned.

The case was to come up again in Osgoode Hall on Monday, but the town solicitor has been instructed to let the matter drop in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

TOWN COMMITTEES.

Two Meetings Were Held Last Night in the Clerk's Office.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee last night a number of accounts were passed, and it was resolved to recommend the council to order the sale of lands for arrears of taxes to be carried out.

The Fire, Water and Light Committee also met but very little business was transacted. By request of Dr. Gray next years' council will be requested to place an electric light opposite his residence on Sherbrooke street.

FOR THE VICTORIA MUSEUM.

An Indian Relic Presented by Mr. G. H. Howson.

Mr. G. H. Howson, 188 Edinburgh street, has left with THE EXAMINER for the Victoria Museum, a small Indian knife of stone of unusual occurrence, and whose use is only to be conjectured by a layman. It was found in a field near Thompson's Point, Rice Lake, that fruitful field of aboriginal relics.

PERSONAL.

Miss Manson is visiting friends in Lakefield.

Mr. W. H. Bradburn, after several days' illness, was able to attend to business today.

Mr. J. H. Roper went to Toronto this morning to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Roper.

Mr. Thos. H. Wadland, Superintendent of construction of the Bell Telephone Co., was in town yesterday.

Miss Kate Boyes has returned to her home in Brooklin, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Taylor, of Peterborough.

Miss Ella Barker has returned from Port Hope, and is visiting at the residence of Mr. H. C. Wioch. No. 81 Crescent street.

Mr. Walter Phelan left this afternoon to attend the annual meeting of the Ontario Hockey Association in Toronto to-morrow.

Mrs. Robt. Lawrence, of Ashburnham, is very ill and is not expected to recover. She lapsed into unconsciousness this afternoon.

Dr. Thompson, of Fochabers, Scotland, who has been the guest of Mr. Robt. Fair and who was a member of Mr. R. B. Rogers hunting party, left to-day to join his father in Schnectady prior to sailing for Auld Scotia.

Mr. A. G. Parker, the new manager of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, has arrived in town and assumed his duties. He will be followed by his family from Montreal next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson, of Warsaw, are in town visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson for a few days. They are on their way to British Columbia and California, but intend stopping off at Medicine Hat and Regina on the way west.

Mr. Jas. Colquhoun, of this division of the C. P. R., who has lately been retired from the road, owing to defective eyesight, has received an appointment at a pump house at St. Clet, Que. Mr. Colquhoun left Havelock on Tuesday night to take charge.

Mr. R. Maitland Roy, Stewart street, who has been connected with the engineering staff of the Central Bridge Works for a considerable number of years, has accepted a responsible position with the Hamilton Bridge Works and will remove to the Ambitious City about the first of the year. During his residence in town Mr. Roy has been an enthusiastic member of Otonabee Lodge of Oddfellows, and he will be greatly missed by his brethren in the Order.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The epidemic of measles does not seem to be in any way abating, new cases being reported every day.

—Skates are being taken out of their summer quarters and being sharpened and cleaned up for the ice.

—A meeting of members of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association is called to meet in the Victoria Club rooms to-night.

Don't miss seeing Mora and her excellent company at the Opera House to-night. Good specialties and a good play at popular prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor of the Murray street Baptist church, has removed from No. 39 Harvey street to 221 London street, which is known as the "Hartley House."

—Bicyclists should now give their machines a thorough overhauling, and apply oil wherever needed. Do not store the wheel in a damp place if you want to preserve the tires.

—Another swindler who poses as a Y.M.C.A. man has been at work in the west and a report from Tilsonburg asks for the arrest of Hans Nelson, a Danish cook, who, under the guise of a religious and Christian worker, has stolen money and jewelry.

—The residents of Gilmour and Park streets heard most harmonious sounds, as a large party passed along the street last night and these words came floating over the midnight air:

For she can make the pie,
And we can eat that pie;
For oh 's a jolly good fellow
Which nobody can deny.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guaranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

DIED AT NORWOOD.

Mrs. Thomas Buck Passes Away at the Age of 75 Years.

(Special to the Examiner.)

Norwood, Dec. 3—Mrs. Buck, relict of Thos. Buck, who was well known as a lumberman with extensive operations died here last night after a short illness, Mrs. Buck, had attained the age of 75 years.

ST. LUKE'S ANNUAL SUCCESS.

The Tea and Sale in the Ashburnham Town Hall Last Night.

The annual tea and sale of work of St. Luke's church, was held in the town hall, Ashburnham, last night, and proved a great success.

Tea was served from 5 till 8 o'clock and during these hours the tables were continually filled. Mrs. John Burnham presided over a table upon which were spread twenty-two turkeys, to say nothing of geese and fowls. When these had been appreciatively discussed, there burst upon the only half-cloyed appetites the vision of innumerable pies. (The reader will kindly excuse the mixed metaphors.) Pies with a fascinating little trellis-work, light as the fingers that made them, which as Tennyson says, "half concealed and half revealed" the luscious black currant, plum or gooseberry beneath. Pies there were covered with a snow-white robe, light as the foam on ocean's billow (or a barber's shaving mug.) These were the pies the knowing one's selected, for they concealed the toothsome lemon cunningly mingled

With sugar'd spice,
And all things nice.

And when even pie failed to stimulate the organs of appetite, the revelation of unexpected chocolate cake, cocoa-nut cake, jelly cake, sponge cake, fruit cake and every kind of cake (except wedding cake, although Mr. Long was there and doubtless found customers amongst the throng,) known or unknown, from the time of Aristotle down to Prof. Huxley, once again stimulated into activity nature's beautiful machinery for the conversion of edibles into flesh and blood and good temper.

Fortified against the pangs of hunger for the next twenty-four hours, the company promenaded around the hall and feasted their eyes (and emptied their pockets) upon the various stalls, the haunts of beauty animate and inanimate. Here right against the door was a cosy little nook, devoted to the god *of*—well, we do not just remember who was the god of candies in the Greek and Roman pantheon, in fact we do not recall any record in the classics of either Alexander the Great or Julius Caesar enjoying maple cream or butter Scotch. People had queer tastes in those olden times. They used to drink pearls dissolved in vinegar, and—but this has nothing to do with Miss Gwendoline Meade's candy store, where such a rushing business was done that the entire stock was disposed of,

Not at a sacrifice,
But profitably—in a trice—

that is early in the evening.

Next came the ever popular Jack-in-the-box. Santa Claus never pays but one visit prior to Christmas and that is to St. Luke's annual tea and sale of work. But here are so many children (pretty old ones, too, some of them) that he cannot resist the temptation to wreath in smiles, so many little (and big) faces. Miss Calcutt presides here as Pontifex Maximus, and

Every tinkle of the bell
Meaneth five cents in the well.

Passing on we come to the fancy table of President Miss Maggie Calcutt and Vice-President Miss Armstrong. It would require the pen of a Mrs. Hawels to describe all the dainty treasures of this table. Tea cosies, suggestive of comfortable sitting rooms, blazing fires, with the cup that cheers but inebriates (although if you drink too much of it you will hear from your nerves), tray-cloths, photos of St. Luke's church, foot-stools, sofa cushions, dolls cunningly dressed, pin-cushions of novel design, and,

Here as everywhere
Big sales were sought but rare.

Our muse puts on an air of befitting gravity as we approach the tables of the Ladies' Aid and of the Woman's Auxiliary. Here articles of solid worth are disposed of. Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Nimmo have aprons and children's dresses of every description, whilst Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Scott and other ladies have a more varied assortment of articles of utility. Mrs. Peck, the beloved head of the W. A., hovers around this table with beaming look—

The dulce cum the utile
We're put on sale not futilely.

And now the tables are swept away, benches are brought down and the hall is now filled with an expectant but chattering throng. Wilson's orchestra now soothes the mind just beginning to be perturbed at the lavish outlay upon Christmas presents, with strains of sweet music. Then mounts the rostrum Mr. Hampden Burnham, who drives dull care away with wit and humour and graceful story. Meantime sounds, as of an invading host advise us of the advent of Company No. 37, Church Boys' Brigade. The door flies open, and with martial tramp, headed by Sergeant Edwards, and armed to the teeth, the platform is stormed and carried triumphantly. Not a single man is wounded. Rapturous applause greets the admirable drill. "Company," shouted the sergeant, "Dismiss!" and dismiss it is. Holden Blackwell brings down the house with a recitation, and the audience will not be satisfied without an encore. Now the chairman has a surprise in store, and when he announces that Mr. Joseph Ball will sing, the enthusiasm reaches a climax, which is capped when our grave and faithful sexton executes, in illustration of the fact that he can't keep still, an airy jig up the platform and down again. With appropriate elocutionary gesture, Miss Gertie McCabe recites "The Polish Boy," and our harrowed feelings are afterwards soothed by a mouth organ duet from Sidney Tivey and Bob Long.

By 9 30 (for we keep good hours in Ashburnham) all is over. A very select crowd remain for the after meeting, and report that the proceeds will total about—

With fun and feast, enjoyment plenty,—
The handsome total of $120.

Beware of Cocaine.

Thos. Heys, Analytical Chemist, Toronto, says:—"I have made an examination of Dr. Chase's Cure for Cocaine and any of its compounds from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is a cure—not a drug. Price 25 cents, blower included.

POULTRY AND DOG FANCIERS.

The Exhibition will be Attended with Great Success.

The Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association held a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting in the council chamber last evening, with President Cockburn in the chair.

Most encouraging reports were submitted, by the secretary of the Poultry and Bench Show departments, of enquiries which had been made by exhibitors who wished to show their stock and the prospects are bright for a very successful exhibition.

On Monday evening the association will send a big deputation to the town council to ask for a grant to assist them. The spokesmen will be Dr. Burnham, Mr. Harry Winch and Mr. John McKee.

A great deal of local interest is being aroused and there will be a large number of entries of both poultry and dogs from the town as well as outside. The merchants have very generously donated a number of special prizes.

Mr. Geo. Gooderham, of Toronto, who recently purchased the fox terrier Veracity in England for $1,500, intends to show a large number of his dogs at the Peterborough show.

Secretary Poole of the Bench Show department received a very encouraging letter from the firm of Hiram P. Walker & Sons, Walkerville, wishing the Association every success in the exhibition and enclosing a cheque for ten dollars. The firm's generosity is fully appreciated by the Association.

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But you may keep a great deal of your money that usually goes to other people, in your own pocket by looking at the Goods and Prices we offer before paying more money for the same thing elsewhere.

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BOOKS—100 different Authors handsomely bound in Cloth, regular 40c. for 22
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West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m, sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. — *G. M. ROGER,* Sec. W.P.R.A.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

... OF THE ...

Peterborough Curling and Skating Rink Company

Will be held in the rooms of the Company at the Curling and Skating Rink, Charlotte Street, on

FRIDAY, Dec. 3rd, 1897,

at 8 o'clock p.m. for the transaction of business connected with affairs of the said company.

JOHN CRANE,
TREASURER.

FOR

BRONCHITIS,
WHOOPING COUGH,
SORE THROAT,
COUGHS,
COLDS,
HOARSNESS,
Or any Bronchial or Throat Irritation,

J. D. TULLY'S, COUGH REMEDIES

Are Unexcelled.

Corner George and Hunter Streets, West Side.

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CHINA HALL has received direct from Japan, a very large shipment of Japanese Goods, in new and beautiful designs. The assortment consists of

Tea Sets, Tete-a-Tete Sets, Tea Pots, Hot Water Kettles, Flower and Fern Pots, Trays, Bread and Butter Plates, 5 o'clock Cups and Saucers, Tea Cups and Saucers, Bon Bons, Chocolate Pots, Vases, Jugs, Etc.

The collection is well worth seeing. Everyone is invited. The prices are extremely low.

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417 GEORGE STREET, Dec. 2nd, 1897

$10,000 WORTH

of Christmas Goods to be sold before Dec. 15.

THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE has put the armour on for a great Holiday Time in Christmas Gift getting and Gift selling. Sorry we haven't more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to		From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c	Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Medallions	4 50	25c	Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00	Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Photo Frames	7 00	5c	Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Purses	3 50	5c	Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	60c	Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c	Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c	Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c	Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c	Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c	Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c	Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c	Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c	Games, lower than ever	1 00	5c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c	Picture Books	1 00	2c
			Children's Sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
			Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 00
			Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
			Rocking Horses	3 50	75c

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PRICES HAVE DROPPED SO LOW in all lines of reliable and trustworthy Merchandise that they are now within the reach of the lightest purses, and, of perhaps, the most needy citizens.

TAKE NOTICE PLEASE that purchasers are very numerous these days, so that delay on your part may mean disappointment in this case. In other words if you dally too long you most certainly will miss the BARGAINS WE HAVE FOR YOU.

Our Bargain Tables are loaded down with good goods selling less than half price.

SEE DODGERS FOR PRICE LIST.

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WITH CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S NOT FAR OFF.

The last calendar month of the year 1897 should bring us up the greatest business we have ever known. A good stroke of enterprise has put us in possession of a very large and superior stock of Winter Ready-Made Clothing. This stock is SOMETHING EXTRA—so now is the time to replenish your wardrobe. It consists of **Reliably-Made Heavy Ulsters, Overcoats, Suits and Reefers or Pea Jackets,** for Men, Youths and Boys of all ages and sizes. The manufacturer of these goods was reluctant to hold out any longer for regular prices, and we secured the picked stock at a great sacrifice for ready money. During the month of December we intend that Prices for Reliable Clothing will be THE LOWEST in this or any other Town or City.

OVERCOATS.

$5.00 Tweed Overcoats Reduced to $3.75
$6.00 Tweed Overcoats Reduced to $4.50
$7.00 Tweed Overcoats Reduced to $5.00
$6 50 Beaver Overcoats Reduced to $5.00
$8.00 Beaver Overcoats Reduced to $6.00
$9.00 Beaver Overcoats Reduced to $7.00
$10.00 Beaver Overcoats Reduced to $8.00
$12.00 Dress Overcoats Reduced to $10.00
$15.00 Dress Overcoats Reduced to $12.00

Any shade Black or Blue Beaver Heavy Tweed or Dressy Melton, you desire.

Our Own Make of All Wool Blue Beaver Overcoat, trimmed with Silk Velvet Collar and extra linings, made on our own premises, worth $14 00, for $10.00

ULSTERS!

$5.00 Frieze Ulsters, reduced to $3.75
$5.50 Frieze Ulsters, " " $4.00
$6.00 Frieze Ulsters, " " $4.50
$7.00 Frieze Ulsters, " " $5.00
$8.00 Frieze Ulsters, " " $5.75

Any shade of Brown or Grey Frieze you like.

HEAVY TWEED ULSTERS at Similar Reduced Prices.

ORDERED TAILORING

During December all orders for Winter Overcoats and Suits for Men or Boys will be made up at Prices to correspond with the Reductions all over the Store.—Equal to from 20 to 30 per cent less than usual prices.

Our Stock of Imported and Canadian Cloths is well known to be the largest in town. You can't go wrong in making selections here for any style of Garment desired.

All Wool Tweed Suits, to order for . $ 13 00
Fine Scotch Tweed Suits for 15 00
English and French Worsted Suits. $16, $18 and 20 00
Stylish, Extra Trimmed and Lined . . 16 00
Black and Blue Beaver Overcoats 15 00
Our $16.00 and $18.00 Fine Beaver Overcoats, are equally as good as City Tailors charge $20 and $22 for.

Ask to see our Irish Frieze, Cheviot, Melton and Nap Overcoatings.

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City Clothing Store, George St., Peterborough.

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Your boy deserves a new Suit or an Ulster or Pea Jacket. Let it be one of LeBRUN'S. They are durable, well made and good fitting. Extra value in every one of them. We are always glad to have mothers and fathers call in and judge for themselves. The town is full of boys wearing our Clothing.

BOYS' SUITS in Serge and Tweed, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $1.98, $2 50, and $3.00.

YOUNG MEN'S NOBBY LONG PANT SUITS in pure All Wool Cloths, well lined for winter wear and fashionably cut—$4, $4 50, $5, $6, $7, $8 and $9.

CHILDREN'S SUITS—For ages 3 to 8, in Blouse, Reefer and other styles, for less than mothers can make them without counting the cost of material.

BOYS' REEFERS or PEA JACKETS—in Frieze and Nap, warm and comfortable for School and Sunday wear.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1897.

SPECIAL SERVICES

In the Mark Street Church are Very Successful.

A good meeting was held on Thursday evening. The attendance was good in spite of the other attractions. The meeting was one of the most successful, if not the best, since the special series began.

Several came to the altar seeking salvation.

The meetings will probably close to-night, when there will be a reception of new members. Everyone is welcome and invited. Song service at 7.30; service proper at 8.

CONDENSED COMMENTS.

From the Press of two Continents.

Only one in ten thousand is a success. There is but one Jessie Alexander.—Kit, in the Mail.

She is a perfect mistress of the art of elocution.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

The Strongest drawing card in Canada to-day.—Globe.

We know of no one who can at all compare with her.—Montreal Star.

The spacious Auditorium was crowded to its utmost capacity.—New York Tribune.

Equally at home with the brogue of old Ireland, the twang of the Cockney, and the doric of the Scot.—Ladies' Pictorial, London, Eng.

Easily stands at the head of her chosen profession.—Stratford Beacon.

With Mr. Douglas Bird, tenor, and a grand chorus of fifty voices in some fine secular choruses, the concert in the Opera House on Thursday next promises to be a great treat. The subscription list is now at Sallsbury's bookstore and those who wish to get first choice of seats at the opening of the plan next Monday morning will do well to record their names without delay, as the audience bids fair to be a large one. 1d

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

Julius, Philosopher and Emperor . . . . . *Gardner*
R E Lee and the Southern Confederacy . . . . . *White*
Lochinvar . . . . . *Crockett*
The Great Stone of Sardis . . . . . *Stockton*
The Wheel of Chance . . . . . *Wells*
Our Jeames . . . . . *Henderson*
The Potter's Wheel . . . . . *Ian McLaren*
The Gods Arrive . . . . . *Holdsworth*
Perpetua . . . . . *Baring-Gould*
The Sprightly Romance of Marsac . . . . *Russell*

Prepared For Accidents.

It is always well to be prepared for accidents for we don't know when they will happen. Everyone should keep "Quick-cure" at hand. In cases of burns, scalds, cuts, toothache, or any pain, it gives instant relief, and cures more quickly than any other preparation on the market.

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For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE RING.

Since "Buffalo" Costello's advent in Peterborough great interest has been aroused in the manly art of scientific self-defence and the Opera House will doubtless be crowded on Monday evening when Costello, himself, gives an exhibition with Mr. Jim Graham and a number of other contests will take place amongst those of younger blood. An exhibition will be given in Lindsay on Wednesday next.

HOCKEY.

Messrs. H. R. H. Kenner and W. A. Buchanan left this afternoon for Toronto to attend the annual meeting of the O. H. A. to-morrow.

The annual meeting of the Midland Hockey League was held in Bowmanville on Wednesday, Dec. 1st. President Henderson of Whitby occupied the chair. The following accredited delegates were present: Whitby, Messrs. Warren and Henderson; Port Hope, Messrs. Day and Renwick; Cobourg, Messrs. Hayden and Roberts; Bowmanville, Messrs. Kent and Furse; Oshawa, Messrs. Pedlar and Thompson.

Mr. Warren on behalf of the Whitby Club, asked for re-admission into the League, which was unanimously granted.

The following amendments were made in the constitution:

The clause re time of meeting was made to read, "meeting to be held on the Wednesday preceding the O.H.A. meeting."

The clause re refereeing was made to read, "Each club in the league shall nominate an official referee. The two teams must mutually agree on any one of the official referees. Should the two teams not be able to agree, the home team must notify the President 48 hours before the game, when he will appoint a referee, who however, must not be from either of the towns of the contending teams. The home team will pay all the expenses of the referee.

A clause was added to the constitution viz: "Any club playing a ringer shall forfeit any and all games won, in which said ringer is played. The club must prove the innocence of any of their players so accused.

A ringer is one who has not resided in the town thirty days immediately previous to the game. One who has played with another team in any league within thirty days.

Treasurer Kents's report showed a balance on hand of $8.52. The report was received and adopted.

Mr. Day brought up the matter of the Bowmanville rink, and moved, seconded by Mr. Roberts, that the executive notify the Bowmanville club that unless their rink be altered to suit the Executive, that their membership in the league be cancelled and that their fees be returned—Carried.

Mr. Thomson, of Oshawa, moved, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that the executive notify the Port Hope club that their rink must be altered or else their membership ceases.—Carried.

Election of officers resulted as follows: President—Mr. Roberts, Cobourg.

First Vice-President—Mr. Thomson, Oshawa.

Second Vice-President—Mr. Renwick, Port Hope.

Secretary—Mr. Henderson, Whitby.

Treasurer—Mr. Furse, Bowmanville.

The Cobourg hockey club has organized for the season and elected the following officers:

President—Dr. Hayden.
Vice-Pres.—C. McCallum, jr.
Manager—A. B. Roberts.
Sec.-Treas.—A. Burkell.

Managing Committee consists of President, Vice-President, Manager, also Messrs. R. Pratt and R. Buck.

Dr. Hayden and Mr. Roberts were also appointed delegates to the meeting of the Midland Hockey League, which meets December 1st in Bowmanville.

Professionalism will be frowned down by the Ontario Hockey Association, says the Globe. Last season players shifted from one town or other practically as they liked, and except in one case, that of Berlin, no effort was made to put a stop to the practice. Of late items to the effect that players in the east have been in receipt of offers from O. H. A. clubs have been flying around, and although nothing has come to as yet, before the season opens there is likely to be some sensational developments. Football received some pretty hard raps this year, and the executive meetings of the O. R. F. U. were mainly devoted to discussing the various phases of the professional question. It was comparatively easy to separate the wheat from the chaff footballically speaking, owing to the limited number of clubs, but it is different when the puckchasers are under consideration. Nearly every village, town and city in the Province has one or more teams, not all of course in the O.H.A., but in that association there are over 65 clubs, and to weed out the professionals would be a task that would even puzzle Father "Bill" Curtis. But the O.H.A. is going to make a determined effort to eliminate the black sheep, and the clubs that are playing other men than home talent will find themselves in decidedly unenviable positions before the season is over. At the annual meeting the following amendment to regulation 4 will be submitted:—"When the status of any individual is questioned the burden of proving his innocence shall rest with the accused, inasmuch as the real and true facts of the case must lie within his own personal knowledge and consequently he should be in a position, if unjustly accused or suspected, to prove his innocence to the satisfaction of the executive."

"To prevent frivolous and groundless charges of this nature the executive must be convinced that there is good and sufficient cause to question the status of an individual and may insist that all such charges be made upon affidavit."

Josh Billings Said

Next to a clear conscience for solid comfort give me an old shoe. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor removes the worst corns in twenty-four hours. Putnam's is the only sure, safe and painless corn extractor.

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COLD WEATHER LORE.

Weather prophets of a bygone day turned old-standing prognostications—which had in many instances been verified—to good account. Thus:

Many haws,
Many snaws,
Many sloes,
Many cold toes.

"If the old oak bears much mast (acorns), it foreshowe a long and hard winter."

Ice and cold in November predict warm weather about Christmas. Hence the proverb, "If the ice bears a man before Christmas, it will not bear a mouse after." And again:

If there is ice in November that will bear a duck,
There'll be nothing after but slush and muck,

And still further:

If ducks do slide at Hollantide,
At Christmas they will swim;
If ducks at Hollantide do swim,
At Christmas they will slide—

Hollantide meaning Hallowe'en, or All Saints' Eve, Oct. 31st.

In the north of England there is a curious rhyme descriptive of the value of rain in the latter part of the year:

'Tween Martinmas and Yule,
Water's wine in every pool.

Thunder in December prognosticates fine weather. In some parts there is an old adage:

—Winter thunder
Rich man's food and poor man's hunger.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	15° above zero	
Yesterday	26°	—1°

During the winter months, and until warm weather returns again, the temperature at 7 a.m. will be given instead of at 1 p.m., as has heretofore been furnished to EXAMINER readers.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

See our Men's heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants at 69c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50. Grafton & Co.

A Midnight Episode.

On Sunday morning last, about 2 a.m., a farmer living a little over a mile out of Lakefield, was awakened by a noise in the house. Thinking it was burglars he awakened the household and a trip was made downstairs to investigate matters. On arriving at the kitchen they were surprised to see a man and woman enter, who informed them that their horse had left the road and they had been thrown out of their rig. In confirmation of their story the woman had two severe cuts on her head. The farmer gave them accommodation for the remainder of the night and then went out to the road, where the horse and rig were found between two stumps. After some difficulty they were extricated from the uncomfortable position and the horse placed in the barn. The couple's story was that they were from Peterborough, and were driving to Lakefield when the accident occurred. The couple left for Peterborough early that day seemingly none the worse for their adventure. The funny thing about it was that though the couple said they were going to Lakefield the horse's head was turned towards Peterborough. On leaving the farmer advised the gentleman to hang on to the lines in future instead of letting them hang over the dashboard.—Lakefield News.

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Toronto via Lindsay . . . . . Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East . . . . . Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave . . . . . 8.20 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive . . . . . 8.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield . . . . . 8.25 a. m., 1.45 p m
Arrive from Lakefield . . . . . 9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

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1 lb Fine Raisins 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb shelled Walnuts	.25
1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Case Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 12c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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Catchy Presents For Christmas in Gold and Silver mounted PIPES at Wholesale prices.

Fragrant Domestic and Imported Cigars, at the price of the Goods laid down in Peterborough. English Case Pipes in Meerschaum and Briar, just the thing for a Present for a gentlemen, at HALE PRICE. And a grand selection of Walking Canes, Gold and Silver Mounted, at Prices that are Surprisingly Low.

Hundreds of Splendid Holiday Presents during this sale at about Half Price.

Holiday buyers come early—buy quick, and get first pick of the Fine Stock at TALBOT BROS., December Clearing Sale.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 2.

FLOUR—The market is fairly active, with prices steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $4, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.30 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The movement continues large, and prices to-day were steady. Red winter was sold west at 83c, high freights, and white is quoted at 75c to 78c by sample. No. 2 spring is quoted at 80c to 81c on Midland, and goose at 76c to 77c. No. 1 Manitoba hard quoted at 93c Fort William, and it offers at 98c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is firm, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is easier, with offerings of white at 24c west and sales at 23c to 23½c. White sold at 22c to 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is firmer, with sales at 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, at 45c middle, and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9¼c to 9½c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Lambskins, 90c to $1.

WOOL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 21c to 22c, and extras at 23c to 24c.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7½c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8½c to 9½c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard, firm, at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 60c per bag, on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 12c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 9c per lb.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 1.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; No. 1. Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 6d; do., light, 33s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 0d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady: futures quiet at 7s 5¼d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., 7s 5¾d for March and 7s 5d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 2¾d for Dec., 3s 1½d for Jan. and Feb. and 3s 2d for March. Flour 25s 0d.

London—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. English country markets partially dearer. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Wheat 20f 55c for Jan. Flour 62f 50c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 7s 6¾d for Dec., 7s 6¾d for March and 7s 5½d for May. Maize steady at 3s 3½d for Dec., 3s 2¾d for Jan. and 3s 2⅝d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage easy.

Long-Timed Public Servants.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 2.—John Kelly has been superannuated at $1050 per year, after 45 years' service in the postoffice. The superannuation was made at his own request.

The time of service of Sergt. Hamilton of A Battery expired last week, but his re-engagement has been granted by the Minister of Militia as a special case. The sergeant, though only 44 years of age, has spent 27 years in Her Majesty's service.

They Got Off Lightly.

Lindsay, Ont., Dec. 2.—Matthew and Thomas Thompson, whose trial for the killing of W. S. Sawyer, at Maple Lake, Stanhope Township, early in September, took place here yesterday, were sentenced to 18 months each in the Central Prison. Manslaughter was the verdict.

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A DAY IN THE QUEEN CITY.

Many Interesting Topics Made the Subjects of Brief Paragraphs—Convention Grand Division S. of T.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—The Grand Division Sons of Temperance of Ontario commenced their forty-ninth annual session yesterday afternoon, in Temperance Hall, the number of the delegates present being somewhat over 200, representing 3630—an increase of 558 members since last meeting.

The funeral of the late Patrick J. Courtney, who was engineer on the train whose crew were suffocated on Sunday evening by gas in the St. Clair tunnel, took place yesterday from 84 Bathurst street to St. Michael's Cemetery. Vicar-General McCann sang the requiem high mass at St. Mary's church previous to the departure for the cemetery. There was a large crowd present besides representatives from all branches of the railway service.

John F. Clifford, the Markham man charged with forging the name of John Hilts to a cheque for the sum of $58, was sentenced yesterday by Judge McDougall to six months in the Central Prison.

A cable to The Telegram from London says: Oarsman Towns has announced that he will not accept the challenge of Eddie Durnan, the Toronto oarsman.

The imports for November show a decidedly large increase, but exports show a decrease for the same month.

Ald. Beale, while mixing with the common people paying water rates yesterday, was relieved of his valuable gold watch by a pickpocket.

Ald. Preston, Librarian of the Province of Ontario, will be, it is now definitely announced, a candidate for the mayoralty.

William German, M.P.P., who defended Mrs. Sternaman at Cayuga, yesterday applied to Deputy Attorney-General Cartwright for a hearing of his application for a new trial for his client, based on the reserve case granted by Chief Justice Armour on the question of admitting the evidence as to the death of her first husband.

In the case of Frederick J. Doherty, a medical student, charged in the Police Court with impersonating Fred. J. Raynor, a dental student at Trinity University in June, 1896, the later broke down yesterday in giving his evidence and admitted that Doherty had written for him at the examination and had received the $95 fee. Doherty will probably be committed for trial on Friday, the delay being at the request of his counsel. He was admitted to bail.

Clergyman Charged With Shoplifting.

Toronto, Dec. 2.—A Church of England clergyman from Thornhill was arraigned in yesterday's Police Court on a charge of shop lifting at the T. Eaton Co.'s store on Tuesday afternoon. The gentleman of the cloth is Rev. W. W. Bates. He is alleged to have stolen two dozen lead pencils, four books, a package of crayons, a hair brush, a bottle of liquid glue and other small articles. The prisoner is an elderly man, and is said to be one of the most scholarly men in the church. He is a graduate of Cambridge. He was admitted to bail, His Lordship Bishop Sweatman, becoming bondsman in the sum of $1000.

CENTRE TORONTO.

The Montreal Witness, Quoted Eagerly By the Conservative Press, on the Big Bertram Victory.

Montreal, Dec. 2.—Contracts have been given for the cutting of 500,000,000 feet of lumber in the northern part of this province during the coming winter.

Result in Centre Toronto.

The Witness, whose attack upon Mr. Bertram was given such prominence in Toronto Conservative papers, says that the result cannot but be regarded as on the whole very favorable to the Laurier Government, and adds:—"Yesterday's victory for the Liberals is a bigger and a more decisive one than is indicated merely by the majority. In the first place, there can be no doubt that even in Conservative strongholds Sir Wilfrid Laurier's name disarms opposition to a degree hitherto unknown in Canada. It was apparently hardly less popular, and therefore little less effective in creating enthusiasm, in Toronto than in Yamaska. The Government has on the whole deserved well of the people of Canada."

Education of English Catholics.

Rev. Father Quinlivan and other representative Irish Catholic citizens of Montreal, not being satisfied with the education received by English-speaking Catholic children here, are moving in the matter of an English Catholic High School. The apathy of the Catholic School Board, the majority of which is French, will now be overcome, as substantial help is promised, and the English-speaking Catholics hope to have in the near future a well-equipped High School of their own.

Archbishop Bruchesi's Programme.

The following are the details of Mgr. Bruchesi's movements: From the South of Spain, His Grace will return to Paris on Dec. 15, and will accompany the Pilgrimage of the Fathers of L'Assomption to Jerusalem and the Holy Land. He will sail from France on the steamer La Neid du Salit, which has been specially chartered for the trip. On Christmas Day His Grace will officiate pontifically in the Temple of the Child Jesus at Bethelehem. He will return to Rome about Jan. 5, and will come home about March.

Mr. Egan is on Business.

It is now stated that Mr. Patrick Egan, ex-Minister to Chili, who is engaged in a very lucrative grain shipping business in Chicago, and who is now in Montreal, has come here to see what facilities the Canadian railways offer for quick shipment to Portland, St. John and other ocean ports served by the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railways. It appears that the Vanderbilts and Armours of Chicago have engaged in advance all the space in most of the steamers going out of New York during the coming winter, consequently a great many other leading shippers of the west, finding themselves entirely shut out of the possibility of exporting by New York, have turned their eyes towards Canada.

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A NEW B. C. RAILWAY.

C. P. R. and Heinze People Could Not Agree and the Big Road is Pledged to Put a Road Into Rossland.

Quebec, Dec. 2.—Mr. Heinze and the Canadian Pacific have failed to come to terms, and yesterday Sir William Van Horne made the following statement: "It is absolutely necessary that we should reach Rossland with a line of our own, and we are under pledge to Rossland to do so. We would have preferred the purchase of the Trail Creek Road, which could have been adapted to our purposes by a considerable expenditure, but we could not come to terms, and we are now obliged to go on with our own work."

An Infant in a Valise.

A purser of one of the boats heard the cry of an infant where no infant was in sight, and on investigation discovered the child in a valise on one of the benches. It was very weak and was almost suffocated. Inquiry revealed a man of about 40 who stepped forward and stated that its mother, who resides at St. Thomas, had given him the child to place in the Sacred Heart Hospital. After telling his story, and when the child was placed safely in the hands of the nuns, he was released from custody.

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ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

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"In four voyages to the East Indies, two of them to Malay ports, I have seen but one instance of that native performance called running amuck. Fortunately I saw it from a position of perfect safety, but the sight was enough to make me steer clear of all Malays afterward and any vessel that has them on board," said Erdix Deering, who as boy and man sailed many seas in deep water ships. "It was in 1865, when I was a boy, on my first voyage, on the ship Harry Warren, which sailed from Boston to India with a cargo of ice. We were lying at anchor in the roads off Madras, unloading our middle deck cargo into lighters, and 100 vessels of all nations were anchored about us, discharging or taking on board their cargoes. The ship nearest us, about two cable lengths away, was the British ship Mahratta, which had come from Singapore in ballast with a crew of Malay lascars. It was one day at noon that, as our crew lay round under the awning in the forecastle waiting for the order to turn to, one of the sailors sitting on the capstan sung out:

"'Hi, mates, just look over to the lime jnicer! They're having some kind of a rumpus there. See 'em going. I believe it's one of those Malays running amuck.'

"We all jumped to our feet and looked at the Mahratta, and some of us ran up into the rigging to get a better view. From the topsail yard I could see all that was going on on the deck of the British ship. Amidships a lascar, naked to the waist, was slashing and stabbing at a European officer who had tried to grapple with him, while everybody else in sight on the ship was running fore or aft or taking to the rigging. On the quarter deck the captain was hurrying two ladies down the companionway into the cabin, supporting in his arms one of them who had fainted. As the officer fell lifeless to the deck the Malay bounded past him, following three sailors who had run aft, along the port gangway, upon the poop. As he ran he swung before him a long, slender knife, its crooked blade curving in and out like the writhings of a snake. He overtook the rearmost man on the poop and cut and stabbed him, as he had done with the officer, until the man fell. Meantime the second man leaped overboard, preferring to take his chances with the sharks and water serpents to remaining on board, and the third man ran across the quarter deck and up into the mizzen rigging like a cat. The man in the water swam for our ship, and some natives in a lighter picked him up ahead of the sharks.

"The Malay left the man he had killed and looked around as if for fresh victims, but he himself was the only living person in view on the decks. He ran fore and aft, searching, but found no one, and he tried the cabin door, but it was closed fast. Then he went to the mizzen rigging and started up the rat-lines after the man who had taken refuge there. When the Malay had got as far as the mizzen top, the man he was after took to the topgallant fore and aft stay and began to go down it hand over hand toward the mainmast. The Malay kept on up to the topgallant crosstrees and began to follow the man down the stay.

"There was something frightful in the relentlessness of his pursuit. He had got about ten feet down the stay when the captain appeared on the poop with a revolver and began firing at him. One, two, three shots he fired, and the Malay kept on down the stay. He was two-thirds of the way to the foot when at the fourth shot the arm that held the creese fell helpless by his side, though his hand still clutched the weapon. He clung to the stay by one hand and his feet and kept on down it almost as fast as before. A fifth and sixth shot, and at the last the Malay stopped still, then fell like a lump of putty to the deck, full 40 feet below. Whether he was dead when he struck the deck I do not know, but the mate, who must have been watching from his room, ran out from the cabin to where the Malay was with a handspike and made sure work of the fellow before he could rise. Then the lascars came running from the forecastle and down the rigging, and with capstan bars, belaying pins and knives struck and thrust at the dead Malay until if he had had a dozen lives in him they would have been hammered out of his body before the officers could restrain the excited sailors.

"Our captain got the full story of the affair from the captain of the Mahratta the next day. The Malay had been brooding and sullen for days before, though no one knew what his grievance was. On this day as the men were piped to dinner he had gone into the forecastle, got the creese from some place where he had it concealed and had furiously attacked his mates without a word. They raised the cry 'Amuck, amuck!' and scattered, but not until three of them had been killed or mortally wounded and two more of them seriously cut by the creese. Running forward, he had encountered the second mate, and the rest of the affair I saw. Five men dead and two badly hurt by the Malay and himself killed at the end was the record of ten minutes' business in running amuck. Malays in mine after this? No, thank you."—New York Sun.

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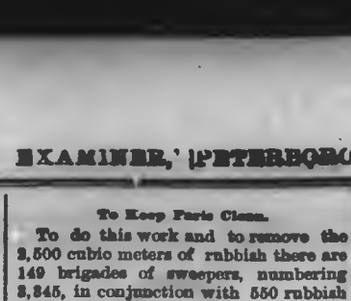
An Instance.

"Mere knowledge," said the proxy man, "is of little value."

"Now you hit it that time," said the listening young man with much earnestness. "I know what are exactly the correct things in clothes, but I ain't able to buy 'em."—Cincinnati Enquirer.



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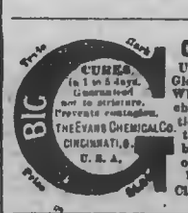

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PURSUANT TO A POWER OF SALE contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Premises, corner of Reid and Hunter Streets, in the Town of Peterborough, on

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1897, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following desirable properties.

(1) North half of Lot 16, and part of North half of Lot 17, West of George street and South of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 100 feet 9 inches frontage more or less on Reid street, with depth of 131 feet 9 inches, more or less on Hunter street, with a well built two story Brick House, with brick and a half hollow walls. This is a desirable residence and most conveniently situated at the corner of Reid and Hunter streets, near St. Peter's Cathedral; Wood furnace, mantels and grates in two rooms, and hard wood floors.

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ORMONDE CHEESE MEETING.

A very successful meeting of the patrons of the Ormonde Cheese Factory was held in the Foresters Hall, Hastings, on Saturday last.

The report of the secretary showed a most successful year's business. One hundred patrons sent nearly 626 standards of milk, making 206.641 pounds of cheese, which brought $18,505.26 in the market, an average of 9 cents per pound. It took 10.53 pounds of milk to 1 pound of cheese for the season and the standard cow made $21.40 clear of all expenses.

The patrons were all pleased with the season's business and re-elected the officers viz: President and salesman, John Coughlan; secretary, James O'Reilly; treasurer, J. J. English; Directors, Messrs. John Pickens, Robert Scott, M. Elmhirst, Joseph Carter, Duncan Fife and Dennis McFadden.

The auditors are Messrs. Douglas, Kingsbury and Wm. Fleming.

STONY LAKE CHEESE FACTORY.

At the general meeting of the Stony Lake Dairy Company, held at the factory on the 27th ult., after the patrons had been settled with for the season's make, all were well satisfied with the profits of the season and the return of cheese for the quantity of milk each had put in, taking only 10 and 72-100 lbs. of milk for 1 lb. of cheese for the season, each shareholder receiving $1.72 as dividend on each share. That put a smile on the faces of all.

The meeting was called to order by the President and the financial report of the directors was read by the secretary.

It was moved by James Miles, seconded by J. A. Robb, that the financial statement of the directors be received and adopted, which was carried unanimously.

William Miles was then elected as salesman for the ensuing year. John A. Robb was elected shipper.

Mr. George Grant resigned his office as director on account of ill-health. A ballot was taken for a director to fill Mr. Grant's place, which resulted in the election of Mr. William Puffer.

Mr. James Robb, who has been secretary for the company ever since it was organized, then resigned the secretaryship. The directors appointed Mr. James Miles secretary.

Before adjourning it was moved and seconded that James Robb receive a standing vote of thanks for the very satisfactory way he has acted as secretary for the company for the past four years.

Mr. Robb thanked the company for their appreciation of his services.

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Humanity has been afflicted with Dyspepsia, Indigestion and other stomach diseases since the world began. But, until lately, there were no Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets to cure these complaints.

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Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—each box containing a full double treatment, can be procured at all drug stores, or will be sent to any address, on receipt of the price, 50 cents a box, by the Dodd's Medicine Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Orr Murder Trial.

Berlin, Ont., Dec. 2.—In the libel case against the Stratford Beacon for $2000 a verdict was given for the paper. The Orr murder case is slated for the first thing this morning.

Another Coal Monopoly.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 2.—A combination of coal interests in the Monongahela River has been effected, with a capitalization of $11,000,000. The object is to reduce expenses.

Inconsiderate Thorn Won't Suicide.

New York, Dec. 2.—Thorn will be sentenced on Friday morning. To-day he said: "You needn't trouble yourself about me trying to commit suicide." He continued, "I am not going to do anything to save the country or the state the expense of killing me. I'll make the state pay for its trouble. That's what I mean."

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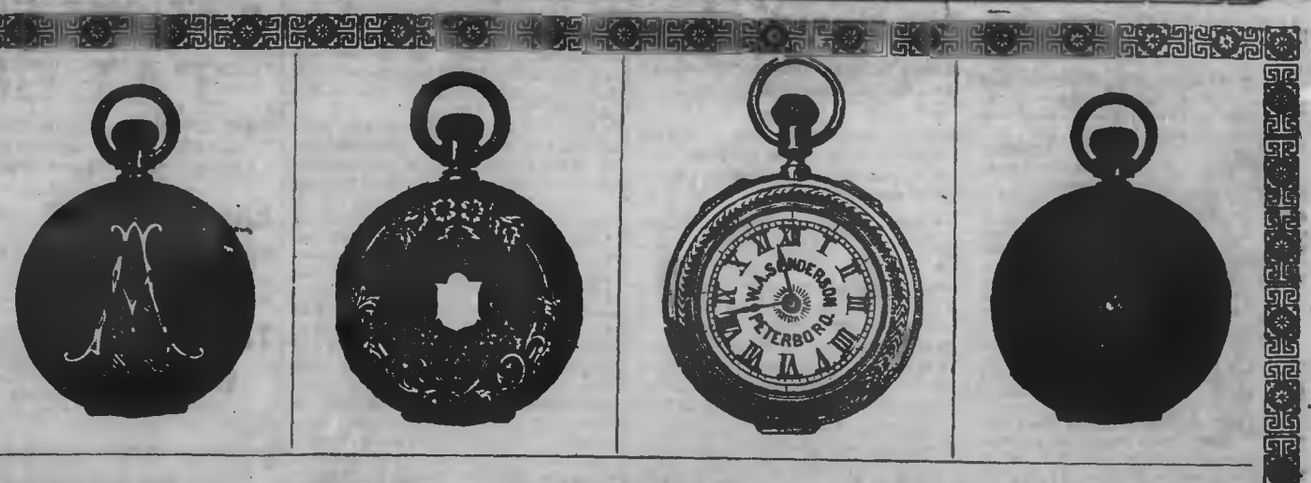

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Prices uniformly low. Keep your eye on **SANDERSON'S.**

THE KURRAN COLUMN.

Heavy Fighting on the Indian Frontier—Burned Thirty Villages—One Officer Killed and Two Wounded.

Simla, Dec. 3.—Official despatches from the front say that the Kurran column of the British punitive force has met with fierce resistance on its march into the Chamkanni country. The fighting has been heavy. Lieut, Battye was killed, Lieut. Villiers Stuart was severely wounded. Two Sepoys were killed and 14 wounded. The Kurran column had burned thirty villages of the tribesmen.

CURRENT CABLES.

Bismarck has issued a manifesto against American aggression.

The Carlists are agitating in Spain, and are assisted by some of the clergy.

Mr. Rose has retired from the firm of Morton, Rose & Co., bankers, London.

The Pope yesterday received in audience the Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Emard, Bishop of Valleyfield, Que.

Even with the new Cabinet the Austrian Chamber is not able to do business, and dissolution is talked of.

Rioting has been resumed at Prague, and seven battalions of infantry and two squadrons of cavalry are patrolling the town.

The German first-class cruiser Duetschland has been sent to Kiao-Chou Bay, with a crew and marine equipment of 698 men all told.

The Cuban insurgents are again showing dangerous activity. They are said to have captured the village of Guisa, killed the Spanish commander, General Pendo, and looted the stores.

The Emperor of China declares that he would rather forfeit his crown than agree to the conditions demanded by Germany, and he asks for arbitration in the difficulty.

Fierce storms have broken out again on the British coasts, and the Margate lifeboat crew of 14 was upset and drowned off Nayland Rock.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

Doan's Kidney Pills are the ones that cure. Remember the name, DOAN'S.

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"I was troubled with a very bad headache last winter and decided to give Laxa-Liver Pill a fair trial. One box of them cured me and I have not had a headache since. They are a long way ahead of any other remedy I ever tried."

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The latest styles in Walking Hats and Sailors just opened up to-day. Also a lovely assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We have a number of Pattern Hats and Bonnets which will be sold much below the regular price.

Ladies desiring the very latest Novelties should call and make selections.

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As though our chief aim and mission was to make it easier for people to have and to give FURS. No matter whether the Fur need is a simple scarf or an elegant Fur Wrap, it is safely met here, because we know the Fur business thoroughly and turn our knowledge to mutually helpful account.

Curious that the first snappy weather should come just as we drop the price on some of the most needed Fur Goods for our cold winter days. Women who have need of a new Fur Cape are to be congratulated on such good fortune as this:—

—27 inch Long Black Coney Cape, full ripple style, lined with good quilted Black Satin, extra high storm collar..... $12.00
—A few shorter lengths, same make and style as above..... 10.00
—30 inch long, 120 inch sweep, same as above..... 15.00
—We have also a number of 18 inch, 20 inch and 22 inch Capes, made of Opossum, Electric Seal, Greenland Seal, Sable Opossum and several other Furs which we will sell off ⅓ off former price.....$5.00 to 12.00

The men have not been forgotten in this special season. See these:—

—A few Men's Coon and Black Dog Coats, left over from last season, were sold then for $15.00 and $18.00, will clear at..... $10.00
—Good Coon Coats, of fine quality, this year's home make, $25.00, $30.00 and..... 35.00
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—Robes of Grey Goat, Black Goat, Saskatchewan Buffalo and Yak, from $5.00 to $8.00, large sizes.

It does not often happen that one can save a fourth from usual prices in buying fine Matassani Buffalo Robes and Coats—but its doubly interesting when the opportunity arrives—and the Robes and Coats made of the far famed Matassani skins—the cross between the cattle and the buffalo. A Fur dealer got in a hurry for money and gave us a coaxing price on some $15.00 and $12.00 oil dressed Matassani skins together with a lot of Calf skins of the same kind. They're here, 125 of them, and we have lined the larger of them for Robes and the calfs made into Coats. It's worth while coming early to get one at ⅓ off price:—

Extra large Robes, lined and trimmed, worth $15.00, now..... 12.00
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The Prisoner Found Guilty of Poisoning His Wife—The Condemned Man a Wreck—His Damaging Admissions at the Inquest—Able Arguments by Counsel —Appeal.

Bracebridge, Dec. 4.—William J. Hammond was brought into court yesterday at 8.30, and had the appearance of having spent a long, weary night. His condition was pitiful to behold, and as the jury filed into the box the prisoner cast wistful glances.

Mr. Johnston began his address with a touching appeal to the sympathy of the jury. He said: I stand here alone fighting for a life. I have had to contend against all the machinery for the administration of justice which the wealth of the province could command. Every corner in Canada and the United States has been raked to give evidence to convict this young man. When witnesses have met together time and again to talk their evidence over, you may expect that it will tell in favor of the Crown.

Mr. Johnston reminded the jury that the defence had put in no evidence. He had no occasion to do so. They had taken the enemy's camp for their shelter. The Crown had not proven that the prisoner was guilty.

Commenting upon prisoner's admissions at the coroner's inquest, Mr. Johnston said the Crown asked that some of the statements be believed and others disbelieved. The jury could not do this. They must believe all the prisoner had said or nothing.

Mr. Johnston closed a bright and effective address at 11.40 a.m., having spoken for three hours and ten minutes. His closing

WILLIAM JAMES HAMMOND.

words were uttered in a faltering voice: "Gentlemen, I am hoping, waiting, praying for a life. Give me that life, and when you have passed the border land the first to give you a greeting will be the sainted mother of this innocent young man."

Mr. Osler immediately began his address to the jury. It was a plain statement of the facts, and an appeal for a verdict in accordance with the evidence and with justice. He reviewed the evidence in detail, setting forth the telling points clearly and effectively.

The judge began his charge at 2 o'clock, and at 3 o'clock the case was given to the jury, who retired to consider their verdict.

As soon as the jurors gave their verdict of guilty Mr. Johnston renewed his application for a reserve case on the ground of the admission of the prisoner's evidence, contained in the coroner's deposition. If the Divisonal Court adheres to the decision given in the Queen v. Williams, the application, it would appear, must fail to bring any relief to the prisoner.

At 3 o'clock Crown Attorney Osler moved that the sentence of the court be pronounced on the prisoner Hammond.

His Lordship asked the prisoner if he had anything to say why the sentence of the court should not be pronounced against him.

Prisoner, in a clear voice, said: "Yes, my Lord; I have. In the first place I am innocent. In the next place I blame my own indiscretion and state of health which led me to give information my enemies have used against me. That is all."

The Judge then said: "William James Hammond, you have been found guilty of the indictable offence charged against you, and the sentence of this court is that you be taken to the place from whence you came, and there be kept until the 18th day of February, now next ensuing, then to be hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may the Lord have mercy on your soul."

The prisoner took the sentence without showing any signs of emotion, and walked out of the court room with as firm a step as he had entered it at any time since the trial has started. His face had a defiant expression, as he glanced back at the audience while passing down the aisle in charge of an officer. Prisoner's father did not return to the court room after the verdict was announced.

Mr. Johnston, Q.C., will appeal the case, if necessary, going to the Supreme Court on a question of law.

The jury in the Mackenzie manslaughter case, after being out over three hours, returned to the court room, when the foreman announced a verdict of not guilty.

The business of the court is practically over. The judge left last night, but the court was not formally closed until this morning.

ALLISON TO BE HANGED.

Found Guilty of Murdering Mrs. Orr—He is to Suffer For the Crime on Feb. 4.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—The second day of the Allison murder trial was ushered in with fine, wintry weather. Court opened promptly at 9.30.

The prisoner Allison was bright and smiling when he was brought into court. He evidently slept well last night by his appearance.

The first to give evidence was William Dixon, operator at the G. T. R. station, Great Western division, in Galt. He said the excursion train, upon which several witnesses based their time, arrived at Galt at 7.30 on the morning of Aug. 9, the day Mrs. Orr was murdered. The regular train reached Galt about 11.25.

Frank B. Stuart, operator at the Berlin branch, G. T. R. station, at Galt, said that the first train left Galt for Berlin at 7.50 on the fatal morning. It would reach Blair, the nearest station to Anthony Orr's farm about 8. The witness said he would judge that.

The C. P. R. station operator, John Brandon, said the regular C. P. R. train scheduled to leave Galt for the west at 8.35 was on time on the morning of Aug. 9. The train from London arrived at 10 o'clock sharply on time.

There was a sensation in court when Mr. O'Connor here said: "I'll call Trevellyan." He told of the arrest of himself and Allison by Constable Kay, and of their being warned as to any statement they might make. "I asked Allison if he remembered," said the prisoner, "a few days previously when Mrs. Orr loaded his gun and then hung it up telling him to be very careful of it, and when he acknowledged it I asked him why he had said that Mrs. Orr since then had asked him how to load it when she had loaded it herself a few days before in the presence of both himself and myself. He replied that he had to say something so he said that. Then I asked him how it came that on the morning of the murder he was raking up the chips. At first he would not admit it, but finally he said that it probably looked as if something had been pulled around there. Then again Allison said there was some wet on the chips which looked like water at first but then again it might have looked like blood. Finally I remember Allison identifying Robert Stalker in front of the lock-up as the man with the dark moustache he had met in the lane when he drove the cows to Barrie's on the morning of the murder."

Stalker here stood up in court and Trevellyan identified him as the man. This was all Mr. O'Connor asked, and Mr. Blake took hold of the witness, but he could not shake his story.

Harry Blair, the man who wrote the famous letter to Mrs. Orr, was the next witness to take the stand. Mr. O'Connor said it was not necessary to question him, because he was really not a witness. Mr. Blake elicited this statement from Blair, however: "On the day Mrs. Orr disappeared I went to Anthony Orr's place, and he told me that his people had used his wife so badly at the funeral of his father the day before that he was afraid the poor soul had made away with herself."

Robert Stalker, on the stand, said that he never saw Mrs. Orr in his life. He made a complete statement as to his doings the day of the murder.

Dr. Cameron, who, with Dr. Hawke, both of Galt, made a post mortem examination on the body of the murdered woman, read his report. The woman came to her death by a blow on the back of the head. Dr. Cameron said his opinion was that the stock of the gun produced, and which had been identified as Allison's, was the likely instrument of death. Dr. Hawke of Galt also said the wound on the back of her head killed Mrs. Orr. an! that the gun was the likely weapon used.

Next came Arthur Kinsman, a boy of about 16 or 17, who looks bright and intelligent, and who is serving a term in the county jail for a minor offence. Kinsman said: "I know the prisoner Allison and have been chumming with him quite a bit. I was with him on Sunday, Aug. 8, at Galt, both in the morning and afternoon. We were down at the Queen's Hotel barn in the morning. At 1.30 p. m. I met him again, and was with him till tea time. We went for a swim in the morning. I asked how Mrs. Orr was getting along. His reply indicated that he contemplated an assault upon Mrs. Orr, whose conduct, he alleged, was not above reproach.

"I next met the prisoner in jail. His cell was next to mine. We talked through a hole in the wall, and I asked Allison if he murdered Mrs. Orr, because it looked like it. He told me to keep still when I said this. He told me upon that occasion that the stranger he had met in the lane had told him to hide his gun. Allison said he did so when he got home. Allison then said that next day he met this man in the driving shed. The man told him he had heard that he (Allison) had been opening his mouth, and that he had better stop it."

Upon cross-examination counsel entirely failed to rattle the witness. He said this was the first time he had ever been in jail.

Mr. O'Connor here intimated he rested the Crown's case.

George Barrie, a farmer of 70 years, swore positively that Allison was at his house on the morning of Aug. 9, at 8 o'clock. The milkman came in when Allison was there.

John Barrie, his son, corroborated, but got so angry during cross-examination that it looked as if Mr. O'Connor would himself get hurt.

A lad of about 17, named Stauffer, was with John Barrie in the field the morning of August 9. He corroborated John Barrie's assertions. He admitted to Mr. O'Connor in cross-examination that he had told various parties about seeing Allison going past about 8 o'clock.

Roddy, the milkman, was re-called, and verified his former evidence, that he was at Barrie's at 8, but he could not say why he knew it was 8.

Frank Malcolm of Galt said he met Roddy, the milkman, on the morning of Aug. 9 on the cemetery hill at 8.20. This was after the milkman had been to Barrie's farm. Witness said he was riding a bicycle and he had got off to put on his coat. He then looked at his watch. In the hands of Mr. O'Connor witness was badly rattled.

Court adjourned for luncheon at 1 o'clock.

After addresses of counsel and the judge's charge the case was given to the jury.

The jury, after being out for three hours, returned at 8 p.m. with a verdict of "guilty, with a recommendation to mercy, on account of his youth."

Prisoner was asked if he had anything to say why sentence of court should not be passed upon him. He replied "No."

His Lordship then told him to make good use of his time and make peace with his God, and sentenced Allison to be hanged on Feb. 4, 1898.

Prisoner was apparently unmoved by these terrible words, but his father and other members of the family were visibly affected, especially the father, who went into convulsions and had to be carried out.

HOT FROM THE WIRES.

Snow is reported heavy in the north.

The worst snowstorm in years has been raging at Sioux City, Iowa, for 48 hours. Railway traffic is seriously hampered.

The heirs of Jay Gould are fighting in the Court of Appeals against the appraisement of $78,000,000 on their property

Judge Dartnell of Whitby, who was stricken with paralysis at Orillia, is improving, and his friends hope for his recovery.

An estimate of the lumber cut in Ottawa Valley during the season puts it at 794,000,000 feet, which is somewhat larger than last year.

Dun's Review says: On the whole Canadian business is moving fairly well, though it seems a little restricted by less favorable weather.

P. J. Pettypiece, editor of The Forest Free Press, has been nominated by the Liberals of East Lambton for the coming provincial elections.

David Hunt, 24 years of age, living about three miles from Grand Valley, who was of unsound mind, took a dose of paris green. He died before the doctor arrived there.

President McKinley's mother was still alive at midnight last night, but was unconscious and death was expected momentarily. The President had arrived from Washington.

The Simcoe Public School Board has offered $100 reward for information that will lead to the conviction of the fire-bug who with coal oil attempted to fire the Public School buildings.

Mrs. Louise Villeneuve was tried at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., yesterday for murdering her husband, Felix A. Villeneuve, in the township of Rayside, Algoma, last October. The jury had not reached a verdict last midnight.

Thomas Irwin, of Esea, while returning home from Alliston was struck on the head and rendered insensible. Mr. Irwin's pockets were turned inside out, but the robber got nothing of value. The horse brought the unfortunate man home and medical aid was at once procured.

A Farmer Killed By a Bull.

Hamilton, Dec. 4.—Samuel Jacobs, a prosperous farmer of South Grimsby, was leading a bull, which he had dehorned, previous to killing, into a barn yesterday, when the animal turned on him and gored him to death. The deceased was about 45 years of age and leaves a widow and family.

Brakeman Killed by the Cars.

Rennie, Ont., Dec. 4.—Freeman Wintermute, a brakeman, was run over yesterday while switching cars. His legs were severed close to his body, and he died in 20 minutes. The deceased was a married man and lived at Rat Portage.

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HUMBUGGING THE ELECTORS.

If Mr. Whitney should succeed at the coming general elections we shall have direct taxation as sure as fate. He says so himself. He asserts that the Province is on the verge of direct taxation; that the services of the country have been administered in the past by the sale of our timber, which, he declares, is now all gone, and can no longer be a source of revenue. He has, therefore, nothing to fall back upon but direct taxation. But the present Government sees no danger of direct taxation. Including the revenue derived from timber, the Ontario Government has the permanent resources represented by the following items: They have $1,096,000 derived under the constitution from the Dominion Government; they have interest on our capital, our surplus, of $300,000 a year; they derive from licenses $280,000 to $300,000, law stamps $68,008, succession duties $165,000 last year, casual revenue $109,000, public institutions $166,000, Crown lands something near a million dollars. The whole totalling over three million dollars to meet an average annual expenditure of over three millions. They have all that sure revenue every year and there is no danger at all of anything like direct taxation within the next century with the same careful management we have had the past twenty-five years, which will be insured for another four years at least, by retaining the present Government in power. What does Mr. Whitney propose to do in case he comes in power, with a standing revenue of over three millions a year, to make direct taxation necessary? He must contemplate rushing into terrible extravagance. Mr. Whitney must either confess that he is talking rubbish in stating that we are as a province at the end of our resources, or he is deliberately attempting to deceive the people. We are not "at the end of our resources," nor "in danger of direct taxation," as Mr. Whitney knows, and in reiterating these statements he is guilty of attempting to deceive the people, and the man that bases his claims to the confidence of the people even on oratorical deceit, is unworthy of the trust he invites.

THE REFORESTING MEASURE.

The Toronto News is uncompromisingly hostile to the Ontario Government, but it has the fairness to say that "one measure foreshadowed in the speech from the throne that ought to receive the support of both parties in the Legislature is that for the reforesting of pine lands which have been denuded of timber and are unfit for agricultural purposes. If this work is undertaken with prudence and good judgment it will be of immense value to the Province, not only in ultimately producing another crop of pine, but from the standpoint of an irrigation policy. With the clearing of lands has come the drying up of the water courses, and with the growth of the forests the streams which water the arable lands of the Province will flow as was the case years ago, besides which the depth of water in the great lakes would be kept more uniform if the forests were of greater extent. An act of this kind, however, must be carefully drafted and wisely administered, or else it will result in a heavy expenditure for which there will be satisfactory return. The principle is right and the Government is to be commended for taking hold of the matter.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Opposition evidently intend to do a good deal of "log-rolling" during the present session.

Ben'n O'Beirne of the Stratford Beacon is congratulated on coming out on top in two vexatious libel suits.

The Toronto World wants the Jonahs of the Conservative party disposed of. Centre Toronto ought to be whale enough to fill the bill.

The Centre Toronto election has taken a good deal of wind out Mr. Whitney's sails. Mr. Howland was one of the windest orators on the Opposition side of the House.

The Mail and Empire said that Mr. Whitney made an inspiring speech in the Ontario Legislature. The reader is left free to speculate as to whether it inspired fear or courage, confidence or despair.

The Mail and Empire says the Provisible "wants the movement of logs to Michigan stopped at once." Why doesn't this organ "call off" the naughty Michigan lumber company of which Mr. Whitney is a member.

Mr. Whitney, leader of the Ontario Opposition, is the ideal statesman—self-sacrificing. Since the session opened his attitude has been one of self-denial—denying the reckless statements he made during last summer's missionary tour.

Another Quebec bye-election for the Commons will take place this month, that in Nicolet, where a bye-election has been necessitated through the death of the sitting member, Mr. Boisvert, Conservative, who had a majority of 136 at the general elections. The chances for the redemption of this riding by the Liberals, in view of the present trend of feeling in Quebec, ought to be remarkably good.

The Quebec public accounts dealing with the last year of the late Conservative Government have been brought down and show receipts exclusive of loans of $3,874,803 and the expenditure $6,634,944. In other words the Conservative Government ran the Province behind to the amount of $6,634,944. We shall see, when the public accounts come down what a contrast the balance sheet of Ontario will show.

At the Conservative convention on Wednesday night one of the speakers broadly insinuated that the Michigan timber companies were to provide "greenbacks" for the Liberal election fund. Won't it be funny? Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition, contributing to a "Grit" election fund. Mr. Whitney is a member of one of the Michigan timber companies that is said to be stealing Ontario sawlogs. For shame, Mr. Whitney!

The Conservatives are often led in their condemnation of the Ontario voters' list system to set up the Dominion lists as an example. On this point the Telegram says: "The Ontario voters' list system is the simplest and the best. The franchise act which now forces an election in Centre Toronto on lists four years old is the most complicated and the worst." Yah the Telegram forced a fight on its Conservative friends. If the Dominion Franchise Act contributed to the defeat of the Conservative candidate, it is a case of the chickens coming home to roost. The Conservatives invented and administered, defended and fought for a system that gives lists that are, to the greatest degree, unfair and incomplete. The Centre Toronto lists were prepared under the late Government by officials appointed by themselves, and the forced acknowledgment of their unfairness is all the more humiliating because it is self condemnation.

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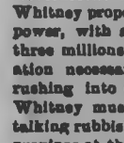

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GOOD NEWS FOR FREIGHTERS.

A Drop of Eight Cents a Hundred From Fort William to Montreal—Mr. Tarte's View.

Montreal, Dec. 4.—The C. P. R. has reduced its freight rates from 28 cents to 20 cents per 100 pounds from Fort William to Montreal, and at other points east on its system.

Mr. Tarte on Grain Movement.

Hon. Mr. Tarte writes from Ottawa to his paper here:

"The powerful steamer Amazon has just arrived at Buffalo with 205,000 bushels of wheat, which had been brought from Fort William. I need not tell you," adds the Minister of Public Works, "that this grain comes from Manitoba. If the Welland Canal was deepened, or if the Parry Sound Railway found at Montreal that accommodation which should have been prepared long ago, this Canadian grain would have been taken to the markets of Europe by the Canadian route." Prepare your port, says Mr. Tarte to the people of Montreal, so that the largest steamers may get there and load their cargoes cheaply, and you will be sure to have an immense traffic.

Killed While Butchering.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—Paschal Petrain, a Gracefield farmer, was killed yesterday while butchering by a roller used for hanging up the carcase falling on his head.

A QUEEN CITY INCIDENT.

How a Valuable Life Was Saved—A Story That is Becoming Quite Common Now—Common Sense Action Prevented Death.

Toronto, Nov. 22—A well-known retired real estate broker, J. McPherson, 440 King street west, this city, makes known another victory for Dodd's Kidney Pills, having received a new lease of life from their use. He states that he suffered greatly from the effects of a sluggish liver, and its long train of attendant miseries. For months he doctored, using one so-called remedy after another, but getting no relief. At length he turned to Dodd's Kidney Pills. One box cured him. That is the story—the invariable story where these health-giving pills are used. They never fail. They are the one unfailing conquerer of kidney and liver disease.

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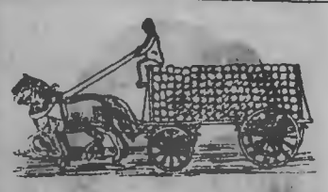

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 4.

FLOUR—The market is quiet and featureless. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.20 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The demand continues fair and prices unchanged. Sales of red winter were made at 82c, high freights, No. 2 spring at 81c to 82c on Midland, and goose at 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 93c to 91c, Fort William, and at 90c to 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is firm, with offerings moderate. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c to 28c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23½c west and at 24c on Midland. Mixed quoted at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is firm, with sales at 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, at 45c middle, and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet, with prices ruling at 29c to 29½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $9, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Lambskins, 90c to $1.

WOOL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 19c to 22c, and extras at 23c to 24c.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9½c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 80c per bag, on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 12c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 9c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

quality	$3 25	$3 60
Bulls, feeders, per cwt	2 00	2 25
Stockers and medium to good	2 75	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 25	3 65
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	4 00	....
" good	3 15	3 45
" medium	3 00	3 25
" inferior	2 62½	2 75
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	45 00
Calves, each	3 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50	4 25
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs	4 87½	....
" light fats	4 12½	....
" heavy fats, per cwt	4 12½	....
" sows	3 00	3 25
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 3.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; No. 1. Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western, lard, 28s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 6d; do., light, 33s 0d; do., short cut, 31s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage buyers and sellers apart; No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, Dec., 30s 1½d. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage rather easier. Canada mixed oats, Dec. and Jan., 14s 3d.

Paris—Wheat 20f 80c for Jan. Flour 62f 60c for Jan. French country markets steady.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures quiet at 7s 5½d for Dec., 7s 5¼d for March and 7s 4¼d for May. Maize 3s 2¾d for Dec., 3s 2d for Jan. and 3s 2¼d for March. Flour 23s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 7s 5d for Dec., 7s 5¼d for March and 7s 4¼d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 2¾d for Dec., 3s 2d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb. and 3s 2d for March. Flour 23s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast and on passage buyers 3d decline. Maize on passage easy.

A LONG LIST!

This whole Column would not Contain the Names of the many Prominent Ministers, Members of Parliament and Professional Men all over this Continent, who have been Cured of Catarrh by Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder—It Gives Relief in 10 Minutes.

Volumes of testimony have been written of its curative powers. Catarrh is an aggravating malady, insignificant in its beginning—a little cold in the head—neglect it and soon you're in its thrall. Eighty in every hundred have the taint. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder will cure the slightest cold in the head, and cure the most stubborn case of catarrh. "Its action is instantaneous," says one. "I feel it my duty to recommend it to the public," says another. "Never got relief until I used it," says another. And so on and on. Acts like magic and always cures. Sold by H. Macdonald.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

THE LEGISLATURE

A Short Session of the House Yesterday.

NOTICE OF NEW LEGISLATION.

Some of It Will Relate to Timber and Reforestry—A Bill to Knock Out the San Jose Scale—Departmental Stores to be Dealt With—Joint Stock Companies, Too.

Toronto, Dec. 4.—When the House met yesterday it was evident the members were anxious for a breathing space after the pitched battle of Thursday, when the Premier, in one of the best speeches ever delivered in the Legislature, exposed the direct taxation policy of the Opposition. Mr. Hardy's expose of the many misrepresentations by Mr. Whitney on the stump was considered masterly. Charge after charge was met and answered in the most decisive manner. For instance, Mr. Whitney stated there were five hundred road inspectors in one district when charging the Government with having too many employes. The untruth of the charge was made evident and laughable when the Premier informed the House there were but two hundred such civil servants in the whole province. It was so on throughout the speech. The Premier would read from The Mail Mr. Whitney's charge and in every instance produce evidence to refute it. Mr. Whitney began the debate with a great deal of bluster and assured the Government he intended having his say. He boastfully asserted the present session had been called in order that he and his followers might not have an opportunity of talking to the electors. He did not seem to relish it when Mr. Hardy remarked that now he was face to face with his opponents and had an opportunity to air his grievances. The Premier challenged him, dared him to make the same charges against the Government upon the floor of the House he had made upon the stump, reminding him that his false statements would be nailed promptly.

The whole House thoroughly enjoyed Mr. St. John's ridiculous position in which he was placed by his leader. Mr. Whitney referred to the "piggery," and amid the laughter of the chamber remarked he would leave this "important" question to be dealt with by the gentleman who had "discovered" the pigs. After the close of the session Thursday evening there were no congratulations upon the Conservative side, one and all feeling that the Opposition leader, who had begun the debate in a bombastic manner, had received a severe castigation at the hands of the leader of the Government.

It was a subject of general remark how much Mr. Marter seemed to enjoy the discomfiture of his successor. During the course of Mr. Hardy's telling speech, when most of the Opposition members appeared to be extending sympathy to their leader, Mr. Marter sat beside him with a beaming countenance and seemed to relish the fact that Mr. Whitney could cut no better figure as the chief opponent of the Government than he had done. As the Premier with crushing force unearthed the direct taxation policy of the Opposition Mr. Marter's smile seemed to broaden until at last when Mr. Whitney was shewn to have made ridiculous and childish misstatements he actually broke out into a joyful laugh. The Conservative ranks seem to be badly disorganised. The members appear to be at cross purposes as to whether or not they should make a bid for another and stronger leader. One prominent in the party remarked yesterday: "We are sure of defeat if we go to the country with Whitney at our head after the deplorable figure he cut in the House Thursday. Why, Hardy made a monkey of him, and yet it is a poor game to swap horses when crossing a stream. The truth is we are in a bad fix unless we could get some such man as Hon. G. W. Foster to lead us." There is trouble brewing in the camp, and Mr. Whitney may find himself, before the close of the session, in some such fix as Sir Mackenzie Bowell was left by the "bolters" at Ottawa.

The following notices of motion were given, after which the House adjourned until Monday:

The Attorney-General—A bill respecting jails and jailors; a bill relating to judgment summonses.

Mr. Gibson—Bill relating to timber and timber licenses; also bill relating to reforestry.

Mr. Dryden—Bill to prevent the spread of disease amongst fruit trees.

Mr. Harcourt—A bill relating to the business of druggists; a bill relating to extra-provincial insurance companies.

Mr. Davis—A bill respecting the Ontario Joint Stock Companies Act.

Mr. Middleton gave notice that he would on Tuesday next introduce a bill re departmental stores.

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If all the food you eat is thoroughly digested you cannot possibly be afflicted by Dyspepsia, Indigestion, nor any other stomach disorder. That is plain. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets prevent any chance of these diseases returning after the tablets have once cured them.

The smaller tablets that go with each box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are the most perfect agent known for regulating the bowels.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—each box containing a full double treatment, can be procured at all drug stores, or will be sent to any address, on receipt of the price, 50 cents a box, by the Dodd's Medicine Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

TO THE ELECTRIC CHAIR.

Martin Thorn Sentenced to Die for the Murder of Guldensuppe.

Thorn said: "My true name is Martin Torsewsky. I was born in Germany and am 28 years of age. I am a barber, and have never been in prison before. I was brought up in the religious belief of the Roman Catholic Church. I can read and write. My father is living. I am not married."

At 10.30 o'clock Judge Maddox proceeded in a very solemn and impressive manner to sentence Martin Thorn to death by electricity at Sing Sing prison during the week beginning Jan. 10, 1898.

Three Trainmen Killed.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 4.—A passenger train on the Chicago and Erie was wrecked seven miles east of here last night. The engine blew up and three trainmen were killed.

Clara Barton Ill.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Clara Barton, the well-known Red Cross leader, is dangerously ill at her home at Glen Echo. She is not going to Cuba.

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GENTLEMEN,—On the advice of a friend I tried one bottle of your famous rheumatic remedy, Phrenoline, and to my surprise it cured me of rheumatism, from which I have suffered for many years.

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I have tried several remedies for rheumatism, some of which did me a certain amount of good, but nothing that I have taken has done so much for me as your Phrenoline, and I have much pleasure in recommending it to other sufferers.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) JAMES CARROLL,
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From 8 to 10 o'clock, we will have a grand Fancy Goods and Christmas Opening. All are cordially invited.

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Away above all our Business Strokes of this year we put this latest lucky movement of merchandise now in progress. It is the resultant of complete organization for getting goods at proper sources and at the most favourable movement.

What comes of looking ahead is demonstrated to the public by what is in sight just now all over our house. That lucky purchase of ours when we . . . . . .

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Placed in our hands the GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY OF THE YEAR, and gave us practical control of the Clothing trade of Peterborough. Opportunity and ability were thus united—and that is how we have collected together this great $66,000 stock of Merchandise. It is 1897's LATEST, NEWEST, RIGHT-PRICED addition to Peterborough's prosperity, spread out on our tables and shelves for the greatest December feast of our history.

Even the great GOUGH'S are not insensible to a Boom in business. It seems a contradiction to push sales by losing profits we might as well have, when our business is vigorous with healthy activity, and yet we are inspired to do so by sound reasoning. It sometimes pays to lose, especially when you really don't lose at all.

IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices:—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... $4.90

Come to the Feast of Bargains before they pass into history.

Shoes

Piled to the ceilings—a whole section heaped with Winter Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children—to fit all feet—at the Easiest prices in this or any other Town. The growth in this particular branch shows clearly that we are doing it better and better all the time, and winning new friends every week. Come and see how it is done. No skimp in anything. We can dress your feet in the newest styles of hand-sewed Shoes with any fashion of toe you desire. Felt Overshoes, Rubbers, Fur-lined and Flannel-lined Shoes and Slippers or Grandma and Baby. Assortments better and values better than you'll find anywhere. "ALWAY'S GOOD AT GOUGH'S"—Not in Spurts but ALL the time."

A CASH BUSINESS.—Under our constantly growing organization CASH becomes an important factor in Buying as well as in Selling. Credit is a curse to the human family. Cash is King. In future, therefore, SPOT CASH will be our invariable rule. Your money back if not satisfied.

GOUGH BROS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men, Nos. 375 and 379 George Street
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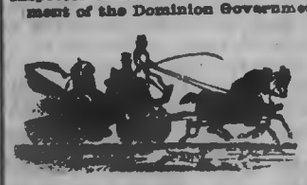

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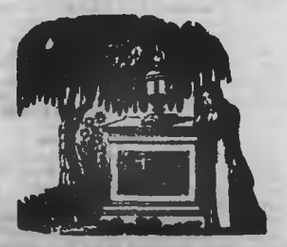

The element of permanence which attaches to the erection of any memorial to the dead renders it highly desirable that no mistake be made in the selection either of design or of materials.

A mistake is a serious matter. Let us help you to make a right decision. Our specialty is the erection of monuments which are unique without being grotesque, and artistic without being over-decorated.

We manufacture from all first-quality granites, and as WE SELL DIRECT TO CUSTOMERS, we save the latter all agents' profits. Thus, too, there is a decided advantage for the buyer in dealing with one responsible firm for both the manufacture and the setting of a monument.

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is the very best possible, and in some of the AMBER MOUTHPIECES are really choice, whilst the Silver Trimmings are just right—not at all overdone.

The shapes that find most favour with smokers are "ENGLISH BULLDOG" and the "ARMY BENT."

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HOLIDAY SALE

—OF—

Millinery and Mantles

During the month of December while thoughts are being turned towards Christmas, we will hold a Special Reduction Sale of every line of goods in our store. Every day of the week we will offer Bargain inducements to the Ladies to get what they want before Christmas at very low prices, as we must effect a clearance of our stock before the New Year:—

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
Stylish Mantles
Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Veilings
Chiffons, Laces, Collars, Cuffs
Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

REDUCED MUCH BELOW THEIR VALUE. This store always satisfies regular customers and this Sale will bring new customers, who have seen what others bought and appreciate our store.

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408 GEORGE STREET.

Dr. Chas. Neill

DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 4, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

10 a. m. Probabilities.

Fresh to strong easterly winds to-day, unsettled, with occasional sleet or snow. High westerly winds to-morrow.

Now's Your Chance.

Gem photos 50 cents per dozen at Whiton's. Cabinets only $2.00 a dozen. Studio 139 Hunter street west. 7d-1w

Song Service.

The monthly song service will be held in the Charlotte street Methodist church on Sunday evening by the pastor, Rev. D. O. Crossley.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Last Night's Fire.

The fire brigade was called out last night about ten o'clock by a burning chimney on the residence occupied by Mr. J. Quinn, Lock street. The damage done was trifling.

Buy Our Fruits

And by our Xmas fruits you shall know that we have the cheapest that cash will buy. They are larger and cleaner than any in the market. E. F. MASON & Co., grocers. See prices and inspect the goods.

W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Dr. Youmans, of Winnipeg, will lecture in St. Andrew's Sunday school room on Tuesday evening next, at 8 p.m. Subject of lecture—"A Story of Christian Freedom." Silver collection at the door.

Catholic Association Entertainment.

The third Catholic Literary Association concert will take place on Monday evening next, Dec. 6th. Mr. D. O'Donnell, B. A., will deliver an address on "William Pitt," and an excellent programme will be presented. Admission 10c. 2d

Horse Killed.

The horse belonging to Mr. Jas. White, of the National Hotel, which was paralyzed the other night by coming in contact with a live wire hanging from the street car circuit, was despatched last night on the order of Veterinary Surgeons Beatty and Robinson.

"Manhood"

Is the subject of an address at the men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow at 4.15 p.m. Speaker—Rev. John Hay, of Cobourg. Mr. Baxton will preside.

The General Secretary's Bible class at 3 o'clock.

Young men's meeting at 8 o'clock to-night.

Rev. Mr. Patterson.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, the eloquent pastor of Cook's church, Toronto, will lecture on "From the Hub to the Golden Gates, by way of Chicago and Salt Lake City," in St. Andrew's church on the evening of December 10th. Mr. Patterson's well known descriptive powers will be given great scope by the subject, and the address will doubtless prove most interesting. 3d

Oddfellow's at Home.

Otonabee Lodge of I.O.O.F. will hold an "At Home" on Monday evening next in commemoration of the resuscitation of the lodge fifteen years ago. An especially attractive programme has been prepared for the occasion, consisting of vocal and instrumental music. Refreshments will be served during the evening. Tickets may be procured from any member of the Lodge. 2d

Young Women's Christian Association.

The warmest of welcomes will be given to all young women this evening at the reading room of the Association, where are found the latest magazines and papers. Mrs. Kennedy most cordially invites Bible students to her Saturday evening class. These rooms belong to the members of the Association. They are requested to walk in and take possession of them without the ceremony of ringing the door bell.

A Before Christmas Sale.

Mr. Robert Fair, of the Golden Lion, announces an opportune reduction sale before Christmas which will doubtless be largely taken advantage of by the Christmas shoppers. Coming just in the nick of time when most people are anxious to make their dollars for holiday gifts do double duty. This sale will be a boon to buyers. See large advertisement on first page.

Lakefield Chancel Guild Sale.

The Chancel Guild of St. John's church, Lakefield, intends to have a sale of work, with afternoon tea and a programme, on Thursday, December 9th, between the hours of 5 p.m. and 9 p.m., at "Harbourne," the recently-restored residence of F. J. Tate, Esq. The Guild has carried on its work most successfully for some years. Each member contributes work, which is sold once a year at such gatherings as the above, where the visitors may both enjoy a pleasant evening and expend a little money in Christmas or birthday presents. The charge for entrance will be 10 cents.

ILLICIT STILLS.

Three of the Informations Laid Against Michael Conway Withdrawn.

Acting under instructions from the Department of Inland Revenue, Mr. E. B. Edwards has withdrawn three of the four informations which were laid against Michael Conway of Smith, in regard to the portion of an illicit still which was found on the farm upon which he lived near Mud Lake.

It will be remembered that County Magistrate Edmison heard the evidence in the charge against Conway of allowing to be kept on premises controlled by him, a still or portion of a still without a license therefor. The case was dismissed, as the magistrate held that the prosecution did not prove that the premises were controlled by the defendant, it being shown that the farm was owned by his mother. This finding is now being appealed against and the case will come up at the Sessions on December 14th.

The other three informations were held in abeyance until a decision had been given in the appeal, but as Mr. O'Connell, for the defendant, took strong objection to successive enlargements being granted at great expense to his client, Magistrate Edmison notified the prosecution to be prepared to go on with the case without further postponement.

The three informations still hanging over the defendant's head charged him and Alphonse Fobert with (1) having in their possession on premises under their control a "worm" without a license; (2) that they did completely or partially set up a still without a license; (3) that they assisted in distilling spirits without a license.

As stated these three informations have now been withdrawn, as preferred against Mr. Conway.

REFORM COMMITTEE.

In Connection With the Canadian Wheelmen's Association to Correct Certain Alleged Abuses.

A meeting of of wheelmen was called last evening in the Victoria club rooms for the purpose of discussing a letter received from the Secretary of the Reform Committee, which has been formed to protest against alleged extravagance and mismanagement on the part of the officers of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association.

As the attendance was not very large, it was decided that the meeting be adjourned for a week or so. None of those present, however, were in favour of throwing in their lot with the "Reformers," who appear to be composed entirely of members of Toronto clubs, with whom the Peterborough wheelmen have nothing in common.

It was pointed out that if the local bicyclists identified themselves with these discontented members that it would mean the certain defeat of Peterborough if the town was a candidate for the big first of July Meet next year.

A lively discussion took place concerning the advisability of making another bid for the Meet and every known wheelman in town will be asked to attend a meeting which will be called in the near future to thrash this question out.

COASTING HAS BEGUN.

A Dangerous Practice Indulged in by the Small Boy.

With the advent of snow comes the boy and his hand sleigh. In fact they are inseparable. The ordidary citizen likes to see the snow, and has nothing against the small boy, but the combination strikes terror to the heart of a pedestrian on a narrow sidewalk on one of the hills.

A bicycle is a tame thing to meet on the sidewalk, compared to the small boy and his sled. The start given by the sudden passing of a bicycle from the rear is as nothing to the feeling experienced when a sleigh, gliding like lightning down a slippery hill, removes your props from beneath you and causes shooting stars to fill the air at high noon.

This has been the experience of quite a few citizens this year already, and unless the boys confine themselves to the roadways on the less frequented streets, the police will doubtless inaugurate a campaign against them.

Grand Concert,
Thursday, Dec. 9th.
Prices. 50, 35 and 25c.
Plan of hall will be open at Sailsbury's Bookstore at 9 a.m. on Monday next for subscribers.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—CLEGG'S Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

A Look Towards Christmas.

All eyes are now turned toward Christmas. The charm of the Peterborough Bookstore, in its holiday attire, is stimulating early gift buying. There have been Xmas displays before, but this season's showing surpasses anything ever attempted. There are temptations in both goods and prices at this holiday headquarters that will be of interest to everyone, young and old. The word of warning is—"Buy early before the greatest rush begins. The store remains open to-night until 11 o'clock.
A. H. STRATTON & Co.

The Frog Output.

It has not been a profitable year for some of those engaged in catching frogs and exporting them to the United States, and if the industry continues to decline, it will, in the near future, give employment to very few men in a large section of country. It has been reported to us that one catcher who has had many years' experience in the business, has not made more than $100 since he commenced searching the lakes and streams of the back country last spring. Very much labour is now required in catching a thousand frogs, whereas a few years ago the same number could be taken easily by a few men in a single night. Prices for the meat continue firm.—*Campbellford Herald.*

The Merry Mora at the Opera House.

Last night there was a fair audience at the Opera House to the delightful entertainment of the Mora Company. The entertainment throughout was of an unusually good character for a repertoire company, a far better bill being put on than by many high priced organizations. The title roll in the comedy-drama, Fire-Fly, was taken by Mora, who was in capital form, and gave a most sprightly and life-like representation of the character. She was excellently supported and the play altogether gave good satisfaction. The specialities were unusually good, and the projectoscope views were highly entertaining. Many were heard to say that they were almost ashamed to take such a big and good bill of enjoyment for so little money. The opera house should be packed to-night for the last appearance of the Mora Company. They are well worth seeing.

MIKADO FLOUR.

Always at the head of the list. Grocers do not keep it—they sell it. Ask them for it or telephone No. 113. Every bag guaranteed.
W. H. MELDRUM.

A HARD CASE COME TO TOWN

A PETRIFIED MAN TO BECOME A RESIDENT.

He Now Lies in Bond at the G. T. R. Station—A Perfectly Petrified Body of a Full Grown Man—An Unique and Interesting Subject.

On Monday, November 22nd, a huge packing case arrived at the Grand Trunk station, which weighed about five hundred pounds. It was labelled "The Petrified Man," and was addressed to Mr. Jas. McCreary, Principal of the West Ward School, being consigned to him by his brother-in-law, Mr. T. H. Graham, of Grand Forks, Dakota, a former resident of Peterborough.

The contents of the mysterious casket were a petrified man, the property of Mr. Graham. The keys to the casket did not arrive till this morning, when Mr. McCreary opened the box in the presence of the customs officials and many interested citizens.

The body is in a perfect state of petrifaction, with every appearance of genuineness. It was the body of a man of stalwart proportions, about six feet in height or rather length. When consigned to his last resting place, the head of the body was slightly turned to one side, and was petrified in that position. The left hand was folded across the chest in the orthodox position, but the right hand was extended along the right side. The lips, which were rather full, were slightly parted, and disclosed two front teeth which

WERE PERFECTLY PRESERVED.

The moustache was solidified and the remains showed that the man had died with a short beard and a rather thin head of hair. The fullness of the face and of the eyes, which distinctly showed the traces of the eyebrows and the robust frame, showed that the man had not died from a protracted illness, possibly having met death by violence, though only the face, chest and feet were taken from the wrappings, there was no means of observing if there were any marks of wounds. The hand with its knotted knuckles indicated that the owner had toiled hard with his hands, and the evidences of muscular development showed that he had lived an active life. Every part of this remarkable transmutation of flesh and blood into carbonate or silicate of lime presented evidence of its being a genuine petrification, if not, it is as remarkable as a triumph of imitative skill.

This petrified body, though its history did not accompany it, was found in Minnesota, west of Lake Superior, several years ago. The man, whoever or whatever he was, didn't realise the truth of the generally received fact that when a man dies his earthly troubles are at an end. Since his resurrection, in the stony state, he has been the subject of fierce and prolonged litigation. He was knocked about from court to court in a litigious attempt to decide his ownership, till at length, he fell into the hands of the sheriff, who disposed of him at auction, when Mr. Graham, who is a merchant at Grand Forks, who had got the

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as to the genuineness of the petrification, purchased the body and had it shipped to the care of Mr. McCreary, and the stone man will become, as far as known, a permanent resident of the town.

He was viewed with great interest by the customs officials, Mr. Rufus Stevenson, collector, Mr. McKay, of Hamilton, and Mr. Shaw, of Kingston, inspectors, who had great difficulty in deciding, if they have decided yet, whether the petrified body was dutiable or not.

The spectators did not seem to be impressed with the fact that they were in the presence of a corpse, but ventured all sorts of ludicrous suggestions and cracked more or less pertinent jokes at the expense of the stony defunct.

In reply to a question as to what was to be done with the remains, it was stated that for the present he would remain in Peterborough.

"Then he will, if he registers, have a vote at the next election?"

"No," answered a wag, "he will have no vote. The next election will be the provincial and that does not admit of dead men voting. If he had looked sharp he might have voted at the Centre Toronto election when the Dominion voters' list contained the names of nearly as many dead men as living."

Another wag questioned the alertness of the railway authorities in permitting a corpse to be carried on their trains without a certificate of death from the attending physician.

However, in spite of all these pleasantries, the petrified man is a stony fact, and a very interesting evidence of the freaks of nature in dealing with the mortal remains of her children.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	29°	15°

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Appropriate Decorations,

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

Madill's Cough Syrup is in brisk demand. Its curative qualities for coughs, colds, sore throat or bronchial troubles, caused by just such November weather as you have experienced, is guaranteed. 25c and 50c bottles. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

WRIGHT—BEARD.

A Pretty Wedding in the Church of the Advent, Montreal.

The Montreal Herald publishes the following particulars concerning the wedding of Mr J. A. Wright, son of Mr. Stewart Wright of Stewart street, Ashburnham:

"There was an exceedingly pretty ceremony in the Church of the Advent, Westmount, yesterday afternoon.

"The occasion was the marriage of Mr. James Alexander Wright of Peterborough, and Miss Maude Baldwin Beard, daughter of the late George Beard of Toronto, afterwards of Montreal, and grand-daughter of the late Benjamin Lyman.

"A number of relatives and friends attended the ceremony, which was conducted by the Very Rev. Dean Carmichael, assisted by the rector, Rev. Mr. Kittson. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. B. Chaffee, and Miss Edythe Chaffee, her little five-year-old neice, acted as maid of honor. The groom was supported by his brother, the Rev. J. J. Wright of Lyn, Ont.

"After a brief reception at Mr. Chaffe's residence, Rosemount avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Wright left for a tour of the Eastern States."

Miss Eliza Wright, Ashburnham, sister of the groom, attended the wedding.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Conductor Thos. Parsley, of Brockville, has been appointed G. T. R. yardmaster at Belleville.

The G. T. R. have received 500 new freight cars of 60,000 capacity from the Michigan Car Co., of Detroit. Canadian shops will fill an order for the same number.

The C. P. R. Co. are briskly advertising Yukon travel via their own steamers from Victoria. We understand the local ticket agent, Mr. T. E. Boddy, has received a supply of tickets.

Mr. Robt. Scott, G. T. R. freight agent at London, has accepted the position of assistant general freight agent of the Intercolonial R. R., with headquarters at St. John, N. B.

The Canadian Pacific Railway will at the beginning of the year institute a new method of making up trains over their entire system. Formerly, with the small freight cars used, about twenty loaded cars constituted a train, or what one engine could draw. The new freight cars at present coming out, however, are very much larger, having a maximum capacity of 60,000 pounds, so that it takes fewer cars to make up a train. The new system will be worked on a tonnage basis, a certain number of tons only going to a train.

BIG FOXES.

A Few Which Have Been Killed in This Neighbourhood.

The Campbellford Herald speaks of big foxes, one having been killed around there measuring four feet nine inches from tip to tip. Hunters around here can beat that. This fall Mr. Geo. Scrimger, of Lakefield, shot two foxes which measured four feet ten inches from tip to tip. He also saw another one which he states would have measured over five feet. He also shot a raccoon which weighed forty pounds.

Messrs. W. Scollard, W. Brooks and P. Young, of Young's Point, while out shooting last Monday succeeded in shooting a cross' fox, measuring five feet, eleven inches from tip to tip. We did not hear who fired the lucky shot or whether they all had a shot at it.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 92, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

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The collection is well worth seeing. Everyone is invited. The prices are extremely low.

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THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE has put the armour on for a great Holiday Time in Christmas Gift getting and Gift selling. Sorry we haven't more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c
Medallions	4 50	25c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00
Photo Frames	7 00	5c
Purses	3 50	5c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	60c
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c

	From	Down to
Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00c
Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Games, lower than ever	1 00	5c
Picture Books	1 00	5c
Children's Sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 00
Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
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"SCOTLAND FOREVER."

The Thistles Win in the Y. M. C. A. Membership Contest.

The membership contest at the Y. M. C. A., which has been continued during the month of November, closed last evening at ten o'clock, the Thistles, which were led by Mr. James Connal, leading on a score of 118½ points; the Shamrocks stood 94½ and the Roses 40.

All the men put up a good fight and the actual number of dollars received through the contest does not either represent fully the work or results. Many have promised to come in as members on or before the first of the year. While many who did come in came in on the instalment plan and in the contest only the actual amount in dollars counted for points.

The fairer way would be to consider the number of members brought in which we give below:

Thistles	32
Shamrocks	23
Roses	14
	69

The contest was a quiet one—no campaign meetings were held as in the regular work of the association, time could not be found to do so.

The supper will be held later on. The Roses and Shamrocks are ready when the date is set to pay the penalty.

Mr. Evy Hall proved a good faithful leader, and deserved to win.

Mr. H. Conway, of the Roses, was much handicapped, having accepted the leadership when Mr. Froude left.

The Roses also lost several others by removal.

Josh Billing Said

Next to a clear conscience for solid comfort give me an old shoe. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor removes the worst corns in twenty-four hours. Putnam's is the only sure, safe and painless corn extractor.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., '97.

C. C. Lessens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR.—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office: 200 Charlotte. Telephone 366.

EDUCATIONAL SUNDAY

Will be Observed To-morrow in the Local Methodist Churches.

To-morrow will be observed as Educational Sunday in the local Methodist churches.

Rev. Dr. Potts of Toronto, secretary of the Educational Committee, will preach in the Charlotte street church in the morning and in the George street church in the evening.

Special collections will be taken in aid of the Educational Fund. As Dr. Potts is one of the most eloquent speakers in the Methodist Church in Canada to-day very large congregations will doubtless attend both services.

A NEW ORGANIZATION.

The Y.M.C.A. Liuary and Debating Club.

Organization was completed last evening, when there was a large attendance. An animated debate took place on the constitution which was finally adopted.

The meetings will be held every Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. A. E Dixon was elected president, and Mr. Garnet Bell secretary. The other officers will be chosen at next week's meeting.

Judging from the way the young men are taking part the society has a successful and profitable season before it.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Alex Elliott was in Belleville on business yesterday.

Mr. John Biggott has been visiting friends in Stirling during the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fleming, of Lindsay, are visiting friends in town for a few days.

Mr. J. R Stratton, M. P. P., is home for Sunday from his Legislative duties in Toronto.

The Rev. John Hay, M. A., B. D., of Cobourg, will preach at both services in St. Andrew's church to morrow.

Mrs. Wm. Scott, who removed to Lindsay last summer, is in town renewing old associations among her many friends.

Rev. H. R. O'Malley, curate of St. Paul's church, Lindsay, has gone to Montreal to accept the position of Assistant Minister of St. Jude's church.

Mr. F. J. Jameson is home from Brantford where he was attending a meeting of the High Court Executive of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Rev. S. J. Shorey goes to Starling to-morrow to preach missionary sermons. He will attend a meeting of a conference committee in Port Hope Tuesday, returning to town on Wednesday.

Mr. A. A. McNee, of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, who has been away on sick leave for the last several weeks, returned to town last evening looking much improved in health. He was at his home in Kingston.

Mr. Thos. Dunn will leave about the end of the month for Chicago, where he intends taking up residence. Mr. Dunn will be greatly missed in Peterborough musical circles, where he has charmed many audiences through the medium of his fine baritone voice, which has made his name familiar to the concert goers of all the larger cities in the province.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES

A seven-weeks' series of very successful evangelistic meetings closed last night with a reception service of new members. About seventy have sought salvation, and many more have been much blessed. Mr. Moore is an earnest, able Gospel preacher, and is doing good work in Ashburnham, as well as at his other appointments, Bethel and Salem.

Rev. Mr. Harrison, of Bridgenorth, and Mr. Moore exchange pulpits to-morrow.

Epworth League meetings will begin again on Monday evening.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening as formerly.

Everyone, young and old, will meet with a cordial welcome at the class meetings at 10 and after the morning service. Also at Sunday school every Sunday at 2.30.

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

Council meeting Wednesday evening.

School board next Tuesday evening.

Mr. S. Henderson's brother, who has just returned from the Crow's Nest Pass, is visiting him.

Measles are still epidemic. Though not usually dangerous, they are unpleasant and inconvenient.

We regret that Mr. Wm. Wand is not improving.

An ordinary cough or cold may not be thought much of at the time, but neglect may mean in the end a consumptive's grave. Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine will not cure Consumption when the lungs are riddled with cavities; but it will stop the cough, will cure Consumption in its early stages, and even in its last stages gives such relief as to be a perfect Godsend to those whose lives are nearing a close.

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE RING.

The sporting editor of THE EXAMINER this morning received a challenge from Dan. Cane, of Montreal, who is anxious to go up against Buffalo Costello in a twenty round "go" on a bet of $200 a side. He states that if Costello will sign he will send in his forfeit money at once. Doubtless the match will be arranged.

Jas. White, of Detroit, is expected to arrive in town to-night to fulfil his engagement with J. J. O'Connor, for a punching bag contest to take place in the Opera House Monday evening on a bet of $30.00. The forfeit money is in the hands of the Lacrosse Club. The Smoker that evening promises to be largely attended.

Costello was out for an eight mile run this morning on the Lakefield road. He is getting into fine condition.

A prize fight took place on a side line a few days ago between two of our local aspirants. It was a fight for blood instead of money, and took place between an eighty-one toner and a feather weight. Following are the rounds as they took place:

Round 1.—Both men enter the ring in fine condition. Jimmy led with the left, and Barney dodged and received a right swing on the wind. Some fighting took place and the round closed with little or no damage done, except Barney being scratched between the moustache and the eyes.

Round 2.—Barney took the aggressive and led with his right, repeatedly delivering blows that if properly landed would not only have put his opponent asleep but would have placed him in the front ranks of heavyweight pugilists. Jimmy, being on the defensive, did considerable dancing around the big fellow, tapping him gently where and when he liked. It was plainly seen that Barney was outclassed in this round, and a terrific right-hander on the bread basket sent him to his corner in a very groggy condition. He remained there for some time, apparently meditating on the advisability of again facing the featherweight, and at the sound of the gong in the third round he staggered to his feet in a dazed and forlorn condition.

Round 3.—Jimmy was the first to get to work in this round and landed a heavy left hander on the jaw, followed closely by the right on the neck, sending the big fellow to grass, where he lay in a demented condition. Being unable to respond to the call for the fourth round the referee declared Jimmy the winner, and congratulated him on the success of his first appearance in the ring.

LACROSSE.

Mr. R. M. Roy is preparing the background for a photo of the members of the lacrosse club. The photograph is to be something quite novel, and will include portraits of a number of local enthusiasts and old players, as well as last year's team. The players are requested to see the secretary or treasurer and ascertain the arrangements which have been made.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the Thistle curling club is called for Wednesday evening at the rink parlours, for the purpose of picking the skips and rinks for the season. A full attendance of all members is urged.

CHEESE FACTORY MEETINGS.

The Annual Meeting of Central Smith Cheese Factory.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Smith Dairy Co., was held in the Temple Hall, fourth line of Smith, on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 1, 1897, A. Young, president, in the chair. The minutes of meetings of the company and of the directors were read and adopted, after which the treasurer's report for the year was read and adopted. This showed that the total income was about 25 per cent. greater than in 1896, this was owing principally to the favourable season for the production of milk and not to an increased patronage.

The company have dealt very generously with all who supplied milk to their factory the past season. Instead of declaring an increased dividend over former years, which they were in a position to do, they decided to reduce the same to 6 per cent. and return the balance to the patrons. This practically amounted to reducing the cost of manufacturing to one cent. per pound, whereas their contract with the patrons called for one and one fourth cents per pound cheese. The cheese made during the season, with the exception of two sales, was sold to Hodson Bros. of Montreal, who were represented on the Peterborough cheese board by Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald, our genial county councillor. Mr. Fitzgerald always took the cheese of the factory in his first selection. His inspections at the factory were always fair and agreeable to all concerned, in every case carrying out the contract made on day of sale, which speaks well for Mr. Fitzgerald and the firm he represents.

The directors elected for the ensuing year are C. D. Moore, T. D. Young, R. J. Edmison, R. Scott and A. Young.

The company have for the past three years paid for milk according to the Babcock test which has, with few exceptions, given entire satisfaction.

For the coming year they have decided to add 2 per cent. to the reading of the Tester; this, they believe, is nearer perfection than any other system now in use.

The change meets with general approval, judging from the expression given at the meeting.

The company are considering the advisability of putting a creamery plant in their cheese factory the coming fall. A committee of the following named stockholders was appointed to look into the matter and report at a later meeting,—T. D. Young, C. D. Moore, Wm. Graham, T. Young and M. Blewett.

There was also a committee appointed to make arrangements for a tea and platform meeting to be held some time during the coming winter. The committee hope to make arrangements with Prof. Dean, of Guelph Agricultural College, for their principal speaker.

Following is a statement of the factory's operations for 1897:

Factory opened May 3rd, closed Nov. 6 h, 1897.

Total number of patrons	98
Total pound milk received for season	1,138,804
Total number of standards	362 1-6
Total number lbs cheese manufactured	99,72
Average lbs milk per lb cheese	10 9-10
Total value of chee e	$7,753 56
Amount received for manufacturing	1,288 40
" " " whey	118 25
" paid for milk drawing	203 20
" " patrons	7,16[illegible] 51
Gross price per 100 lbs milk	80 61-100c
Gross p ice paid per standard milk	$24 18

The highest average test for any one month in the season was 3 9; lowest average test for any month, 3-4; average test for the season, 3-6.

Dropsy Cured With One Bottle.

A great cure and a great testimony. "For ten years I suffered greatly from Heart Disease, Fluttering of the Heart and Smothering Spells, made my life a torment. I was confined to my bed. Dropsy set in. My physician told me to prepare for the worst. I tried Dr. Agnew's cure for the Heart—one dose gave me great relief, one bottle cured the Dropsy and my heart."—Mrs. James Adams, Syracuse, N. Y. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—St. Thomas is to have an electric railway.

—Tweed will have a hockey team this year.

—Navigation has closed on the Bay of Quinte.

—Tramps are forced to saw wood at the Kingston police station.

—There were twenty-nine cases of larceny tried in the police court last year.

—Brockville is trying the experiment of putting three hockey teams on the ice this winter.

—Let business men who cry of dull times try the liberal and judicious use of printer's ink. That will work a solution.

—Over 1,000 turkeys were slaughtered for the English markets at Colborne on Tuesday, and more are being purchased daily.

—Gravel has been placed alongside the street railway rails, raising the roadbed to a height nullifying the danger of an upset.

—Geo. Sutton, formerly of Peterborough, seems to be somewhat out of his class in playing amongst the crack billiardists of the world.

—Chief Rossel has received a list of the persons who were liberated from the Central Prison on December 1st. Thirty-three hard cases came out.

—In less than three weeks the sun will reach the lowest point in the heavens, and a greater length of daylight will return with its accustomed regularity.

—Farmers who fail to report to the Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa any indication of tuberculosis in their herds, render themselves liable to a fine of $200.

—There has been a heavy freight traffic over the Grand Junction during the past two weeks, a large part of which is grain moving eastward. Trains are running day and night.

—An exchange says there are lots of people who mix their business with religion but forget to stir it up well. As a result the business rises to the top and the religion sinks out of sight.

—Mr. Geo. Whiten has just finished a fine photo of the George street church choir. There are twenty nine members in it and the picture will doubtless be greatly prized by those who are included in it.

—Intending western travellers will be pleased to learn that the G.T.R. and C.P.R. lines are cutting rates; the latter line offers tickets to B.C. and Minnesota points at a big reduction over former prices.

—Orillia Packet: If the watchword of the Children's Aid Society, "It is cheaper to save the child than to punish the criminal," were constantly in the public ear, there would be less need of gaols, prisons and penitentiaries.

—According to the law now, all members of the county councils, and the reeve of each town, township and incorporated village are ex-officio justices of the peace for the whole county or union of counties in which the respective municipalities lie.

—An exchange says that oysters and strawberries have each done their share in evangelising the world. They have built and furnished more churches, paid the salaries of more ministers and helped more heathen than any other two natural causes.

—Another form of chainless bicycle is promised for next season. The power from the smaller sprocket wheel is applied to the driving wheel by means of cranks and connecting rods. The crank who propels it is expected to pay about $40 extra for the glory of riding it, although it does not cost five cents more to build, or run an ounce lighter.

—Every dollar spent in your own town along regular channels of trade means a dollar's worth of prosperity for that town, and goes a long ways towards restoring good times. Every dollar spent out of town, which might have gone in regular channels of trade means a dollar's worth of hard times for yourself and your town's people.

—Mr. Councillor Dawson has announced that he will not be again a candidate at the approaching municipal elections. Mr. Dawson has been a member of the council for a number of years. While the EXAMINER has not at all times agreed with the course of Mr. Dawson, yet his earnest straightforwardness is worthy of commendation. He has set his face sternly against anything that savoured of crookedness or peril to the interests of the people.

Beware of Cocaine.

Thos. Heys, Analytical Chemist, Toronto, says:—"I have made an examination of Dr. Chase's Cure for Cocaine and any of its compounds from samples purchased in the open market, and find none present." Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure is a cure—not a drug. Price 25 cents, blower included.

See our Men's heavy Tweed and Frieze Pants at 69c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50. Grafton & Co.

MARRIED.

WRIGHT—BEARD.—In Montreal, on the 1st of December, at the Church of the Advent, Westmount, by the Very Rev. Dean Carmichael, James Alexander Wright, formerly of Peterborough, now of Montreal, to Maud Baldwin Beard.

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and get your cash. If you have not yet received a Coupon Book, call at the office and get one FREE OF CHARGE.

West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

R. W. BELL, M.D., Pres. W.P.R.A. *G. M. ROGER,* Sec. W.P.R.A.

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Wednesday the 8th day of December,

1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following desirable properties.

(1) North half of Lot 16, and part of North half of Lot 17, West of George street and South of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 100 feet 9 inches frontage more or less on Reid street, with depth of 131 feet 9 inches more or less on Hunter street, with a well built two story Brick House, with brick and a half hollow walls. This is a desirable residence and most conveniently situated at the corner of Reid and Hunter streets, near St. Peter's Cathedral; Wood furnace, mantels and grates in two rooms, and hard wood floors.

(2) House and Lot, Southeast corner of Hunter and Downey streets, being the North part of Lot 17, west of George street and south of Hunter street, in the Town of Peterborough, 50 feet 6 inches Frontage, more or less, on Downey street, by 80 feet depth on Hunter street. This is a two story solid Brick House, well built; lane in the rear to serve this Lot and Parcel one.

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1 lb Blue Raisins 8c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Walnuts	.25
1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 8c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Case Currants, fine stock, 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 8c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 12c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 3.

FLOUR—The market is less active, with prices steady. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights, Manitoba patents at $5.20 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The market was active to-day and weaker. Round lots of red winter sold at 82c high freights, No. 2 spring at 81c to 82c on Midland, and goose at 77c on Midland. A lot of No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 91c Fort William, and the quotation at Midland is 97c.

BARLEY—The market is firm, with offerings moderate. No. 2 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23½c west and at 24c on Midland. Mixed quoted at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales to-day at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is firm, with sales at 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, at 45c middle, and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet, with prices ruling at 26c to 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.15 to $3.20 for cars on track.

Shipping cattle, medium...	$3 50 to $3 75	
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 25	3 50
Bulls, feeders, per cwt	2 00	2 25
Stockers and medium to good	2 75	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 25	3 65
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 60	3 75
" good	3 00	3 25
" medium	2 75	3 00
" inferior	2 50	2 75
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	45 00
Calves, each	4 00	7 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 75	4 00
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs	4 87½	....
" light fats	4 12½	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 12½	....
" sows	3 00	3 25
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Dec. 3.—There were about 600 head of butchers' cattle, 10 calves and 600 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End abattoir to-day. The zero weather was not quite favorable for early marketing, besides the very large quantity of dead poultry which is being brought to the city is greatly diminishing the sales of butchers' meat. Prices of cattle continue about the same as in the early part of the week. A few choice beeves were sold at from 4¾c to 4¾c per lb., but they were about good enough for Christmas beef; comparatively few sales were made at over 3½c per lb., the bulk being at from 2¾c to 3¼c, and a few of the leaner beasts at less than 2c per lb. The calves were all small and sold at from $3 to $5 each. Shippers are paying from 3c to 3¼c per lb. for good large sheep. Lambs sell at from 4c to nearly 4½c per lb. J. Neall sold 100 good lambs from Glengarry county yesterday to Z. Zenecal at $4 each. Fat hogs sell at from 4½c to 4¾c per lb.

Cotton Markets.

New York, Dec. 2.—Cotton, spot closed dull, middling uplands 6 13-16, middling gulf 6 1-16, sales none.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 2.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; No. 1. Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 3d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 6d; do., light, 30s 6d; do., short cut, 31s 0d; tallow, 23s 6d; cheese, 43s 0d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures quiet at 7s 5¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., 7s 5¾d for March and 7s 5d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 2¾d for Dec., 3s 2¾d for Jan. and 3s 2¾d for March. Flour 23s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage nominally unchanged; No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, Dec. and Jan., 37s 1½d. English country markets steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady. Clipped oats, Dec. and Jan. 14s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 20f 65c for Jan. Flour 62f 65c for Jan. French country market firm.

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THE PRAGUE RIOTS.

Troops Poured Into the City in Response to Requests.

GERMANS AND THE JEWS SUFFER

The Kurram Column Continues to Advance in Spite of Fierce Resistance—A Severe Punishment at the Point of the Bayonet—Tribesmen Driven From Their Heights.

Prague, Dec. 4.—The city authorities, Bohemian, National and Students' Associations and the workmen's societies met yesterday and appointed a vigilance committee, after which they informed the Stadthalter that the object of the committee was to secure order and safety of life and property. They also requested the Stadthalter to withdraw the troops, but he refused to do this, declaring he was responsible for the maintenance of order. The Stadthalter, however, invited the deputation from the vigilance committee to request the committee to use its influence to prevent further disturbances.

Some of the persons arrested at Smichow will be court martialed for having received the proclamation declaring the city under martial law with jeers and groans. The military patrol fired upon a body of rioters who were trying to demolish a Jewish synagogue at Smichow. Nobody was hit, and the mob fled in confusion.

Yesterday 18 persons were wounded, including two soldiers. The ambulance association issued a report, showing that within 24 hours four persons have been killed, 50 dangerously wounded, and 500 more or less injured. Twenty shops have been burned out. As a further indication of the gravity of the situation, troops to the number of 10,000, equipped with ammunition and other paraphernalia as for a campaign, have been engaged in suppressing the riots.

It is not exactly martial law that has been proclaimed, but rather the institution of summary civil procedure called standrecht, whereby a special tribunal of seven judges is empowered to impose capital and other severe sentences for offences ordinarily punished mildly. There is no appeal against a death sentence by the tribunal, which must be put into execution within two hours by the military if the hangman is not available.

The intimate knowledge the mob has displayed of the exact position of all the wealthiest German houses and of valuable German property shows that the riots were organized in advance. The young Czechs have paraded the streets wearing jewellery plundered from jewellers' shops, and comparatively few German houses have escaped attack.

The riots have aroused intense feeling throughout all Austria and Hungary.

THE KURRAM COLUMN

Continues to Advance in Face of Fierce and Determined Resistance—How Tribesmen Were Punished.

Simla, Dec. 4.—Further despatches from the front say that the Kurram Column of the punitive force of British troops, which met with fierce resistance on its march into the Chamkanni country, where 30 villages of the insurgent tribesmen were burned, has continued its advance and inflicted heavy punishment on the Chamkannis, who held an almost inaccessible position on the heights, which was stormed in fine style by the Gurkhas, who captured the position at the point of the bayonet.

Many of the tribesmen were killed, and the latter left the bodies of 30 of the dead behind them. Of the British force, Major Vansittart and two men were wounded and two privates were killed.

The Maharajah Sir Pratabe Singh was shot in the hand during the night-firing of the enemy at the headquarters camp on Sunday night, but he said nothing about it until questioned respecting the bandage around his hand. The incident is said to be typical of the spirit of the Indian princes.

DEADLOCK MAY BE RENEWED.

Striking Engineers and Employers Still Unable to Settle Differences.

London, Dec. 4.—It is reported that the delegates of the striking engineers who have been conferring with the representatives of the employers have been unable to accept the proposals of the latter, and have decided to leave the conference and submit all the points in dispute to the unions. The conference adjourned until Dec. 14.

The employers decline to recede from their position respecting freedom in the management of their business without the interference of the union, and emphatically pronounced against a reduction in the hours of labor on the ground that such a reduction would mean a diminished output and inability to meet foreign competition. The general impression is that the foregoing means a renewal of the deadlock.

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HOT FROM THE WIRES.

The Eastern and Western, Northern and Southern Hemispheres Scoured for the Very Latest News.

Building lots in the best part of Dawson City are held at $10,000 each.

West Wellington Liberals have nominated Mr. Robt. Scott of Minto.

The C.P.R. are contemplating the building of a third elevator at Owen Sound.

Eight steamers will run between Parry Sound and Chicago next season.

Bristol vs. News-Record, Berlin, libel suit for $10,000 has been settled out of court.

The Welland Canal is to be closed on the 14th inst., or earlier if found absolutely necessary.

A $4000 fire occurred in the American Tire Co.'s premises in Toronto yesterday. Insured fully.

Strs. Kirby and the Hartnell have arrived at Duluth after a very delayed Lake Superior passage.

The Western hotel, Thamesville, had its roof and part of its rear portion burned off last night.

Mr. Charles F. Pourlier, postmaster of St. Cungonde, has disappeared, leaving a shortage of $350, it is stated.

The C.P.R. has 9,580,950 bushels of wheat in Manitoba elevators, against 6,475,750 at the same period last year.

Matthew McKee, 27 years old, a Canadian painter, was arrested last night on a charge of burglary and larceny in Buffalo.

Between 1000 and 1100 turkeys were delivered to Messrs. McGuire Bros., Colborne, for shipment to the English market yesterday.

Miss Hattie Mordue of St. George was killed by the G.T.R. train last night. Both her limbs were cut off and her skull terribly crushed.

Edward Barrett, aged 83, a native of Leeds, Yorkshire, died at Dunnville yesterday. He was an early settler of Binbrook Township.

Judge McCarthy has made an order changing venue in the perjury case against John Hamilton and four others, from Orangeville to Brampton.

Miss Jessie A. M. Gillespie, aged 66 years, a saloon passenger on board the White Star Line steamer Germanic, died on Dec. 1 of heart disease.

Toronto Police Commissioners have decided to send the $250 reward to Buffalo police for recovering the Massey jewelry and arresting Van Zandt, the thief.

George Beatty of East Toronto has been sent for trial on the charge of maliciously wounding Miss McDougall. He has been released on $4000 bail.

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"This would befollowed by dizziness, my eyesight would become blurred and dim, so that many a time I knew not what to do. Gradually I grew weak, my blood became poor, and my entire system run down. My nerves were so unstrung that I could not sleep.

"All the medicine I used and all the doctoring I did was *without effect*, when providentially I heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and started using them. The results were so wonderful that I cannot refrain from speaking about them.

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"To my mind there is no medicine in the world so good as Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for all who suffer as I did." 219

EXPLODING GLASSWARE.

Why Modern Glassware Explodes of Its Own Accord

The thin glass tumblers which have recently been put on the American market in such enormous quantities have surprised many a housekeeper by cracking suddenly while standing on the shelves. It has needed ocular demonstration, says Cassier's Magazine, to convince some housekeepers that tumblers could behave in this manner. When one of these tumblers is found cracked, the first thought is that a careless servant must be in fault. Hot water or rough handling was always the cause of the breakage of the old-fashioned flint glass goblets. The difference between the old and the new kinds of tumblers seems to be in the haste with which the latter is prepared, thus necessitating a very short stay in the annealing furnace. The molecules of the glass in this case have no chance to arrange themselves in lines of least strain, so that every new-fashioned tumbler is filled with torsion stresses tending to fracture its substance with any slight external aid—as, for example, the cool air from an open window striking the proximate sides of the tumblers set on a dining-room table. Of course, the advantage of using the new kind of tumblers is that their cost is only one-fifth or one-sixth of the old kind. Looking at the matter more broadly, the tendency of the new glasses to spontaneous fracture is only another illustration of crystalline degeneration. Herbert Spencer, in perhaps the most fascinating chapter on evolution which he has ever written points out that all substances which have been rendered colloid by the application of heat sooner or later radiate this heat, which has been acting as a cement between the molecules, and become crystalline. Mr. Spencer gives as illustrations of this process the igneous rocks in their various stages, from molten lava to granite, and jam, which becomes gritty when kept too long, owing to the crystalization of the contained sugar.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kingardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

Comfort and Grace Combined.

The new dress skirts are in every way commendable for comfort and grace as well. The linings, which to be really up to date must match the outside, are made with a knife-plaited frill set in on the edge entirely without stiffening, and quite separate from the dress skirt except at the waistband. Skirts are scant in comparison with those we have been wearing, but they are cut in such a way as to give them the pretty, becoming flare around the feet.

Tomato for Cyclists.

A correspondent states that one of the finest remedies for cyclists, and one that is little known, is the tomato. No matter how tired and exhausted the rider may feel, if only a small piece of tomato is eaten it acts like magic, taking all the depressed feeling away, and making one feel quite fresh. Cyclists who are traveling a long distance should try this.

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FRUIT NOTES.

Hints for Work During the Days Before Dreary Winter.

A dressing of coarse manure makes a good mulch.

Shiftless fruit culture cuts down the profits.

Pack apples so that they will not shake about in the barrel.

No farm house is complete without a good orchard and small fruit plot.

Keep down the weeds and suckers among the raspberry plants.

It is always a good plan to mulch newly set trees.

Plow the garden thoroughly as soon as the crops are harvested.

Moss on the trunks of trees is an evidence of unthriftiness.

One-fourth of an acre in small fruits will supply an average family.

The care given fruit plants this year practically determines the crop next year.

Low-headed trees will nearly always bear somewhat sooner than big-headed ones.

Prune weak growth in winter and strong growth in summer.

The head of a tree needs to be fairly open to admit the sun and air for full perfection of fruit.

Train the growing trees so that only dead and injured limbs will need removing later on.

Stimulate the strong raspberry cane by removing the weak ones and cut all surplus growth away.

Thorough tillage, manure and care are all important to the orchard. Give it as much attention as a crop of corn or potatoes.

If the eggs of a tent caterpillar can be cut off the twigs, burn them, and thus make sure of the destruction of the eggs.

Feeble growing and unhealthy trees are usually the result of starvation, bad soil or unfavorable conditions of growth.

When a tree is healthy, the top is luxuriant, but when it is weak or old the top dies or makes little growth, and small shoots sprout all over the trunk.

The orchard should not be cultivated at this season, nor should manure be applied until after the leaves have fallen.

So far as is possible the soil for strawberries should be rich and as free from weed seeds as possible. Wood ashes and bone dust make good fertilizers.

It is impossible for fruit to be perfect and well colored unless the tree—body, branches and leaves—as well as the ground under it, is fully exposed to sunlight.

How to Wean a Calf.

To give an easy mode of weaning a calf. There is no difficulty when the calf is young. Sometimes we allow such a calf to draw the milk from the cow once or twice, but more often not at all. Take the warm milk fresh from the cow and give the calf your submerged finger to suck. Do not be in a hurry; the young one will not perish if it does not drink for six hours after birth. Generally the calf will smell and taste the milk and suck the finger. Withdraw the hand gradually, and after two or three times it will drink without the finger. It requires a good stock of patience, because, generally, the calf objects to put down its head, while nature intended it should hold its head up to get at the teat.

The older the calf is when weaned—that is, if it has drawn its rations from the dam direct, the harder it will be to wean, unless old enough to eat grass or hay. Such a calf should be allowed to fast half a day; then it should be given a thimbleful of the salt, when it will drink the more readily. Follow up the hints given above, and above all in each case separate dam and calf and let them not come together. For a calf a month or six weeks old it is difficult to teach it to drink, but it can be done. In such case have also a box placed so high that the calf cannot tread into it, and in this box keep a handful or two of bran; put grass into the mouth of the young thing and it will learn to chew it, get thirsty and then drink. Handle the animal as frequently as possible and teach it that you are not an enemy but a friend.

Making Cabbages Head.

Every year at this time the grower of cabbages finds his crop deficient in growth, and unless stimulated by extra fertilizing not likely to make a marketable head. Now a cabbage that does not head is merely a bunch of loose leaves that cannot be sold at all. It does not matter what the cause of failure may be. Possibly the plant was originally a weakling, and with ordinary care and rich soil could not amount to anything. Or it may be that lack of cultivation or natural poverty of the soil is the cause of failure to head. Either way the duty of the cabbage grower is plain. He should thoroughly cultivate the soil around the cabage, and then apply a weak solution of nitrogeneous and mineral plant food, the latter in the form of phosphate. If this is done at once the cabbages will start into growth so quickly and so strongly that, before the growing season closes, the grower will probably be obliged to partially uproot his cabbages to prevent them from splitting open with the excess of plant food with which they are furnished. It is almost the only instance for which we can recommend liquid manures as paying their cost. In most other cases it pays better to apply the fertilizer early, and let nature supply the necessary water in melting snows and rains.

Solids in Milk.

Many people are surprised to learn that milk which is liquid has a larger proportion of solid contents than have many articles of food. Milk averages 35 per cent. of solid matter, of which a considerable part is albumen. It is this which coagulates with heat, and still more when rennet is used. Potatoes are 80 per cent. moisture, though when the potato is cooked the starch in it expands, making it seem much more heartier food than it is. The solid of the potato is mainly starch. That of milk is divided between caseine, butter fats and sugar, the last of which is found in whey, which, even though it be soured, shows by that fact that it has had some sugar in it.

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Source of Heat in the Body.

An important source of heat in the body is due to the friction of the blood as it circulates in its vessels. All of this resistance, which is overcome by the heart, is transformed directly into heat. We may calculate the amount approximately. It is supposed that .6193 kilogram meters of blood is expelled from the left ventricle at each stroke, and at 75 strokes a minute this would give 44.3124 kilogram meters per minute. If we suppose that the right heart does one-quarter the work of the left, or about 10 kilogram meters per minute, we have for the total work per minute 54.312 kilogram meters, which corresponds to 128 calories per minute.

This is perhaps a rather high estimate for ordinary conditions, but where the heart is forced to pump a much larger quantity of blood in order to maintain the normal temperature this estimate is probably much exceeded at times. Since this friction takes place largely in the most constricted portions of the circulation, it would be natural to expect that the blood which had been driven through the capillary system of a gland would issue much warmer than it entered, and such we find to be the case. Thus the blood of the hepatic vein has been observed to be 40.7°, while that in the right heart was 37.7. In the muscles no contraction can take place without an increased flow of blood through them, with a simultaneous constriction of the capillaries, which would naturally give arise to a considerable production of heat, a fact constantly observed.—Sanitarian.

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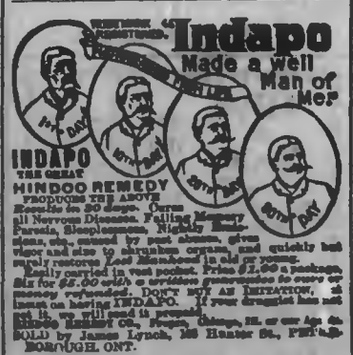

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"Excuse me," interrupted the friend, "did this party have affidavits with these statements?"

"He said he had, but I guess he must have frozen to death hunting for them, because he never came back when I asked him to go after them for me," and the returned Chilkooter smiled a smile that was childlike and bland.

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ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be three masses. celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Second Sunday in Advent, December 5th. Services:—8.30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 10 a.m., Morning Prayer; 11 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., mens meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Second Sunday in Advent—December 5th. Services: 8.30 a. m. Celebration of the Holy Communion; Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 a m., Subject, "The Ends of the Ages"; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Cressley, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5th. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. Dr. Potts; 7 p. m. song sermon by pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5th. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. W. G. Clarke, B. A., of Belleville, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. Dr. Potts, Secretary of Educational Committee. Collections and subscriptions in aid of the Educational Fund. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. conducted by Rev. Mr. Harrison, of Bridgenorth.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by Rev. John Hay, M.A., B.D., of Cobourg. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday 8 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 5th. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. conducted by pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Monthly collections for missions.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class 3 p.m., Young People's Union every Monday evening 8 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O. C Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 5. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening. Bible Training class Friday evening at 8 p. m.

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Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

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GENERAL PANDO ALIVE.

Report of His Death Said to Be an Insurance Fake.

Madrid, Dec. 4.—The Government has received an official despatch from Havana which states that General Pando, who was placed in charge of the military operations in the island by Captain-General Blanco, reached Ciego de Avila, on the Moron-Jucaro trocha, on Tuesday, after an engagement with the insurgents, in which the latter lost 19 killed and the Spaniards 15. This despatch allays the fears that had arisen from the report that General Pando had been killed.

Dauntless Back for Another Cargo.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 4.—The filibustering steamer Dauntless arrived in port last night, after having successfully landed another expedition in Cuba. The Dauntless is reported to have landed a cargo, including a 16-pound Hoohkiss gun. A large quantity of quinine was also landed for the insurgents.

FIELD GUNS FOR CHINA.

Germany Evidently Does Not Intend to be Caught Napping.

Berlin, Dec. 4.—The naval department has sent instructions to Kiel to despatch 200 artillerymen with field guns and 1000 marines to China.

As Viewed in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 4.—Great reticence is observed in official circles here regarding the political situation in the far East, but the opinion prevails that Germany will not occupy Kiao Chou Bay, on the Shan-Ting Peninsula, permanently. The Russian newspapers protest against the occupation of Kiao Chou Bay as being calculated to injure the interests of Russians in the far East, and they declare the Russian Government ought to demand its evacuation, or else obtain an equivalent.

HE HAS RESIGNED.

Lieut.-Governor Mackintosh Retires on the 31st December Next—The Volunteer Long Service Medal.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—Lieutenant-Governor Mackintosh's resignation, to take effect from Dec. 31 next, has been received.

Hon. W.S. Fielding will be given a grand reception in Halifax on Monday.

Mr. Campbell, manager of the Beaver Line, has notified the Department of Trade and Commerce that the Gallia, which sails from St. John next week, will carry about 300 tons of Canadian poultry for the Christmas markets in the Old Country.

The seat for Quebec Centre will be vacant within a week, and the appointment of Hon. Francois Langelier "to an office of emolument under the Crown" will be announced. The Liberal candidate will be Mr. Albert Mallouin, son of Mr. Jean Mallouin, who represented the constituency from 1873 to 1882.

Dr. Borden who sails from New York for the Old Country next week, will ask the War Office to issue long service medals to Canadian militia officers who have served twenty-five years. Recently a hint was given that a personal interview between the Canadian Minister and the Secretary of State for War might result in the medals being granted. Dr. Borden fully realized that now is the time for Canada to claim a boon, and that Lord Lansdowne being at the head of the War Office makes the granting thereof pretty certain. Volunteer officers in the Old Country get such a medal.

Commissioners Noxon, Fraser and Lafontain, who were appointed to enquire into the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, will meet here to-day, and take the evidence of ex-Inspector Moylan.

Hon. Mr. Mulock has decided to remove the restriction which at present prevents the user of a post card from utilizing the front of a post card by having anything written or printed on except the address of the person for whom it is intended. Mr. Mulock's intention is to permit pictures, views, designs or other advertising matter to be printed on the face of the card, so long as sufficient clear space is left to allow of the address being written or printed, so that it can be easily read in the office where it is posted.

Lacrosse Conspiracy Case Dismissed.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—The case against J. C. Shea, Joseph Troy and F. Bissonnette for conspiracy, at the assizes here to-day as a result of the Capital-Toronto lacrosse match, was thrown out by the judge. It was not permitted to go to the jury. The only new evidence in the case was that given by J. P. Dunne, secretary of the Capital Lacrosse Club. He showed that players got no stated salaries, but that they usually received about $100 as a bonus at the end of the year.

The judge said that while there might be suspicions as to the betting and the match, yet there was nothing to show conspiracy, and would not let the case go to the jury, and the case was wiped off the record.

Strain is Very Great.

It is generally held by Alpine climbers, says The British Medical Journal, in speaking of age and cycling, that most of the fatal accidents in mountain climbing occur through the failure at the critical moment of some man who has taken to mountaineering too late in life, and who is, perhaps, also out of condition. An old dog cannot be taught tricks, according to the proverb, and, though it is disagreeable to have to realise that we have passed the age when we can excel in a new pastime requiring special skill to avoid accident, and youthful adaptibility and elasticity to avoid overstrain, it is the part of wisdom to accept the inevitable. There is no reason why middle-aged men, and even those who have passed middle-age, should not take to cycling, but it should be with a frank recognition of the limitations which age imposes. Great strain, long distances, and hill climbing put a strain upon the constitution and will find out the weak places, the parts of the system which are going faster perhaps than the rest—the heart, it may be, or the vessels of the brain. So, also, in regard to riding a bicycle in crowded thoroughfares, the strain on the attention is considerable, the risk not small if a man has lost the quickness of youth.

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GAUDAUR'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Englishman's Challenge Not Likely to be Accepted, Although He Has a $50 Forfeit Up.

Orillia, Dec. 4.—The following letter, addressed to Jake Gaudaur, was received here yesterday afternoon. It is important, inasmuch as it contains the only genuine challenge for the world's championship received by the champion since defeating Stanbury on the Thames on Sept. 7, 1896: "Office of The Sportsman, London, Eng., "Nov. 19, 1897.

"To J. G. Gaudaur, Esq., Orillia, Ont.:

"Dear Sir,—James Wray has formally challenged you through the columns of The Sportsman to row him for £200 a side, The Sportsman Cup and the championship of the world, and has deposited with me £50 towards his stake. May I hope for the favor of a prompt reply in accordance with the cup conditions? Yours truly, Editor Sportsman."

The challenge, of course, may, therefore, be considered as genuine. The letter has been forwarded to Mr. Gaudaur at Rat Portage, and his answer will be known in a few days.

It is believed that he will not accept a challenge for £200 and the world's championship. It is doubtful if he would journey to England in any case for so small a stake, unless he received say £50 expense money. His position in the matter has been distinctly stated before; he will give expenses and row in America or take expenses if the race is in England. Of course, if the stake is large enough, say at least $600 or $800, he would likely waive this condition. Wray's challenge is generally considered a most unsatisfactory one in other respects as well.

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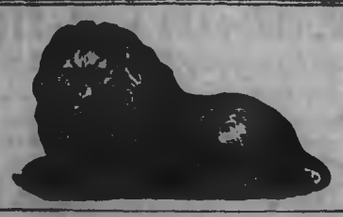
R.  F.

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TRADE FOLLOWS BRITAIN'S FLAG

Dangers Attendant Upon Reciprocity With the United States Strikingly Set Forth—"There Should be No Haste in the Efforts to Negotiate a Reciprocity Treaty."

Toronto, Dec. 6.—A most successful and enthusiastic open meeting of the British Empire League was held on Saturday evening in St. George's Hall. The feature of the gathering was an address upon the present aspect of the trade policy of Canada and the empire, which was delivered by Hon. Geo. W. Ross, Minister of Education for Ontario. The audience steadily punctuated Hon. Mr. Ross' speech with applause, while at times he was fairly interrupted by the audience's manifestations of sympathy and pleasure. After his preface Mr. Ross spoke, in part, as follows:

For many years our attention has been divided between the markets of two countries—the United States and Great Britain. To say the least of it, the markets of the United States have been fluctuating and unsatisfactory. Every commercial crisis in the American Republic reacted with tremendous force upon the trade of Canada, and, still worse, the periodical changes of American tariffs rendered the investment of capital and the establishment of commercial intercourse very uncertain. During this jubilee year we have, however, turned our attention more earnestly than ever before towards the markets of Great Britain. To my mind this circumstance will hereafter be just as notable in the history of Canada commercially as the evolution of a more generous loyalty to Britain will be politically.

Let me give you a few reasons: Great Britain imported in 1896 for home consumption $790,000,000 worth of food products, all of which, with the exception of tea and fruit and some minor articles amounting to $100,000,000, can be produced in Canada. For instance, in 1896 she imported 180,000,000 bushels of wheat, of which Canada supplied only 10,000,000; she imported 12,000,000 barrels of flour, of which Canada supplied only 90,000 barrels; she imported 5,500,000 bushels of peas, of which Canada supplied only 1,400,000 bushels; she imported 58,000,000 bushels of oats, of which Canada supplied only 500,000 bushels; she imported 52,500,000 bushels of barley, of which Canada supplied only 47,000 bushels; she imported 510,000,000 pounds of bacon, of which Canada supplied only 47,000,000 pounds; she imported 168,500,000 pounds of ham, of which Canada supplied only 6,500,000 pounds; she imported 324,000,000 pounds of mutton, of which Canada supplied only 4000 pounds; she imported 6,000,000 bushels of apples, of which Canada supplied only 1,500,000 bushels; she imported 251,000,000 pounds of cheese, of which Canada supplied only 164,000,000 pounds; she imported 340,000,000 pounds of butter, of which Canada supplied only 5,000,000 pounds. The whole export of foodstuffs of every description from Canada to Great Britain last year amounted to about $48,000,000, or less than 7 per cent. of the food products imported by Great Britain for home consumption.

And this brings me to consider what should be done to obtain a larger recognition in the British market so far as we are concerned, and also what might be done by Great Britain to give to Canada and to the other colonies any preference over foreign nations consistent with the interests of the Empire.

In order to make my position clear, it might be worth while to give in detail a few of the considerations which might very properly influence Great Britain to give the products of Canada and of her other colonies a preference over the products of foreign nations. (1) The commercial advantages to the colonies with such a preference would greatly strengthen and increase their attachment to the Empire. Commercial interchange means much more than simply buying and selling; it carries with it social and business relations and leads to a better knowledge of the political institutions of the countries concerned in such commerce. Nothing would conduce more to a permanent union of her colonies than a better understanding in Great Britain of Canadian sentiment and feeling, and no better way could be found of increasing an acquaintance than by increasing trade.

(2) The greatness of England depends upon the maintenance of her colonies. Every British statesman of any note, nowadays at least, admits that her position among the other nations of the world would be seriously affected by the loss of any one of her important colonies. In order to the maintenance of that pre-eminence, any measure not detrimental to her interests, apart from the colonies, is worthy of her most serious consideration.

(3) Her naval supremacy depends to a certain extent on the numerous coaling stations and harbors of refuge which she possesses under her own flag the world over. Anyone who studies the great highways of commerce with a map of the world before him can see how the loss of Gibraltar, or Malta, or Hong Kong, or Halifax would seriously cripple England in maintaining her naval supremacy.

(4) Such a preference for the colonies would greatly stimulate the interests of the residents of the British Islands in colonial affairs, and would lead, I am confident, to a more speedy settlement of the wild lands of the various colonies and the development of their resources. From this there would be many advantages: (a) the congested settlements of the Mother Country would be relieved, and, to that extent, the burdens of maintaining a dependent population would be greatly diminished; (b) the increased population of the colonies would give a larger market to the products of the British manufacturers, and (c) the increased products of the colonies would add to the value of British commerce and increase the freights of British vessels.

(5) To be secure against danger in time of war, it is important to the Empire that her food supply should be produced under her own flag. The development of the colonies, and particularly the development of Canada, with our vast wheat areas in the Northwest, would furnish a very considerable portion, if not all, of that food supply.

It may be said that under no circumstances can we look forward to such a change in the free trade policy of Great Britain as would warrant us in hoping that her laboring classes would submit to the taxation of their food in any sense or form for the benefit of the colonies. On that point I am not so sure. The reasons I have already stated would go a considerable distance to satisfy the laboring classes of Great Britain that a trifling increase, putting it at the very worst, of the cost of their food supplies, had some compensating advantages. I have misread very completely the remarks of several leaders of public opinion if I am wrong in believing that the manufacturers of England are not fully satisfied with the admission of the products of other countries into the British market, whilst their products are shut out of the markets of such countries by tariffs almost prohibitory. A zollverein between the colonies and the Empire, as was suggested by Mr. Chamberlain, Colonial Secretary, would mean for some years at least a tax on many articles now admitted to the British market free. In his speech before the third Congress of the Chambers of Commerce on June 9, 1896, he said, speaking of a zollverein:

"An essential condition of such a proposal would be that Britain shall consent to replace moderate duties upon certain articles which are of large production in the colonies. Now, if I have rightly understood it, these articles shall comprise corn, meat, wool and sugar, and perhaps other articles of enormous consumption in this country which are at present largely produced in the colonies." Further, after pointing out that such a zollverein existed in Germany and in the United States, he stated: "I say that such a proposal as a zollverein between Britain and her colonies might commend itself even to the orthodox free trader"; and further on he says: "I want to impress upon you my personal conviction that if a proposal of this kind came to us from the colonies, backed by any considerable support on their part, it would not be met with a blank refusal by the people of this country."

The London Times, quoted by Sir Donald Smith in a speech delivered at the same congress, said: "It is getting to be understood that free trade is made for man, not man for free trade. . . . The British Empire is so large and so self-supporting that it could very well afford for the sake of a serious political gain to surround itself with a moderate fence." These two quotations are very suggestive.

But there is, perhaps, more significant evidence still in the denunciation of the Belgian and German treaties of the desire of Great Britain to improve and further colonial trade, particularly with Canada. When it is remembered that her trade with Germany and Belgium amounted to $600,000,000 and her trade with Canada to only about $100,000,000, it will be seen how large a commercial risk she was prepared to take for the sake of strengthening her relations with this country. Neither the fear of possible irritation on the part of Germany or Belgium nor the diversion of her immense trade with the German Empire was allowed to stand in the way of treaties that existed for over 30 years, when it was pointed out to her that in the interest of Canada such a course was desirable. Having done so much for one colony, why should we doubt her disposition to give a reasonable preference to colonial goods for the benefit of over 11,000,000 of her subjects in all her colonies?

If the question could only be made an Imperial issue and thus separated from all commercial complications the watchword would not be free trade or protection, but the unification and consolidation of the Empire, and on this view of the question it is not hard to predict what the attitude of the British Empire League should be.

Next in importance to preferential trade with Great Britain is the subject of a reciprocity treaty between Canada and the United States. In dealing with this question the honorable gentleman, after giving a succinct history of the various treaties which had affected Canadian trade with the United States, showed that in its political aspect there were certain grave dangers which he warned them of. The fifth and concluding of these was:

"Trade follows the flag, and British subjects follow British trade. For the further settlement of this country, as well as for strengthening our relations with the Empire, our obvious policy is to develop trade with Great Britain."

For the reasons given there should be no haste in the efforts to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the United States. We owe it to ourselves that we should not approach the Americans in any spirit of dependence or subserviancy. It should be understood that we ask no favors in the American market for which we are unable to give an ample equivalent in the Canadian market, and no condition involving the sacrifice of any vested right or any consideration whatsoever as to the use of our waterways, our railroads, or our fisheries, should be put in the scale as a counterpoise to any privilege afforded us in the markets of the United States.

A commercial treaty that cannot be made on a commercial basis, pure and simple, should not be made at all. On this point there should be neither parleying nor pandering. If we cannot pay in kind for what we get we must not take the risk of supplementing the transaction by any other consideration.

Premier Greenway Coming East.

Winnipeg, Dec. 6.—Premier Greenway, who has been in a poor state of health for several weeks, left for Montreal to-day via the Northern Pacific, where he will consult a leading specialist.

A meeting of the Provincial Cabinet was held Saturday morning. The Legislature will be called together the latter end of January or the first week in February.

The C.P.R. and Vancouver.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 6.—At a meeting of the City Council and the C. P. R. the company, through G. McL. Brown, made the following proposition in brief: "They would spend half a million of dollars on the erection of a station building and extension of wharves if the city would safeguard their interests against an opposition road for eight yearss and exempt the new work from taxation for twenty years. The Council consented to submit the proposition to the people if the eight years' clause is eliminated. It is thought this will be done and the by-law will carry, as this is no factional opposition.

Shook Hands and Died.

Sherbrooke, Que., Dec. 6.—Mr. E. G. Miles, representing the Granby Rubber Co., dropped dead in one of our stores here Saturday evening. He had just reached the store and shook hands with the proprietor and sat down. Mr. Miles had left his hotel after supper in perfect health and took the steep ascent on King street to reach his destination. It is supposed that he over heated himself in this, and his walk having been preceded by a hearty supper, caused the complications which brought about his sudden death.

Slaughter House and Hides Burned.

Portage la Prairie, Man., Dec. 6.—The slaughter house and outbuildings owned by Norman Livingstone were burned Friday night. It is supposed the fire originated from a boiling furnace. The buildings are situated about a mile northeast of the town. They are valued at $1000. The contents were worth $400 or $500, and included meat, hides, tools and fittings. No insurance.

Steamers Aground.

Kingston, Dec. 6.—The Str. Rosedale is grounded on Charity Shoals, about 15 miles from here. The tug Walker could not get near her yesterday. The wind is high, and she is pounding terribly.

Port Stanley, Dec. 6.—The Sch. Luella Beatrice of Port Burwell is ashore east of here. The crew were taken off with the life boat, and the vessel is taking no harm as she lies on an even keel in three feet of water.

Archibald Buchanan Hangs Himself.

Penetanguishene, Ont., Dec. 6.—Archibald Buchanan of this town, who had a small farm about three miles out, left his house in town and went out on Friday morning and did not return on Saturday evening. His niece, who was keeping house for him in the absence of his wife, mentioned the circumstance, and two neighbors made a search. On entering the barn they saw Buchanan's body hanging from a beam. He had used a three-quarter inch new manilla rope and must have dropped several feet, as the beam is fifteen feet from the floor. An inquest will be held to-day.

Drowned in a Cistern.

Hamilton, Dec. 6.—C. W. Wellington, a car cleaner of the H., O. & B. Electric Railway, fell into the cistern of his house at Beamsville on Saturday afternoon and was drowned.

The residence of F. W. Fearman, the wealthy pork packer, was burglarized early on Saturday morning. The thieves took out a $200 diamond pin, besides money and clothing.

Killed by a Cowboy.

Cannington, Ont., Dec. 6.—News has been received here that Archie C. McKay, son of John McKay of this place, was shot and killed by a cowboy at Davenport, Wash.

See our Men's heavy Tweed and Friese Pants at 69c, 98c, $1.25 and $1.50. Grafton & Co.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA FAGH, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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OUR TIMBER RESOURCES NOT EXHAUSTED.

A Conservative estimate (not a Liberal Conservative) indicates that the timber resources of the province, according to the past rate of cut, are sufficient to last a hundred years. The reforesting policy of the present government which meets with the hearty endorsation of most pronounced Opposition journals, will result in the reproduction of merchantable pine growths in fifty years, so that at the end of a hundred years, when possibly the older growth may have passed away, we shall have a new supply of excellent timber on our forest areas. Under these circumstances our timber resources, properly handled, that is handled as the present government is handling them, will be perpetual. Besides the new growth of timber will be of better quality and can, if desired, be better preserved, for the present growth contains a large amount of decaying timber necessitating immediate cutting no matter how desirable it may be to contract cutting operations. We have, therefore, no reason to fear the disappearance of our timber resources, so long as they are administered with the care that has characterized the past. But the application of Conservative methods, as illustrated by those of the Conservative Dominion Government would soon bring us to the last log. In the eighteen months they had charge of the timber limits of the Province, they sold more than the present Government did in twenty-five years, and to political favourites at the absurdly low price of $5 per square mile, while the average price got by the Ontario Government has been about three hundred times as much.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

MR. WHITNEY, leader of the Opposition, complains that there are too many Government officials in Ontario. There is no man more anxious for office than Mr. Whitney himself.

A fifty million dollar wire trust is expected to come into full operation in a month or so, covering the United States. The trusts seem to make quicker time than the anti-combine laws. The Dingley tariff encourages the combine industry more than any other.

WE are shocked in Canada by the large number of murders that have recently been committed, but there is one compensation. Justice has followed swiftly on the red tracks of crime. Bad as we are we enjoy millenial conditions compared to some and many parts of the United States. An official report published last week in South Carolina shows that in that single state during the past year 200 murders have occurred.

IMPROVING PUBLIC ROADS.

Among the many other evidences of the practical interest taken by the Ontario Government in the advancement of the welfare of the Province, is the system adopted by the Government for the improvement of our public highways—a matter of greatest importance to all classes especially farmers and bicyclists. On this subject "Lindenbank," in the Montreal Witness, says:

This is a subject that is occupying a large amount of attention at the present time. Much space is being devoted to it in farm journals. The importance of having better roads is being urged on the attention of all classes. Good roads are an important feature of civilization. They are a financial, moral, and religious blessing. Nearness to market and places of business is a great convenience to the farmer. It is not one of the things taken into account by all who are looking for a new home. To a farmer who needs to go to the neighboring town or village three or six miles distant twice a week, it makes a great difference whether he passes over a smooth, hard road, or through mud and ruts a foot deep, and over stones or other obstructions. Good roads make it easy to attend lectures and religious services, they favour in a variety of ways the dissemination of knowledge, and are useful educators of a community. Roads are one of the distinctions between a rude and a refined people. Fine, smooth roads indicate good culture and refined tastes, while neglected thoroughfares indicate an uncultured population, and a backward state of civilization and improvement generally. Ease in getting to market with produce is no small item of profit in connection with farming, while bad roads cause a heavy tax in the WAY of repairs to vehicles, harness and horses. The Department of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario has taken up this matter in downwright earnest. It gives a subsidy to a 'Good Roads Association' and also employs a commissioner whose business it is to visit the various parts of the province where his services are needed and invited. This official is Mr. Archibald Campbell, C. E., a very capable man, who has had a large experience in the science of road-making, and may very properly be regarded as an expert at the business.

A FREE WOMAN AGAIN.

Louise Villeneuve, Who Was Accused of Killing Her Husband, Acquitted by the Jury.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 4.—Yesterday, before Chancellor Boyd and a jury, Louise Villeneuve was put on trial charged with the murder of her husband near Chelmsford on Oct. 18 last.

The prisoner wept, while her 12-year-old son, who was the chief witness against her, told how on the day of the tragedy he and his father and mother were in a pig sty which his father was building. He left to work in an adjoining field, and his mother went to attend the baby, which was crying in the house. Returning half an hour later he found his father lying on the floor with an axe imbedded in his head and two logs on top of him. He went and told his mother, who was singing the baby to sleep. She did not at first appear to believe him, but when he had convinced her that he was in earnest she ran crying to where her husband lay. She called in the neighbors. He was satisfied his mother had not gone from the house to the pig sty while he was in the field.

It was shown that the woman had told other persons she had seen her husband only 10 minutes before the body was found. There was no direct evidence. His Lordship charged strongly in favor of the prisoner, and the jury retired, returning in half an hour with a verdict of "not guilty." Mrs. Villeneuve was at once discharged.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 6.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.30 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The demand continues fair and prices unchanged. Sales of red winter were made at 81½c to 82c, high freights. No. 2 spring at 81c to 82c on Midland, and goose at 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 90c on Northern, and at 95c to 96c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is unchanged, with moderate offerings of low grades. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c to 28c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23c west and at 24c on Midland. Mixed quoted at 22c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales today at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is firm, with sales at 32c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with prices ruling at 26c to 26½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices easier at $3.10 to $3.15 for cars on track.

Cheese Markets.

Watertown, N. Y., Dec. 4.—During the week and to-day 7500 cheese were sold at prices ranging from 7¾c to 8c for large white and 8¼c for small singles, leaving about 8000 still unsold.

Cotton Markets.

New York, Dec. 4.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady; sales, 72,800 bales; Jan., 5.71c; Feb., 5.76c; March, 5.80c; April, 5.82c; May, 5.90c; June, 5.95c; July, 5.99c, Aug., 6.03c; September, 6.05c; Octo., 6.07c; Dec., 5.68c.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 5¾c; middling Gulf 6¼c; sales, 20 bales.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 4.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8d to 7s 9d; No. 1, Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2¾d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 33s 6d; do., light, 32s 0d; do., short cut, 31s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures dull, at 7s 4¾d for December, January and February, 7s 4½d for March and 7s 3½d for May. Maize dull, at 3s 2½d for December, 3s 1¾d for January and 3s 1¾d for February. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast and on passage nominally unchanged. No. 1 Manitoba, hard, January and February, 37s 9d. Maize on passage easy and partially 3d lower.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 23f 75c for January. Flour, 62f 40c for January.

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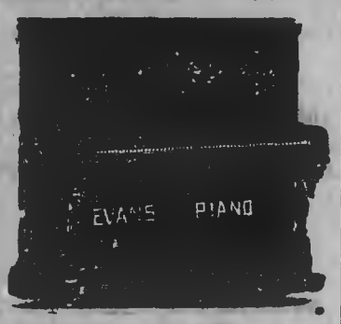
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Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18 825
Manufacturers	324.449	353.149	30 700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907 322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349 263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295,178.

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THE CASE OF DREYFUS

A Heated Discussion in the Chamber of Deputies.

PREMIER M. MELINE'S STAND.

Paris is Greatly Excited Over the Question of the Banished Officer's Guilt—Capt. Dreyfus Has, in Any Case, Been Very Brutally Treated —Court Martial for Esterhazy.

Paris, Dec. 6.—The case of Dreyfus was discussed in the Chamber of Deputies on Saturday and occasionally gave rise to heated utterances. A good majority of the Deputies, however, sustained the stand in the matter taken by the Government. M. Andre Castelen, representing the second district of Laon, editor of The Cocarde and formerly one of the warm supporters of the late General Boulanger, brought the matter up by asking Premier M. Meline to reassure the public, especially the army, on the subject, to which the Premier replied:—"There is no Dreyfus affair and can be none."

CASE OF CAPT. DREYFUS.

French Treatment of the Alleged Traitor a Scandal Even in Paris.

Paris, Dec. 6.—The remarkable case of Captain Dreyfus is exciting an extraordinary amount of attention not only in France, but throughout the world. Whether Dreyfus was guilty of betraying State secrets to the enemy, or whether he was the victim of a fiendish plot against his liberty, are the questions which everybody is asking, and to which nobody seems to be prepared to give an answer. It is difficult to believe that the officers who tried and convicted Dreyfus can possibly have been parties to any conspiracy against him. Their natural instincts would lead them to put the best possible construction upon the acts of a fellow officer. It is this fact which makes it difficult to believe that this unfortunate man was really the victim of a terrible miscarriage of justice. On the other hand, one cannot forget the extraordinary zest with which the ordinary Parisian throws himself into the hue and cry against a spy, or the readiness with which he visits his vengeance upon the innocent as well as upon the guilty. One can only hope that the mystery will be cleared up, and the question of the guilt or the innocence of Dreyfus will not be left where it now is. But whether innocent or guilty, there can be no doubt that this unhappy man has met with the most cruel treatment at the hands of the French Government and people. It is a reproach to the nation, as a whole, that it should have treated him as it has done. Even if he were guilty of having done everything that is alleged against him, no excuse can be offered for the barbarity of the treatment which he has received. Surely Frenchmen, who are justly proud of their civilization and of their passionate love of humanity, must see that they have done small credit to themselves by the brutal manner in which they have not merely punished this alleged traitor, but have revelled in the tortures they have inflicted upon him. Whatever may be the merits of his case, his treatment since his conviction is a discredit to the French people as a whole.

COUNT ESTERHAZY.

A Court Martial Ordered to Examine Into the Charges Against Him.

Paris, Dec. 6.—The Military Governor of Paris, General Saussier, has ordered the formation of a court martial to examine into the charges against Count Ferdinand Walsin Esterhazy, the retired major of the French army, who is accused of writing the letter which brought about the sentencing of Alfred Dreyfus to imprisonment for life.

The Journal says that the decision of General Saussier is based on the report of General Pellieux, who was appointed by the Minister of War to examine into the charges brought against Count Esterhazy, and which is as follows: "So far as Dreyfus is concerned the case has been tried, no new fact has been brought to light and no new document has been submitted, during the course of the inquiry to justify a revision of the trial. In consequence there is no ground for proceeding against Count Esterhazy, so far as regards the crime of high treason, for which Alfred Dreyfus was condemned."

Mr. Ritchie Will Not Interfere.

London, Dec. 6.—The Right Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, President of the Board of Trade, declines, on behalf of the Board of Trade, to accede to the request of the men that he should interfere in the present labor dispute with a view of arranging a conference between the Amalgamated Society of Railway Men and the railway companies as a whole, in order to avert a strike.

Mr. Ritchie, in his reply, reminds the men, in substance, that they are a specially privileged body, having special responsibilities, and that their present attitude is unjustifiable.

Compressed Flour For British Forces.

London, Dec. 6.—Both the British Admiralty and the War Department are testing under various climatic conditions the new method of conserving flour. Experiments are being made with a system of compression into bricks by hydraulic pressure. The trials show that flour so treated is not affected by damp even under unfavorable conditions, is free from mold, and is sweet and wholesome. Moreover, compression destroys all forms of larval life, and flour is thereby rendered safe from the attacks of insects. The saving in storage is enormous, as the cubic space occupied by 100 pounds of loose flour will hold more than 300 pounds of the compressed article.

THE POPE'S HEALTH.

His Physician Orders Hot Sand Baths—60th Anniversary Abandoned.

London, Dec. 6.—A despatch to The Pall Mall Gazette from Rome, published Saturday afternoon, announces that the Pope lately has not been enjoying his usual health. Dr. Lapponi, the attending physician of His Holiness, has been obliged to adopt special precautions against the weather, and has changed the hot sand baths, which the venerable primate has been taking weekly, to hot sand baths three times a week. This, it is explained, is the only way by which the doctor can counteract the rheumatic systems of the Pope, which, according to the despatch, supervene at the patient's slightest exposure. Dr. Lapponi, it is added, has forbidden His Holiness to take part in any tiring function, and, therefore, the programme mapped out for the ceremonies which were to take place on the 60th anniversary of the celebration of the first mass of Leo XIII. have been abandoned.

Birthday of the Princess.

London, Dec. 6.—All the members of the family of the Prince of Wales, and several of the friends of the heir apparent, including the Duke and Duchess of Orleans, the Duke and Duchess of Portland and Earl and Countess de Grey, have been at Sandringham throughout the past week, where the birthday of the Princess of Wales was celebrated on Wednesday last with great heartiness. The Princess, who was born Dec. 1, 1844, received many presents from all parts of the world. The Czar and Czarina sent jewels, and Emperor William of Germany presented the Princess with a large photograph of himself, in an English uniform, enclosed in a costly frame, and accompanied by a cordial birthday greeting, with four lines in original verse.

A Peace Treaty Signed.

Constantinople, Dec. 6.—The final treaty of peace between Turkey and Greece was formally signed by the representatives of the two Governments at 3.30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the ratification of the treaty to take place 15 days later.

Off For Mombasa.

Bombay, Dec. 6.—The twenty-seventh Bombay infantry with a field hospital, large quantities of telegraph equipment and several lakhs of rupees for immediate expenses, sailed Saturday for the Island of Mombasa, off the coast of Zanzibar, west coast of Africa, where ten thousand coolies will be engaged to accompany the troops. The expedition is under the direct orders of the British War Office. The Island of Mombasa belongs to Zanzibar, which is included in the East Africa protectorate of Great Britain. Mombasa is the capital of what is known as the Coast Province.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

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Raising a Larger Army.

London, Dec. 5.—The Army bill takes precedence over all others in the coming session of the British Parliament, and the Government is preparing to force the measures through before Easter. The increased amounts required will possibly exceed any budget surplus which may exist, but there will be no objection even upon the part of the "little Englanders." The question of raising a larger army for Great Britain is the topic of the hour, and even the bogey of the possibility of an invasion has been raised.

Storms in Italy.

Rome, Dec. 6.—Terrible storms have prevailed for three days over large parts of Italy. In the Bay of Naples twenty-five merchantmen have been wrecked, though there has been no loss of life, and several houses on the sea front have collapsed.

Germany Clings to Its Colony.

Berlin, Dec. 6.—The Hamburgische correspondent says that the German Government has emphatically refused to cede to Great Britain her protectorate over the German portion of New Guinea, which is rich in gold.

London's Police Inefficient.

London, Dec. 6.—Another mysterious murder, making eight unsolved assassinations, along with numberless burglaries for big amounts of property, has created general dissatisfaction with the metropolitan police.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Had no Dog Tags.

Chas. Colwell was in the police court this morning, charged with having three dogs for which he had not purchased tags. After he received his summons he took out a tag for one, but objected to paying for the other two. It just cost him $7.85 before he left the court.

Accidents to Children.

Children in their play are apt to get sprains, bruises or cuts, and the pain these little ones suffer before relief is brought to them should convince mothers that it is necessary to be always prepared for accidents. "Quickcure" is a healer that acts quickly and removes pain at once.

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The annual meeting of the Ontario Hockey Association was held Saturday afternoon at the Queen's Hotel, with President J. A. McFadden, of Stratford, in the chair, and the following delegates present:

London, J Hobbs and W Laidlaw; Stratford, A Ballantyne and A McIntosh; Varsity, H Gooderham and E P Brown; T A O, Hardisty and George Carruthers; Cornwall, F J McLellan and E Buck; Preston, S Claire; St George's, E Birmingham and E Foster; Barrie, F W Tiffin and W A Boyes; Guelph Victorias, Pettrie and Dobbie; U C C, A A Macdonald and W Darling; Lakefield, King and Watson; Peterboro', Kenner and Buchanan; Melbrook, Church and Phelan; Queen's, McNab and Harris; Wellingtons, J S Robertson and H Johnson; Collingwood, Labatt and Telford; Ayr, Hilborn and Roberts; Norwood, Lamont and A G Crawford; Trinity, Parmenter and Kisson; Orangeville, Thompson and Watts; Frontenac, Rigney and Ford; Orillia, Beaton and Irving; Waterloo, Seagram and McDonald; Windsor, Roberts and Jones; Osgoode, J McMurrich, and R H Temple.

The president opened the meeting by welcoming the delegates of the old clubs, as well as the new ones. The secretary's report was satisfactory to all. The secretary's report was satisfactory to all. The treasurer's report showed the association to be in a good financial condition. They started last season with $236 76. The expenses for the season were $166 25, and receipts from the different gates $252, leaving a balance now on hand of $322 07.

The amendments to the rules and regulations, eight in number, were then taken up. A 30 days' residential qualification was the substance of the first amendment, which was championed by Mr. Telford, of Collingwood. It was opposed by W. B. Buchanan, of Peterborough, on the grounds that it would prevent his club from playing Lionel King, who was at present attending Trinity, and another player who lives in a town where hockey is not played. Delegate Laidlaw, of London, was of the opinion that the legislation was not called for. Mr. Kenner, of Peterborough, also spoke against the amendment, which was lost on a show of hands.

The different amendments were thoroughly threshed out. The one amending regulation 3 by inserting the words "and certificate of the same to be obtained from the executive committee before playing for the second club," after "residence" in the third line in place of the words "to be decided by the executive," moved by Mr. A. F. R. Martin and seconded by Mr. Rigney, was carried.

The amendment, moved by Mr. McFadden, regarding professionalism was unanimously adopted. It is as follows: Amending regulation 3 by adding, "when the status of any individual is questioned, the burden of proving his innocence shall rest with the accused inasmuch as the real and true facts of the case must lie within his own personal knowledge and consequently he should be in a position, if unjustly accused or suspected, to prove his innocence to the satisfaction of the executive. To prevent frivolous and groundless charges of this nature the executive must be convinced that there is good and sufficient cause to question the status of an individual and may insist that all such charges be made upon affidavit."

This is the rowing regulation, which means that hockey amateurs must keep their skirts clean.

President McFadden's second amendment was also carried: Amending rule 13 of the game, by inserting after the word "match" in the first line, "break his skate or from any other accident be compelled to leave the ice, the opposite side shall immediately drop a man to equalize the teams until such time as the player is ready to proceed." Strike out word from as "to" down to "the game."

E. P. Brown, of Varsity, had two useful ones carried: They are: That no delay shall exceed five minutes.

Amending section "F" of rules of competition by substituting, "any club refusing or failing to play the club against which it is matched within the stated time, shall be considered to have lost the tie."

The election of officers resulted as follows:

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SINGLE TAX.

A Lecture on this Subject to be Delivered on this Subject on Wednesday Evening.

Rev. Mr. S. Bland of Smith's Falls, in writing to a friend, referred to a lecture given by Mr. Douglas in that town on the 18th of November last as follows: "I was delighted with Mr. Douglass. His lecture last evening was a most masterly and convincing presentation. He carried his audience with him completely. The spirit of Mr. Douglass is admirable. His command of his subject is perfect and his apt, persuasive, luminous, cogent speech flows like a stream. He ought to be welcome in any pulpit."

Mr. Douglass lectures in the Sons of England Hall, Peterborough, on Wednesday evening, 8th inst., on "The Coming Social Crisis." The meeting will be presided over by Rev. H. Symonds. Tickets are being distributed and can be had of Mr. J. B. Oke, Mr. Jos. Lundy or any of the committee.

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26th Feb., 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Constipation for years has been my chief ailment; it seemed to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However some time ago I was told of Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pill, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure.—Truly yours,

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STRUCK A TEAM.

And the Driver has a Miraculous Escape From Injury.

This morning as a team drawing a heavy load was coming up the steep incline leading to George street from McDonald's lumber yard, a street car came up quickly just as the horses reached the top.

The result was that the wagon was overturned and it was only through a miracle that the driver escaped as the wagon turned over on top of him. The horses jerked away from the load and ran some distance before they were caught.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.

Ministers to Exchange Pulpits and Speak Especially to Young Men.

The Ministerial Association met this morning at 10 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A. parlour, the president, Rev. A. T. Dykeman, presiding. The Rev. Wm. Bennett, a retired Presbyterian minister, was heartily welcomed by the Association.

The exchange of pulpits was agreed upon as follows, the exchange to take place on next Sabbath evening, Dec. 12, viz:

St. Paul's—Rev. S. J. Shorey.
George street—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
St. Andrew's—Rev. J. E Moore, Ph.B.
Mark street—Rev. J. G. Potter, B A.
Charlotte street—Rev. A. T. Dykeman.
Murray street—Rev, D. O. Crossley.

The sermons to be addressed especially to young men.

The month's visitation to the Hospital and Protestant Home, was arranged as follows:

HOSPITAAL.

Dec. 6—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Dec. 13—Rev. H. Symonds, M.A.
Dec. 20—Rev. A. T. Dykeman.
Dec. 27—Rev. S. J. Shorey.

PROTESTANT HOME.

Dec. 8—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Dec. 15—Rev. H. Symonds, M.A.
Dec. 22—Rev. A. T. Dykeman.
Dec. 29—Rev. S. J. Shorey.

The Rev. W. D. Harrison, of Bridgenorth, was proposed and cordially accepted as a member of the Association.

Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B. read an essay on "Hinderances to Religion," in which he pointed out indifference, intemperance, pleasure seeking at any cost, unbelief and worldlymindedness, etc. A profitable discussion took place on the subject.

CATHOLIC LITERARY ASSOCIATION NOTES.

Ladies' Auxiliary Formed—Other Items of Interest.

At a largely-attended meeting of the young ladies of St. Peter's Cathedral held in the C.L.A. rooms, a Ladies' Auxiliary was formed with the following officers:

President—Miss Annie O'Neil.
1st Vice-President—Miss Gertie Cannan.
2nd Vice-President—Miss Jennie Riley.
Secretary—Miss Nellie Lane.
Financial Secretary—Miss M. Hickey.
Treasurer—Miss Nellie McCabe.

The different committees will be formed at the next meeting of the Society. The young ladies will, during the season, do all in their power towards assisting the directors in their excellent work.

Mr. Daniel O'Connell, B.A., will lecture on "William Pitt" this evening. This is the last entertainment until January.

The membership contest is creating considerable interest amongst the members. It closes January 1st, and the presentation of the prizes will be made at the first entertainment of the new year.

Grand Concert,
Thursday, Dec. 9th.
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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Town Council to-night.

—The Board of Education meets tomorrow evening.

—The Ashburnham Council will not meet until Wednesday evening next.

—A big crowd is expected at the Opera House to-night to witness the exhibitions of sparring.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. will meet to-morrow afternoon in the building at three o'clock.

—The plan for the St. Paul's church choir concert was opened at Sailsbury's this morning and was rapidly marked. Good seats left.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Fenelon Falls hockey players have organized a hockey club with the following officers:

Pres.—Thos. Robson.
Vice.-Pres.—J. Heard.
Sec.-treas.—R. Lee.
Manager—F. Rutherford.
Capt.—Ed. Beteau.
Second Capt.—Geo. Ingram.
Team committee—G. H. Dartnell, Walt. Ellis, Joe Boyce, F. Aldous, R. Rowland.

Representatives of the Quinte Hockey League met Saturday night in Belleville and resolved to continue the League as constituted last year. The Belleville, Picton, Trenton, Napanee and Deseronto clubs will again contest for the championship.

THE RING.

"Buffalo" Costello has accepted the challenge of Dan Cane, of Montreal, to spar for a purse of $300. Cane's challenge was published in the EXAMINER on Saturday and was instantly taken up.

IN THE OPERA HOUSE.

The splendid programme of sparring, bag punching, vocal and instrumental music at the Opera House to-night should draw a big crowd. The entertainment will wind up with a four round "go" between "Buffalo" Costello and Mr. James Graham.

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SERMON ON TRUTH IN ST. ANDREW'S.

REV. JOHN HAY, OF COBOURG, OCCUPIES THE PULPIT.

The Three Essentials to a Thorough Understanding of Truth is the Love, Knowledge and Practice of it.

The pulpit of St. Andrew's church was filled yesterday, both morning and evening, in the absence of the pastor, by Rev. John Hay, of Cobourg, who preached two most eloquent and timely discourses to large congregations.

In the evening he took as his text, "I have choose the way of truth."—Psalms cxix, 30.

The word of God, he urged, pointed out that there were two courses in life, and had been ever since two brothers were born into the world and had gone in opposite directions. There are two ways—the broad way leading to destruction and the narrow but straight path towards the heavenly gates. Every individual must choose his path for himself. The word of God points this out in various places, in Proverbs, speaking of the way of the righteous and the

WAY OF INIQUITY,

The Psalmist says: "I have chosen the way of truth," and like him we must do the same.

The speaker in explaining the meaning of the phrase "Chosen the way of truth," stated there had to be three essentials to this course of action—there must be love of truth, knowledge of truth and practice of truth.

In expanding on the first necessity, he pointed out that no man chose the way of truth who did not love it. Any excellence which was in truth was the truth which fitted a man for that blessed place above. No man ever possessed that truth who did not love it. No man wishes to gain heaven only that he may escape hell, but rather that he loves heaven.

That which man loves is what he is. To love the truth for the truth's sake is the secret indication of receiving a blessing.

In referring to the knowledge of the truth, which was required, Mr. Hay spoke of the stern sense of truth, which made the martyrs, in the olden days, carve great furrows in history, which all the follies of of the present day

COULD NOT FILL UP.

The strength of the Puritans was the strength of men who knew the truth and its power.

He who seeks the truth loves it, knows it and practices it.

The practice of truth is the fulfilment of the saying that honesty is the best policy—it is the only policy.

One reason why honest man think gambling is so despicable is that the money which is thus lost and thrown away should be spent through commercial channels. Then there is the waste of time and the fact that they who win are giving nothing for something, which is contrary to moral law.

Truth and honest dealing have in themselves the promise of sure success.

If the Christian church would just practice what it believes the world would be far different to-day. If Christians practised the text, to do unto others, etc., what a vast change there would be.

A special plea in closing was made by Mr. Hay to the young men to ennoble their manhood by the love, knowledge and practice of the truth. "May you," said he, "be able to say, as the Psalmist,—I have chosen the way of the truth."

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DIED.

BEATTY—In India, of fever, on Oct. 31st, 1897, Rev. Edward Tyrell Beatty, Military Chaplain, eldest son of the late Edward Beatty of Lakefield, Ont., and Mrs. Beatty, now of Ashburnham, aged 46.

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Manicure Sets	3 00	75c
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Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX J. R STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1897.

THE MAYORALTY.

Mr. J. B. McWilliams Says he Will Not be a Candidate This Year.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—As the time has nearly arrived for nomination of candidates for the municipal council, and my name has been freely mentioned in connection with the mayoralty contest, I desire to say that on account of the extra work I will have to do as a member of the Forestry Commission the coming year, it will be impossible for me if elected to give the time necessary for the faithful performance of the duties of Mayor. In my opinion it is not right for any person to accept of a public trust unless he is prepared to carefully look after the public interest. Besides I consider that any person aspiring to the honourable position of Mayor of the leading town of the province, should have more than one year's experience in the council.

I desire to thank my many friends for their kind wishes and offers of support, but for the reasons mentioned, must decline being a candidate for Mayor at the present time.

Your obedient servant,
J. B. McWILLIAMS.

Peterborough, 4th Dec., 1897.

SMITH SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Convention—Programme for Afternoon and Evening.

The annual meeting of the Smith and Lakefield Sunday School Association will be held in the Gilmour Memorial Baptist Church on the afternoon and evening of January 11th, 1898.

At the afternoon session addresses will be given by Rev. Messrs. Edmison and Erbe, Methodist and Baptist respectively, of Lakefield, and two ladies will present the claims of the primary work.

In the evening addresses will be given by Mr. Evans, principal of the Lakefield public school, and Rev. S. J. Shorey, Peterborough. The question drawer will be in charge of Rev. A. C. Reeves, Lakefield.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted; Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

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METHODISTS OBSERVE EDUCATIONAL SUNDAY.

SPECIAL SERMONS IN THE GEORGE STREET AND CHARLOTTE STREET CHURCHES.

Rev. Dr. Potts, Secretary of the Educational Committee, Delivers Two Powerful Sermons During the Day—A Collection in Behalf of the Fund.

Rev. Dr. Potts, of Toronto, spoke in the Charlotte street church in the morning and to the George street congregation in the evening, yesterday, on behalf of the Educational Funds of the Methodist church. At both services he was greeted by exceedingly large congregations who listened to his powerful addresses with the closest attention.

In the morning the eminent divine took his text from Ephesians, iii chap, 8th verse:—"Unto me who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles, the unsearchable riches of Christ."

Dr. Potts opened his address by the statement that preaching was the chief factor in the world's evangelisation and the character of the preacher was the mighty force behind the preaching. The highest form of success in church work was dependent on the consecration of

THE ENTIRE LIFE

of the preacher to Jesus Christ. A brief glance at history would convince one of this fact. Take Peter, for example, and consider his work prior to and after the day of Pentecost. when he was filled with the Holy Ghost. Though many better sermons had doubtless been preached in the Charlotte street church than that of Peter on this occasion, yet the former was unique in the fact that though given by an uneducated man yet thousands were led to God. It was the inauguration of the Christian dispensation and the Holy Ghost descended and filled Peter with His influence in a wonderful manner.

In speaking of the necessity of character behind the preaching, no grander illustration can be found than Paul—the greatest man of the first century—yea, of all the centuries.

A man is the best judge of his own character. He should not allow the world to judge it, or his enemies, or even his friends for ardent friendship, might lead him to overestimate himself. A man of

GOOD COMMON SENSE

should know what he can and what he cannot do. A man might in some cases be too humble, and advice was not given to him to rate himself in ordinary life as Paul did in the text, regarding his sainthip, but it is different when the realm of the spiritual world is touched.

The chief characteristic of Paul's life was not his eloquence, his valour or his learning, but his humility. In the year 59 he is found saying: "I am the least of the Apostles." Then in 64, in the language of the text, he calls himself less than the least of all saints. Again, in 65, in writing to Timothy, he says: "The Lord Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the chief."

The message sent to the church in Ephesus, in the language of the text, did him no harm but the church much good.

Therefore, the lesson which comes down the centuries to us is to be clothed in humility.

The speaker then passed on to the consideration of the office of the preacher.

The preaching of the Gospel, he urged, was an institution of Divine appointment. In order to do it justice one must

FEEL THE THRILL

which is conveyed by the message "Lo I am with you always," and realize its fullest significance. Preaching is the grandest institution for the world's evangelisation and the grandest work of man. An ambassador may hold the fate of nations in his hand; a secular teacher's calling is important as moulding the coming generation; the work of a benevolent physician is hard to estimate, but the work of a preacher of the Gospel transcends them all, because it affects man's highest destiny. If the Bible had a voice it might well sing: "My voice is full of Christ." Jesus Christ is the theme of the Book and should therefore be the theme of every Christian pulpit. Paul gives us an idea for a theme—the unsearchable riches of Christ.

No arithmetician can sit down and compute the riches of Christ. We can contemplate but we cannot comprehend those unsearchable riches. When we give the last atom of our brain power to the thought we should have simply to express ourselves in the

LANGUAGE OF PAUL

and speak of the "unsearchable riches of Christ."

On the Sea of Galilee He bade the waves be calm, evidencing the unsearchable riches of Christ as a power over nature. He healed the leper through his will, showing His unsearchable riches in the manner of His power over disease, and again His unsearchable riches in His power over death were shown when he raised the son of the poor widow.

"Let there be light," He said; and there was light, but it required more than the command to save the world from sin, and when Jesus to redeem sinners came forth from the body of God, making the second person of the most glorious Trinity, He conquered the grave and death and opened the Kingdom of Heaven to all believers.

Look not at the riches of Christ's power, but at the riches of His grace. Did you ever pause and think how He went down into the depths of awful Gethsemane and drew up the poor sinner? Did you ever think of the

UNSEARCHABLE RICHES

of grace required to go the very verge of the world, and laying a hand on the hunkied prodigals of humanity, bid them return.

Exhaust, if you will, the light of the sun, the water of the ocean, the blades of grass on the prairie, but the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ you cannot, because it is unsearchable.

Then you cannot stop without realizing the unsearchable riches of God's love. Love is the mightiest power in the universe, and God is love. Poets sing love, and orators kindle to white heat as they tell of it, but who shall scale the unscalable heights or fathom the unfathomable depths of His love for you and me.

Love bridged the chasm between man and God.

Incarnate love looked out on sin-burdened humanity and said: "Come unto me all ye that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest. It was incarnate love that sat down at the last passover. It was incarnate love that said "Father forgive them for they know not what they do."

It is the mission of the Gospel to enrich and it is the mission of the pulpit to proclaim the unsearchable riches of Christ. Some of us have been living from hand to mouth when we might have been rolling in the wealth of these unsearchable riches.

We want men who can go into the pulpit—this is the object of our educational system. We now insist on the matriculation of our students and five years' study, two of which must be spent in one or other of our theological universities.

When God touches a young man and calls him to His work, and the church equips and trains him to express himself in the most effective manner, this is the most important department in church work of the present day. You may ask—"How about missions?" But what is the use of missions without missionaries? Once trained the young man, called by God, can go out and do his work among sinners.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Ernie Wasson has returned to Peterborough after spending a week at Warsaw with his father.

Mr. Fred Hamilton, of Ashburnham, left for Chicago on Saturday, where he has secured a railway position.

Messrs. W. A. Buchanan, H. R. H. Kenner and Walter Phelan have returned from the O.H.A. meeting in Toronto.

Mr. W. M. Daly has returned to Peterborough after a successful trip into the north country on insurance business.

Messrs. G. L. Hay, J. D. Kelly and Jas. Richardson, all of Peterborough, were registered at the Simpson House, Lindsay, on Saturday.

Mr. J. C. McClellan, of the People's Coal Co'y, left this a.m., for Towando, Pennsylvania, to inspect the company's large mining plant near that town.

Mr. Mungovan, of the Catholic Register, is in town on his annual visit and will remain a few days. He has recently been over a great portion of the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, where, more especially in the latter, he says he has found the atmosphere heavily charged with political electricity. The heavy peals of Mr. Whitney have so far failed to move the masses, who seem to care very little for the loss of a few pine trees in this wooden country. The charge that the public service is overmanned and overwomaned, they seem to regard as inconsistent on the part of a gentleman who is desirous of leading himself on the people's taxes. Neither has the manner in which Mr. St. John has eloquently granted his dissatisfaction with the lavish expenditure on the Mimico hog-pen created any great revolution in the sentiment of a public proverbial for its gentle treatment of the gentlest of animals.

CHURCH CHIMES.

A special collection for missions was taken up yesterday in St. Paul's.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's church Auxiliary will be held on Friday afternoon next.

The well rendered anthem in St. Andrew's church last evening was entitled "For God so loved the World."

Mrs. Mein took the solo parts in excellent voice last evening in Gounod's anthem, "Glory to Thee My God this Night," at St. Paul's church.

As Rev. Mr. Clarke, of Belleville, was unable to fill the George street church pulpit yesterday morning, Rev. D. O. Crossley kindly consented to do so and preached a powerful sermon.

A very large congregation assembled last evening in the Charlotte street church to hear the third of a most interesting series of song sermons delivered by the pastor, Rev. D. O. Crossley.

The morning anthem in the Charlotte street church was especially pleasing. It was entitled, "O be joyful in the Lord." The solo was well taken by Mr. A. L. Davis and the duet by Misses M. Stevens and Florence Hall.

Last night at All Saints' church Rev. W. L. Armitage preached to a large congregation the first of a series of three sermons upon the Advents, from the text, "And now once in the end of the ages hath he appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of Himself."—Heb. ix, 26. The first "age" was the close of the Jewish dispensation. The second sermon on the subject—next Sunday morning—will be on the close of the Christian dispensation. This series of sermons is able and thoughtful and is arousing much interest.

MARK STREET CHURCH.

On Sunday the pastor, Rev. J. E. Moore, preached anniversary services at Bridgenorth, and Rev. Mr. Harrison took his work on the Ashburnham circuit. In the morning he took as his text Isaiah xliii, 10, "Ye are my witnesses, saith the Lord." He gave an able and helpful talk on witness bearing, urging the duty on all believers.

The class meetings were well attended. The pastor's class and Mr. Noyes' class met at 10. Mr. Wand's class met after the morning service. All will be made welcome to any of these class meetings.

The Sunday school was well attended at 2.30. Some of the classes have been reorganised, and all are now provided with teachers. Everyone will find a welcome and help in the Sunday school.

The annual Sunday school Christmas tree and entertainment will be held in the new town hall on Christmas night. Come and spend a pleasant evening.

At the evening service Mr. Harrison took as his text, Luke 13-23, "And one of them said onto Him, Lord, are there few that be saved?" His sermon was very earnest and helpful, and was listened to attentively by a large congregation. It is impossible to give an adequate idea of it to our limited space.

The Epworth League service will be held on Monday evening at eight o'clock. It is consecration meeting and all members are expected and all others who can come will be very welcome.

At the close of the league meeting there will be a meeting of the teachers and officers of the Sabbath school to arrange for supplies, Christmas tree, etc.

The Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be of an evangelistic nature. There will be a song service at 7.30 and the regular service at 8 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Moore will give a short address and seekers will be invited to come to God.

On Friday evening cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. M. W. Matchett, Sophia street. It is hoped that a large number will be present.

Grace Ella Aiton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

W. E Thistle, Druggist.
Andrew Aiton, Witness. Hartland, N.B.

IF YOUR BLOOD'S COOL

READ THIS—EVERY WORD OF IT.

Crowning Sale of This Year.

Away above all our Business Strokes of this year we put this latest lucky movement of merchandise now in progress. It is the resultant of complete organization for getting goods at proper sources and at the most favourable movement.

What comes of looking ahead is demonstrated to the public by what is in sight just now all over our house. That lucky purchase of ours when we . . . . . .

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The Whole of the Winter Stock of the well-known Montreal Manufacturers—

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At the Unprecedented Low Figure of

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Placed in our hands the **GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY OF THE YEAR,** and gave us practical control of the Clothing trade of Peterborough. Opportunity and ability were thus united—and that is how we have collected together this great **$66,000** stock of Merchandise. It is 1897's LATEST, NEWEST, RIGHT-PRICED addition to Peterborough's prosperity, spread out on our tables and shelves for the greatest December feast of our history.

Even the great GOUGH'S are not insensible to a Boom in business. It seems a contradiction to push sales by losing profits we might as well have, when our business is vigorous with healthy activity, and yet we are inspired to do so by sound reasoning. It sometimes pays to lose, especially when you really don't lose at all.

IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices:—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 33, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... **$4.90**

Come to the Feast of Bargains before they pass into history.

Shoes

Piled to the ceilings—a whole section heaped with Winter Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children—to fit all feet—at the Easiest prices in this or any other Town. The growth in this particular branch shows clearly that we are doing it better and better all the time, and winning new friends every week. Come and see how it is done. No skimp in anything. We can dress your feet in the newest styles of hand-sewed Shoes with any fashion of toe you desire. Felt Overshoes, Rubbers, Fur-lined and Flannel-lined Shoes and Slippers or Grandma and Baby. Assortments better and values better than you'll find anywhere. "ALWAYS GOOD AT GOUGH'S"—Not in Spurts but ALL the time."

A CASH BUSINESS.—Under our constantly growing organization CASH becomes an important factor in Buying as well as in Selling. Credit is a curse to the human family. Cash is King. In future, therefore, SPOT CASH will be our invariable rule. Your money back if not satisfied.

GOUGH BROS.

The Wonderful Cheap Men, Nos. 375 and 379 George Street
Peterborough, and Nos. 6 and 8 Queen Street, Toronto.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	12° above zero	
Yesterday	35°	20°

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

NOTICE

MADAM JABAR has removed to more Central Offices, over the New Bank of Commerce, entrance Hunter Street.

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She knows what trade or profession you are best adapted for. Advice to parents as to the proper culture of and education of children. Also to young people on love and marriage

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You can eat these Sausage with pleasure. They are made at McWILLIE'S, Toronto—there is no doubt about it. The quality is such as to secure the trade of every lover of wholesome sausage. Only the choice cuts of selected young pen-fed pork are used. Spiced to a nicety, enclosed in imported English Sheep Casings. Received by Express—

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We want every family in Peterborough to know about them and try them. Two pounds for 25 cents. The regular price is 15c per pound.

T. W. ROBINSON CO. Limited.

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Sole Agents for Peterborough. Telephone 238. Regular Supplies received weekly. Orders promptly filled by Telephone or otherwise, and delivered to any part of the town. TERMS CASH.

Taking Novelties In Neckwear.

We have just received Advance Lines of the Latest Fashionable Winter Neckwear for the coming Holiday Season. It is an exhibit of the smartest things in December Styles,—Just out.

Represented in these High Novelties is a line of Ascott Puffs &c., in very bright Roman Stripes with becoming backgrounds of Black, Green, Blue, etc. Also, vivid Cross-bar combinations, brightly shaded Plaid effects, and broad bias designs.

The latest models in Broad-end Ties, Butterfly Bows, Four-in-hand. Satin, three fine effects, and small Knots.

The entire line is specially adapted for fine trade, and any man's choice is to be had in any man's style. Study our Store Windows.

A. MERCER & CO.

WALLER & CO

Just look over this Price List, and you will wonder how we give such Bargains. But the secret is in paying Cash for our goods, and selling for Cash. No extra profit to be added for bad debts.

1 lb Select Raisins, 6c or 5 lbs for	.25	1 lb Cooking Figs 6c or 5 lbs for	.25
1 lb Blue Raisins 8c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Walnuts	.25
1 lb Cleaned Currants (Ready for your Cakes) 9c or 3 lbs for	.25	1 lb Shelled Almond Nuts	.25
1 lb Case Currants, fine stock 7c or 4 lbs for	.25	1 lb English Mince Meat 9c or 3 lbs for	.25
1 lb Fine Candied Mixed Peel	.20	1 bottle Pickles	.10
1 lb Mixed Nuts, new stock, 13c or 2 lbs for	.25	1 10 c plug Smoking Tobacco 7c, 4 plugs for	.25
		1 10c plug Chewing Tobacco 9c, 3 for	.25

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Discard those old shoes! Ask your doctor about the care of your feet, this weather. Order a pair of CAREY'S Hand-made heavy Boots and Shoes for this cold and wet weather. Wet-proof, Snow-proof, easy warm, stylish, economical. As nearly indestructible as shoes can be made. Up-to-date toes.

My $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 HAND-MADE Boots and Shoes are worth any TWO pairs of factory-made.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect Shop, 450 George St

The young man who starts in business life with a good athletic training back of him will be able to stand more than the man who has not had the same advantage. Nevertheless, if he overworks and neglects his health, he is likely to fall a victim to some fatal malady like his less fortunate brother.

There is only one safe road for a man to tread in the matter of health. That is the road of eternal vigilance. No man, no matter how strong he may be naturally, can with impunity neglect the little ills and indispositions of life. These little disorders are what make the big ones. When a man suffers from headaches and loss of appetite, feels drowsy and dull during waking hours, cannot sleep at night and is nervous and shaky at all times, he is in a dangerous condition. If he long neglects his condition he will find himself a very sick man. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all medicines for the many diseases that are caused by an impaired digestion and insufficient and improper nourishment. It creates a hearty, healthy appetite; it makes digestion and assimilation perfect; it invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve tonic. It is the best of all medicines for nervous disorders and it cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, if taken in its earlier stages, before the lungs are too far wasted. For chronic, bronchial, throat and nasal affections it is an unequaled remedy. An honest dealer will not suggest some inferior substitute.

Rev. C. M. Lemond, (P. O. Box 207), Quanah, Hardeman Co., Texas, writes: "I write to say that during the late trouble between the States it became my duty as well as privilege to speak in the open air at night, which produced slight hemorrhages and loss of voice from which I had suffered more or less for a number of years, until that God-send 'Golden Medical Discovery,' given to the world by the inventive and scientific brain of Dr. R. V. Pierce, was obtained. After six bottles had been used the pains and aches in my lungs began to give way, and now I feel that, with a judicious course of life I may live many years. I thank God for giving to the world a man who has done so much for suffering humanity."

MAKING PLATE GLASS.

An Operation That Requires a Deal of Skill and Care.

A visit to a plate glass works reveals nothing perhaps more interesting than the casting tables on which the heavy plate glass used in most store windows is cast. "The casting tables," said the superintendent of a large factory, "are the most important pieces of apparatus in this establishment.

"Each table is about 20 feet long, 15 feet wide and from 7 to 8 inches thick. The heavy strips of iron on either side of the tables afford a bearing for the rollers and determine the thickness or diameter of the glass to be cast.

"The rough plate is commonly nine-sixteenths of an inch thick, but after polishing it is reduced to six or seven sixteenths. All casting tables are mounted on wheels which run on a track made to reach every furnace and annealing oven in the factory. The table having been wheeled as near as possible to the melting furnace, a pot of molten glass is lifted by means of a crane and its contents poured quickly on the table.

"A heavy iron roller then passes from end to end, spreading the glass to a uniform thickness. This rolling operation has to be done by expert hands quickly, as the boiling glass, when it comes in contact with the cold metal of the table, cools very rapidly. When the rolling process has been completed, the door of the annealing oven is opened and the plate of glass is introduced.

"The floor of the annealing oven is on the same level as the wheels of the casting table, so that the transfer can be made by rail quickly. When the glass is ready to be taken out of the oven, its surface is very rough. In this condition it is used for skylights and other purposes where strength is desired rather than transparency, but when intended for windows it is ground, smoothed and polished and is then ready for the market."—Boston Globe.

The New Jersey Vote.

The amendment to confer school suffrage on the women of New Jersey was defeated by a majority of over 12,000. The antigambling amendment was defeated by over 3,000, and another amendment was lost by only 848. This vote shows two things—first, that the suffrage amendment was defeated by opposition and not by indifference merely; second, that it could not carry even the vote of the moral element of the state. New Jersey needs a good deal of education.—Woman's Tribune.

Wise Men Know

It is folly to build upon a poor foundation, either in architecture or in health. A foundation of sand is insecure, and to deaden symptoms by narcotics or nerve compounds is equally dangerous and deceptive. The true way to build up health is to make your blood pure, rich and nourishing by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

Every Seat Was Taken.

Barnes Turner—Every seat was taken at our last performance.

Rosenzade Hamme—I heard about it. I was told that the audience carried off the benches as the only way of getting any return for their money.—Indianapolis Journal.

Paint Your Cheek.

Not with paint on outside that is easily washed off. Put the color on from within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks with rich red blood. It is a color that stays too.

Shocked and Frightened.

Weak, nervous people having heart troubles are easily shocked and frightened. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills fortify the nerves, restore regular action to the heart and cure every form of heart and nerve trouble. Mrs. Gladys McMillan, Toronto, says: "Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills cured me of nervousness and palpitation. I was so nervous that the least noise would startle me; but am now perfectly well."

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

CASTORIA.

The Autograph signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE YUKON DISTRICT.

Lecture by Mr. Wm. Ogilvie, Dominion Surveyor—A Very Rich Canadian Gold Country.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 6.—Mr. William Ogilvie of the Dominion Topographical Survey, had by no means an uninterested audience when he delivered his lecture on "The Klondike," at the Canadian Institute, on Saturday night. The lecture hall was packed and so many were turned away that it became obvious that a larger hall should have been engaged. Prof. McCallum presided.

Passing over the various routes of ingress to the Eldorado, and the progress in development from the discovery of its wealth in 1870 until the present day, the Dominion Surveyor reverted enthusiastically to that wealth.

"I believe there is $100,000,000 in sight in the district to-day," he said amid applause. This did not include what might be obtained by placer and quartz mining. The district was composed of 100,000 square miles and gold could be found all over it. The only thing necessary to have from 100,000 to 300,000 people in there was adequate transportation facilities. As to quartz mining, 12 miles up Klondike assays showed from $100 to $10,000 per ton. The ordinary processes of pulverizing were of no avail where the water was frozen nine months in the year. The lecturer suggested the use of Edison's scheme for extracting iron by running the ore up elevators and shooting it down spouts. The impetus would carry the heavy gold further, while the sand would drop. The suggestion seemed to meet with approbation.

Similarly placer mining was impossible, although yields as high as $505 to a pan, consisting of two shovelfuls, had been obtained. He produced at this juncture a small bottle containing $90 worth of nuggets, gotten from one pan. When the meeting was over there was a rush to see it. He suggested a possible process of placer mining by means of steam.

The tales of the starvation which awaited the 6000 miners there this winter should be discounted by the fact that almost an equal number had survived the winter of '95-96 under equal conditions. Canada owned 550 miles of the Yukon and it was the richest 550 miles along the river. [Applause.] The miners there came from almost every country under the sun. Ten years ago there was no factions, no cliques, no politics. Conditions now were changed. A man's popularity depended on how often he treated. His rights depended on his popularity. Justice formerly was administered by means of miners' meetings. These had of late been brought into disrepute and discredit by mis-administration of justice, humorous incidents of which Mr. Ogilvie related.

HOT FROM THE WIRES.

Oscar Wilde is said to be living in poverty at Naples.

Mr. Bertram's official majority in Centre Toronto is an even 250.

The situation at Prague, Bohemia, was quiet yesterday. Many arrests were made.

Mr. Alfred Riley, for 44 years clerk of the Township of Manvers, is dead at Bethany, aged 70.

The training ship, Yantic, lay windbound at Thorold over Sunday, and is expected to proceed to-day.

The steamship Trojan Prince, which arrived at New York on Saturday, brought 1008 steerage passengers from Italy.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, Canadian Minister of Finance, was a passenger on the Campania, which arrived at New York Saturday.

Among the freight which has reached St. John, N. B., for the steamship Gallia, are 29,000 turkeys from Ontario for the British markets.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador at Washington, is getting better of his attack of rheumatism and can now go about a little on crutches.

The United States Congress opens at noon to-day. President McKinley left his dying mother at Canton, O., on Saturday to be present at the opening.

The funeral of Guldensuppe, Martin Thorn's victim, took place in New York yesterday. The dismembered body was arrayed in a dress suit, but the head was not there.

President Barrios of Guatemala is threatened with another uprising. Behind the movement is said to be General Castillo, who participated in the recent uprising.

M. Millerand, Socialist Deputy, and M. Joseph Reinach, a Conservative member, had some words in the French Chamber on Saturday, and a duel with pistols followed. Both men fired twice. Nobody was hurt and honor was satisfied.

Decline in Farm Values.

Toronto, Dec. 6.—A bulletin just issued by the Ontario Bureau of Industries says the value of farm property has been decreasing since 1893. Then it amounted to $979,977,344. In 1893 the sum was $970,861,070; in 1894, $954,395,507; in the year following $931,989,574, and in 1896 the amount was $910,291,628. The amount in 1886 was $989,497,911. The value is, per acre, $39.38.

Another lamentable feature is the increase in chattel mortgages. They ran up last year from $11,012,330 to $13,561,716.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 239 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

Come all Who Suffer.

Mrs. E. Brown, Hamilton, Ont., says; "I have used Laxa-Liver Pills and find them perfect as a cure for biliousness and sick headache. I strongly recommend them to all who suffer from such troubles as an unrivalled remedy."

Karl's Clover Root.

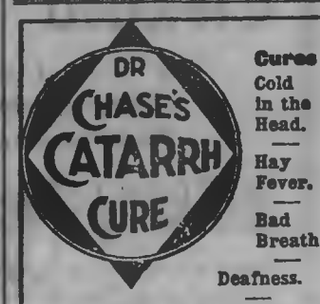
The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 349 George street.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs.
Norway's Pine Syrup cures Bronchitis.
Norway's Pine Syrup heals the lung

LOVE'S HAPPINESS.

Oh, do you o'er remember, love,
How on one summer's night
We strayed upon the sandy beach
Beneath the soft moonlight,
And as we sat beside the sea
And listened to its roar
I press'd thy hand and vowed, dear one,
To love thee more and more?
Oh, then, indeed, our hearts were light,
And, like the summer flowers,
We drank in love as their frail buds
Drink in the April showers.

The moonbeams with a holy light
Fell on the glassy sea,
The stars above pure jewel'd gems,
But I—saw only thee.
I heeded not the beauties rare
Which all around us shone.
My thoughts were all on one who was
My beautiful—my own.
I only knew I clasped thy form
Of classic grace with pride.
I heeded not the sea's low voice,
For thou wert by my side.
—Finley Johnson in New York Ledger.



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Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front..... 58c

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A YOUNG DIPLOMAT.

The proudest sometimes unbend, and the botanical gardens were, for one afternoon, throwing off their usual reserve. Ordinary folk had only to come across Regent's park from Chester gate and present a card at the entrance to the gardens, and the bowler hatted old gentleman at the gate welcomed them as though they were most important members. Miss Llewellyn and Master Kenneth Waller, her friend, walked on the grass in the direction of music.

"Anybody you know here, Miss Llewellyn?"

"I don't suppose so, Kenneth."

"You don't know many people, do you, Miss Llewellyn?"

"Very few."

"Wonder at that," said the small boy, "because you're not bad looking, you know. Did you use to come here when you were well off? Do they sell lemonade here?"

"Seems possible. You think that everybody ought to have plenty of friends?"

"Plenty of friends," said Kenneth wisely, "but one in particular. Wonder how old you are?"

"That," said the young woman good temperedly, "that is the only question, Kenneth, that you must never put to a lady."

"I should guess," he said critically as they sat down in the low chairs near the refreshment tent and watched the people, "that you were about 26." Miss Llewellyn gave a quaint gesture of horror. "Well, 25 then. Fancy!" The small boy whistled amazedly. "Twenty-five and not married yet."

"Young man," said Miss Llewellyn, flushing and affecting a tone of grave severity, "I find your conversation much too personal. You would like lemonade, I think, and two pieces of cake."

The scarlet coated band perched on seats near the glass house, with a crowd of smartly dressed folk in front of them, started a cheerful selection from a comic opera. Miss Llewellyn, a composed young woman in an ordinary way, as young women are who work for their living, found herself in quite a delighted mood. Music can do much when it tries.

"Of course," said her candid guest, with cake at his mouth, "I don't mean to say that you mightn't get married even now. I had an aunt once who was close upon 30 before she could get any one to look at her."

"The instance is encouraging, Kenneth. Don't eat too fast, mind."

"Still," said the youth wisely, "if I were a girl I should be jolly careful not to miss a good opportunity. Are those orchids they're carrying there? Hasn't that chap got a brown face who's telling the men where to take them? Seem to have seen him somewhere before. Shouldn't like to be an orchid, should you, Miss Llewellyn? Why, you'd have to grow out in South America and people would have fearful trouble to find you and risk their lives—hello, brown faced chap's coming this way!"

Miss Llewellyn looked up and then looked down again quickly, and for a moment her face went rather white. Her hand trembled as she held it out.

"Mr. Bradley," she said. "How do you do? I did not expect to see you here."

"I did not expect to see you again anywhere," he said.

There was the pause that comes after the banalities of greeting. Master Waller, not having spoken for quite half a minute, felt that he was in some danger of being overlooked, and coughed.

"This is my little friend, Kenneth Waller," she said. "Kenneth, this is Mr. Bradley."

"What's the matter with your face?" asked the small boy. "Have you been abroad?"

Mr. Bradley placed a broad fist on the round iron table and leaned down toward Master Waller good naturedly. He seemed as confused at the meeting as Miss Llewellyn, and as unprepared with conversation.

"I have been abroad, young man. I've been hunting orchids."

"Are you home for good now?" asked Kenneth.

Miss Llewellyn gripped the parasol that rested in her lap with both hands.

"I can't do any good at home," said Mr. Bradley. "I am off again to South America in a day or two."

"Why don't you stay in London?"

"Nobody asks me to stay."

"Should have thought," said Master Waller, "that you could have got somebody to do that. Have you any foreign postage stamps about you?"

Friendship between the two gentlemen was cemented and made permanent by the production of several foreign stamps and an envelope to place them in. People were coming up to the refreshment tent now, the band having decided to rest for half an hour and recover breath, and Master Waller invited Mr. Bradley to take his chair.

"You don't mind?" asked Bradley of Miss Llewellyn.

"Not at all," she said politely.

"May I smoke?"

"Let me strike the match," interposed Master Waller. "I'm awfully good at that. And tell us some of your adventures."

"They wouldn't interest Miss Llewellyn."

"Girls don't count," said Master Waller. "Tell me. Make it one where you nearly lost your life."

So 10 or 15 minutes were thus occupied, the small boy seated on Bradley's knee and staring at him with open mouthed astonishment. Miss Llewellyn, her head bowed, studied the band programme in apparently a laborious search for the misprints that a musical programme always offers. Bradley told the story well, without obtruding his own share in the adventure, and when he had finished punched the small boy humorously to bring him back from South America to Regent's park.

"And is that story true?" asked the small boy respectfully.

"It has that drawback, youngster."

"Well," said Master Waller, "I'm a man that's awfully fond of adventure, but I shouldn't care for that. What did you think of when that fierce animal was waiting to spring upon you?"

"Guess."

"Can't," said Master Waller. "Can you, Miss Llewellyn?"

She shook her head and again became interested in the band programme. Bradley looked at her and waited for her to speak, but she made no sign. Now, silence may at times be tolerable for grown up folk, but for impatient young men like Master Waller it brings nothing but weariness.

"Is there any chance of seeing these orchids, Mr. Bradley?" asked the youth. "It'll be something to brag about to my people if I could just get a sight of them."

"We'll all go over to the marquee and have a look. Miss Llewellyn, will you come, or shall we leave you here? There's rather a crush."

"Let's leave her," suggested Master Waller. "Miss Llewellyn likes being alone."

"I think I will stay here," she said.

"We shall be back in ten minutes," said Bradley.

Master Waller had to trot to keep up with the long strides of his new friend, but he did not mind this because he felt a kind of reflected glory in being accompanied by the man who had brought home some of the rarest of the amazing specimens in the crowded tent.

"Girls are a nuisance, aren't they?" said Master Waller, looking up confidentially.

"Sometimes," said Bradley.

"She isn't so tiresome, though, as some."

"I think I agree with you there."

"Works awfully hard—too hard, my mamma says."

"No necessity for that surely," said Bradley rather sharply.

"But Miss Llewellyn has to live," urged the small boy. "My mamma says that she was well off for a year or two before her father died, but since that"—

"Her father dead?"

"Here, I say," said Master Waller. "Don't grip a man's shoulder like that."

"Sorry!"

"They come into money, so my mamma says, a few years ago"—

"I remember that."

"And then Miss Llewellyn's governor put all into something, and it never came out again. That's why she has to manage the calisthenic school that I go to. And I say. Can you touch your toes with the tips of your fingers without"—

"Where does she live now?" Mr. Bradley seemed excited.

"In rooms," replied Master Waller volubly. "I've been there to tea along with my sisters. (That's a fine orchid there. You can't see it now. A girl's hat's in the way.) And Miss Llewellyn's got awfully nice furniture and photographs, and"— Master Waller clapped his knee suddenly. "I remember now where I've seen your face before, Mr. Bradley. Only without the short beard."

"Come outside," said Bradley, "and tell me."

They made their way through the crowd and reached the exit. Bradley held his breath and bent to hear the small boy's reply.

"On her dressing table," whispered Master Waller confidentially, "in the beautifullest frame you ever saw, and—Where are you going?"

"Back to Miss Llewellyn," cried Bradley.

"Well, bus,—" said Master Waller protestingly, "wait for me."

Bradley did not obey the young man. He strode across the lawn, past the band, which was playing a quick march that was not quick enough to keep pace with him. Before Master Waller found the two there had been a swift exchange of low sentences that altered their views of the world and made them both think of it as a place where happiness is to be found.

"And why did you refuse me before, dear?"

"Because all my people pressed me to accept you," said Miss Llewellyn.

"The excuse of a very obstinate young woman."

"Why did you—why did you not ask me again?" she demanded.

"Because," said Bradley, "it was just then that your father came into that money."

"The excuse of a very independent man," said Miss Llewellyn, touching with pretty affection the big hand that rested on the round table. "When—when it is that you leave for South America?"

"Not until you tell me to go, dear," he said promptly.

"Here, I say," cried Master Waller, arriving after some difficulty, "you two, don't lose sight of me, mind! Miss Llewellyn, have I been a good boy?"

"I've a great mind to kiss you, Kenneth," she said.

"Rather have some more lemonade."

"As Kenneth declines your suggestion," said Bradley, signaling to a waiter, "may I venture to submit myself"—

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There was a large number of patrons present and all were well pleased with the season's work. We settled up for the six months. November cheese is to be settled for yet.

	Lbs. milk.	Lbs. cheese.	Av. price per lb.	Price per cwt. of milk to patrons.	No. lbs. milk to lb. cheese.	Gross value.
May.....	1,176,000	110,250	8	84	10.66	$ 9,261 00
June.....	1,176,000	110,250	8	84	10.66	9,261 00
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Total.....	8,232,000	771,750	8	84	10.66	64,827 00

"The November transactions were not settled for as the date of the meeting, and the returns for this month are not therefore included in the total amounts received.

November—Lbs milk, 30,600; lbs cheese, 2,059; average price per pound, 8c, sold but not delivered.
Total amount of milk for season, 1,116,169.
Cost of manufacturing cheese, $943.
Average lbs milk to lb cheese, 10.92.
Total season's work, 93,290.90.
Value to patrons, $7,827.90.
Patron sending most milk, G W Mann, amount sent by him, 108,823.

The officers elected were as follows :—Secretary, Mr. Porter Robinson; treasurer and secretary, Mr. J. H. Mann; auditors, Mr. Wm. A. Stabler, and Mr. Thos. S. Mann.

The proprietor, Mr. Wm. Gray, as well as the patrons, are to be congratulated upon the success of the season's operations.

Fleetwood Cheese Factory.

A largely attended meeting of patrons of the Fleetwood cheese factory was held in the hall adjoining the factory on Friday, December 3rd, when a full statement of the business for the past year was laid before the patrons and the business very satisfactorily wound up.

The amount of milk supplied the factory was 2,089,720 pounds or 6.79 9-10 standard, from which was made 191,146 pounds cheese, being an average of 10 67 pounds of milk for one pound of cheese.

The amount received by the factory for cheese, whey and interest of deposit was $16,680.11. The amount paid the patrons after paying all expenses was $15.20 per standard.

Formal votes of thanks were passed the management for the care and ability shown in the management of the factory during the year, and also to Mr. William Hanna, the salesman for the factory.

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A Lively Encounter with Four Lynx on the Galway Road.

Mr. John W. Middleton of South Verulam, was in town yesterday with four Canadian lynx pelts, which he disposed of to one of our fur buyers. He was somewhat disappointed when told that he was not entitled to a county bounty, as he had been led to believe. The animals were shot by Frank Freeman on his farm on the Galway road about five miles from Bobcaygeon, and his story of the killing is somewhat interesting. While on his way home from a visit to a neighbor his dog started the parents and three young ones in a thicket about one hundred yards ahead, and soon after they left the cover and made for a large tree standing in the open, up which they quickly scrambled. Freeman had his gun, a rifle bored to serve as a shot gun, but had only one charge of ammunition, and taking careful aim at a distance of about 60 yards he had the satisfaction of seeing one of the five "varmints" fall to the ground, where it was worried by the dog. The fight excited the remaining animals to a high pitch, and two of them descended the tree, but the dog left the fallen one and they raced up the trunk again. Freeman was now out of ammunition; he wanted the skins, but was afraid that if he returned to the house his dog would be torn to pieces in his absence, as he could not be coaxed away from the tree. At last a lucky thought struck the despairing hunter—he recollected that he had in his pocket the lead handle of a butcher knife, and this he speedily converted into irregular shaped but deadly slugs for his gun. In the course of the next ten minutes three more of the lynx family were wiped out, only the mother being left. Enraged by the death of her young, she leaped upon the dog from an overhanging branch, and after cutting him up badly, escaped into the forest.

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Leave.....8.20 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield.....8.55 a. m., 1.45 p. m
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The Premier Addresses His Constituents at Brantford.

RECORD OF THE GOVERNMENT.

A Complete Reply to the Criticisms of the Opposition—An Enthusiastic Meeting of South Brant Liberals—Resolutions Adopted—The Premier's Speech.

Brantford, Dec. 4.—An enthusiastic and largely attended Liberal convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent the riding in the Legislature took place in the Wycliffe Hall this afternoon. The attendance from the county was unusually large and the members were very enthusiastic. In a brief and eloquent speech Mr. W. G. Raymond called the meeting to order. After the election of officers had been unanimously and satisfactorily disposed of Hon. A. S. Hardy was nominated.

Amid a scene of great enthusiasm Mr. Hardy accepted the nomination after resolutions of confidence in the policy and acts of the Government of Hon. A. S. Hardy, with especial reference to the talented Premier; and one expressive of confidence in the Dominion Government, were passed.

When the nomination had been agreed to unanimously and enthusiastically the President called upon the Attorney-General, Hon. A. S. Hardy, who was received with tumultuous applause. Mr. Hardy touched in a few opening remarks upon purely local affairs. Mr. Whitney had said that the early session was called to prevent his tour of the country, which had proved to be such a great triumph. Mr. Whitney had endeavored to say many damaging things, but so far as he could learn had not succeeded in saying anything of importance or that would invalidate the present Administration. The speaker was the one member left of the old and great Ministry headed by Sir Oliver Mowat, which had fought the great battle for the autonomy of the province against Sir John Macdonald. He was the one link connecting the present Administration with the one which had fought and won the fight for the province's rights and the ownership of half its present area. (Applause.)

Everything the Liberals had done was on record. Mr. Whitney claimed that the Government had become frightened and stopped his tour of the country, a tour that the leader of the Opposition said was such a triumph. The sum total of this great triumphal progress of Mr. Whitney's, so far as he (the speaker) was able to find out, numbered, was two converts—two disgruntled office-seekers. (Loud laughter.) Mr. Hardy concluded an eloquent address by saying that he looked forward with the most perfect confidence to a victory in South Brant, and to an equally pronounced victory for the Ontario Government all over the Province. The Attorney-General took his seat amid deafening applause.

Mr. Hardy's reception by his constituents, after a quarter of a century's service, was more enthusiastically cordial than ever even he has known in this intelligent and up-to-date riding.

MR. MULOCK'S GOOD FORTUNE.

Hon. Wm. Mulock, Postmaster-General, is congratulating himself and the country upon the excellent showing the Post Office Department has been making. Mr. Mulock has had, while in office a good deal of the pleasant fortune that comes to the man that works to deserve it. Beginning by saving a large amount of money in the mail contracts he has had the pleasure of seeing the receipts of the department rapidly increase. The Jubilee stamp issue was a stroke of business that brought a goodly sum into the treasury, and right on the top of that, instead of the temporary falling off in receipts that might have been expected, comes the present boom in business which has swelled the receipts by $240,000 in the last four months.

The Postmaster General is to be congratulated upon the prosperous condition of his department. Moreover, there is every likelihood that the latest regulations of the department will be also valuable as revenue-producers. Especially is this true of the new system, which permits business houses to use the front of private post cards for purposes of advertisement. There is no valid reason in the world why an advertisement should not be printed on the face of the card, and it is quite likely that this evidence of Mulock's business sense will be rewarded by yet another considerable addition to the revenue of his department.

The reduction on postage from Canada to Great Britain from five cents a half ounce to three cents an ounce might be expected to expose the department to a considerable loss. If the contrary should prove to be the case, as is not impossible, a double good purpose will be served.—Montreal Herald.

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.... AT ....

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ONTARIO ASSEMBLY.

Five Minute Session of the Legislature Yesterday.

THE PROVINCE'S BLIND PEOPLE.

The Debate on the Address to be Continued To-Day by Mr. Willoughby—Mr. Stratton of Peterboro to Follow Him—A Patron Bill for Municipal Audits—A Batch of Petitions Presented.

Toronto, Dec. 7.

The Legislature sat but five minutes yesterday, and beyond the presenting of several liquor petitions there was little routine business done.

The debate on the address will be continued to-day. Mr. Willoughby, who moved the adjournment, will be the first speaker and will be followed by Mr. Stratton of Peterboro.

An Important Bill.

Mr. Haycock gave notice he would introduce a bill to provide for the better auditing of municipal accounts. He says that at present one of the difficulties in auditing such accounts has been found not so much in the matter of non-payments as in the receipts not having been credited, especially where one municipality has made payment to another. The bill provides that the treasurer of every municipality who pays money to the treasurer of another shall, on January 1 of each year, send a statement over his own signature and sealed with the corporate seal to the head of the municipality to whose treasurer he sends the money. This statement is to be used by the auditors in auditing the accounts. The bill also provides that the registrar of every municipality shall also make such return, and it also provides for permanent auditors, as in the case of cities.

Ontario's Blind People.

The report of the Inspector of Prisons and Public Charities has been completed and is now in the hands of the Provincial Secretary, who will present it to the Legislature this week.

It is a matter of congratulation that blindness is on the decrease. In 1881 there were 200 blind students in the Brantford Institute, while last year the number had decreased to 140. There has been a large corresponding decrease in the expenses of the institution per capita as well as in the aggregate. Last year it cost $267 per pupil to run the institution, while for the past 12 months it cost but $256. A remarkable feature of the report is that it shows more Methodists going blind than any other denomination and that in proportion more English go blind than other nationalities. A majority of the patients are from 13 to 17 years of age.

Petitions Presented.

The County Councils of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry have presented a petition in which they claim that the law regarding the sale of lands for taxes is unfair. They say that such proceedings are attended with so much formality that fraud or mistakes are frequent in selling lands belonging to non-resident owners. They ask for a more direct manner.

The Synod of Niagara has presented a petition for a bill to permit it to sell church property and buy land for a see house for the bishop. Such power is in doubt.

Petitions for radial railways have begun to come in. The latest is one from Smith Falls.

Municipalities Do Not Want It.

The temperance people sent a blank form and an invitation for every municipal council to send in to the Government, asking for power to control hours of sale of liquor. Though hundreds of such petitions have come in from other sources, only one has been presented by a municipal council. This is very good proof that municipalities are not anxious to have the power.

Mr. Byron O. Lott, the Liberal candidate for North Hastings, had an interview with the Premier yesterday afternoon.

A DOUBLE COLLISION.

One of the Atlantic Greyhounds Strikes the Allan Line Steamer Corean Twice in Dense Fog.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 7.—The Allan Line steamer Corean, from New York, bound to Glasgow, put in here yesterday in a damaged condition, having been in a collision at sea with a big ocean liner, name unknown. She came down on the Corean at 12 o'clock Saturday night during a dense fog, suddenly appearing on the port side in a mist and dashing past like a race horse. The officers on deck saw the unknown Atlantic greyhound tower above them for a moment in the night, then they knew that their ship had been struck, and the next moment they were alone on the waste of fog enshrouded water. The only sound heard was that of the impact as the two ships came together. It was a glancing blow, the colliding steamer's bow having forged ahead of the Corean's before the steamers came together. Then the two must have been swung around by the collision, for the Corean was struck almost immediately near the stern. The second shock was not nearly as heavy as the first. Four of the bow plates were smashed in, several feet of bulwarks and rails were carried away, angle iron were broken and the deck shattered for a space of a few feet. No one was seriously injured. There were four hundred cattle on dock, but none of them were injured. All the damage was found to be above the water line, but it was rather more than would have been safe to venture across the Atlantic with, so Captain Stewart decided to make the 165 miles to Halifax.

CASE OF ALPHONSE CYR.

An Interesting Experiment With Lockjaw Anti-Toxine—His Life to be Saved if Possible.

Ottawa, Dec. 7.—Alphonse Cyr, a laborer, is in the Water street Hospital, supposed to be suffering with lockjaw. He was taken there yesterday and his condition is growing more serious. A week ago Cyr jumped on a rusty nail while at work in Booth's lumber yards. The nail pierced his foot and since that time he has suffered very severe pain. Yesterday he felt his neck and his jaws becoming a little stiff and sore, and he gradually grew worse. A telegram has been sent to Montreal to have a supply of anti-toxine sent to Ottawa immediately. Drs. Provost and Freeland have hopes that if the case is dealt with at once the man's life may be saved. This a case that is not by any means common and few cases of it have been cured.

The taxation of church property was advocated by Rev. Dr. Saunders at this morning's meeting of the Ministerial Association. Dr. Saunders advanced several pronounced views in an excellent paper dealing with the sphere of a Christian minister. He said: "The Christian minister is a citizen and ought to aim to be the best in the State. All that concerns their welfare ought to live in his heart's core. To be careless and indifferent to any rational interest is to be recreant to his high trust. He should pay his taxes like a man and vote as if he were casting his ballot on the judgment seat. If he can be intimidated he is a poltroon and not a minister of God. If he can be cajoled he is a buffoon. If he sells his vote he is a traitor." He attacked the civic administration, stating that the finances were being squandered, not merely by contractors, but by those in trust.

The reports which come from Montreal periodically about Shortis, the Beauharnois murderer, now in the penitentiary, are evidently manufactured by parties interested in the prisoner. One time Shortis is to be released, and at another time he is to be removed to Kingston. The latest is that he is to be sent to Ireland. The Department of Justice knows nothing of these reports, as the matter has not been before them one way or another.

Ottawa may have another company supplying light. The Deschenes Electric Company have applied to the City Council for a charter to supply electric light and power in the city. They will lay underground wires into the city. This will create competition with the present electric company, and probably lead to a reduction in the price of electric light.

Notes.

Hon. W. S. Fielding, who has reached New York from England, intends staying a few days at Halifax before coming to Ottawa.

Mr. John Davis, Mayor of Windsor, Ont., is here and had an interview with Mr. Paterson, Minister of Customs.

Hon. Dr. Borden sails from New York on Wednesday.

De Kuyper, the gin maker, has started another trade mark case against Milchers, who is accused of an infringement of the former's trade mark.

Lieut.-Col. Humphreys of the 6th, Halifax, has withdrawn his resignation.

Hon. A. B. Routhier, Superior Court Judge in the Province of Quebec, will, it is said, be appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories, and Hon. Francois Langelier, M.P., a judge in his place. Judge Routhier was made a judge in 1873.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying diff rent remedies without succes, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

GERMANY'S ACTION.

Two Cruisers Arrive at Port au Prince.

HAYTI GIVEN EIGHT HOURS' TIME

Submission or Bombardment the Alternative—The Terms Very Galling—Hayti Willing to Pay the Lueders Indemnity—The German Naval Bill—In Kiao Chou Bay.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 7.—The trouble between Germany and Hayti, as a result of the alleged illegal arrest and imprisonment of Herr Lueders, said to be a German subject, reached a crisis yesterday. Two German cruisers entered this port during this morning and an ultimatum from the German Government, was delivered to the Hayti Government giving the latter eight hours in which to grant the demands of Germany for an indemnity to Herr Lueders.

The members of the diplomatic corps here believe the Government of the republic has decided to accept the conditions of Germany. In anticipation of trouble, the citizens of German nationality sought refuge yesterday on board two steamers which were at this port.

Hayti Willing to Pay.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—A despatch to The Frankfort Zeitung from Washington yesterday says the Republic of Hayti is ready to pay Germany the indemnity demanded in behalf of that country for the alleged illegal arrest and imprisonment of Herr Emil Lueders.

GERMAN NAVAL BILL.

Prince Hohenlohe Declares That an Efficient Navy is a Necessity.

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The Reichstag yesterday began the debate upon the first reading of the Government's naval bill. The Imperial Chancellor, Prince Hohenlohe, said: "We absolutely require an efficient navy to maintain the position created for us by the army. This conviction has gained ground with very large sections of the population, and I declare, in the name of the Federated Governments, that they consider as an imperative necessity that the navy should be strengthened, and that its strength should be fixed by legislative enactment."

The Secretary of the Navy declared that the present system of voting naval supplies must be changed, and he appealed to the Reichstag favorably to consider the Government's measure.

Herr Schoenlank, Social Democrat, said he thought it curious that the flaws in the navy had only now been discovered. Attempts were being made, he claimed, to frighten the people with phantoms and excite them to a craving for glory, and, the speaker asked, how could this be German policy? "We will, without unnecessary acerbity, but at the same time without weakness, protect our rights and interests." (Prolonged cheers.)

The House soon afterwards adjourned until to-day.

In Possession of Kiao Chou Bay.

London, Dec. 7.—A despatch to The Daily News from Shanghai says:

Two hundred German marines and sailors, with two machine guns, on Friday last (Dec. 3) entered the City of Kiao Chou and took possession of the city walls and gates. They were not molested, the Chinese troops retreating as the Germans advanced.

Italian Cabinet Crisis.

Rome, Dec. 7.—The Cabinet yesterday formally tendered its resignation to King Humbert, who reserved his decision. It is expected that the Marquis Di Rudini, the present Premier, will be entrusted with the task of re-forming the Ministry.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, Marquis Di Rudini announced the resignation of the Cabinet, and the House adjourned.

King Humbert has entrusted the Marquis Di Rudini with the task of constructing a new Cabinet, and the Marquis asks time to reflect.

Gaudaur's Proposition to Wray.

Rat Portage, Ont., Dec. 7.—Jake Gaudaur, champion oarsman of the world, says that he has decided to make Wray of Australia, who professes an ardent desire to get a race with him, a proposition towards that end. Gaudaur will not go to England merely to row Wray for £200; in fact, such a challenge shows insincerity on the part of Wray. Gaudaur's expenses alone would be £100, and he will go if this is also gauranteed. It is an interesting fact, Gaudaur says, that Wray's is the first challenge he has received for his title since he won it from Stanbury last year.

The Poirier Murder Case.

St. Scholastique, Que., Dec. 7.—The preliminary trial in the Poirier murder case was resumed at 2.30 p. m. yesterday. Judge Demartigny on ascending the bench ordered the court room to be cleared, and will allow nobody but prisoner's counsel and witnesses on the stand to be present at any more of the sittings. Every witness will be charged to withhold his testimony from outsiders. His Honor thinks this course necessary in order to procure an unbiased jury at the forthcoming trial before the Queen's Bench.

Navigation at Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 4.—The harbormaster has taken in the buoys, with the exception of those at the eastern gap. These will be left out for a few days, until the Algonquin and Rosedale arrive. During the month of November, 1896, 74 vessels came into port here, and during the same month last year 92 vessels arrived. Last year navigation closed on Dec. 14, and it is expected the last boat this year will arrive about the same time.

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Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. E. Grey, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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ONTARIO'S TEXT BOOKS.

OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM AND ILLINOIS' COMPARED.

The Advantage with Ontario—The Spoils System in Operation in Illinois—School Books Changed Frequently and Different Series in Use in One State—Books Cheaper in Ontario.

(Special Correspondence of the Globe.)

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 10.—No one man in the Ontario Cabinet had ever had so much adverse criticism heaped upon him as has the Hon. George W. Ross, Minister of Education. Conservative speakers would lead one to believe he was almost criminal. Sir John Macdonald's remark that "the most sticks are found under the tree that bears the best apples," surely applies to Mr. Ross. If the good people of Ontario had to live in Illinois a while they would return to their native province with a most profound respect for the man who has defended their interests in the face of temptations no doubt as alluring as have caused the betrayal of the public trust by the people's representatives in Illinois.

In education as well as everthing else, we judge results by the amount we get for our dollars. To show that the Ontario public gets full value for its money let us compare the cost of education there with what it costs in the State of Illinois. In the first place the Province of Ontario has a uniform system of education. Illinois has not. By a uniform system I mean that in Ontario the text books used are the same the Province over, and that teachers in one part of the Province are required to pass identically the same examinations as those in another. The same general laws apply to the transaction of school work all over the Province, and there are no vital differences which make the removal of a family from one locality to another a serious matter to the pocket-book on account of the change of schools.

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

The chief educational officer of a city or borough here is called a Superintendent, and his duties are much the same as our own inspectors. However, though he is a teacher he has not the free hand that an Inspector has. He has greater difficulties, too, for he has to break in his new teachers without their having, in many instances, any professional training. He holds his position only from year to year, and if he is worldly wise he begins to lay plans for next year's appointment as soon as he gets this year's. Now, I would not have it thought that these gentlemen are not cultured and highly worthy of their position. In most cases they are, but there are exceptions. Still, nearly always there is much anxiety, and many needed reforms are never started because of the surety that if they were undertaken by the Superintendent he would not be permitted to finish them. The position of Superintendent is one of the "plums" given, of course, to one of the faithful, and no matter how good the work of the said officer may be, if the opposing party is successful in the next election, his head promptly goes into the basket, not because of inefficient work but because the new directors had promised his position to some one else in return for services performed during the campaign. He does not hold his place because of merit, but as a political reward in many cases. Then a man must keep in with his own party. The Superintendent owes his position to certain members of the board. The members owe theirs to the faithful work of Billy Muldoon, who, though he may not be able to write his name, insists that he must have his say in matters of education. There being no examinations to pass, a candidate for a position sends in an application, giving several names as references. The board sends out a paper to each of these references, asking certain questions regarding the character and ability of the applicant. If he or she happens to be the son or daughter of one of Billy's friends, and the aforesaid Billy is applied to as a reference, you may have your doubts as to the value of his advice from an educational standpoint, but not from a political one. If he is very much interested in the applicant's success he will attend the board meeting with a host of his followers and what Billy says goes. The applicant gets the position and the certificate together, but of course such a certificate is of no value except in the district where it is obtained. Innocently enough, for Bloomington is a thriving city, I asked Superintendent Van Patten to-day if all his teachers were Normal trained. He didn't say much, but he had a far-away look in his eye. I inferred he was thinking of a Superintendent's "happy hunting ground." Anyone can see that such a system cannot give as good results as that used in Ontario. The Ontario people get better teachers for their money than the people of Illinois do.

SCHOOL BOOKS GALORE.

When one takes up the text book subject he is more and more impressed with the superiority of Ontario's system. Each school district here has the right to chose its own series of text-books, but the law provides a fine of $25 for each school director who votes for a change of books within the limit of four years from a previous change. In most places the books are changed each four years, and in some places oftener, for the rival publisher is willing to pay the fine for the privilege of supplying a populous district with his goods.

The people of Ontario are told each succeeding campaign that they are being robbed by the text-book publishing houses. That the books are being changed too often, that there are far too many books used, and many other things equally untrue. The books sold in this state are sold all over the Union, and therefore the cost of manufacture is just as low as that of the Ontario books. This is not all. In the second, third and fourth books in Ontario the arithmetic, readers, etc., of the eldest child of a family are passed downwards until the one set of books does service for two or three children. Here that never happens. The books are changed too often for that. Suppose a boy gets into the fourth reader in September. He must have a full set of books. In April the new members take their places on the board, and perhaps a new Superintendent is appointed. At any rate it is decreed that new text-books are to be used. The boy must now be fitted out with a complete set of new books, and the old ones not half used yet. The Public School books of Ontario were changed in 1885, but time was allowed so that children in certain readers would finish their course in their respective grades without requiring to purchase a new book until they were promoted, when they would have to have a new book anyhow. Of course the discarded books were of no use to the younger children in any of those families, but while Ontario books have been changed only once in that time, in almost every school district in this State the books have been changed three or four times. More than that, some of the books, whose prices I quote below, are only Part I. of a book. To complete the Public School course, Part II. and in some cases Part III. will be required. Thus, an arithmetic that in Ontario would suffice for use during the whole Public School course will do only for a part of it here, and the pupil in the higher grade will have to secure a more expensive book, even if the series is not changed, with the odds two to one that he will have to purchase Part II. of the present series and part two of a new one also.

Besides this frequent changing, the books for the whole State are not uniform. If they were things would not be so bad. Circumstances often require that a family living in one place must remove to another. In that case it is very seldom the two districts use the same books. From the table below you can figure out the cost of a set of books for a a family of five or six children of school ages. This is especially burdensome on the poorer classes, for they are the ones who move oftenest. I have frequently inquired of parents here why their children were not at school, and have received the answer that they have just moved here from —— and cannot afford to buy new school books for the little ones. Thus the children grow up with little or no education.

A COMPARISON OF PRICES.

Below is a comparative table of the cost of the books used by pupils in the third reader in Ontario and those used by pupils in the fifth grade in Bloomington, Ill. This would vary slightly in different cities. It is hard to get at the standing of the pupils using such different books, but the pupil in the fifth grade here has much the same work as the senior third class in Ontario, and its position in the eight grades makes it about the position in the course of studies.

Bloomington, Ill., Text Books:—

	PRICE.
Barnes' Fourth Reader	70
Riverside Literature, Nos. 13-14	40
Reed's Word Lessons	25
Southworth's Essentials of Arithmetic, Part 1	42
Eggleston's First Book of American History	60
Southworth's & Goddard's First Lessons in Language	25
Barnes' Elementary Geography	55
Normal Music Reader, No 1	22
Ellis' Vertical Writing Copy Book, No 3	08
Union series of Health Primers, No 2	20
Total	$3.92

Ontario Series:—

	PRICE.
Third Reader	$ 35
Public School Grammar	25
Public School Arithmetic	25
Public School History	30
Public School Physiology	25
Copy Book	10
Drawing Book	06
Public School Geography	75
Total	$2.30

ONTARIO HAS THE ADVANTAGE.

This comparison will serve as an example of the difference in the number and price of books in Ontario and Illinois. The cost of the books used in a whole Public School course here, according to data kindly furnished me by Superintendent Van Rettan, would be $14 26, while the books for the Ontario course would amount to considerably less than one-half that amount, and the graduate of the Ontario Public School would have much better education than the graduate of the same class of schools here. In the above tables all account of slates, pencils, paper, etc., was omitted.

It is customary when a good point is noted in the Ontario school system to look very solemn and make some remark commending the work of the late Dr. Ryerson. Certainly Dr. Ryerson deserves credit for the excellent work he did, but it is not right to credit him him with things he did not do. Mr. Ross deserves the credit for the change from the old country board to the Provincial certificates and for the manner in which he effected the change in the text books, by which two achievements he gave the taxpayers better value for their money.

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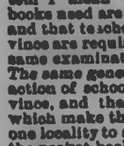

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Dominion Life	53 395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.859	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18 825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30 700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485 354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263
Totals	$6,297.929	$ 6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295,178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the Government Superintendent of Insurance, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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President McKinley's Deliverance to This Body on

PRESSING LEGISLATIVE SUBJECTS

The Currency Problem—The Annexation of Hawaii—A Waiting Policy Recommended Concerning Cuba—Reciprocity—Sealing Question—Alaska and the Yukon—The Bimetallic Commission.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Hall of Representatives presented an animated appearance long before the hour of noon arrived. The corridors were filled with jostling, moving crowds and before 11 o'clock yesterday the galleries which overlooked the floor were black with people. The bright sunlight sifting through the stained glass of the ceiling intensified every bit of color, gilding the brass railings, glorifying the floral tributes and bringing into bright relief the gay dresses of the ladies in the reserved galleries.

President McKinley's address to the 55th Congress first expressed his pleasure at meeting the Congress, and then went on to give his ideas of various current questions. After declaring that "time will be needed to testify to the efficacy of the tariff legislation," President McKinley first directed their attention to

The Currency Question.

The President said: The work of putting our finances upon a sound basis, difficult as it may seem, will appear easier when we recall the financial operations of the Government since 1866. On the 30th day of June of that year we had outstanding demand liabilities in the sum of $728,868,447. On the 1st of January, 1879, the liabilities had been reduced to $443,889,495. Of our interest-bearing obligations, the figures are even more striking. On July 1, 1866, the principal of the interest-bearing debt of the Government was $2,332,331,908. On the first day of July, 1896, this sum had been reduced to $585,037,100, or an aggregate reduction of $1,747,294,108.

With the great resources of the Government, and with the honorable example of the past, before us, we ought not to hesitate to enter upon a currency revision which will make our demand obligations less onerous to the Government and relieve our financial laws from ambiguity and doubt. The evil of the present system is found in the great cost to the Government of maintaining the parity of our different forms of money—that is, keeping all of them on par with gold. Nobody is obliged to redeem in gold but the Government. The law which requires the Government, after having redeemed its United States notes, to pay them out again as currency funds, demands a constant replenishment of the gold reserve.

The serious question is, Shall we continue the policy that has been pursued in the past, that is when the gold reserve reaches the point of danger issue more bonds and supply the needed gold, or shall we provide other means to prevent these recurring drains upon the gold reserve? If no further legislation is had and the policy of selling bonds is to be continued, then Congress should give the Secretary of the Treasury authority to sell bonds at long or short periods, bearing a less rate of interest than is now authorized by law.

I earnestly recommend as soon as the receipts of the Government are quite sufficient to pay all the expenses of the Government, that when any of the United States notes are presented for redemption in gold, and are redeemed in gold, such notes shall be kept and set apart and only paid out in exchange for gold. If we are to have any era of prosperity in the country, with sufficient receipts for the expenses of the Government, we may feel no immediate embarrassment from our present currency; but the danger still exists, and will be ever present, menacing us so long as the existing system continues.

I recommend that the issue of national bank notes be restricted to the denomination of ten dollars and upwards. If this suggestion I have herein made shall have the approval of Congress then I would recommend that national banks be required to redeem their notes in gold.

The most important problem with which this Government is now called upon to deal pertaining to its foreign relations concerns its duty towards Spain and the Cuban insurrection. The story of Cuba for many years has been one of unrest, growing discontent, an effort towards a larger enjoyment of liberty and self-control; of organized resistance to the mother country, of depression, after distress and warfare, and of ineffectual settlement to be followed by renewed revolt. For no enduring period since the enfranchisement of the continental possessions of Spain in the Western continent has the condition of Cuba or the policy of Spain toward Cuba not caused concern to the United States.

Of the untried measures, there remain only: Recognition of the insurgents as belligerents; recognition of the independence of Cuba; neutral intervention to end the war by imposing a rational compromise between the contestants, and intervention in favor of one or the other party. I speak not of forcible annexation, for that cannot be thought of.

After reviewing the "practicable aspects of a recognition of belligerency and its inconveniences and positive dangers," the President reaches the conclusion that "the recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents is now unwise, and therefore unadmissible," but he adds, "Should that step hereafter be deemed wise, as a measure of right and duty, the Executive will take it."

By a special message, dated the 16th of June last, I laid before the Senate a treaty signed that day by the plenipotentiaries of the United States and of the Republic of Hawaii, having for its purpose the incorporation of the Hawaiian Islands as an integral part of the United States and under its sovereignty. The Senate having removed the injunction of secrecy, although the treaty is still pending before that body, the subject may be properly referred to in this message because the necessary action of the Congress is required to determine by legislation many details of the eventual union, should the fact of annexation be accomplished, as I believe it should be.

The logic of events required that annexation, heretofore offered but declined, should in the ripeness of time come about as the natural result of the strengthening ties that bind us to these islands, and be realized by the free will of the Hawaiian State.

The treaty was unanimously ratified without amendment by the Senate and President of the Republic of Hawaii on Sept. 10 last, and only awaits the favorable action of the American Senate to effect the complete absorption of the islands into the domain of the United States. What the conditions of such a union shall be are matters which the treaty has wisely relegated to the Congress.

The President refers briefly to the Nicaraguan Canal, saying that its utility and value to American commerce is universally admitted. When the commission which is now surveying the route makes its report it will be submitted to Congress with such suggestions as the President may think advisable.

Reference is made at length to the bimetallic commission appointed last April, and the efforts of the commissioners to reach an agreement with the nations of Europe. They have, the President says, been diligent in their efforts to secure the concurrence and co-operation of European countries, but up to this time have not been able to secure an agreement contemplated by their mission. The commissioners have not made their final report, as further negotiations are pending.

In order to execute as early as possible the provisions of the third and fourth sections of the Revenue Act approved July 24, 1897, I appointed the Hon. John A. Kasson of Iowa a special commissioner plenipotentiary to undertake the requisite negotiations with foreign countries desiring to avail themselves of these provisions. The negotiations are now proceeding with several Governments, both European and American. It is believed that by a careful exercise of the powers conferred by that act, some grievances of our own and of other countries in our mutual trade relations may be either removed or largely alleviated, and that the volume of our commercial exchanges may be enlarged, with advantage to both contracting parties.

The efforts which have been made during the two previous years by my predecessor to secure better protection of fur seals in the North Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea were renewed at an early date by this administration, and have been pursued with earnestness. Upon my invitation the Governments of Japan and Russia sent delegates to Washington, and an international conference was held during the months of October and November last, wherein it was unanimously agreed that under the existing regulations this species of useful animals was threatened with extinction, and that an international agreement of all the interested powers was necessary for their adequate protection.

The Government of Great Britain did not see proper to be represented at this conference, but subsequently sent to Washington, as delegates, the expert commissioners of Great Britain and Canada, who had during the first two years visited the Pribyloff Islands, and who met in conference similar commissioners on the part of the United States. The result of this conference was an agreement on important facts connected with the condition of the seal herd heretofore in dispute which should place beyond controversy the duty of the Governments concerned to adopt measures without delay for the preservation and restoration of the herd. Negotiations to this end are now in progress, the result of which I hope to be able to report to Congress at an early day.

International arbitration cannot be omitted from the list of subjects claiming consideration. Events have only served to strengthen the general views on this question expressed in my inaugural address. The best sentiment of the civilized world is moving toward the settlement of differences between nations without resorting to the horrors of war. Treaties embodying these humane principles on broad lines without in any way imperilling our interests or our honor shall have my constant encouragement.

The territory of Alaska requires the prompt and early attention of Congress. The conditions now existing demand material changes in the laws relating to the territory. The great influx of population during the past summer and fall and the prospect of a still larger immigration in the spring will not permit us to longer neglect the extension of civil authority within the territory or postpone the establishment of a more thorough government. The startling, though possibly exaggerated, reports from the Yukon River country of the probable shortage of food for the large number of people who are wintering there without means of leaving the country are confirmed in such measure as to justify bringing the matter to the attention of Congress.

Secretary Gage transmitted to Congress the estimates of appropriations required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, as furnished by the several executive departments. The total amount called for by the estimates is $469,647,885, which is about $82,000,000 in excess of the appropriations for 1898, including deficiencies and miscellaneous, and about $41,000,000 more than the estimates for 1897.

These amounts include estimates for rivers and harbors, $48,738,160, and fortifications and other works of defence, $13,278,561.

BRITISH COMMENTS.

Various Views Expressed on President McKinley's Deliverance.

London, Dec. 7.—The Daily Chronicle describes President McKinley's message as "weak and colorless compared with the vigorous handling of public questions to which Mr. Cleveland accustomed us." It says: "The explanation of this is simple. Mr. Cleveland was in front of Congress; Mr. McKinley is behind it. The President's comments on the currency issue are positively childlike in their simplicity. It is safe to prophesy that his treatment of the Cuban question will be received with a storm. The annexation of Cuba would be a deplorable mistake, but the reasons for refraining from that course are not the milk and water ones McKinley advances."

The Morning Post, after paying a tribute to the President's "fine sense of duty, in the face of domestic trouble, in sending the message at the appointed hour," specially praises President McKinley's treatment of the currency question.

The Daily Telegraph says: "It used to be America's proud boast that she had no foreign policy. Judging from President McKinley's message, the new world is no more free from the burdens of diplomatic negotiations than the old."

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A Complimentary Concert.

It was announced a few days ago that Mr. Thos. Dunn would leave town shortly to take residence in Chicago. In view of his departure his friends are arranging a complimentary concert to be held in Bradburns Opera House on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21st. An excellent programme is in preparation, the programme being in charge of leading local musicians. Of course Mr. and Mrs. Dunn will assist in the programme, and other local musicians will also contribute. It is extremely probable that a very large number will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Mr. Dunn for the last time in his capacity of a citizen of Peterborough. Mr. Dunn is a baritone of specially fine voice and method and has for years contributed to the success of local concerts in aid of church and charitable objects, and his services have always been given free of charge, and a bumper house should be present on Dec. 21st, to recognize Mr. Dunn's past large services to the best musical entertainments of the town. Further particulars as to the concert will be given in a few days.

Thursday's Concert.

The chorus on Thursday night next will sing some gems of unaccompanied four-part writing by the best composers, among them being Henry Leslie's stirring setting of "Scots Wha Hae."

Douglas Bird, the tenor, has on his programme several numbers that are bound to meet with favour, while Miss Alexander is sure to take the audience by storm with her "Jubilee day in London."

Seats are being rapidly taken and the public are advised to secure places on the plan at once as the audience bids fair to be very large. Plan at Sailsbury's. Seats, 50, 35 and 25c.

The Toronto World says:—No better tribute to the popularity of an entertainer could have been bestowed than the fact that nearly 3000 people turned out in last night's storm to the annual recital given by Miss Jessie Alexander at Massey Hall. The Kingsley selection was given with great dash and aroused patriotic feeling to a high pitch. Charles Dickens' funny production aroused much merriment and "Brave Brave Cameron," accompanied by the subdued strains of "Cameron Man," by the band evoked warm recalls. The Romeo and Juliet excerpts were taken from the passage following the balcony scene; after the marriage, and the potion scene, in all of which Miss Alexander's dramatic power was made fully manifest. But the piece de resistance was Miss Alexander's own description of her experience on a [illegible] day morning. The audience [illegible] incessantly at the true-to-life pic[illegible]own, and the applause was uproar[illegible] at the close.

WILLIAM PITT.

An Eloquent Address by Mr. Daniel O'Connell Last Evening.

A good sized audience assembled in the Catholic Literary Association rooms Monday evening, and the entertainment provided was a most enjoyable one in every respect.

Mr. T. J. Begley occupied the chair and the programme opened with a brilliantly executed piano solo by Miss White. Mr. W. Moncrief in his vocal number sang with excellent taste, and was followed by Misses Burns and Delaire in a clever exhibition of club swinging. Mr. E Maybee contributed a vocal solo in excellent voice and earned a hearty recall. Miss G. McCabe followed with a recitation, which she rendered in a very able manner. Mr. Jas. Wyer contributed a cornet solo to the evening's programme, and this proved to be an excellent number. During the evening the Glee Club rendered two choruses in a very creditable manner.

Of course the event of the evening was the address on William Pitt, by Mr. Daniel O'Connell. This was indeed a literary treat. The speaker in opening referred to the condition of Great Britain at the time William Pitt entered the political arena. Though only twenty-one years of age when he began to take an active part in the affairs of the country, still he had been well instructed in political economy and statescraft by his father, the Earl of Chatham. His matchless eloquence and his thorough grasp of everything pertaining to politics, made him the terror of his political opponents, and his integrity, honesty and humility won for him the love and respect of all. As a statesman he was a success and as an orator he had no peer. Reference was made to the great ability Pitt displayed in dealing with foreign matters relating to his country, and also to his refusing knighthood and other honours which royalty was anxious to load him with. The speaker next referred to Pitt's connection with Irish affairs and stated that he had during his political career shown himself to be a warm friend of Ireland and anxious to introduce legislation with a view to benefitting the condition of that country, and actually did so. If it had been in his power to carry out his proposed Irish legislation, that country, the speaker said, would not now be clamouring for the re-establishment of an Irish Parliament on College Green, and the Irish people should always remember Pitt with feelings of gratitude. Mr. Pitt was here compared to the great Emancipator, Daniel O'Connell, and in eloquent language the speaker referred to the great Liberator's undying love for Ireland, and his matchless eloquence, in which he was in many respect superior to Pitt. Hon. Mr. Gladstone and Hon. Edward Blake were also incidentally referred to in the closing sentences of what proved to be one of the most scholarly addresses ever delivered in the rooms.

Mr. L. R. Keogh in a brief address moved a vote of thanks, which was seconded by Mr. F. Quinlan. Ven Archdeacon Casey and Mr. Thos. Cahill also added a few words, expressive of the pleasure and delight they experienced in listening to the address.

The programme concluded with the National Anthem.

THE SPARRING EXHIBITION.

A Big Crowd at the Opera House Last Evening—Some Clever Work.

Almost every lover of athletic sport was in attendance last evening at the Opera House to witness the sparring exhibitions which were announced to take place and in consequence the audience was a large one.

The Fire Brigade Band kindly turned out in the interests of the sport and gave several selections in front of the Opera House.

Owing to a misunderstanding the pianist did not turn up and in consequence several good numbers had to be dropped from the programme. Messrs. Moncrief, Butcher and Miller, however, put in a turn in this line which carried away the house and earned for them a well merited encore. This is a trio which is becoming very popular in town, a fact which is testified to by the statement that they were called upon to fill three engagements at different concerts during the evening and were recalled each time.

The sparring exhibitions were all very exciting. Three of them took place between young amateur pairs and some skilful and scientific work was seen, the entertainment winding up with four two-minute rounds between Mr. Jim Graham and "Buffalo" Costello, which were watched with the keenest interest. The former had the weight and strength, but Costello's beautiful work in stopping the heavy blows which were rained in on him was as fine a sample of self-defence as could be seen, and although he is well known as a clever young sparrer, his true value is very evidently an unknown quantity as yet.

The bag-punching contest between J. J. O'Connor and Jas. White, of Detroit, did not come off, owing to the non-appearance of the latter, although he had been sent his expense money. In consequence of White's default the forfeit money was paid over to Mr. O'Connor, who gave a fine exhibition on the the bag, the more intricate movements, however, being impossible owing to the slope in the stage floor, which affected the board and caused the bag to rebound with great uncertainty.

A large number of local sports will accompany Costello and several of the local boxers to Lindsay to-morrow evening, when they will all go up against strange men. Something good may be confidently expected.

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The Chancel Guild of St. John's church, Lakefield, intends to have a sale of work, with afternoon tea and a programme, on Thursday, December 9th, between the hours of 5 p.m. and 9 p.m., at "Harbourne," the recently-restored residence of F. J. Tate, Esq. The Guild has carried on its work most successfully for some years. Each member contributes work, which is sold once a year at such gatherings as the above, where the visitors may both enjoy a pleasant evening and expend a little money in Christmas or birthday presents. The charge for entrance will be 10 cents.

If you experience any trouble with your eyes in reading have them tested by W. Madill, practical optician. No charge for testing. At Madill's Drug Store, 142 Hunter Street.

THE OTONABEE LODGE CONCERT AND AT HOME.

A PLEASANT EVENING WITH THE ODDFELLOWS.

The Programme Was Excellent and the Entire Evening Was Greatly Enjoyed by all Who Were Present—An Informal Hop.

Otonabee Lodge of Independent Oddfellows last evening commemorated the fifteenth anniversary of the resuscitation of the lodge by holding a concert and At Home. The beautiful suite of apartments occupied by the local Oddfellows was thrown open to the guests, of whom there were sufficient present to fill the big lodge room to the doors, whilst the overflow occupied the numerous ante rooms.

The evening's programme was opened by the rendition of the instrumental duet, "La Ballad," in dashing style by the Misses Hurley. Dr. Bell, P.G.M., then briefly addressed those present, explaining the excellence of the aims and objects of Oddfellowship and reviewing the history of Otonabee Lodge from its institution in 1846 until it became so involved in 1880 as to lead the members to decide on disbanding. In 1873, he explained, Peterborough Lodge of Oddfellows had been organized and succeeded so well as to induce some of the old members of Otonabee to endeavour in 1882 to bring about the resuscitation of that lodge, with the result that it was now a flourishing branch of the Order.

The musical portion of the programme was then continued by a solo and chorus of great merit by Mrs. Seward, Miss Pascoe and Messrs Squires and Skitch. It was entitled "Victoria the Rose of England." Little Aggie Patterson followed and, as usual, carried the house with her in her comical parody on snoring. Mrs. Bert Brown's fine vocal selection, "The Church Across the Way," was fully appreciated, as was Miss Pascoe's delightful rendering of "The Christening" as a recitation. Mr. Moncrief, who is fast working himself up into being a prime favourite in Peterborough, greatly pleased the audience with his vocal solo, after which the Banjo Club made its first appearance in public and created a most favourable impression by their rendition of the "Mill Dam Galop."

The second portion of the programme was opened with an instrumental duet on the piano by Misses Edith Hall and Ethel Wrighton. The selection chosen was Mattei's Valse, and it was given with a crispness of touch and such rythm and time as to merit the applause which it secured. "The Song of the Steeple" was given in splendid style by a new male quartette composed of Messrs. Morphet, Squires, Harvey and Skitch. The public will be anxious to hear them again this winter. "Beautiful Moonlight," a vocal duet by Mrs. Seward and Miss Pascoe was well rendered, being given in perfect harmony. Mr. Alf. Kingscote's solo, "The Four Jolly Smiths," was given with a swing and go that took well with the audience.

A string trio on the mandolin and guitar proved one of the most pleasing numbers on the programme, being given by Miss Winnie Dobbin, Miss Boyler and Mr. Alf. Cox. This was followed by "The Three Students from Jerusalem," by Messrs. Moncrief, Butcher and Miller, and the number was certainly a winner, the trio being brought back twice by the enthusiastic applause which their clever character song evoked.

The programme was closed by the second appearance of the Banjo Club, the number being quite as well received as the first. The singing of the National Anthem brought the concert to a close, after which refreshments were served in the dining room. Later on the young people indulged in the pleasures of an informal hop for an hour or two.

The accompaniments during the concert were most acceptably played by Mr. J. Crane and Miss Ida Melrose.

The evening proved one of the most pleasant of the many which have been spent within the hospitable walls of the lodge. The managing committee was composed of Messrs. J. W. Miller, Jas. Edgecumbe, Dickson Jewett, Will Quinn, Harry Morgan and George Armstrong.

PERSONAL.

Messrs. Ashe and Code, of the Standard Bank, Norwood, were in town last evening.

At the opening of the new Central Methodist church in St. Thomas, at which Rev. Dr. Carman preached the dedicatory sermon, Rev. H. T. Crossley sang at the morning service the solo, "De Massa ob the Sheepfold," and in the evening "The Pearly Gates."

Mr. N. R. Lee, familiarly known as "Nate," of Elkhorn, Wisconsin, who left Ashburnham eighteen years ago, is home visiting old friends. Mr. Lee is in business for himself in the west, and is one of the many boys from this district who have done well for themselves in the world.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Of Lansdowne Lodge, Sons of England.

At the quarterly meeting of Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, S. O. E. B. S., held Monday evening, the following officers were duly elected for the ensuing term:

Dr Pigeon		W P P
A Bridgewater		W P
T Stanton		W V P
H Beal		W F S
A Kingscote		W R S
F Brownscombe		W T
Rev H Symonds		W C
Dr Pigeon		W P
W Taylor	1st	Committeeman
J Booth	2nd	"
H Darke	3rd	"
W J Hetherington	4th	"
W H McCarthy	5th	"
J Howland	6th	"
D Oliver		I G
T Coveney		O G

Auditors—E A Peck, A E Dixon, W D Parker.
Hall Trust—T Gunn, F J R Mitchell, A E Moseley, T Grange, R Waram.
Lodge Trust—T Heap, H Long.

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By this agency Nerviline is made to penetrate to the most remote nerve—every bone, muscle and ligament is made to feel its beneficent power. Nerviline is a wonderful remedy, pleasant to even the youngest child yet so powerfully far reaching in its work that the most agonizing internal or external pain yields as if by magic.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Acknowledgment of a Number of Donations—The Shelter now Open.

The Board of Management of the Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the following donations:

Mrs. J. C. Turnbull—Pair blankets and sheets.
Mrs. Warde, Ashburnham—Mattress and pillows.
Miss Louise Friend, Protestant Home—Patchwork quilt.
Mrs. T. Bradburn—Clothing.

The management of the Shelter regret that those taking donations there did not find it open. In future Mr. Miller, the Society's agent, will reside in the building. Intending contributors will kindly send word to the secretary, 105 Brock street, if they wish their donations sent for.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

The Thistle club meets to-morrow evening in the rink parlours for the purpose of electing skips and chosing the rinks for the season.

A meeting of the Granite curling club will be held in the rink Friday evening, when the skips will pick the members of their rinks for the season. Those requiring tickets should apply at once to the secretary, Mr. W. L. Allen, in order that their names may be placed on the list before the selection of rinks is made.

Grace Ella Alton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

W. E. Thistle, Druggist.
Andrew Alton, Witness. Hartland, N.B.

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It isn't what you receive but what you spend that makes you prosperous or otherwise. Saving a quarter on this, ten cents on something else and five cents here and there, is the thing that counts:—

Cloth Bound Books, gold titles and side stamps, real value 35c, for	.23
A cheaper line, paper not so good, worth 25c, for	.15
Child's Table and Two Chairs, red or blue, worth $2.50 for	$1.75
Checkboards, round boards, with Checker Board on back. The edge WON'T COME OFF these boards. Worth $1.25, for	$1.00

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Discard those old shoes! Ask your doctor about the care of your feet, this weather. Order a pair of CAREY'S Hand-made heavy Boots and Shoes for this cold and wet weather. Wet-proof, Snow-proof, easy warm, stylish, economical. As nearly indestructible as shoes can be made. Up-to-date toes.

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FROM JAPAN!

CHINA HALL has received direct from Japan, a very large shipment of Japanese Goods, in new and beautiful designs. The assortment consists of

Tea Sets, Tete-a-Tete Sets, Tea Pots, Hot Water Kettles,
Flower and Fern Pots, Trays, Bread and Butter Plates,
5 o'clock Cups and Saucers, Tea Cups and Saucers,
Bon Bons, Chocolate Pots, Vases, Jugs, Etc.

The collection is well worth seeing. Everyone is invited. The prices are extremely low.

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THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE has put the armour on for a great Holiday Time in Christmas Gift getting and Gift selling. Sorry we haven't more room. With such preparations as we have made it would require twice the space to display the quantity of beautiful goods we have to offer.

But if you want to select your Gifts in the quietest moments of the day, come early in the morning. We are ready for you at 8 a.m. If you don't want to buy come any way. We welcome everybody to the freedom of the store. The best time to shop is while the stocks are at their best, and the time to buy is before the choicest things are gone. This statement is good enough to remember. Commence to-day. We can lay aside your purchases for future delivery, if you desire.

	From	Down to		From	Down to
Mirrors	$10 00	15c	Manicure Sets	5 00	75c
Medallions	4 50	25c	Neck Tie Cases	3 00	75c
Onyx Tables	20 00	$5 00	Smoking Sets	3 75	50c
Photo Frames	7 00	5c	Handkerchief Cases	2 00	25c
Purses	3 50	5c	Collar and Cuff Boxes	3 75	50c
Purses Sterling Silver Mounted	3 50	60c	Shaving Cases	5 00	1 00
Gent's Pocket Books	2 00	25c	Table and Office Bells	1 50	25c
Gent's Leather Wallets	3 00	35c	Ink Stands	4 50	10c
Ladies' Companions, in celluloid	7 50	25c	Fountain Pens	4 00	25c
Ladies' Writing Portfolios	10 00	35c	Gold Pens and Pencils	10 00	1 00c
Hand Painted Porcelain Ornaments, all prices	5 00	75c	Perfume Bottles	2 50	25c
Jewel Cases, all prices	3 00	15c	Work Baskets, all prices	3 50	25c
Fancy Novelties, with views of Peterborough, assorted	75	15c	Dolls, away down	3 50	5c
Brush and Comb Sets, all prices	2 00	75c	Games, lower than ever	1 00	5c
Pin Trays, all prices	1 00	10c	Picture Books	1 00	3c
			Children's Sets of Dishes	1 00	10c
			Doll Carriages, Bicycle Steel Wheels, nicely finished	2 50	1 00
			Sleighs of all kinds	1 00	25c
			Rocking Horses	3 50	75c

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— AND —

MANTLES

In connection with our Great Realization Sale we will offer the following inducements in our Millinery and Mantle sections this week:

MILLINERY

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors, in blue and brown, worth $1.25, reduced to 50c.
Ladies' Untrimmed Shapes, worth 75c to $1.00, all colors, to clear at 50c each.
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth $2.25, reduced to $1.50 each.
Ladies' Walking Hats, worth $1.25, reduced to $1.00 each.
Special Prices in all Trimmed Millinery for the balance of this month.

MANTLES

Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $6.00, reduced to $4 00.
Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $5.00, reduced to $3.00.
Ladies' Fur Lined Cloaks only three left, to be cleared at $10.00 each.
Ladies' Tweed Jackets, worth $9.00, reduced to $7.00.
Also Great Reductions in our Better Goods.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

The "Lip" and "Tube" Bias Skirt Binding is the only protector that protects. They outwear the skirt—never fades, frays or becomes ragged—a tailor made finish guaranteed. It is cheaper than other bindings and velveteen at nothing. To introduce this new and popular Binding we give away free with every purchase of same one of Worth's latest French seven gored paper Skirt Patterns.

MISS McKAY, demonstrator, will be at our notion counter on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week to demonstrate how to apply this already popular Binding. Ask to see it.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1897.

FORTY HOURS DEVOTION.

A Solemn Religious Ceremony Began This Morning at St. Peter's Cathedral.

This morning at 9 o'clock the Forty Hours Devotion began at St. Peter's Cathedral with a solemn high mass. A large congregation was present. V. Rev. Archdeacon Casey was celebrant, Rev. Father Scanlan, deacon, and Rev. Father Phelan, sub-deacon.

At the conclusion of the mass the Blessed Sacrament was borne in procession by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, from the altar through the several aisles of the church and returned to the sanctuary where it was placed on a throne above the altar. The procession was composed of the bishop, clergy and sanctuary boys.

The altar was beautifully decorated by the sisters of the Congregation with lights and cut and blooming flowers. On the return of the procession to the altar the litanies were chanted and the clergy retired to the vestry.

The devotion of the forty hours consists principally in the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on a throne over the high altar during forty hours, which corresponds to the time the body of our Lord rested in the tomb. During this forty hours the faithful visit the church, pray and make special acts of reparation to our divine Lord for the insults given to His sacred humanity. During these hours all the faithful are expected to receive Holy Communion.

This evening at half past seven there will be a special sermon on the Eucharist, by Rev. Father Fitzpatrick and to-morrow evening a sermon will be delivered by Rev. Father McColl, of Eanismore, on a different aspect of the same subject.

To-morrow will be the feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, a fete d' obligation. Masses will be sung at 6, 8, 9 and 10 o'clock a. m.

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26th Feb., 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Constipation for years has been my chief ailment; it seemed to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However some time ago I was told of Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pill, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure.—Turly yours,

J. Harris.

LADIES, ATTENTION!

The ladies are cordially invited to attend Mrs. Appleby's grand Christmas opening of choice and beautiful Christmas goods and novelties from 7 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, and following days—426 Water street.

PETERBOROUGH'S FIRE APPLIANCES.

COUNCILLOR WHITE'S REPORT TO THE COUNCIL.

They Stands at the Head of Class "B"—Regular Meeting of Council—Many Requests for Revision of Taxes—Miscellaneous Matters Dealt With—Preparing for the Elections.

Council met in regular session. Present Mayor Yelland in the chair, and Messrs. Best, LePlante, Robertson, Deane, Neill, Davis, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Meldrum, Graham and White.

After routine

COMMUNICATIONS

were received:

From John Hillier, calling attention to the injury to his property on Edinburgh street, by the overflow of the creek—Referred to Messrs. Cobb, McWilliams and Dawson.

From T. J. Begley, President of the Catholic Association, asking for remission of taxes on that society's rooms—Granted.

From Geo. C. Robb, certifying that the fire engine is in good condition—Received.

From Rev. J. C. Davidson, asking for the remission of Mr. Wm. Godfrey's taxes—Granted.

From Robt. Redmond, requesting remission of taxes as he was unable to pay them—Granted.

From the Fire Underwriters Association asking if the Fire, Water and Light Committee had yet reported on the matters referred to them in regard to the deficiencies in the fire apparatus of the town—Received.

From Jane Welsh, applying for remission of dog tax—Granted on the usual conditions.

From Geo. F. Warde and others, asking for extra sewer extension on Charlotte street, 150 feet east from Stewart—Sewerage Committee.

From Esther Vass, applying for remission of taxes—$8.50—Granted.

From Thos. H. Finn, applying for remission of taxes, on account of illness—Court of Revision.

From the Salvation Army, asking for a grant towards the Self Denial Fund—Received.

From Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson on behalf of Roderick McLennan, requiring the corporation to immediately replace the earth which has been removed from the front of his dwelling on Townsend street.—Street and Bridge Committee.

From Miss Martha Sheridan asking remission of taxes.—Court of Revision.

From Mrs. Margaret Bird, asking remission of taxes.—Granted.

From the Retail Grocers' Association of Ottawa, asking the aid of the municipality in petitioning the Legislature to make more stringent regulation in the Municipal Act as governing the licenses of hawkers and pedlars.—License Committee.

From Sarah Drake, asking remission of taxes.—Court of Revision.

From Mrs. Joseph Buller, asking remission of taxes.—Court of Revision.

From the Barnardo Home, asking remission of taxes.

Mr. Davis favoured and Mr. Dawson opposed the remission of taxes on the Barnardo Home, and the matter was referred to the Court of Revision.

From the Children's Aid Society enclosing resolutions accepting the town's grant, and also extending thanks for Mr. Best's offer of a house.—Received.

From the League of American municipalities inviting Peterborough to become a member.—Finance Committee.

From Thos. Parrington, asking recompense for the collection of poll and other taxes for which he has received no remuneration owing to the Court of Revision remitting taxes.—Received.

From the Dominion Alliance, asking the council's signature to a petition to the Ontario Legislature calling for the passage of such enactments as will place the regulating of the hours during which liquor is to be sold in the hands of the municipalities.—Received.

From Jas. Chatten, asking for a pedlar's license free of charge—License Committee.

From the County Clerk, enclosing a resolution passed by the County Council re the Mud Lake bridge—Received.

From Cordelia de Laplante, notifying the council that she intends to take proceedings for injuries received by falling in a trap door at the corner of George and King streets on Nov. 3rd—Legal Committee.

From the Peterborough Light & Power Company, calling attention of the council to the rental charged them for the use of the streets, and requesting that no further rent be imposed. The Company states that in their agreement one of the conditions was the passage of a bylaw compelling other parties using the streets to pay a tax.—Fire, Water and Light Committee.

From Mrs. Ellen Rogers, asking for remission of taxes.—Court of Revision.

From Mrs. Rebecca Hartley, asking pro portionate remission of taxes—Court of Revision.

The following

ACCOUNTS

were presented:

W E McColl	$ 5 00
Curtis Bros	57 09
Times	16 26
T Williams	2 50
T A Rehill	10 00
R H Green	8 00
Wm Hetherington	2 00
P P Home	9 00
A McDonald	153 30
F E Jones	2 00
Light & Power Co	4 80
Peterborough Hardware Co	1 18
" " "	3 25
C P R Telegraph Co	42
Micks and Cox	2 25
Richard Hall & son	4 14
C N Brown	1 65
Kingan & Allan	22 83
North Monaghan	$ 5 40
Joseph Batten	15 00
Frank Lush	3 75
W H Bill	42 50
Ontario Gazette	7 10
T Fitzgerald	3 00
County Registrar	6 00
R H Leary	15 00
A Mercer	22 00
Times	4 50
Rathbun Co	128 53
" "	10 75
Thos McDonald	15 05
Thos A Rehill	9 90
Lock Co	25
Light & Power Co	1 80
" "	15 00
G H Noble	2 06
Frank Lush	5 75
G H Noble	2 06
Peterborough Light & Power Co	15 00
" " " "	1 80
" Lock Co	25

Referred to the Finance Committee with the exception of the accounts of Messrs. Thos. McDonald, Greer, Times Printing Company, Warwick Bros, and Rutter, which were paid.

Mr. Deane, chairman, presented the report of

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Finance Committee beg to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the following accounts be paid:

Peterborough Hardware Co	$ 1 42
Times Printing Co	2 60
Savigny Bros	3 25
Review Printing Co	1 84
Thos Montgomery (when certified)	5 00
Curtis Bros	64 71
Curtis Bros	7 20
Wm Hetherington	2 00
Peterborough Water Co	9 00
W H Meldrum, expenses re Manufacturers Committee	25 25
T Williams	2 50
Waller & Co	55
Thos B McGrath	15 00
J J Hartley	12 50
Gartsnore-Thompson Pipe & Foundry Co	26 25
Thos Tomlinson & Son	5 00
Peterborough Light and Power Co, (3 accounts	9 40
R H Leary	2 00
Martin Hoover	37 50

2. That the debentures authorized to be issued by bylaws Nos. 788 and 792, and passed on the 16th day of November last, be sold to the executors of the Nicholls estate at par, in accordance with an agreement made by the council in 1896.

3. That the usual grants be made to the representatives of the Review and Examiner for $20 each, and to the reporter of the Times for $10.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. H. G. Denne,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. McWilliams, chairman, presented the report of

THE LEGAL COMMITTEE

as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Legal Committee beg leave to report that they have arranged a settlement of the case of Monoriefy, Peterborough which was appealed. The Toronto Savings & Loan Company and Mr. J. W. T. Fairweather have each agreed to pay one third of the verdict and plaintiff' costs, the town to pay the other third, and each of the three parties to pay their own costs. Cheques for these amounts have been received from the company, and Mr. Fairweather, and we recommend that this settlement be approved.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. McWilliams,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. McWilliams, chairman, presented the report of the

STREET AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Street and Bridge Committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the contracts for the snowploughing be awarded as follows:—For the southern district to Robert Nicholls at $60; and for the northern district to Zimri Blodgett at $75.

2. That the Auburn Power Company be permitted to put up a pole line and string wires under the supervision and direction of the street Inspector, to connect with Mr. McMain's store house, Messrs. Mc Master's and Meldrum's store houses, the printing offices of the Review, Examiner and Mr. Frank Lush, and with the Lock Works and other places regarding which the arrangements are not yet completed. The company has submitted a sketch of the line which is attached to this report.

3. That an arrangement was made with the Street Railway Company to have the streets repaired where they were dangerous through the rails projecting above the street, by which the Company is to pay half the expense and the town the other half, be approved.

4. That the following agreement with the council of the township of Smith for the maintenance of the boundary between that township and the town of Peterborough be confirmed, namely, that the township maintain the following portions of the boundary:—Mill street along the west side of Dixon street to Reid street, to the Communication line, the east connection line from Anson street to the road allowance between the first and second concession and east along the last mentioned road allowance to Mona street, and that the town maintain the following portions: Smith street from Mill to Dixon streets the Communication line to Wolsley street and along Wolsley street to the end of that street, and the road allowance between the first and second concessions from Mona street to the river.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. McWilliams,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Mr. White, chairman, presented the report of the

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT COMMITTEE,

as follows:—

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Fire, Water and Light Committee beg leave to report that they cannot recommend that the electric light asked for by Thomas Neary and others, on Sherbrooke street, be granted this year, as the appropriations have been made, but we think that a light is needed at the place mentioned and commend the application to the favourable consideration of those who may be members of the council next year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. M. White,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

REPORT OF FIRE APPLIANCE INVESTIGATION.

Mr. White read the report of the committee appointed to investigate the fire appliances of other towns and cities:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with instructions received from you, we visited several cities and towns to enquire into the matter of fire appliances, and especially had in view the equipment of the fire departments of other municipalities as compared with the equipment of our own department.

We had a conversation with the inspector of the Underwriters' Association, who advised us to visit the city of Brantford, which we did. Brantford is in Class A, and in its equipment are line noted five horses (one of which is used by the chief) one hook and ladder waggon, two hose waggons, and one Hayes extension ladder truck which cost $2,400. The chief and ten men are on constant duty. The fire alarm system is an automatic one with 32 alarm boxes. The chief of the brigade looks after the alarm system, and also tests the electric current of the street lamps to see that the proper candle power is furnished. No poles or wires are allowed to be placed or shrung on a street without his sanction, and the top cross arms of all pole lines are reserved for the use of the city. The city owns the waterworks and it is the policy of the corporation to place as many hydrants near large factories and in the centre of the city as are needed to give first-class protection, the first cost of putting in the hydrant being the only cost, and being about equal to the price of a length of hose. The waterworks, we were informed, are paying to the city a revenue of 12 per cent on the cost of the system. The chief, Mr. Calder, advised that if this town decides to put in a new fire alarm system we should secure the services of an expert to locate the boxes and prepare specifications upon which tenders should be asked.

We also visited Woodstock, which is in Class B. The fire department equipment includes one hose waggon, one team, one man on constant duty, a hook and ladder waggon (not kept in the hall), and about 1,000 feet of hose. The fire hall is a small one. The brigade consists of fourteen call men. The fire alarm system is an automatic one with seven or eight boxes, but does not give good satisfaction.

Stratford is in class A. It has a new and roomy fire hall, hose waggon, hook and ladder waggon, Silsby steamer of about the same age as ours, hand as vage waggon, one team and eighty-seven hydrants. The hook and ladder truck is drawn by a team from a livery opposite the hall. The brigade consists of the chief, one foreman and driver on constant duty, and twenty-six firemen, five of whom sleep in the hall. The chief here also tests the current furnished for the street light. The alarm system is an automatic one with sixteen boxes. The specifications for it were furnished by Chief Calder, of Brantford, and it was put in under his supervision by the United States Fire and Police Electric Co., of Boston. It cost $2,670. Our equipment is in some respects superior to that of Stratford and in all respects equal, with the exception of the alarm system and the hall and the fully paid chief.

Belleville is in class B. It has one hose waggon, one horse hook and ladder waggon, one team not used exclusively for fire purposes, fourteen call men with no call boxes in their houses, six automatic alarm boxes and automatic bell, and one man, the teamster, in the hall.

In each place the alarm is struck on a tower bell and not on a clock bell. The Underwriters' Association is pressing class B towns for improvements.

No place in class B that we visited had a fire department as well equipped as ours to cope with a fire, and we believe, both from our knowledge of the work our department does and from a comparison of its equipment with that of other municipalities in the same class, that this town should at least be retained in class B by the Underwriter's Association.

While talking with Inspector Howe in Toronto

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The young man who starts in business life with a good athletic training back of him will be able to stand more than the man who has not had the same advantage. Nevertheless, if he overworks and neglects his health, he is likely to fall a victim to some fatal malady like his less fortunate brother.

There is only one safe road for a man to tread in the matter of health. That is the road of eternal vigilance. No man, no matter how strong he may be naturally, can with impunity neglect the little ills and indispositions of life. These little disorders are what make the big ones. When a man suffers from headaches and loss of appetite, feels drowsy and dull during waking hours, cannot sleep at night and is nervous and shaky at all times, he is in a dangerous condition. If he long neglects his condition he will find himself a very sick man. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best of all medicines for the many diseases that are caused by an impaired digestion and insufficient and improper nourishment. It creates a hearty, healthy appetite; it makes digestion and assimilation perfect; it invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve tonic. It is the best of all medicines for nervous disorders and it cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, if taken in its earlier stages, before the lungs are too far wasted. For chronic, bronchial, throat and nasal affections it is an unequaled remedy. An honest dealer will not suggest some inferior substitute.

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SCHOOLS AND POLITICS.

A Scheme With Real Estate Trimmings That Won In Oregon.

"Speaking of schools in relation to politics," said the ex-boomer from Oregon, "always reminds me of a campaign in which I was interested some years ago. The Douglas county representative in the Oregon state legislature, realising that his popularity was not exceedingly great, had been talking of building a new state normal school, presumably at Roseburg, the county seat and his own home. This caused great consternation among the 350 inhabitants of the little city of Drain, who had been profiting by the courtesy title of 'Drain Academy and Oregon State Normal school,' under which the school there had been run since 1885. The postmaster, who kept a drug store and sold school supplies, took counsel with his sister-in-law, who dealt in millinery and ran a boarding house for students, and she sought the mayor, at whose general merchandise emporium she was the principal customer.

"The mayor was a man who thought slowly, but to a purpose, and, having set himself the task of devising some way of circumventing the member from Roseburg, he passed the next three days in profound cogitation. He conceived a scheme whose various elaborations and ramifications were too diversified for him to handle alone, and he came to me for help. I had just gained considerable influence in the county through backing a projected railroad to the coast, and also as a real estate dealer and sawmill owner. With my business methods and the mayor's knowledge of the conditions confronting us our plans were soon put into operation. First, we suggested the candidacy of an ambitious young Drainite, a dealer in leather goods and hardware, for member of the legislature, taking all the wind out of his opponent's sails by heartily indorsing the talk in favor of a new normal school. Meantime we had a large grain field of the mayor's, which had begun to lose its fertility on account of overcultivation, surveyed into city lots, and as soon as our candidate had received the regular party nomination we put the town site of East Drain, with its streets named after conspicuous men of the state, on the market and gave one of its centrally located blocks for the new normal school.

"Well, everything came to pass exactly as we had planned. Our candidate was elected, and the building of the new normal school on the site we gave was authorized. We sold a sufficient number of East Drain lots to more than pay for the land and all expenses. The contractors on the new school were men who had aided the legislation authorizing it, and they got their supplies from the mayor, their hardware from the member and their lumber from me. My mill also supplied lumber for other buildings in East Drain, including a new boarding house for the milliner, who has prospered ever since. The postmaster's increased business soon warranted his moving into one of the two brick buildings in the city of Drain, and the former dealer in leather goods and hardware is still member of the Oregon legislature."—New York Sun.

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SCENES THAT WERE PHOTOGRAPHED ON THE MEMORY.

The Professor Heard Governor Brough Make His Last Speech With Head Bared. General Buell and the Sergeant Crazed With Thirst at the Spring.

"Some of you youngsters," said the professor, "wonder how we old fellows remember the prominent men of 30 or 50 or 40 years ago so well. Because we associate them with some particular event, not necessarily of any importance, but serving to bring the men associated with it vividly before the mind. For example, I saw old Governor Brough of Ohio scores of times, but whenever I think of him I do not see him as he walked in his unwieldy way along the streets nor as he sat in his office, a dominating presence, nor as he appeared on state occasions, nor when he raged in controversy with the strongest men in the nation over the conduct of the war, but I see him as he stood one night on a pile of bricks, just outside Capitol square in Columbus.

"The fall of Richmond had been announced. The people were wild with excitement and enthusiasm. The understanding was that the governor would speak to them that night, and, standing on a pile of bricks at the corner of High and State streets, he talked to the people of the great news and what it meant to the nation. While he was speaking it began to rain, and still he spoke on. Those in the crowd who had umbrellas raised them, and there was a general shout for the governor to put on his hat. As he stood there that minute, with the raindrops pattering down on his bald head and splattering and sparkling in the light of the street lamp near, Governor Brough always comes to me.

"He paid no heed to the rain, and in his deep, resonant voice he said to the calls of the crowd: 'I will not put on my hat. A man must stand uncovered in the presence of an event that means so much to this people.' And he talked on, the people standing in the rain and glorying in every word he said. That was the last speech made by Governor Brough, because the cold that resulted from the exposure took him down to death.

"Brough was one of the very strongest men of that period in public life, but do you know that I heard one of the most prominent ladies in Ohio urge that he be not renominated because he was so reckless in his use of tobacco? She forgot the ability, honesty, earnestness and zeal of the man who had received the largest majority ever given a candidate for any office in Ohio and made a violent campaign against him because he had a rough way and because he was such an inveterate tobacco chewer."

"I remember General Buell," said the sergeant, "not as he appeared in the battle of Shiloh, not as he appeared in full uniform at grand review, but as I saw him on a forced march, when he wore the negligee or fatigue dress. Our company had come, with dry throats and empty canteens, to a large spring that burst from the earth with force enough to turn the wheels of a mill. The men proceeded to fill their canteens and drink their fill. An orderly sat on his horse near and advised the men to be very careful in filling their canteens so as to leave the water clear for those who came after. A little apart from him on a splendid horse sat an officer in a straw hat. The man and the horse, even though the man was in so simple a dress, made a fine picture, but the boys did not look carefully enough at either to recognize the officer or the horse.

"One of the sergeants, crazed by thirst, plunging forward to the spring, intent only on getting the clear water to his parched throat, put one foot into the shallow edge of the spring. Instantly there came from the man in the straw hat the quiet and imperious order, 'Take your foot out.' The sergeant, irritated beyond endurance by what he regarded a trifling matter, turned and said insolently: 'Mind your own business, sir. I will have no quartermaster's clerk giving orders to me.'

"As though he had been a part of the man the splendid horse made one jump toward the spring and toward the sergeant, and the man in the straw hat said, with increased emphasis and imperiousness, 'Take your foot out,' and the bewildered sergeant recognized the commander in chief of the army. He stepped back and saluted, and then General Buell said quietly, looking down with a sort of sympathy into the dismayed face: 'Fill your canteens, but be careful. Thirty thousand men must take water from this spring before night.'

"Those who remembered what a mudhole a thousand men make of a spring understood why General Buell stood guard on that day."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

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Could stand it; then he throwed
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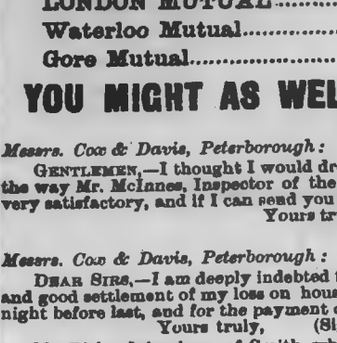

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A MUTUAL FRIEND.

Howard, desiring to bring Ferguson and Walker into a fellowship like that of Damon and Pythias, set them so far apart that oceans roll between them and deserts parch and bake. This is, of course, a figure of speech, for Ferguson and Walker both live in Chicago, where there are no oceans or deserts.

But the feeling of loathing which has risen up to separate these two men whom Howard had hoped to make firm friends accomplishes the purpose of desert and ocean and mountain chain too. And yet the two men have met but once, and then only to say "How d'ye do?"

Howard lives in Pocatello, Ida. To Pocatello a year ago went Ferguson, journeying on some affair connected with the railroad company which pays him well for knowing intricate and hidden things about the transportation business. Ferguson was in Pocatello for two weeks. It was a gloomy sort of exile, and but for the presence of Howard, whom he met on the first day of his visit, he would have suffered horrible pangs and gripings of lonesomeness, but Howard, bright, entertaining and all informed, was as a wellspring of happiness and made the railroad man's stay in the sunburned regions of Idaho a pleasant vacation, and when Ferguson was ready to leave Howard said to him:

"Now, old man, I want you to be sure and meet my friend Walker. It's a shame that two such splendid fellows should live in the same town and be strangers. I've written a letter of introduction, and you just walk around to his place when you get back to Chicago and go out and take one on me. You'll like Walker and he'll like you."

Ferguson thanked Howard with an easy conscience, for he, too, thought it would be pleasant to meet one whom Howard recommended for his worth.

Then he returned to Chicago.

The letter of introduction nestled in his pocket for a month, quite forgotten. At the expiration of that time Ferguson received a note from Howard, who wanted to know something about a business matter which they had discussed in Pocatello. As a postscript Howard added the question:

"You have seen Walker, of course? Great fellow, isn't he?"

"Walker, Walker—let me see," Ferguson mused. "Who in thunder is Walker? Oh, yes. That fellow I have the letter of introduction to. Well, I really must call on him."

The same mail which bore the missive to Ferguson also carried one to Walker. Howard, among other things, wrote these words: "You remember Ferguson, whom I asked you to call upon? What do you think of him? He's the right sort, isn't he?"

"By George," Walker cried on reading Howard's letter, "he did ask me to drop in on somebody named Ferguson, to whom he had given a letter for presentation to me. And I've clean forgotten it. Wonder where the man's to be found?" He examined the directory's list of Fergusons, and then, with some show of disappointment, said to himself: "Pshaw! His office is down in the Grand Central station, three miles away. Well, next time I'm over that way I'll stop." Then he called for his stenographer and dictated a letter telling Howard that he had enjoyed his visit with Ferguson immensely.

Two weeks afterward Ferguson received further documents from Pocatello.

"The matter you were examining into," Howard wrote, "turns out to be a pretty good thing, and I'd advise you to hang on to it. I'll keep you posted on developments. I'll not let them fool you. By the way, what do you think of Walker? You haven't told me."

"Thunder and lightning!" Ferguson uttered, "I ought to have called on Howard's friend a month ago. Here he is doing me all kinds of good turns out there in Pocatello and I haven't gratitude enough to go and meet the man he asked me to." He would have rushed out forthwith to commune with Walker, only he saw that the directory located the man away off on the North Side.

"I'll take that letter around to him next week," said Ferguson.

He did not, however. He promptly forgot all about Walker until a *fortnight* passed and information came from Pocatello that "the property is up 20 per cent in value. Give my respects to Walker the next time you see him."

"Next time I see him," Ferguson repeated. "Let's see. Did I say I had already met him? I guess I must have told Howard something like that. Well, I'll have to lie it out on that line if it takes all summer." So he answered Howard's letter by saying that he and Walker had together seen a play the night before and had had a most enormously good time. He even repeated some anecdotes of Howard's earlier life which he declared Walker had told him. "I'd like to know whether Walker is married or single," Ferguson thought. "I've got a bully story I could tell about him if I only knew. Deggone him! I wish I didn't have that letter of introduction to him. He's getting to be a kind of nuisance."

About the same time Walker, writing to Howard, was saying how much he was indebted to the western man for the pleasure he had drawn from his companionship with Ferguson.

"Only I wish to heaven Harry hadn't been so fervent in his desire to have me meet the fellow," he observed to himself. "I suppose that, as he says, this man Ferguson is all right, but I haven't time to go skating all over this town looking him up. I presume I ought to have gone and dug him out for Harry's sake a long time ago, but I keep forgetting it, and now I've involved myself in a foolish mesh of lies about my experiences with Ferguson, whom I have not met, and whom, to tell the truth, I'm getting so I don't want to meet."

Out in Pocatello Harry Howard was delighted with the tidings he received from Chicago. "It's a great satisfaction," he told himself, "to bring two good men together this way. It's really a noteworthy thing to be the author of a firm friendship between two first class people. Only I hardly think I understand this last letter of Ferguson's. I thought Walker had only two children, and here Ferguson writes me about his little girl. She must have been born in the last year. There were certainly only two boys when I passed through Chicago last summer. I'll send Ben my congratulations."

When Walker received the sheet conveying honest Harry Howard's good wishes for the best and brightest future for little Miss Walker, he ran his fingers through his hair and looked dazed. "When did I say anything about a new baby?" he wondered. "I must have written him some lie about that fellow Ferguson's child. I think I have described the man's wife and children and father-in-law and the mortgage on his house in my communications with Howard. Harry's always asking new questions, and the chances are that Ferguson has no family, and Howard thinks it was a slip of the pen and that I wrote about my own new baby—which I haven't got. Heavens, I wish this business had never started! I wish I'd never promised to call on Ferguson. I wish Ferguson would get run over by a cable car or come to some definite and permanent end. I'm getting to hate the very name of him. I'll bet he's a cheap skate anyhow who has imposed upon Howard's good nature. Why should I go drilling three miles into town just to meet him and say: 'How are you? I know a friend of yours.' I shan't do it."

Ferguson had already come to a similar conclusion. "Howard's a first class fellow, and he made things mighty pleasant for me in Pocatello," he reasoned, "and it would have been no more than white for me to call on that friend of his at first, but I've got so blamed tired of the very mention of the name that it fills me with loathing. I believe that if I were to meet that pirate of a Walker I'd want to throw bricks at him. I thought the first lie I told about him would let me out, but the falsehoods have multiplied upon themselves until I don't remember half the facts I have reported concerning that outlaw whom I have never seen."

Two weeks ago Ferguson and Walker met. Ferguson, entering the library of his club, was accosted by a fellow member, who introduced his visiting friend, Walker. The two glared at each other, and Ferguson hurried into the billiard room.

"I have changed my mind about presenting an application for membership," said Walker to the man who was escorting him. The next day Ferguson met the member who had introduced Walker and said, "I'm sorry, old man, but if it is your intention to offer that fellow's name for membership I'll certainly do my best to get him blackballed."

And this was the consummation of Harry Howard's kindly designs of reviving Damon and Pythias.—Chicago Record.

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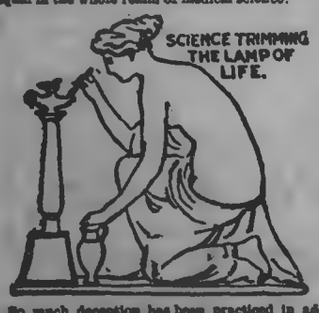

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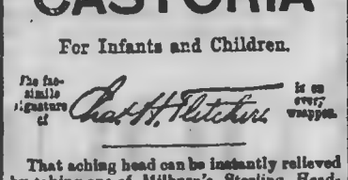

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(Continued From First Page.)

he claimed that he had not approved of our present system of fire alarm, yet only three years ago he recommended that we should add four boxes to the system. His report as given in a letter from the Secretary of the Underwriters' Association, dated Feb. 15th, 1894, contains this clause: "There are only four electric alarm boxes. I think there should be double that number at least." And the Secretary pressed this point until the council in that year added the new boxes in accordance with their recommendation. The inspector had no fault to find with the way the brigade turned out to a fire, but expressed a fear that something might happen.

If the council is forced to make a change, and decides to do so, we recommend that the Underwriters' Association be consulted as to placing Peterborough in Class A, provided our department is put on a footing equal to that of Stratford, that is, by putting in an automatic alarm system and having a paid chief.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. M. WHITE,
Chairman Committee.
J. D. CRAIG,
Asst. Chief Fire Brigade.

Councillor White explained that there were complaints of inefficient fire appliances in all the towns visited. He said Peterborough's system was ahead of that of any other town in the same class that was visited. Brantford, according to Mr. White, had a most complete fire system.

In answer to Mr. Best, Mr. White said that Brantford in Class A, got no better insurance rate than Woodstock in Class B. Mr. White was of opinion that the Underwriters' Association did not know what it was doing. He thought Peterborough was well enough off as it was. Mr. Maldrum advised that the attention of the Underwriters' Association be called to the excellent telephone service (400) over which nine tenths of the alarms came in and which were more effective than a fire alarm system.

The report was referred to a committee of the whole council.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK EXHIBITION.

Mr. H. C. Winch addressed the council, asking for a grant for the three days' exhibition of the Poultry and Pet Stock Association Exhibition and Bench Show for Dogs, to be held on Jan. 18th, 19th and 20th. There had been exhibits promised to both shows from several towns and cities to compete for a prize list of $200. He urged the claims of the exhibition upon the council for a grant, and he invited the council to the exhibition.

Mr. F. D. Cockburn, president of the association, referred to the fact that other towns had given municipal grants, and referred also to the benefit in the development of the poultry industry that had resulted from State aid in the United States.

Referred to the Finance Committee to report at next meeting.

POLLING PLACES, ETC.

Mr. Dawson introduced a bylaw to fix polling places and appoint deputy returning officers for the annual municipal and school board elections, which was passed, fixing the following polling places and appointing the following returning officers:

No. 1 Ward—First door south of Mrs. Dunsford's grocery—Jos. Lundy, deputy returning officer.

No. 2 Ward—Market Hall—Chas. Cameron, deputy returning officer.

No. 3 Ward—J. and W. Metherell's shop—John Irwin, deputy returning officer.

No. 4 Ward—Wm. Lee's shop, Smith street—G. W. Powell, deputy returning officer.

SNOW PLOUGHING.

Mr. McWilliams introduced a bylaw to authorize contracts for snow ploughing, which was passed, awarding the contract for the North Ward to Zimiri Blodgett for $74, and Robert Nicholls, for the South Ward for $60.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Mr. Deane introduced a bylaw to make arrangements between the town and Children's Aid Society respecting a shelter. The bylaw was passed establishing the house, corner of Charlotte and Stewart streets, (owned by Mr. H. Best) as a shelter under the act, to be under charge the Children's Aid Society, and authorising the payment of $200, to be paid in equal monthly instalments.

OTHER RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. McWilliams brought up the matter of the C.P.R. encroachment on Wolfe street and Park street, and the clerk was instructed to write and ask the town solicitor whether the C.P.R. had a right to have a sliding rail on Park street, and also as to the Company's obligation to pay rental for the portion of Wolfe street used by the Company.

Mr. Dawson moved, seconded by Mr. Cobb, a resolution confirming the appointment of Mr. Bartlett as assistant sewer inspector.—The motion was adopted.

Mr. Robertson moved, seconded by Mr. Dawson, that the fine of Wm. Breckenridge for driving on the sidewalk be remitted.—Carried.

Mr. Best moved, seconded by Mr. McWilliams, that the Railway Committee of the Privy Council be informed that the town objects to the water spaces on the C. P. R. spur line being closed, for sanitary and other reasons—Carried.

Mr. Best moved, seconded by Mr. McWilliams, that a deputation be appointed to wait upon the Ontario Government for the purpose of having the water front between Wolfe and Water streets tranferred to the town for sanitary and other reasons.

The motion was carried, and the mayor and Messrs. McWilliams, Best, Dawson and Davis were appointed a deputation to wait upon the Government to press the request implied in the above resolution.

A motion to issue a cheque for $1,000 on account to the Ontario Sewer Pipe Co. was passed, and the council adjourned at 10.30.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until the disease is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page COMMON SENSE MEDICAL ADVISER, illustrated.

RANCHING.

Written up for Eastern Readers by an Old Asphodel Boy.

The following letter was received by Mr. J. A. Howard from Mr. John Grady, (son of Mr. Timothy Grady, of Asphodel), of Calgary, Alberta :

"SOUTHERN ALBERTA"

Is described as the "Paradise of Stockmen." It would seem almost like disloyalty to say anything depreciatingly of its pasture so long we have heard of its great growth of bunch grass standing three and four feet high, its wild rye waving higher than horses' heads, the wild pea vine and vetches whose rank profusion was oftentimes a bar to rapid riding. All this until a few years ago was quite true. In the valley in which this description has been written there was cut from 200 acres more than 300 tons of bunch grass and 10 tons of wild pea vine, from one sloping of the hill sides, but the onward march of settlement has wrought a vast change.

SMALL RANCHES

are now along the banks of all the streams. They are fenced in and in most of them are grown small crops of grain. In winter they form the pasture for the ranchers' stock. During the summer the cattle of both large and small ranches graze upon the open prairie. After the 20th of July anyone may cut all the hay he likes from any part of the Government land. As this consumes all the grass left by the cattle it may easily be seen how every year the prairie is stripped to barrenness of all its herbage, so that one has no difficulty in watching the manœuvres of gophers that are 200 yards away. From the everlasting snow capped hills of the west issue innumerable streams of pure, cold water, that after countless windings, that clear their currents and break the velocity of their passage, converge and form our large rivers that find their outlet in the great Saskatchewan into Winnipeg.

For ages these impetuous mountain torrents corroded their gravelled or clayed beds until now in many places the pretty streams find their way through the bottom of deep gulches or canyons and form natural walls or immense irrigating reservoirs that must assist nature in yielding our future supplies of hay and grass. There is a paucity of names for rivers here; nearly all the feeders of our large streams have a north fork, a middle fork, a south fork, and again some of the forks have a north and south fork. To a stranger the rivers are a bewildering maze.

The great event of the year is the

ROUND UP.

The spring one is the most important, for then the calves are branded and counted, the older cattle are numbered and the stockmen know how much richer he is. In the fall the later born calves are rounded up and branded, while the beef cattle are rounded up and sold. The range must be carefully ridden over by cowboys so that no cattle are overlooked. A careless cowboy may be the means of enabling the thrifty rancher to take unto himself several unbranded calves known as mavericks. When these are weaned from their mothers their ownership cannot be traced and an alert stockman secures them and therefore increases his herd by leaps and bounds. Stray cattle from across the line are invariably picked up in this way. The origin of maverick is interesting. In the early days of Texan cattle ranching nothing was done with the strays and unbranded weaned calves. One Capt. Maverick made it his business to brand them for himself, and in a few years he had one of the largest herds in Texas. The stockmen then took to selling them at the end of every round-up and applying the proceeds to pay the round up expenses. This practice has since been recognised in all the stock districts of the west and the word Maverick has become classic English. The whole of the stock country is divided for convenience into stock districts, four or five adjoining districts combine and round-up all the cattle within their limits. Representatives are sent from the nearest outlying districts to drive forward any cattle that have strayed beyond the limits of their own grazing country.

The round-up outfit consists of a number of tents, a mess waggon and cook. Each cowboy has from seven to twelve saddle horses at his command. These when not ridden are herded day and night by relays of Indians and half-breeds so that a round-up camp is a pretty sight with its group of square and bell-shaped tents, its prairie schooner mess waggons, four or five bands of horses numbering from 150 to 200, to say nothing of cattle and frisky calves, whose untamed and roving spirits give the cowboys many a gallop to bring them back to camp again.

WESTERN COOKING.

Visitors are always welcome and served with plates and mugs of granite. The cook freely dispenses steak, sweet wholesome bread, clear strong coffee, fragrant tea and a choice selection of fruit, whose excellent quality would reflect credit on any graduate of a new York cooking school.

The bucking contests, the feats of cattle roping, the feats of the wild-west rider rider are indulged in, and so long as Alberta has a round-up, there will not be lacking abundance of material to supply Buffalo Bill with the dramatic personnal of a wild west show.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Thaw.

—Board of Education to-night.

—The Ashburnham council will meet to-morrow evening.

—The District Y.P.S.C.E. meets in Lakefield on Thursday.

—Mr. W. J. McClure of California, will give an address in the Gospel Hall, corner George and Brock streets, to-night at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. M. Smith, representing the Blue Ribbon Tea Company, has opened tea parlours at 395 George street, for a couple of weeks. The reader will refer to local advertisement elsewhere for particulars.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature :—

To-day, 7 a. m..... ...35° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	52°	6°

The sun rises at 7.38 and sets at 4.41.

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Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself :—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City :

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each hard put in, I found your coal got up to heap much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

Yours truly,
BENJ. SERVISS,
Janitor Butterfield Block.

Peterborough office : 200 Charlotte. Telephone 205.

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ARRIVING DAILY

...AT THE...

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The latest styles in Walking Hats and Sailors just opened up to-day. Also a lovely assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We have a number of Pattern Hats and Bonnets which will be sold much below the regular price.

Ladies desiring the very latest Novelties should call and make selections.

MISSES CASSIDY.

IF YOUR BLOOD'S COOL

READ THIS—EVERY WORD OF IT.

Crowning Sale of This Year.

Away above all our Business Strokes of this year we put this latest lucky movement of merchandise now in progress. It is the resultant of complete organization for getting goods at proper sources and at the most favourable movement.

What comes of looking ahead is demonstrated to the public by what is in sight just now all over our house. That lucky purchase of ours when we . . . . . .

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Even the great GOUGH'S are not insensible to a Boom in business. It seems a contradiction to push sales by losing profits we might as well have, when our business is vigorous with healthy activity, and yet we are inspired to do so by sound reasoning. It sometimes pays to lose, especially when you really don't lose at all.

IT'S A REAL DUTY you owe to yourself to make an early visit to GOUGH'S while this Great Sale is in progress. The store is constantly crowded with delighted customers—and no wonder when you look at some of our prices :—

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at..... ..... $2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at..... 6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at..... ..... 4 55
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at. 5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at 3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at 4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at..... 6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at..... 9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at..... 8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at..... 2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at 2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at 2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at 1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only..... ..... $4.90

Come to the Feast of Bargains before they pass into history.

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Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.. ... . Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 5.55 p. m

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Leave.....8.20 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....5.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield.....8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

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You can eat these Sausage with pleasure. They are made at McWILLIE'S, Toronto—there is no doubt about it. The quality is such as to secure the trade of every lover of wholesome Sausage. Only the choice cuts of selected young pea-fed pork are used. Spiced to a nicety, enclosed in imported English Sheep Casings. Received by Express—

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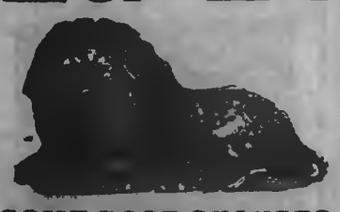
R. F.



SOME RARE CHANCES

.... IN ....

MANTLES AND JACKETS

.... AT ....

ROBT. FAIR'S.

During our Quick Reduction Sale before Christmas perhaps there's no department in our store where the Reduction will be more sweeping than in MANTLES AND JACKETS.

Last winter when we were closing out our matchless stock of Coats, &c., we did not hesitate to mark $12 and $15 garments at $5 and $6, in order to keep none over for another year. We propose this season to hew just as close to the line—let the loss be what it may. It sometimes pays to lose. A loss now accepted will enable us to clear out our whole stock in this department in a short time. Here are some of these Mantle Sacrifices:—

FOR $3.00 A lot of Ladies' Fancy Tweed Coats, very special, formerly sold at $7.50.

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FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Golf Capes, Lined with black and white checks, formerly sold for $12.50.

FOR $7.50 Ladies Coloured Golf Capes, formerly sold at $9.50.

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These Low Prices have never been excelled. Good fortune threw these Hats in our way, and now we throw them in yours. They are in good time for late buyers.

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We have good solid comfort for the coming cold days ready waiting for you. You wont be likely to catch cold before its ready for you—if you leave your measure right away. If you want a GOOD WARM OVERCOAT now, or a SUIT, you want it quick. If you come here you can get it QUICK—and GOOD and CHEAP.

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BRICK DWELLING FOR SALE ON GILMOUR STREET.

THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Andrew Douglas, situated on the north side of Gilmour Street, upon which is erected a Solid Brick Dwelling, with Frame Sheds and other conveniences. This Lot has a frontage of 70 feet on Gilmour street, and a depth of 198 feet.

Also the Lot adjoining on the west, containing 50 feet more or less, a depth of 198 feet; upon this Lot is a frame barn and workshop combined, with stone foundation.

This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

J. R. STRATTON,
EXAMINER OFFICE

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Touch up your rooms with some fresh wall paper, paint or kalsomine. I am prepared to do all such work during the holiday and winter season cheaper than during busy times. All work done honestly and with honest material.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act changing the name of The Dominion Building and Loan Association to that of The Dominion Permanent Loan Company.

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We make no attempt in the limited space to enter into details. Enough to know that you have the pick of a rich and exclusive stock—the very finest and best ever seen here—with Variety, Newness and Novelty enough to satisfy every demand—Only don't put it off until the eleventh hour.

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FAVOURITE STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLUB SKATES for Skating,
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Sleigh Bells

SILVER PLATED BELLS—various chimes.
BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

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Plated Ware for Table or Toilet,
Fruit Dishes, Napkin Rings,
Gold and Silver Sleeve Links,
Gold Brooches and Bracelets,
Lockets, Charms, Gems, &c.,
Souvenir Spoons,
Coffee and Sugar Spoons,
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And innumerable little Souvenirs and GOLD AND SILVER NOVELTIES Just to hand, for the Holiday Shopping, a case of the very latest things out in the Jewelry Line.

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SCHNEIDER'S

The Jeweler, 391 George St.

DENTIST.

DR. M. A. MORRISON,

Master of Dental Surgery and Honour Graduate of Trinity University.

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THE LEGISLATURE

Another Day's Debate Upon the Address.

ST. JOHN ON THE FLOOR 4 HOURS

His Desire That the Members Seriously Consider the Question of How the Provincial Pigs Were Kept Causes Laughter and Amusement—Dr. McKay's Effective Reply.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—The galleries in the Legislature were crowded yesterday afternoon and evening by ladies and gentlemen anxious to hear the arguments pro and con that would be used upon the stump at the approaching provincial election.

The Conservative side of the question was presented by Mr. St. John, who spoke for over four hours in good form, causing considerable laughter and amusement when he desired the members to seriously consider the question of how the provincial pigs were kept. He was followed by Dr. McKay, who, in an able speech, pointed out how the Opposition drew in their horns in the House when called upon to make good their statements made upon the stump.

The Estimates To-morrow.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt stated he would bring down the estimates to-morrow and would deliver the budget speech on Tuesday next.

Mr. St. John renewed the debate upon the address. He said he could not understand where the Minister of Education stood in politics. He had delivered an eloquent address advocating preferential trade with England; how could Mr. Ross reconcile this policy with the pro-American policy of the Hardy-Ross Government. He assured the House the Government timber policy had been to favor Americans and a policy of the classes against the masses, the capitalist as against the laborer. He referred to the fact that a recent investigation had disclosed that thirteen million feet of lumber had been stolen by the Moore Lumber Company and that one Macdonald, a Government employee, had been a party to the fraud. When this steal was discovered Macdonald was not discharged, and the American company that had cheated the people of Ontario were not punished by the forfeit of their license.

Hon. Mr. Hardy—"You are quite wrong, Macdonald was dismissed—(laughter)—and the fraud had been shown up only because the Government had insisted upon a thorough investigation."

Mr. St. John, continuing, said the license held by the company should have been taken away. He thought it a bad thing to have a Liberal Government in power at Toronto while Liberals were in office at Ottawa, and quoted from a speech of Sir Oliver Mowat's in 1886 in support of this idea. He then devoted over an hour to the "Piggery" he had discovered at the Humber amid the laughter of the House. He claimed that the Piggery had cost $7000.

Hon. Mr. Hardy—"You claimed on the stump the cost to be $35,000."

Mr. St. John, continuing, said he could not secure the proper figures, (laughter) but gave $7000 as the cost supplied him by Inspector Noxon.

The Reform Champion.

Mr. McKay followed, and said he did not wonder people flocked to hear Mr. St. John on the stump, since he could give such a good performance and so eloquently represent a man making groundless statements. (Laughter.) It had been charged the Government was pro-American in its policy. There was a member in the House who was an annexationist, but he had never sat upon the Government benches, no, but Mr. Sol. White had sat as one of the leading lights in the Conservative ranks. (Cheers.) Considerable had been said with reference to the action of the Government in passing legislation regarding loan and trust companies. It had been charged this legislation was in the interest of certain prominent Liberals who were directors of these companies. Nothing had been said of Sir Frank Smith, Mr. W. R. Brock and many other leading Conservatives who were fellow directors upon the boards of these loan companies. (Hear, hear.)

A Lie Nailed.

Certain members of the Opposition had been crying out daily that the Public Accounts Committee was a partizan committee, and then amid the laughter of the House he read a resolution that had been passed by the members of the committee and signed by Conservatives as well as Liberals congratulating the chairman of the committee upon the fairness of his rulings and thanking him for the courtesy he had shown members of the committee on both sides of the House.

Gentlemen of the Opposition had denied nearly every statement attributed to them while on the stump by their own newspapers. When brought to book in the House and called upon to make good the statements they had made in the country they evaded the duty by denying the reports, as though the newspapers would in every case be wrong. The leaders of the Opposition had promised if they came into power to do away with the succession duties law and wipe out the act which had reduced the number of county councillors. Both these measures had lightened the burdens of the tax-payer and were most popular with the people. The Government had been attacked because of the increase in the cost of managing the public institutions of the province, notwithstanding that yearly the inmates were increasing in number and the method of treatment more modern than formerly. Would the Opposition wish less money spent in the interests of agriculture though its cost was going up yearly? (Hear, hear.)

The Opposition was still attacking the Agricultural College at Guelph and pointing out that this institution did not pay its way. Of course not. Why should it be expected to pay its way any more than a collegiate institute? The Agricultural College was to the farmers what other colleges were to other classes and was dear to them. He quoted the opinions of English and German agricultural experts to show the high opinion these men had of the institution. Mr. St. John had seen visions of late. He had seen his leader and himself upon the treasury side of the House. (Laughter.) The Liberals were going into the fight confident of victory under their new leader, for whom they had every respect and in whom they reposed every confidence. (Cheers.) The Liberals entered the fight without control of the ballot box as Conservatives always had. Since the House had been called and the lame arguments of the Opposition heard, Liberals would enter the fight with greater hope of success. The Opposition had gone up and down the country saying the Government was afraid of them, and yet when given an opportunity upon the floor of Parliament they sat dumb, and except in trivial matters they had no complaint to make. He invited the Opposition to state their whole case and say the worst things they could, that the people might have complete information before being called upon to vote,

The Public Accounts.

The public accounts for the past year were laid on the table at the close of the session to facilitate the budget debate, which the Government will try to bring on next week, although the present outlook is for another week on the address. The receipts in detail are:

Dominion subsidy	$1,196,872
Interest	234,647
Crown lands	1,377,477
Licenses	289,157
Law stamps	50,653
Algoma taxes	830
Educational Department	50,334
Succession duty	88,546
Casual revenue	119,104
Public institutions	85,488
Open accounts, including annuities and drainage debentures	205,043
Stationery accoun	5,141
Total	$3,698,279

The following statement shows the receipts and expenditures of the province for the ten months ending October 31. The odd cents are omitted:

Receipts—Balance in hand on 1st January (open account)	$ 204,330
Receipts	3,698,279
Deposit receipts	22,500
Total	$3,925,099
Expenditure—Consolidated revenue fund (ordinary expenditure and open accounts)	$3,200,218
Balance on open account	132,382
Amount of deposit receipts	592,500
Total	$3,925,100

Bowman for Bruce.

Another candidate recently chosen is Mr. Charles M. Bowman of Southampton to contest the North Riding of Bruce. Mr. Bowman is a careful and successful business man, and in purchasing supplies for his tannery comes into contact with the people throughout the majority of the municipalities. Though young in years, he enjoys the confidence and esteem of the business community, as well as the good will of the farmers of the riding. At the convention which nominated him there was present as a representative of a local paper one of the leading Patrons in the country, and his report of the proceedings contains prominent reference to the keynote of the gathering, which was unanimity and enthusiasm. Mr. Bowman is a son of the late I. E. Bowman, who for many years represented North Waterloo in the Dominion House of Commons. "Bowman and good government" is the rallying and winning cry in North Bruce.

Notices of Motion.

Mr. Langford, Friday next—Enquiry of Ministry—Is Game Warden J. H. Willmott engaged by the day or year? What salary does he receive? Does he receive anything for traveling expenses?

Mr. Carnegie, Friday next—Enquiry of Ministry—Has any permit been granted for less than the usual license fee by any member of the Government or any officer thereof to any person or persons to hunt deer or other animals within the bounds of the Algonquin Park, or any other part of the Province of Ontario?

Mr. St. John, Friday next—Orders of the House for a return, showing the value of hogs which died, or were slaughtered at the Humber piggery during the outbreak of cholera in July, 1896.

Mr. Carnegie, on Friday next—Bill to amend the Municipal Act.

Mr. Carnegie, on Friday next—Bill to amend the game law.

Mr. Langford, Friday next—Enquiry of Ministry—Has any investigation been made in regard to the alleged misconduct of the superintendent of the Algonquin Park?

Mr. Langford—Moves for an order of the House for a return of all papers, documents and all correspondence between any member or officer of the Government and any other person or persons in reference to lot No. 13, concession 3, Township of Stisted, and that the return be brought down during the present session.

Mr. St. John, Friday next—Enquiry of Ministry—

(1) When did cholera break out in the Humber piggery?
(2) How many hogs were in stock at the outbreak?
(3) How many hogs were diseased?
(4) How many died or were destroyed?
(5) What disposition was made of them?

LIBEL ON A POST CARD.

Divisional Court Confirms the Decision in a St. Thomas Action.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—At the St. Thomas Assizes, at which Mr. Justice McMahon presided, Dr. Lionel J. Mothersill of Port Stanley secured a verdict for $50 damages and costs against George W. Young, a mail clerk living at St. Thomas, for libel. The offence was the sending through the mails to the plaintiff of a post card on which were statements reflecting on Dr. Mothersill's ability and character.

At Osgoode Hall the Divisional Court confirmed the verdict yesterday, dismissing with costs an appeal made by the defendant, who contended that, even if he had sent the post card complained of, nobody had read it but the plaintiff.

"In our own city," remarked Chief Justice Armour, "we have people who see pictures posted up when they are bound by their view of modesty not to look at them. I don't know why they do, but they do. Doubtless somebody read that card before it reached its destination. If we should grant the appeal libelling with post cards could go on unpunished. I am afraid we cannot grant the appeal."

THE SIX DAYS' CYCLE RACE.

The New York Press Describes the Tortures Racers Endure.

New York, Dec. 9.—When the third day of the six-day bicycle race opened in Madison Square Garden, just half the number of original starters were still forging their way around the track. The frightful pace set by the leaders on Monday and Tuesday had done its work well. Of the dozen and a half who were still straining every nerve to win fame and money, there will probably be only about a dozen who will finish out the race. The rivalry between the French and German riders is one of the curious features of the contest. Schinner, Miller and Waller, when on the track together, always encourage each other, and make combined efforts to get the better of Rivierre and Stephane, while the Frenchmen stick close together and coach each other in their native tongue.

The Press says: 'In a great circle of pain, like tortured beasts driven on and on till they die or go mad, the wretched creatures in the debasing thing that is called a six days' bicycle contest labored before curious crowds. No bull that ever was burned and slashed in an arena was treated so cruelly; no crowd that ever watched him rage at his tormentors till they slaughtered him cheered at a spectacle more savage. It was a nightmare made treat to see the beings, thin, crouching, cadaver-like, flit by. Had corpses risen suddenly from the morgue to begin a ghastly race, the sight could have been little worse."

Last year's champion, Teddy Hale, whose agonized face we here present, is now making up ground. He is almost 175 miles behind the leader, but nevertheless he crept up from tenth place, which he held last night, to eighth place and is certain to go up much higher before the end is reached.

At 2.15 this morning the score of the leaders was: Miller 1265.6, Rice 1180, Schinner 1162.1, Rivierre 1145.1, Moore 1115.2, Waller 1114.8, Pierce 1083, Hale 1073. Miller is 179 miles 6 laps ahead of the record for 74 hours.

Mrs. Gauthier Taken to Port Arthur.

Pembroke, Ont., Dec. 9.—Mrs. Gauthier, the woman accused of poisoning two men at Port Arthur in February last, and whose trial took place here Tuesday, was taken to Port Arthur by last evening's train, in charge of Constable Barraud of Pembroke.

A Petition for Commutation.

Galt, Dec. 9.—A petition is being circulated in Galt praying for the commutation of the death sentence and the imposition of a life sentence instead upon Allison, sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 4, 1898, for the murder of Mrs. Anthony Orr.

Commutation for Mrs. Sternaman.

Cayuga, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Sternaman has been despondent ever since her sentence, and all her hopes are set on a new trial. The petition for a commutation of the death sentence is being largely circulated, and nearly all of the trial jury have signed it.

A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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THE CONTRAST.

Quebec under Conservative rule has, with a population of 1,488,535, according to the census of 1891, an annual expenditure of over four millions, while Ontario, with a population of 2,114,321, or greater by 625,786, under a Liberal Government, has an annual expenditure of about three and a half millions. This lesson is a striking commentary upon the relative characteristics of the two parties; and the tendency of Liberal Governments to give superior public service at much lower expense is shown by the new Liberal—the Marchand—Government of Quebec having, at the first opportunity, introduced Liberal methods, and it proposes to cut down expenses from $4,783,578 in '96-7 to $4,077,280—a saving of nearly three-quarters of a million of dollars, in that provinces annual expenditure. Besides, it is worth note that with a much less expenditure, Ontario is more liberal than the Quebec toward important public services. While the Ontario Government spends the large sum of about $700,000 yearly for education, the Province of Quebec only devotes a little over $400,000 to that service, and while Ontario provides nearly $800,000 for hospitals and charities, Quebec only provides under the head of charity about $340,000. So that in Ontario, with a larger population, we have improved public service in these as well as all other branches, while the condition of Quebec is represented by an inferior public service, at much greater expense. The lesson is that Liberal Government means efficient and economical service, and Conservative rule means comparatively inefficient public service, and very much larger proportional expenditure.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

To men of all parties in Ontario or in Canada, says the Ottawa Journal, (Independent Conservative) one of the opening announcements of the session of the Ontario Legislature must be gratifying. It is that concerning greater care of the forests—particularly the announcement that special attention will be given to replacing the pine under suitable circumstances. This is a government action, and creditable to the government.

THE curtain comes down upon Sir Oliver Mowat as a public man, with red fire effects. He some time ago set up a claim to the right of the province of Ontario to the appointment of Queen's counsel in its own courts. The Dominion Government disputed this claim, and the question was referred to the court of last resort. The Imperial Privy Council has, as learned by cable, dismissed the appeal of the Dominion Government, and declared the Ontario statute valid. This is a victory for Sir Oliver, and he carries the "belt" as champion constitutional authority, to the serene seclusion of the gubernatorial chair.

TIMBER RESOURCES OF ONTARIO

Are the timber resources of Ontario nearly exhausted? Mr. Whitney, the leader of the Opposition, says they are, and that, as a considerable portion of the revenue of the province has hitherto been received from them, the Liberal Government, by squandering them, has brought the province to the necessity of submitting to direct taxation. The last great tract of timber land belonging to the province, said Mr. Whitney, is advertised for sale. In reply to this statement of the Opposition campaign manager, Mr. Hardy, the premier, declared that Mr. Whitney was mistaken in regard to all points. In the first place, after the tracts were all sold, the government would continue to receive a revenue from the timber lands, as the bonus paid was only a portion of the receipts which flowed into the treasury, and there were vast tracts of timber limits in private hands bought long ago upon which an axe had never been lifted, and upon which the province would collect dues as soon as their owners began cutting. From yearly dues over three-quarters of a million dollars annually was received. Of the lands still in the hands of the province there were the great stretches which begin some distance from the Ottawa river and run mostly south of the height of land to Lake Superior. The departmental surveyors reported this summer how for sixty miles they had traversed a tract of timberland of which nothing was formerly known, and which was in no respect inferior to the best timber lands of the older part of the province. Six years ago it had been estimated that there were ten thousand million feet of standing pine in the territories then known. Beyond the height of land their officers had reported great forests of large-sized spruce, a timber that was rapidly approaching the white pine in value. Mr. Hardy quoted the estimates of Mr. Pardee, that in his time there was enough timber in sight to last a hundred years under the careful methods of protection from fire and wasteful cutting that were now required. There can be no doubt that the Liberal Government's management of the timber [illegible] Province of Ontario has been careful and prudent, and has been so business-like as to have secured for the province a considerable share of their value. This policy was inaugurated and [illegible] in by the Ontario Government while the Dominion and Quebec governments were almost literally giving away to favourites the timber lands they controlled.—Montreal Witness.

LADY SPEAKERS POPULAR.

The popularity of lady speakers at the Farmers Institutes having been established beyond doubt by the reception accorded to occasional lectures by members of the gentler sex, the Department of Agriculture has placed Miss Laura Rose, of the Guelph Agricultural College, staff on the official list of lecturers. Miss Rose, who is assistant instructor in the dairy department, has several lectures prepared, among them being "A Morning in an English Dairy" and "Dress, its Health, Influence and Beauty." She is billed to speak at Whitby on the 14th and at Claremont on the 21st inst. Great interest in this new course of lectures is being shown by the ladies in the farming districts.

NOVEMBER HONOUR ROLL.

S. S. No. 3, Harvey.

III class Sr—Edna Shearer, Maggie Thompson and Susie Weir, Ella Shearer, Maggie Northey, Annie Northey, Ethel Clarkson, John Coons. III class Intermediate—Jennie Weir, Mabel Thompson. III Jr—Florence Long, Eva Hiscutt. II class Sr—Ida Long, Maggie Shaw. II class Jr—Willie Thompson, Harry Shearer, Willie Shearer, Beatrice Clarkson, Dorothy Hiscutt. I class Sr—Lovella Shearer, Arthur Long, Willie [illegible]ey, Maggie Fawcett. Average attendance for month, 18.

S. S. No. 4, Ennismore.

Sr. 4th—L Galvin, M Young, A Galvin. Jr. 4th—M Young, L Crough, M O'Connor, K O'Donoghue. Sr. 3rd—G O'Donoghue, W Moher, L Young, E J Crough. Jr. 3rd—L Crough, G Galvin, F Young. Sr. 2nd—I Sullivan G Moloney, Jos Reilly, J Cadigan. Jr. 2nd—C Galvin, M A Crough, B Young, A Crough. Sr. Part 2nd—W Sullivan, Jr. Part 2nd—C Young, M Prophilcie. Pt. 1 (a)—N Galvin, E Young, D Crough. Pt. 1 (b)—A Young, F Greville, C Hennessey, H Moloney. Pt. 1 (c)—D Twomey, M Young.

S. S. No 18, Otonabee.

V Class—Josie Kindred. IV—L Crowley, A Crowley, R Lang and M Devell. Sr III—C Lynch, A Taylor and A Shaughnessy, E Devell. Jr III—E Wood, B Shaughnessy, F Crowley, B Wood, M Lynch. Sr II—W Conners, M Crowley, C Taylor, F Conners. Jr II—R Robinson, J Lanc[illegible]. W Devell and A Shaughnessy. Sr Pt II—V Lawson. Jr Pt II—H Conners. Sr Pt II—G Crowley, J Lynch. Jr Pt I—C Conners. Honour roll for conduct and attendance—A Shaughnessy, R Robinson, L Crowley, E Wood, M Devell, A Taylor, R Devell, H Conners, R Lang and W Conners.

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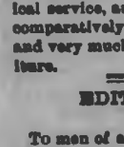

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Mrs. T. Petrie of Otonabee, came home last Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cobon, where she will remain until after the Xmas holidays. Her many friends here are glad to have her in their midst again.

Mr. Jos Allen, who erected a very fine barn this summer, has just completed the entire basement for stables for his horses and other stock. It is now one of the best barns in the township.

Mrs. D. Hickey started for Chicago last week to visit her daughter, and intends to spend a few months in that city.

Mr. J. Allen, son of the late Edward Allen, arrived home last Friday from Vancouver, B. C., where he resided for several years. About three months ago Mr. Allen had the misfortune to get his leg broken just above the knee. He is just able to move about again. He will probably remain for a month or two with his brothers here.

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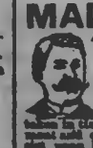

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License Inspector, West Peterborough

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PROVINCIAL POWERS.

Judgment in the Queen's Counsel Case.

ONTARIO'S CLAIMS SUSTAINED.

The Little Republic of Hayti Completely Humiliated by the Big German—Spain and the U. S. President's Message—France is Preparing to Settle With Great Britain—Cable News.

London, Dec. 9.—(Telegram cable.)—The Privy Council yesterday gave judgment dismissing the appeal of the Attorney-General of the Dominion against the decision of the Ontario Court of Appeal, which was in favor of the Attorney-General of Ontario, in the case of the right to appoint Queen's counsel. Lord Watson, with associate law lords concurring, did not entertain any doubt that the Legislature of Ontario had ample authority to give the Lieutenant-Governor of the province power to confer precedence by patent upon such members of the provincial bar as he thought fit to select. The appeal was dismissed with costs to the province.

ACCEPTS THE SITUATION.

France Prepares the Way to the Settlement of Her Row With Britain

London, Dec. 9.—The St. James Gazette yesterday announced authoritatively that the British Government does not expect any further trouble with France regarding the Upper Nile regions, France having agreed to accept the situation. The danger was that the occupiers of that part of the country could divert the course of the Nile and render Egypt a waste.

The massacre of the French expedition under Major Marchand, reported by the Mouvement Geographique of Brussels to have occurred near Bahrel-Ghazel, apparently took place in the territory referred to by The St. James Gazette.

The King Took to the Bush.'

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Dec. 9.—Additional advices just received from the interior, say the French troops had five engagements with the natives before effectively occupying Nikki, the capital of Borgu. The King of that country fled to the bush.

HAYTI HUMILIATED.

Germany Exhibits Its Mightiness to the Weak Little Republic.

Berlin, Dec. 9.—The official account of the collection of an indemnity from Hayti accompanied by a salute of the German flag, etc., at Port Au Prince on Monday last, says that after the ultimatum of Germany had been delivered to the Haytian Government, giving the latter eight hours in which to comply with the demands, the German cruiser Stein, which, with the Charlotte, was sent to enforce the contention of the German Minister, Count von Schwerin, cleared for action, and took up a position close to the Haytian war vessels. A diplomatic request for delay in the execution of the ultimatum was refused, and half an hour before the expiration of the stipulated time all the demands of Germany were conceded, and the sum insisted upon as an indemnity ($30,000 to be paid to Herr Lueders) was on board the Charlotte before 4 p.m. The Haytian Government's letter of apology to Germany arrived soon afterwards.

A Haytian Editor Arrested.

Port Au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 9.—M. Frederique, managing editor of the Journal Impartial and alleged author of the virulent articles attacking the Germans, who is accused of desiring to excite the population of this place against the Government, was arrested this morning and taken into custody on board a Haytian cruiser. At the moment of his embarkation there was much excitement in this city, but order was restored. The Government has at its disposition sufficient number of troops and is taking all the necessary measures to maintain order.

SPAIN AND THE MESSAGE.

Senor Sagasta Thinks it is Satisfactory—Imparcial Sees Evil Intent.

Madrid, Dec. 9.—The Premier, Senor Sagasta, in an interview regarding President McKinley's message to Congress, is quoted as saying he thinks the message satisfactory, "because the threat to intervene in Cuba was made merely to give satisfaction to a portion of American opinion, without the intention of executing it."

Continuing, the Premier remarked that the Government would not make a declaration on the subject; said he believed the President's words would have influence with the insurgents, and announced that the Cortes would not be convoked until the Government had ascertained the effect of the message upon Congress.

The Imparcial, commenting on the message, says:

"It shows a certain cleverness and evil intention when it refers to filibustering expeditions. McKinley speaks with what appears to be excessive cynicism to those who have not lost all sense of justice. The Government must show the Yankees that the Spanish flag floats over Cuba, and that they have yet to tear it down."

INTERESTING STATISTICS.

Emigrants for Canada During November—The British Cheese Imports.

London, Dec. 9.—There left as emigrants for Canada during the month of November 326 English, 51 Irish, 7 Scotch and 456 foreigners. Returns for the past eleven months show the number of English emigrants to Canada to be 13,484. During the same eleven months there were 837 Irish, 1273 Scotch and 6606 foreigners, an increase compared with 1896 of 202.

Imports of cheese from Canada during November amounted to 197,406 cwt., bacon 49,876 cwt., ham 10,783 cwt., butter 8,766 cwt., eggs 1,804,200 dozen. Horses to the number of 1219 were imported.

The value of cheese imported for the month was £435,068, bacon £75,816, ham £22,660, butter £35,045, eggs £74,558, horses £22,262.

As compared with the same eleven months of 1895 there were large decreases in the imports of bacon, hams and horses.

Seen on the Corsican Coast.

London, Dec. 9.—The British Consul at Ajaccio, capital of Corsica, telegraphs that the Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company's steamer Clyde, Captain Gordon, has been seen drifting near the Corsican coast. The passenger list of the Clyde shows 100 passengers.

Our Fruit Shipments to Britain.

London, Dec. 9.—Dominion Government Agent Crandall, who has made a special study of fruit shipments from Canada, will make an exhaustive report on the subject. He sails for Canada on the 15th inst.

British Troops Not Ordered to Massowah.

London, Dec. 9.—A report from Cairo that strong forces of British troops had been ordered to proceed to Massowah, the Italian headquarters in Erythrea, was denied at the Foreign Office to-day.

Ordered to China Waters.

London, Dec. 9.—According to a special despatch just received from Paris, the French cruisers Jean Bart, Isly, Alger and Pascal have been ordered to be prepared for immediate despatch to China.

BEES AND THEIR KEEPERS.

Inspector McEvoy Reported Finding 34 Apiaries With Foul Brood Disease in Them This Year.

Hamilton, Dec. 9.—The Bee Association yesterday morning listened to a capital paper by Inspector McEvoy, being the report of his year's inspection throughout the province. During the year he visited 64 apiaries in the various counties, and found the foul brood disease in 34 of them. Steps were at once taken to stamp it out. He had also found hives diseased through the use of old combs.

Officers Elected.

The election of officers was then gone into and resulted as follows: President, M. B. Holmes, Athens; first vice-president, W. E. Brown, Charl; second vice-president, J. D. Evans, Islington; secretary, W. Couse, Streetsville; directors, district No. 2, J. K. Darling, Almonte; No. 4, W. Post, Trenton; No. 5, J. W. Sparling, Bowmanville; No. 7, A. Piggott, Nassagaweya; No. 8, J. Armstrong, Cheapside; No. 9, J. Newton, Thamesford; No. 10, F. A. Gemill; No. 11, W. A. Chrysler, Chatham; No. 12, S. Wood, Nottawa; representative to Ontario Agricultural College, R. F. Holtermann, Brantford; representative to Toronto Industrial Exhibition, A. Piggott; representative to Central Fair, Ottawa, J. K. Darling; representative to London Fair, R. H. Smith; inspector of apiaries, William McEvoy; assistant inspector, F. A. Gemill; auditors, H. E. Hossball, J. Albaugh.

SMUGGLED CANADIAN TURKEYS.

Birds Worth $600 Seized and Sold by Plattsburg Customs Officials.

New York, Dec. 9.—News was received yesterday that several wagon loads of smuggled turkeys were seized by United States Customs officers at Plattsburg, N.Y., and Berkshire, Vt. French-Canadian farmers have been attempting to dispose of their Christmas poultry without considering Uncle Sam's claim in the transaction, and, as a result, some $600 worth of confiscated turkeys have been sold at public auction by the customs officials at Plattsburg. Nearly all of this consignment came from Bedford and Lacolle, in Quebec, and several warrants have been issued for the arrest of Canadian farmers living along the frontier for violating the revenue laws of the United States.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 229 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 9th.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with the feeling rather firmer. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $3.95, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.20 to $5.25, and strong bakers at $4.90 to $5.

WHEAT—The market was fairly active to-day and prices ruled firm. There were sales of red winter at 81½c to 82c high freights and at 82½c middle. Spring sold at 81c to 82c on Midland and goose at 76c to 77c. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at 91c afloat Fort William, and it is quoted at 91c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is very quiet, with moderate offerings. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23c west, and of mixed at 22c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 43½c to 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is quieter, with sales at 30c to 31c west and at 31c to 31½c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales at 25c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $8, Toronto freights. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 to $3.15 for cars on track.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9¼c to 9½c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Lambskins, 90c to $1.

WOOL—There is very little doing. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 21c to 22c, and extras at 23c to 24c.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9¼c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¼c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 13c to 14c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 8.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 7d to 7s 8d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2¼d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 32s 0d; do., light, 32s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 6d, tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 0d.

London—Wheat on passage dull for white and quiet for red. English country markets partly 6d cheaper. Maize on passage easy. Clipped oats 1os 9d for American.

Paris—Wheat, 22f 60c for Jan.; flour, 61f 95c for Jan.

Liverpool—Wheat quiet at 7s 3¾d for Dec., Jan. and Feb., 7s 3¾d for March and 7s 2¾d for May. Maize steady at 3s 1¾d for Jan., 3s 1d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for March. Flour, 23s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast and nearly due very little doing. Maize on passage easy.

Mark Lane—Wheat dull; buyers and sellers apart.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 22f 50c for Jan. Flour steady at 61f 50c for Jan. Weather in France cold.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 7s 4¼d for Dec. and March and 7s 3¾d for May. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for May. Flour, 23s 3d.

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—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
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—White Dress Shirts.
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LOCAL NEWS.

Bought for $6,600.

The three houses belonging to Mr. John McClelland, which was put up at auction yesterday were purchased by Mr. Robt. Neill for the sum of $6,600.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

St Paul's Auxiliary of the W.F.M.S.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Auxiliary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held in the lecture room of the church on Friday afternoon, December 10th, at half-past three o'clock. After the meeting, tea will be served from five to six, to which all are invited to remain.

Sale of Mr. T. Dunn's Furniture.

Remember the auction sale of household furniture and piano belonging to Mr. Thos. Dunn, Aylmer street, near corner of Charlotte, which takes place to-morrow at 1.30 o'clock. Everything must be sold, as Mr. Dunn is leaving for Chicago.
1d JOHN HAGGART, Auctioneer.

Rev. Mr. Patterson.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, the eloquent pastor of Cook's church, Toronto, will lecture on "From the Hub to the Golden Gates by way of Chicago and Salt Lake City," in St. Andrew's church on the evening of December 10th. Mr. Patterson's well known descriptive powers will be given great scope by the subject, and the address will doubtless prove most interesting. 3d

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95.

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

Don't forget the Grand Concert to-night, at Bradburn's Opera House. Plan at Salisbury's. Tickets 50c, 35c and 25c.

Swell Neckwear Window.

The lecture of the store is the window. The store window makes the merchant quite as much as the tailor makes the man. Mercer & Co. have just put in a very attractively dressed window of neckwear, which not only serves as an effective example of their very extensive collection of the most fashionable goods, but reflects credit on the good taste and ingenuity of their junior window dresser, Archie Hegel.

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CURRANTS.

Finest Vostizzas	12½c
Blue Bells, 8c, or 3 lbs for	25
Patras	08
Filiatras	07

RAISINS.

Seeded California	15
Valencia, extra, 10c, or 3 lbs for	25
Valencia, good	07
Blue Raisins	13
Blue Raisins, small, 7c, or 4 lbs for	25
Choice Sultanas	13

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FIGS.

Choice Table	15 and 18
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PRUNES.

California Large	12
California Medium	10

NUTS.

Shelled Walnuts	30
Grenoble Walnuts	15
Shelled Almonds	35
Shelled Jordan Almonds	30
Soft Shelled Almonds	15
Oblong Filberts	15

PEELS.

Lemon, Citron and Orange	25
Second quality	20

The above prices are not the lowest, but the goods are the cheapest in Peterborough or any other place. Raisin seeders furnished customers. E. F. MASON & Co., 129, 421 George street, Peterborough.

SINGLE TAX AND THE COMING SOCIAL CRISIS.

SPLENDID ADDRESS OF MR. W. A. DOUGLAS B.A., ON THE SUBJECT.

The Merits of the System Lucidly Explained—Fine Audience Present—Deep Interest Awakened.

Last night the large audience at the Sons of England Hall, which included a good many ladies, indicates how the interest in that important subject of social economics, the Single Tax, is growing. The most significant feature of the audience was that it was composed of the most substantial intelligent and thinking citizens of the town.

Rev. H. Symonds occupied the chair, and in his few introductory remarks, referred to the importance of the social question, and remarked that it was not for us to place the responsibility on any particular class. The importance of the subject demanded a free, fair and full discussion, for, history showed that repression in any form was disastrous to the power exercising repression. The chairman paid an eloquent tribute to the late Henry George, the pioneer apostle of the Single Tax, and indicated what a profound impression his life and works had had upon the world.

"THE COMING SOCIAL CRISIS."

The speaker of the evening on this subject was Mr. W. A. Douglas, B. A., of Toronto. He is saturated with his subject and it bristles all over him like quills upon the fretful porcupine. He has a pleasant presence and but for a frequent indistinctness of utterance, there is nothing to mar the enjoyment of the arguments he presents. His address, which occupied about an hour and a half, during which he held the wrapt attention of his audience, broken only at intervals by applause as some pat point was made, was of a character difficult to report, being illustrated by blackboard diagrams, which served to impress the arguments advanced. The lecture was more didactic than entertaining, though at times strains of impassioned and earnest eloquence were woven in among the tissue of hard facts. A report of less than three or four columns can give no adequate idea of the address, and it should be heard to be fully appreciated. A general summary will indicate the trend of the lecturer's contention.

The speaker called attention to the lack of harmony in the development of society on this continent. It was no longer the paradise of the labouring classes, but society was sharply differentiated every generation more and more into the classes and the masses. The condition of the labouring classes was no more hopeful to-day than it was *fifty* years ago; but the fortunes of the millionaires were vastly greater.

The speaker then proceeded to discuss the cause of this severance—why those who produce the wealth should enjoy so small a share, while many who produce little or nothing should grow into fortunes monstrous and excessive. To explain this development, the speaker pointed out the marvellous reductions in the cost of manufactured goods—steel from $50,000 per ton to $50 per ton; cotton goods from a pound to sixpence, and other products made similarly cheap. But while in manufactured products we could introduce improved processes of production; in the case of land, especially in town sites, the prices advance to figures almost fabulous—in New York, from $24 per acre in 1626 to a hundred million times that figure to-day, many acres in that city selling for upwards of ten million dollars cash; in Chicago, from nothing at the beginning of this century to one thousand millions to-day; in Toronto, from nothing in 1800 to eighty or one hundred millions at the present time. While, therefore, labour was ever coming to the market with goods cheaper and cheaper, it met an obligation ever dearer and dearer. *It is this* increasing obligation, compounded with the increasing cheapness of its goods, that ever keeps labour on the border of penury. So that no matter what improvements are made in the mechanical or other arts, in better organization of labour, in better currency or other methods, labour could receive only the pittance to secure a bare animal existence; for, as rapidly as he increased the abundance of his product, it was taken from him by the owner of the valuable land. Here, the speaker pointed out, was the cause of that severance which keeps the producer of abundance in a condition of scarcity, while the fact that population makes land more scarce carries the landowner to greater and greater abundance.

This wrong must be rectified, said the speaker, or civilization must be a failure. The question of questions, therefore, at the present time was: How can we secure to every one the right to produce, and then the right to enjoy the benefit of his products? Look, therefore, at the essential difference between these two things—first, the goods produced by industry, and second, the low values caused by the community. The crops, the houses and the machinery were the products of individual toilers; the land value was due to the presence of the community, of population. In taxing, therefore, we had no right to assess the products of industry. They belong to the individual, but we were bound in honesty to assess exclusively the value of the land which is caused by the community. Having once established this rule, then no longer could one part of the community demand everlasting tribute from the other; but every man would have to perform some service and confer some benefit on his fellows before he could demand a benefit in return. The relation of something for nothing could no longer exist, but the universal relationship then would be enrichment for enrichment, abundance for abundance. The speaker prefaced an eloquent peroration by pointing out that the relationship described, which keeps the poles of society far apart—wealth and poverty continually increasing, was a legitimate subject for legislation, and that without recognition of the eternal principles involved, legislators were groping in the dark.

At the conclusion of Mr. Douglas' address Rev. Mr. Symonds spoke of the extremely lucid presentment of a difficult subject which they had heard and said that Mr. Douglas would answer questions in reference to the subject.

In answer to several questions which showed the intelligent interest taken by the audience in the lecture, Mr. Douglass said he did not think it would be wise to introduce the single tax principle at once; better do it by degrees as was being done in Ontario as represented by the exemption of certain products of the farm—grain, orchards, cattle, reapers. Manitoba taxed unoccupied lands like occupied lands. The speaker agreed with Mr. Hampden Burnham's scheme of compensation, which had also received the approval of the late Henry George. Further questioning brought out the fact that the single tax had been adopted and applied in a more or less limited degree in Manitoba, Northwest Territories, British Columbia, New South Wales and to portions of Australia. In the latter country the new mode of taxation had compelled the owners of large stretches of land to cut up their properties and ask idle men in the cities to occupy them, and thus industry was increased. In answer to a question by Mr. A. McCallum, which involved the fact that he was designing the reconstruction of a mill that would do more work than the old one, and dispense with the work of fifty men and what was to become of them, was to place them upon the land, of which millions of acres were waiting for occupation.

Mr. Burnham moved, seconded by Mr. Stone, a cordial vote of thanks to the speaker of the evening, which was enthusiastically carried and the meeting closed with "God Save the Queen."

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BELLEVILLE DOG SHOW.

Arrangements being made to hold one in the City of the Bay.

The Belleville Intelligencer publishes the following call for a meeting of dog fanciers to be held there on Friday night:

"The proposed dog show to be held somewhere in Belleville is a capital idea, if it can be brought to a successful issue. We understand from several of the fanciers that a meeting is to be held at the Hotel Quinte on Friday evening next. In Belleville we have a number of citizens who own well-bred canines, and we have no doubt others who live in adjacent places who could be induced to bench their animals. While speaking of a show of this kind, would it no be well to endeavour to form a Central Ontario Association, composed of Kingston, Peterborough and Belleville, each to hold a show in mid-winter one year in turn, at the same time inviting fanciers in the other small towns to join the association; also to hold the shows under the auspices of the C. K. C. Association.

"This we think could be done if the proper parties take hold of the project and help it forward. Let everyone who owns a kennel or takes an interest in "man's best friend" attend the meeting on Friday night. All the cocker spaniels, fox terriers, great Danes, St. Bernards and beag'e hounds will be in attendance."

NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL.

Its Composition Very Hard to Determine at Present.

It is puzzling to try and ascertain how next year's town council will be composed, as nearly all the councillors of the present year appear to be undetermined as to whether they will allow their names to go before the ratepayers again.

Mr. J. B. McWilliams will be in the field and Mr. J. M. White. Mr. Adam Dawson and Mr. Robt. Neill announce that they do not again desire to run, and Messrs. T. H. G. Deane and Henry Best are at present undetermined.

Amongst the new names mentioned are those of Mr. Robt. Weir for the Third Ward, and Mr. A. J. Gough and Mr. Harry Phelan for Ward No. 2. Mr. A. L. Davis will not again go to the polls. Mr. W. H. Meldrum is undecided and Mr. Graham, of the North Ward, is out of town.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the George street church will hold a reception in the new Parsonage, Water street, on Friday evening. Music and refreshments. A cordial invitation is extended to all. 15c fee at the door. 2d

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BAILEY AGAIN ARRESTED.

He is Charged With the Deliberate Robbery of a Cripple.

Richard Bailey is again in trouble, and this time the charge against him is a serious one, inasmuch as he is under arrest charged with deliberately "going through" William Bradley, a cripple, who was staying at the Little Windsor.

Bailey was before the magistrate yesterday afternoon at half past four and remanded until Monday next.

On two other occasions the prisoner has been in the police court. The first time he was charged with neglecting to support his wife, and only a few days ago he was arrested for stealing a turkey from in front of Mrs. Fleming's grocery on Park street. As he was shown to have been drunk on the occasion of the theft he was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

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BIRTH.

JOHNSTON—On Monday, Dec. 6th, 1897, at 26 Waterford street, the wife of Mr. W. R. Johnston, of a daughter.

DIED

LINDSAY.—On Thursday, Dec. 9th, 1897, Roy Raymond, infant son of H. P. Lindsay, aged 4 months and 9 days.
The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 639 George street, a 3 p.m. to-morrow.

West Peterborough!
Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,
—IN—
BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE
At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

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Bon Bons, Chocolate Pots, Vases, Jugs, Etc.

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MILLINERY

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors, in blue and brown, worth $1.25, reduced to 50c.
Ladies' Untrimmed Shapes, worth 75c to $1.00, all colors, to clear at 50c each.
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth $2.25, reduced to $1.50 each.
Ladies' Walking Hats, worth $1.25, reduced to $1.00 each.
Special Prices in all Trimmed Millinery for the balance of this month.

MANTLES

Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $6.00, reduced to $4.00.
Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $5.00, reduced to $3.00.
Ladies' Fur Lined Cloaks only three left, to be cleared at $10.00 each.
Ladies' Tweed Jackets, worth $9.00, reduced to $7.00.
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RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

Three trains of empty box cars went north to Midland yesterday in anticipation of the arrival of grain steamers from Chicago.

Conductor Jack Brittos, of the Port Hope way-freight, is off duty to-day. His run was taken by Conductor J. F. Jobbitt.

While the crew of the Lindsay and Midland way-freight were doing some shunting in the yard at Midland yesterday morning, Mr. Harry Zealand, of Lindsay, unfortunately had his right hand caught in making a coupling, receiving injuries which made it necessary for a doctor to amputate two fingers. His accident will likely keep him from duty six or eight weeks.

See Grafton & Co's All Wool Underwear at 25c.

ELECTRIC LIGHT AND WATER WORKS.

THE SUBJECTS OF DISCUSSION AT THE ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL.

The Village Fathers think they are Taxed too Much for Street Lighting —The Water Works Question to be Settled Next Wednesday.

At the meeting of the Ashburnham council last evening with Reeve Adams presiding, there were present Councillors Johnston, Smith, Rutherford and Morgan,

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From the Dominion Alliance, asking the council's signature to a petition to the Legislature to allow the majority in municipalities to prohibit the sale and limit the time of the sale of intoxicating liquor.—Received.

From the Hamilton Water Pipe Company, asking for an opportunity of tendering for the supplies needed if a water-works system was introduced in the village.—Received.

From the Children's Aid Society, asking for assistance to aid them in sustaining the Shelter.—Received.

From James A. Meldrum, Toronto, asking for information concerning the further issue of Village debentures.—Received.

From the Peterborough Light and Power Co., refusing to accept a cheque for $413.50 in payment of their account to Sept. 20th, last, and stating that light would be furnished the village on the same terms as it is now supplied to the town per lamp, provided two more lights were procured. The latter proviso was made in order that the company's revenue from the village would not be reduced on the whole by the reduction charged per lamp.—Received.

From Brown Bros., stating that they had been awarded the contract for supplying the municipalities with a treasurer's cash book, and asking for an order for same.—Received.

From Superintendent Henderson of the Peterborough Water Co., as follows re water supply to the village of Ashburnham:

I am instructed to forward you as follows: At a joint meeting of the councillors of the village and Ashburnham and the directors of the Peterborough Water Company, held on the 22nd inst, the village council submitted the following propositions: That the village council would undertake the work of laying the mains from the east end of Hunter street in the town of Peterborough, where it strikes the river Otonabee, and across said river and along Elizabeth street, and streets adjacent thereto, in the village of Ashburnham, valves, hydrants and standpipes to be connected to mains according to the plans produced by the village corporation. That the Water Company supply all water needed to operate the system named for use, through hydrants for fire purposes only, and standpipes for street watering purposes only, at an annual charge of five per cent. on the cost of said works per annum for a term of years, for a term of years, to be agreed upon by the Water Company and the Ashburnham council. The Water Company to have in addition one half of the annual rate derived from all private services that may be in use in the village during said term, based on the rates now charged for water by the said Company in the town of Peterborough, the cost of said service from the mains to the street line to be divided between the corporation of Ashburnham and the Water Company. The corporation of Ashburnham to own such services on the streets which form part and parcel of said system.

It was moved by Messrs. Hatton and McKee, that the proposition of the village council be accepted, provided all work done on proposed system is carried out under the superintendence of Mr. Henderson, and on specifications to be prepared by him—the corporation of Ashburnham to pay the Water Co for his services, the Water Company to have the right at any time during said term to purchase said system at its cost price.

Received.

ACCOUNTS.

On motion of Councillors Johnston and Smith, the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

T R Manico	$ 2 50
J C Sullivan	2 50
Scott & Hogg	2 00
Jas C Kennedy	25 00
Dickson Co	1 54
Dickson Co	1 54
Pay Sheet No 27	7 50
" 26	10 50
" 29	5 25

RESOLUTIONS.

Moved by Councillors Rutherford and Johnston, that the communication from Mrs. Warde, on behalf of the Children's Aid Society be received, and that this council grant ten dollars towards said Society for present expenses, and that the treasurer be instructed to issue his cheque in favour of the Children's Aid Society for the amount—Carried.

Mr. D. Lane's dog tax was remitted on motion of Councillors Morgan and Smith.

On the matter of the street lighting being taken up Councillor Morgan was in favour of allowing the matter to lay over until next year. He rather thought the Light and Power Company was trying to dictate to the village in stating that two more lights would have to be taken, and urged that if they were the company be taxed for putting their poles on the village street to an amount as would even the matter up.

Councillor Johnston thought that, perhaps, the council was trying to dictate regarding the price as much as the company was trying to dictate concerning the number of lamps to be used.

Councillor Smith asked if the company could charge the village the full rate of $60.00 per lamp if a settlement was not reached.

Reeve Adams explained that Peterborough had been paying $60.00 per lamp for an all night service. As the village was not getting an all night service this amount could not be charged. The town had received a reduction of 20 per cent., and the same reduction should be given the village. At the beginning of the year when the electric lighting contract expired a new one was not entered into, the arrangement being that a rate be agreed upon later. Hence the dispute.

On motion of Councillors Rutherford and Morgan the communication of the Light & Power Company was received and the company requested to meet the council next Wednesday evening to consider the terms of a new contract.

On motion of Councillors Smith and Johnston the communication of the Railway Co. was received and referred to a Committee of the Whole Council.

SNOWPLOUGHING,

Tenders for snowploughing were received as follows:

NORTHERN DIVISION.

Wm Frith	$40 00
Jos Valois	60 00

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Thos Mitchell	$35 00

Moved by Councillors Johnston and Smith that the tender of Wm. Frith be received for north portion of village, his tender being the lowest, at $40. Said tenderer to give two securities for the amount of tender, the work to be done to the satisfaction of the Street Inspector.—Carried.

As there was only one tender for the Southern Division and it was much higher than that of last year quite a discussion ensued on the advisability of accepting it.

Moved by Councillors Rutherford and Morgan that the letting of the contract for snowploughing of South Division be laid over until the 15th December, and that tenders be received until that date for same.—Carried.

Moved by Councillors Smith and Johnston that this council apply to the present session of the Ontario Legislature to have the Drainage Act amended, empowering municipal corporations to compel owners and occupants of lots through which creeks and spring freshets pass, to clean the course to a sufficient size to let water and ice pass through freely, and in the event of neglect or refusal on part of owners or occupants after 30 days, said corporation be empowered to do so, charging the same to said owner or occupant of such lots, and that the clerk be instructed to forward this resolution to the representative of this riding at Toronto under the seal of this corporation.—Carried.

Council then adjourned for one week.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR.

It Will Begin on Tuesday Under the Auspices of St. Joseph's Hospital and the House of Providence.

A bazaar will be held in the Opera House beginning on Tuesday next and lasting for the balance of the week for the purpose of raising funds for St. Joseph's Hospital and the House of Providence.

A similar affair was held two years ago and proved to be very successful, but this year's bazaar will be even more so, as the quantity and quality of the fancy work already contributed far surpasses anything of the kind which has ever been received for previous sales of this nature.

A new feature which is to be introduced at the bazaar is the cheapness at which the articles contributed will be sold—the Sisters merely desiring to realize the cost of the material out of the fancy work without charge for the time occupied in making them up.

It goes without saying that the Opera House will be the general rendezvous for purchasers of Christmas gifts next week, as everything in the way of beautiful fancy work, as well as articles of underwear, etc. will be placed on sale at most reasonable prices. Much of the work has been done by the Sisters, and is consequently finished in the most perfect manner, and includes amongst other things: Aprons, centre pieces, cushions, toilet and sofa, table covers, drawn work, netted work cosies, panels, head rests, fancy baskets, crotchet mats, boxes of various kinds, piano drapes, photograph holders, fine hand-painted work, crepe paper work, shaving cases, pastel work, a large assortment of beautifully dressed dolls, silk and lawn handkerchiefs beautifully worked, children's suits, and underwear for ladies and gentlemen. Every article mentioned above is of the latest and prettiest designs. There are other ornaments and trinkets too numerous to mention.

ALL SAINTS' CHOIR.

It Was Most Hospitably Entertained by Mrs. D J Lundy Last Evening.

The choir of All Saints church, to the number of about twenty, accompanied by Rev. W. L. Armitage, repaired last evening to the residence of Mr. D. J. Lundy, Aylmer street, in response to a cordial invitation extended by Mrs. Lundy.

The evening was most enjoyably spent in the singing of choruses and social intercourse, Mr. Frank Wilson and Rev. Mr. Armitage contributing several solos to the evening's pleasure. Later on refreshments were served and before the choir dispersed a hearty vote of thanks was passed to the kind hostess. The national anthem was sung at the close of the evening.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Mat. Jamieson is confined to his room with illness.

Mr. W. H. Meldrum is up west on a business trip.

Mr. D. W. Little is visiting friends in Kingston.

Mr. H. P. Lindsay has returned from a business trip to Newcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wattam drove out to Lakefield this morning to attend the district convention of the Epworth League.

Mrs. Geo. Stevens, who formerly resided at the corner of Charlotte and Rubidge streets, has returned to town, and has taken up a suite of rooms at the National, where she will reside for the winter.

Mr. Alfred Day, General Secretary of the Sabbath School Association, passed through yesterday en route for Belleville. He was at Lindsay yesterday, arranging to organize a County Sunday School Association for Victoria and town of Lindsay.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—There are twenty-five practising lawyers in Peterborough.

—The Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's church will hold their annual meeting tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

GREAT GLOVE EVENT.

On Saturday morning, December 11th, the Golden Lion will offer a rare chance in 50 dozen Black and Coloured French Kid Gloves, originally sold for $1.00 and $1.25 the pair—your choice at 50 cents a pair. These gloves were secured from a French manufacturer's agent in Montreal, by whom they were intended to be consigned to a large house that failed.

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For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 344 Water street.

WANTED IN HUNTSVILLE.

A Horse Trader Arrested and Held for Instructions.

Charles Colwell is getting quite an experience in police court matters. Within the last two weeks he has appeared as both witness and defendant in two cases and now he is behind the bars as a prisoner being under arrest on the authority of the following message from the Chief of Police in Huntsville:

"Arrest and hold under warrant Charles Colwell. He is a horse-trader. He will be around the hotels. He is fair complexioned, fair moustache, height, about 5 ft. 11 in., weight, about 180 or 190 lbs, age 25 or 30 years. If you find him, arrest him and wire me at once."

Colwell made the acquaintance of the police through his horse trade with a citizen, when the animal which he gave dropped on the road before its new owner could get it home. Colwell was also before the magistrate day before yesterday and was fined for keeping three dogs without a license.

As soon as he was arrested last night a telegram was sent to the Huntsville Police Department.

THE LATE REV. M. CONNOLLY.

A Warm Tribute to the Worth of his Former Curate, by Mgr. Farrelly.

At the "Month's Mind" for the late Rev. Michael Connolly, of Hastings, held at St. Michael's church, Belleville, on Tuesday, Rev. Mgr. Farrelly paid a fitting tribute to the worth of the deceased, in the course of which he reminded his hearers "of their Catholic duty, to always remember in their prayers the dead in general, but in a more special manner the dead priests in particular. The priesthood is a precious and heavenly treasure, entrusted by the ordinance of God to the care of a frail earthly casket, which, as the years pass by, must needs sometimes become somewhat affected by the dross of the world which surrounds it. The deceased had fulfilled his duty well and nobly and, no doubt, through the mercy of his God had obtained the crown of the good and faithful priest. He (the speaker) was in a position to testify to his merits, as he had been his curate for two years, during which time he had learned to admire him for his noble qualities as a man and his careful and conscientious fulfilment of priestly duty. He condoled with his beloved curate at the loss of such a brother, and expressed his personal sorrow for one whom he loved and admired."

The following were the priests present on the occasion: Right Rev. Mgr. Farrelly, Belleville; Very Rev. Dean Murray, Trenton; Rev. J. J. Connolly, Belleville; Rev. Thos. Spratt, Wolfe Island; Rev. J.J. McDonough, Picton; Rev. Thos. Davis, Madoc; Rev. J. J. Hogan, Napanee; Rev. Thos. Murtagh, Marmora; Rev. Alex. Carson, Frankford; Rev. Thos McCarthy, Read; Rev. J. J. Fleming, Tweed, and Rev. J. Collins, Brighton.

For nervous headache use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Leavens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

The thistles met last evening at the rink parlours but decided to postpone the election of skips in the absence of several whose intentions regarding curling this season have not yet been definitely ascertained.

The Granites meet to-morrow evening for the selection of rinks and other matters of importance.

THE RING.

The local sparrers who went to Lindsay were well pleased with the evening. Peterborough talent proved too much for the Lindsay men in every round.

Writing of the late John Fleming and the services he rendered the sport of boxing, George R. Sims, the famous dramatist, says:

"To many people the idea of a 'glove fight' still still suggests a brutal exhibition amid debasing surroundings. One evening at the National sporting club under the rule of John Fleming, would have been to those good people a liberal education. They would have found a building crowded with a representative assemblage of Englishmen. They would have seen peers of the realm, judges, jockeys, officers of the army and navy, diplomats, bookmakers, members of Parliament, clergymen, pugilists, stockbrookers, physicians, artists, musicians, and literary men whose names are household words, sitting side by side. They would have found the most perfect order, and an exhibition of the spirit of fair play which if a characteristic of our race. Not long ago an American of high official position told me that he had never respected the English people so much as he did after witnessing a contest between an American and an English boxer at the National Sporting Club. 'This would be impossible in America,' he said, 'our spirit of partizanship would be bound to make itself felt. You have done more than make boxing a display of science—you have carried it into the region of chivalry.'"

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this afternoon, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	..25° above zero	
Yesterday	38°	25°

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

The Sweetest bread,
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YOUR INCOME.

It isn't what you receive but what you spend that makes you prosperous or otherwise. Saving a quarter on this, ten cents on something else and five cents here and there, is the thing that counts:—

Cloth Bound Books, gold titles and side stamps, real value 35c, for	.23
A cheaper line, paper not so good, worth 25c, for	.15
Child's Table and Two Chairs, red or blue, worth $2.00, for	$1.75
Crockinole, round boards, with Checker Board on back. The edge WON'T COME OFF these boards. Worth $1.25, for	$1.00

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Until very recent years, consumption was considered absolutely incurable. It is now known to be curable. During the past thirty years it has been demonstrated that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, if taken in the earlier stages of the disease before the lungs are too much wasted, also bronchitis, asthma, laryngitis and all diseases of all the air-passages. It acts directly on the lungs, driving out all impurities and disease germs. It soothes the cough, facilitates expectoration, thus thoroughly clearing the lungs. It purifies and enriches the blood and tears down, carries off and excretes old, inert, half-dead tissues, replacing them with the new, firm, muscular tissues of health. It is the great appetite sharpener, blood-maker, flesh-builder, nerve-tonic and restorative. Thousands who had been given up to die have been restored to complete, robust health by this marvelous medicine. Do not buy from unscrupulous dealers who try to force upon you something beside what you ask for. There is nothing to take the place of it, or, which is "just as good" as "Golden Medical Discovery."

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Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation.

THE HUSBAND'S SOLILOQUY.

When we clean house, I'm homeless for a week.
When we clean house, my life is cold and bleak.
My wife she works away
And "airs the house" all day.
Oh, what a disarray
When we clean house!

When we clean house, woe fathomless is mine.
The things are shook and hung upon a line.
I cannot find my clothes,
And where my meerschaum goes
The future only shows
When we clean house.

When we clean house, I feel that I have sinned.
When we clean house, we mostly live on wind.
We have our little snacks
And dine on beats and whacks
And soap and carpet tacks
When we clean house.
—Detroit Free Press.

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In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

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All is Harmony Again.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 8.—The trouble between Germany and Hayti appears to be settled. The Haytian Government has saluted the German flag, and the foreigners who had sought refuge on board ships in this harbor have returned to their homes.

The question of the indemnity demanded by Germany for the alleged illegal arrest and imprisonment of Herr Emile Lueders, a German subject, has been settled to the satisfaction of Germany.

Victory for the Operatives.

Manchester, Dec. 8.—The employers in the cotton trade have abandoned their demand for a 5 per cent. reduction in wages, many firms being disinclined to enforce it. The operatives are thus victorious in the struggle.

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To Preserve Wooden Posts.

As a result of some experiments carried on in Germany to discover some efficient and permanent method of preserving wooden posts that have to be set in the ground, the following deductions have been made: In setting posts for fences or other purposes, care should be taken to turn them upside down, that is, to reverse them from the position which they had while growing as portions of a trunk of a tree. The reason for this is that the capillaries of a tree are so arranged as to promote the ascent of fluids from the root upward. Consequently, a log set in the ground in the same relation as the trunk of a growing tree will draw moisture from the ground to a considerable height; and the wood so moistened will decay; while if the log is set with the other end up the action of the capillaries tend to oppose the ascent of the moisture, and the wood resists decay much longer. Another means for preventing the decay of such posts is to protect them with some waterproof covering just below the surface of the ground, where they are most exposed to soaking from rains. An experiment was made in France by furnishing alternate posts with a protecting ring, made by slipping on a drain pipe, and filling the space between the inner surface of the pipe and the post with tar and sand. The top of the pipe was set just at the level of the ground, and it was found that the posts so protected lasted just five times as long as those which had been set in the ground without protection. The cost of the application was about sixty cents for each post, but it seems probable that a simple wrapping of tarred paper would have answered the purpose, provided no holes had been driven through it and the paper had been sealed with a coating of tar.

Paint Your Cheek.

Not with paint on outside that is easily washed off. Put the color on from within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks with rich red blood. It is a color that stays too.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 289 George Street

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

THE INDIA CAMPAIGN.

Operations Will Be Postponed Until Spring.

HAYTI AT LAST FORCED TO YIELD

The Germans Have a Brush With the Chinese, But the Emperor of the Celestial Kingdom Declares That the Invaders May Not Permanently Occupy the Kiao Chou Bay.

London, Dec. 8.—According to a despatch to The Morning Post from Bombay, the operations of the British punitive expedition, under Sir William Lockhart, on the northwestern frontier of India, which began about the middle of September last, will cease presently and be resumed in the spring.

GERMANY AND CHINA.

Celestials Seem to Know Their Rights and Will Maintain Them.

Pekin, Dec. 8.—The Chinese Government has caused it to be made known that up to the time of the German occupation of Kiao Chou Bay no claim was made by Germany for reparation as a result of the murders of the two German missionaries, Nies and Hennle, and that there were no other differences between the two Governments. Consequently, the Government of China points out, the missionary question is regarded as a pretext to obtain a naval station, which, it is shown, Germany has long coveted. The Chinese Government, it is said, in conclusion, will never consent to the Germans remaining at Kiao Chou Bay, as their presence there deprives China of a harbor, which, since the war with Japan, has been regarded as the most suitable naval base of operations.

A Brush With the Enemy.

London, Dec. 8.—A special despatch from Shanghai says: On Friday last Capt. Becker, with 210 German marines, left Kiao Chou Bay to occupy the surrounding villages, whence they proceeded to capture the city. The Chinese forts opened fire and the Germans replied, killing three of the garrison, which thereupon fled in disorder.

SPAIN'S MISFORTUNES.

Sagasta's Efforts Too Late to Reconcile the Implacable Enemies of Spain.

London, Dec. 8.—The Daily Chronicle publishes yesterday a letter from a correspondent in Havana, who says: "Sagasta's efforts are too late. Under Weyler's vile regime half the Cuban population disappeared, and the remaining half has been converted into the implacable enemies of Spain, enemies who will absolutely refuse to accept Spain's word.

"The central provinces are a desert waste. The sugar industry can only be restarted by the infusion of American and English capital. Few dare to invest. The island is lost to Spain, and it is clearly the duty of the United States to intervene in the interests of humanity and civilization and to end this fearful inferno."

Outrages in Macedonia.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 8.—Alarming news reached here yesterday from Macedonia. The Albanians are reported to be committing great excesses at Debra and Kitchevo, and the surrounding districts, killing men, outraging women and looting cattle. The local authorities are powerless, wholesale prosecution and arrests of Bulgarians by Turks are also reported from the Bulgarian frontier. The news has caused great excitement here.

Outrage by Turkish Soldiers.

London, Dec. 8.—The Daily Mail reports that a party of Englishmen, including Robert Barr, the novelist, while touring the Mediterranean, were seized by Turkish soldiery at Suediah, a port of Asiatic Turkey, 18 miles southwest of Antioch, on Nov. 28 last. They were detained 26 hours in prison and experienced much ill-treatment before they were liberated. The Daily Mail says that the Government has addressed a "serious remonstrance" to Turkey.

Fatal Boxing Bout.

London, Dec. 7.—Walter Croot of Newcastle, Eng., who was defeated for the bantam-weight championship of the world at the National Sporting Club last night, by Jimmy Barry of Chicago, died this morning of the injuries he received during the contest.

Anti-Jewish Riot in Roumania.

Vienna, Dec. 8.—A despatch from Bucharest, the capital of Roumania, says that yesterday a fanatical mob, 20,000 strong, armed with iron bars and cudgels, attacked the Jewish quarters, pillaged the shops and destroyed windows and furniture.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

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Cancer is the severest known form of blood disease. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most powerful medicine known. It cures cancer and all skin diseases. Proof: "My husband had two cancers taken off his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and it disappeared. I know this medicine is an excellent blood purifier." MRS. WM. KIRBY, Akron, Erie Co., New York.

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UP-TO-DATE.

A Fast Train to be Put on the Intercolonial Railway Between Montreal and Halifax.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—Fifty miles an hour including stoppages from Montreal to Halifax. This is the new policy that will soon be inaugurated on the Intercolonial. Mr. Adolphe Davis, a very capable engineer, and at one time superintendent of the North Shore Railway, between Montreal and Quebec, has been appointed consulting engineer of Government railways, and he appears to have been given a free hand by Hon. Mr. Blair in securing the best possible rolling stock for the Government road, and in carrying out radical reforms. After visiting the leading manufacturing centres of the continent Mr. Davis found what he considered to be the best and most powerful locomotive at the Baldwin Works, Philadelphia, and upon the new consulting engineer's recommendation it was purchased and brought to Montreal.

The locomotive is a double compound of the newest Vaudain patent, mounted with a boiler 60 inches in diameter, 27 feet long, with a grated surface of 26 feet. She is what is called a 10-wheeler, having a truck of 4 wheels and 6 fly wheels, 6 feet across. This engine, which will be known on the I.C.R. as No. 168, will have a capacity for hauling 12 Pullman coaches, 2 baggage and 1 express car up the steepest grade on the Intercolonial Railway, at a rate of 50 miles an hour, or she will run up and down the medium grades at 70 miles an hour. He likewise said that it was the intention of the department to equip the railway that in a year's time regular express trains will run from Montreal to Halifax and vice versa at the rate of 50 miles an hour, including all stoppages, etc.

Mr. Davis said that the road bed of the I. C. R. was as good as that of any single track road in America, and he added that the new locomotive will serve as a model for many others of the same kind, which the Government intend having made in Canada.

Railway Strike Abandoned.

London, Dec. 8.—As a result of the refusal of the Right Hon. Charles T. Ritchie, President of the Board of Trade, to interfere in the name of the Board in the present labor dispute, with a view to arranging a conference, in order to avert a strike, the idea of a general railway strike has been abandoned.

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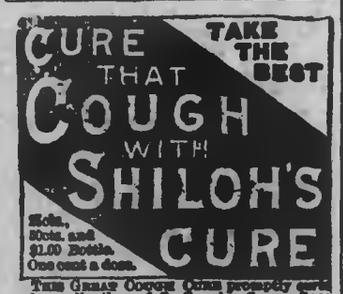

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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.464	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644.441

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From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the Government Superintendent of Insurance, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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fast would make me gasp for breath, and many a time I have had to stop on the street to rest and regain my breath.

I had bad smothering spells at night, and my nerves were much unstrung. Anything annoying or worrying me produced extreme weakness, and would set my heart beating so fast that I thought I was dying. Sometimes I would become so nervous as to tremble like a leaf.

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Spain and a Conquered Race.

The idea of conquered races enjoying the most minute liberty of action by natural birthright was regarded in Spain as absurd. Little by little pressure was brought to bear on the king and his counselors, producing a gradual relaxation of the fetters which bound the new subjects to their forced allegiance. Trade, created by the Spaniards, which finally extended to half castes, was confined exclusively to commerce with Spain. Both in the far east and the far west the exact size and number of packages shipped, the number of voyages per annum to and fro of the Naos (government trading galleons), contents of bales, etc., were all regulated, and no one could ship without a boleto or public permit, which could only be obtained from the unscrupulous officials who had come to fill their pockets by the most corrupt means. Permission had to be solicited again and again to perform almost any act beyond the common necessities of life. One could neither travel, quit or enter the country, read, write, assemble in a group, build a house nor plant a field without license.

In the Philippine islands the natives were forced to think like their masters, to dress as they were told and to adopt the religion of their conquerors under the severest penalties of torture and frequently of death. In Mexico official appointments to the Manilla dependency were publicly sold. Until the American colonies were lost to Spain hardly one Spaniard in a generation carried capital to these new possessions to develop their natural resources. Foreigners were jealously treated as intruders, and the European influx sprang generally from the lowest social orders, who acted like wolves let loose among a fold of sheep. —Westminster Review.

Force of Habit.

A woman will always ask the price of everything before she pays for it. Yesterday afternoon a woman stepped into a confectioner's shop and said:

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OUTPUT OF TWO FORESTS.

The Almost Inconceivable Amount of Lumber Cut In Wisconsin and Minnesota.

"The Story of a Pine Board" is the title of an article by W. S. Harwood in St. Nicholas. Mr. Harwood says of the lumbering in Wisconsin and Minnesota:

About 4,160,000,000 feet of logs were cut in the season of 1895—that is to say, what is equivalent to 4,160,000,000 pieces of board 12 inches square and 1 inch think. I wonder if even the lumber men themselves, and the log cutters, and the manufacturers of lumber in the great mills, realize what an enormous amount of lumber this is. Why, it would build a house around the globe, with a main room ten feet high and a large attic, ceiling up the inside walls and roof with sweet, fragrant pine. It would put down a matched floor, and then, when the house was all completed, there would be left enough lumber to build tight board fences on either side of the house 3½ feet high the whole distance around the globe. Besides all this there would be shingles enough for a good portion of the house, and then, if the mighty builder of such a globe girdling house wanted to fit it up a little more neatly, there would be a large supply of laths, and, I suppose, the plasterers could furnish him enough stucco and lime.

Or if he wanted to construct a roof shelter for all the people on the globe our mighty builder could accommodate them all, allowing to each man, woman and child a clear space of two square feet in which to stand, and still have room left over for 500,000,000 men with the same room in which to stand. And, to look at it in still another way, this same builder would have material to construct a bicycle path of pine, a little over two feet wide, from the earth to the moon, for there would be nearly 800,000 miles of board a foot wide and an inch thick. In sawing this lumber up into the required length and thickness there was a great waste in sawdust—so great, indeed, that the sawdust pile would stand 112 feet high on a city square and 500 feet square at the base, and this is saying nothing about the vast amount of pieces of slabs which are split up into kindlings.

This enormous quantity of lumber represents merely the output of two forests—one in the northwestern part of the state of Wisconsin, and the other in the northern part of the state of Minnesota, and at the rate the logs are being cut up there will not be a piece of pine forest standing in all this vast region at the end of ten years unless something is done by the government to put a stop to the ravages.

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General Lee Tells a Story of the Justice's Absentmindedness.

General Lee tells this story of ex-Senator Lamar, while the latter was a member of the United States supreme court.

"He was in a herdic one day," said General Lee, "and, as was not unusual with him when not actively employed, was almost entirely oblivious of his surroundings. He was a deep thinker, you know. Well, he forgot to pay his fare. The driver rang his bell, and finally another passenger called his attention to it.

"'They're ringing for your fare, I think,' said the man to Judge Lamar, touching him on the knee.

"'Is that so?' asked the judge, starting up. 'I had forgotten all about it.' He then pulled some silver pieces from his pocket and selecting a dime dropped it into the box.

"The passenger who had observed his action, said to the judge as he resumed his seat: 'Didn't you make a mistake? The fare is 5 cents.'

"'Why, so it is. Excuse me,' replied the jurist, and again making his way to the cash box he put in a nickel, after which he took his seat, confident that he had discharged all his obligations, as he had, indeed, and more.

"And so far as I know," continued General Lee, "he never realized his mistake. The best part of the story is that it is true. Goodby. I get off here." —Washington Star.

A Quaint Scotch Wedding Custom.

A quaint wedding custom still prevails in many of the little country towns and mining villages in Scotland. When a wedding is held, the contracting parties make their guests pay in full for the eating, drinking and dancing facilities which are usually provided on such occasions. The practice still seems to survive even in Glasgow. A correspondent observed a notice posted up in the Cowcaddens—a low class Glasgow thoroughfare—informing the public that a soldier would shortly enter into the bonds of wedlock, and that twopence would be charged for admission to the ceremony and an additional sixpence imposed for attendance at the wedding feast. The practice seems to be peculiarly Scotch, but sixpence certainly seems moderate enough for a marriage supper.—Westminster Gazette.

The Useless Men.

"Married life isn't what it is cracked up to be," remarked Mrs. Grimesleigh. "When I married Daniel, I thought it would be so handy to have a man about the house; but, Lor', that's all it amounted to. He's never at home when he's wanted for anything, and if he is he's tired or busy or something or other, and so I have to go to work and do the thing myself. 'S far as I can see, men are only in the way when they are in the house and out of the way when they're wanted."—Boston Transcript.

The sciara, a wormlike insect of forests of Hungary and Norway, is only a tenth of an inch long, yet in migrating, in July or early August, the creatures are said to stick themselves together in a serpentlike mass often 40 to 50 feet long and several inches thick.

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—Children's Grey Gauntlets in Imitation Lamb 75c; the real Grey Lamb costing $but 3.00 to $4.00.

—We show Gauntlets in Persian Lamb, Seal, Beaver, Otter, Coon and Matassini Buffalo at special prices for Xmas shoppers.

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—Ladies' delight in Muffs. It is not often one gets such values in these handsome articles—an extra large Siberian Bear Muff for $2.00, a quantity of commoner sort at 75c to $1.25.

—Some extra choice Sable and Brown Bear Skins have contributed to the making of a quantity of fine Muffs which cannot be excelled anywhere—$6.00 to $11.00.

—Fur Storm Collars, Fur Capes, Fur Jackets, Fur-lined Cloaks, Men's Coats, Robes, etc., in too large variety to be here enumerated. If you have $3.00 to spend on a Collar, $10 00 to spend in a Cape, $25.00 to spend on an Astrachan Jacket or a Fur-lined Cloak, $100 to spend on a Persian Lamb Jacket or $20) to spend on a Seal Skin Sacque, you cannot spend to better advantage than with us.

—Men's Kid and Buck Fur Lined and Wool Lined Mitts and Gloves, 50c up to $4.00.

"Kris Kringle" and Fairweather & Co. are on the most intimate terms—hence these extensive preparations for old and young, rich and poor, which will enable you to give good gifts at not too great a cash outlay.

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Peterborough—MANUFACTURING FURRIERS—Toronto

HOT FROM THE WIRES.

George W. Vanderbilt, youngest son of W. H. Vanderbilt, is taking a trip to Europe and the Orient. Before leaving New York he placed on his life a policy of $1,000,000, on which the annual premium is $35,000 for 20 years, when payments will cease, the policy being payable at death. The policy is said to be the largest ever written by one company.

Seymour Jenkins, aged 16, of Sudbury, went deer hunting a short time ago in the woods north of that town and got lost. He wandered around five days without food or fire. Finally two prospectors set out to look for him and found him in an old lumber camp, very much exhausted and with both feet frozen.

The Patrons held the first caucus of the session yesterday, and considered a number of proposed bills concerning Government House and the Railway Pass Bill, but no conclusion was arrived at regarding introduction.

The post mortem on the body of Paul Fink of Waterloo resulted in not a trace of poison being found. The contents of the stomach have been sent to Toronto for analysis, and the inquest adjourned till the 16th inst.

The report that James Allison, the murderer of Mrs. Orr, had confessed, is denied by the jail officials at Berlin, as well as by Rev. Mr. Atkinson, the spiritual adviser of the doomed boy.

Principal Shants of the Caledonian Public Schools has sworn out a warrant against Alf. Falconer, a Port Dover liveryman, for pummelling him at the entrance to the school grounds.

In the case of Marc Legault, killed by a C.P.R. train at Montreal, a verdict of accidental death has been given by the coroner's jury, it being proved that he was himself to blame.

Charles N. Smith of The Sault Ste. Marie Express sued Meir & Rush of The Star of that place for criminal libel. The grand jury threw out the case.

Mrs. Margaret E. Depotie, relict of the late Joseph Depotie, and one of the pioneer settlers in Grantham Township, Ont., died yesterday, in her 80th year.

Hazle and Mrs. Rowe of Kingston have been successful in the suits brought by the latter's mother to secure $33,000 under testamentary bequests by grandfather and grandmother.

Miss Frances Willard, as President of the World's W.C.T.U, has accepted the resignation of Mrs. Josephine Butler, Superintendent of the Purity Department.

James E. Hussey and W. J. Ludlow, the Toronto Grenadiers accused of assaulting and wounding Police Constable Welch, have been tried and acquitted.

Le Patriote, a Catholic journal of Brussels, announces that Canada has proposed to the Vatican the establishment of a nunciate at Ottawa.

It is said that Sandford Evans, past president of the Hamilton Canadian Club, will run against John Dickenson in South Wentworth.

His Grace Archbishop Langevin of Winnipeg has sufficiently recovered from the effects of his late illness to be able to leave his palace.

The first beet sugar company in Michigan has been organized in Bay City, with capital stock of $300,000.

E. F. Hutchings gives press of business as his reason for dropping out of the Mayoralty contest in Winnipeg.

Mrs. McKinley is still living and little change has occurred in her condition.

The old cruiser Yantic has arrived at Detroit.

Cause all Who Suffer.

Mrs. E. Brown, Hamilton, Ont., says: "I have used Laxa-Liver Pills and find them perfect as a cure for biliousness and sick headache. I strongly recommend them to all who suffer from such troubles as an unrivaled remedy."

HAS SHE GONE DOWN?

Rumor That Troopship Avoca Foundered With 1000 Soldiers on Board.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 9.—There was a startling rumor in circulation yesterday that the British troopship Avoca had foundered at sea, and that all on board were lost. The report could not be substantiated. No information of the kind has been received by the naval authorities here, and nobody else is able to confirm the story. The Avoca was last reported at Jamaica, sailing from there a short time ago for Cape Town with about 1000 soldiers on board. While at Jamaica she was docked and cleaned.

Is This the Right Vessel?

London, Dec. 9.—The rumor cabled from Halifax that the British troopship Avoca, bound from Jamaica for Cape Town, with 1000 troops on board, has foundered, is not credited here. According to a telegram received yesterday from Teneriffe, the Avoca, supposed to be the troopship, has arrived at Ascension Island, though the date of arrival is not given. It is noted as bearing on the two despatches that the 1st Battalion Liverpool Regiment, consisting of eight companies, is under orders from Jamaica for Cape Town.

Little Blaze at Oshawa.

Oshawa, Dec. 9.—About 9 o'clock last evening an alarm of fire was given from the house of A. Hindes, on Simcoe street, occupied by Thomas Kennedy. The flames were soon checked by the fire department and most of the contents saved, the rest being damaged by smoke and water.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until the disease is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

Send 31 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page COMMON SENSE MEDICAL ADVISER, illustrated.

The 250th Presbyterian Anniversary.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—The conference for the celebration of the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Standards of the Presbyterian Church was concluded last night. All through the attendance at the various sessions and the interest taken in the papers read has been very great. Yesterday three sessions were held. In the morning at one time it looked as though there would be a controversial discussion over certain doctrines set forth in the Confession of Faith, but this was cleverly sidetracked by Professor McLaren.

In Niagara's Rapids.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dec. 9.—Walter McCulloch, a prominent civil engineer of this city, had a miraculous escape from death in the rapids yesterday. He was running some lines near Goat Island, when, stepping on a log, the bark gave way and he was precipitated into the rapids above Goat Island Bridge. He was swept under the bridge, where he grasped one of the piers and managed to hold on until rescued.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50c at Grafton & Co.

The Bacon Folly.

It was inevitable that the Bacon folly should proceed to commit suicide by piling up extravagances. By some methods one can prove anything, and accordingly we find writers busy in tracing Bacon's hand in the writings of Greene, Marlowe, Shirley, Marston, Massinger, Middleton and Webster. They are sure that he was the author of Montaigne's essays, which were afterward translated into what we have always supposed to be the French original. Mr. Donnelly believes that Bacon also wrote Burton's "Anatomy of Melancholy." Next comes Dr. Orville Owen with a new cipher which proves that Bacon was the son of Queen Elizabeth by Robert Dudley, and that he was the author of the "Faerie Queene" and other poems attributed to Edmund Spenser.

Finally we have Mr. J. E. Roe, who does not mean to be outdone. He asks us what we are to think of the notion that an ignorant tinker like John Bunyan could have written the most perfect allegory in any language. Perish the thought! Nobody but Bacon could have done it. Of course Bacon had been more than 50 years in his grave when "Pilgrim's Progress" was published as Bunyan's, but your true Baconizer is never stopped by trifles. Mr. Roe assures us that Bacon wrote that heavenly book, as well as "Robinson Crusoe" and the "Tale of a Tub," which surely begins to make him seem ubiquitous and everlasting. If things go on at this rate, we shall presently have a religious sect holding as its first article of faith that Francis Bacon created the heavens and the earth in six days and rested on the seventh day.—John Fiske in Atlantic.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto.....Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled rom end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 389 George street.

Anxious Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

CASTORIA.

Bears the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

AT COTEAU DU LAC, Q.

Riot Among Laborers on the Soulanges Canal.

THE FRENCH FIGHT THE ITALIANS

Alexio Greico, an Italian, Killed, and Several of His Co-Nationalists Badly Wounded—The Italians Up in Arms Over the Way They Have Been Treated—Two Arrests.

Montreal, Dec. 9.—A serious riot broke out last night between the French-Canadian and Italian laborers employed on the Soulanges Canal at Coteau du Lac, about 25 miles from Montreal. Alexio Greico, an Italian, was killed and several were badly injured. The Italians are up in arms and threatening trouble. Police have been sent from Montreal to the scene, and several arrests have been made.

Two Frenchmen Arrested.

Coteau du Lac, Que., Dec. 9.—A horrible murder took place here last night, when an Italian named Alexio Greico lost his life. There was a little fight yesterday at 3 o'clock, and the quarrel was resumed last night about 6 o'clock.

Two French-Canadians have been arrested. The coroner and detective are coming out. The Italians are very much excited, and there are about 150 patroling the streets of the town in search of the alleged murderers. The people are much alarmed and fear further trouble. At 10 o'clock the Italians appeared to be calmed down a little, but are still in search of the murderers, in groups of five and ten, and threaten to kill them on sight.

There is downright economy in buying Clothing from Grafton & Co., the Manufacturers who sell to their customers.

AN IMMENSE SUCCESS.

The Provincial Fat Stock Show at Brantford is Attended by Tremendous Crowds of People.

Brantford, Dec. 9.—The Fat Stock Show is proving a great success. The number of exhibits far surpasses any previous Fat Stock Show, and the quality is of the very best. The building inside has 17 arc lights, is nicely decorated with flags, etc., very comfortable and kept strictly clean. Last night there was a large attendance.

Yesterday the crowd was immense; all trains brought in visitors, and farmers drove in from all over the county. This, with our citizens in attendance, makes it appear as a gala day. The immense building that everyone thought so large is crowded to its utmost capacity with a stream of people passing through it all day. The judging commenced yesterday and will probably be finished early to-day.

Grace Ella Alton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

W. E. Thistle, Druggist.
Andrew Alton, Witness. Hartland, N.B.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 386 George street.

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The latest styles in Walking Hats and Sailors just opened up to-day. Also a lovely assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We have a number of Pattern Hats and Bonnets which will be sold much below the regular price.

Ladies desiring the very latest Novelties should call and make selections.

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SWEET CIDER!

Just received a supply of Refined Sweet Cider. For sale by the Glass or Quart, for Mince Meat.

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SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect Shop, 450 George St.

This Month We Inaugurate a
Carnival Of Economy
FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUYERS.

Winter weather is here and it's welcome. We are ready for it, backed by our Big Purchases of the McKENNA-THOMPSON Stock. That purchase put us in a position to send out goods by the virtue of big values for low prices that is highly appreciated. The December rush has begun and we have

Men Coming for Suits,
Mothers for Boys' Clothing,
Young Men for Hats and Furnishings.

And each duplicating the other's purchase.

NEVER TOO MUCH is our motto in prices, and often we do ourselves an injustice in making profits too little. But it's all right as long as our customers get the benefit. You know that this store is run partly in your interest, partly in ours.

We cannot do better than repeat here our prices of last week—for prices with us never change for higher.

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at.....	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at.....	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at.....	4 65
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at.	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at.....	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at.....	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at.....	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at.....	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at.....	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at.....	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50
We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only.....	$4.90

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THIS HAS BEEN A RECORD YEAR WITH US
AND THIS SHOULD BE A RECORD MONTH.

We intend to make it so. It has opened out most auspiciously, and we have had a merry time waiting on the daily stream of shoppers. The weather is all that could be desired for townspeople to get out, and shoppers have also been coming in all week from the country in their cutters and sleighs—a most unusual but a most welcome thing so early in December. We know we are getting

THE LION'S SHARE

Of the Dry Goods trade, and this BEFORE-CHRISTMAS SALE will furnish additional Christmas Cheer to stimulate early Christmas Gift-Buying. A special push will be made in—

Dress Goods, Mantles,
Dress Trimmings, Mantle Cloths,
Blouse Silks, Millinery,

And all Goods Suitable for Christmas Presents.

BUY YOUR 'XMAS PRESENTS NOW. Note well the following Sample Prices, but be sure to see the goods and then you'll know positively what GENUINE MONEY-SAVING can be done at the Golden Lion during this SPECIAL BEFORE-CHRISTMAS SALE.

High-Class Black Dress Goods.

We have placed on tables in the centre of the store some of our best selling lines of Plain and Fancy Dress Goods embracing Fancy Weaves, Crepon Effects, Weyers Weaves, Serges—all at very low prices :—

FOR 50c Dress Goods that formerly sold at 75c, 85c and 90c per yard.
FOR 75c Dress Goods that formerly sold at $1.00, $1.10 and $1.25 per yard.
FOR 95c Fancy Crepon Effects that formerly sold at $1.25 and $1.50 per yard.

Coloured Dress Goods and Costumes.

FOR 35c Fancy Autumn Tweeds formerly sold at 50c, 75c, 85c and 90c per yd.
FOR 50c Heavy All-Wool Winter Tweeds, formerly sold at 75c, 85c and 90c per yard.

Blouse Silks.

FOR 50c Your choice of 15 pieces Handsome Fancy Taffeta Silks, formerly sold at 75c, 85c and 90c per yard.
FOR 15c Your choice of 20 different shades in China Silks, formerly sold at 25c per yard.

A choice lot of Remnants in Dress Goods in suitable lengths for Skirts and Children's Dresses.

Carpet Department.

FOR $1.15 per yard your choice of our entire stock of best 5-Frame Brussels Carpets, formerly sold at $1.35 per yard.

Japanese Pile Rugs.

—10 Door Mats, 18x36 inches, formerly $1.25, sale price ..... .75
—12 Japanese Rugs, 30x60 inches, formerly $2.25, sale price $1.25
—13 Japanese Rugs, 36x72 inches, formerly sold at $3.25, sale price 2.00
—2 Japanese Squares, 72x72 in, formerly sold at $3.00, sale price 4.00
—2 Japanese Squares, 72x96 in, formerly sold at $3.50, sale price 5.00
—1 Japanese Square 8x10 ft, formerly sold at $12.00, sale price 8.50
—1 only Japanese Square, 10x12 ft, formerly sold at $17.50, sale price 12.00
—10 Axminsters Rugs, ends fringed, size 27x54 in, formerly sold at $1.25, sale price ..... .85
—15 Kurdistan Reversible Rugs, ends fringed, 30x60 in, formerly sold at $2.25, sale price 1.65

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Some of our choicest Garments in Ladies Jackets and Capes, Reefers and Ulsters, all at Marvellous reductions.

Mantle Cloths and Ulsterings will also be sold at prices that will effect a speedy clearance.

Cloths Cut Free of Charge during this Sale. 15 Ladies' Heavy Winter Coats, to be cleared out at $2.00 each.

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THE LEGISLATURE

The Government Sustained on the Timber Question

BY A MAJORITY OF TWO TO ONE

The Patron Leader Speaks—He Praises the County Councils Act and the Engledue Deal—Mr. Whitney States the Opposition Policy—A Crushing Reply.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—The debate in the Legislature upon the address was concluded yesterday, and the Government sustained by a handsome majority of 27. In an eloquent and telling speech, Premier Hardy announced the Government timber policy, and exposed the close relations of Mr. Whitney, the Opposition leader, with American lumbermen. Time and again during the Premier's speech the leader of the Opposition pleaded for quarter, but the Premier told him he had made his bed and he could lie upon it.

The Patron Leader.

Mr. Haycock was the first speaker. He began by congratulating the city of Kingston as having been the birthplace of the two most talented and popular Lieut.-Governors who had ever held office in Ontario. He commended the Government for having called the House together early in the season, because it was a most convenient time for gentlemen from the country, more space would be given the speech in the press, and it also afforded all parties an opportunity to revise their campaign speeches. (Hear, hear.) He trusted the Government would continue to call the House together at this season. He thought the Opposition were making out a fairly good case against the Government as regards its competency to rule the country; the Government had also shown that the Opposition were also unfit to rule, but no one had suggested that the Patrons were not fit to run the affairs of the province. (Laughter.) It had been stated that the Patron movement was dead because their lodges were not meeting. The Conservatives and Liberals were not meeting weekly, yet it was not suggested their parties were dead. The fact was the Patron movement had never been so strong.

The County Council Act.

Radical as the act had been he believed the people of the province were satisfied with it. Not a single petition had been presented to the House protesting against the act, and not a single resolution had been passed in the councils themselves against the act. He hoped legislation would soon be introduced reducing Township Councils to three members and also greatly reducing the number of members of the Legislature. (Hear, hear.)

The Engledue Deal.

He commended the Government for their action in this matter. He would be pleased if five hundred such transactions could be consummated and all such land sold. At present the land was valueless and produced absolutely no revenue to the province. The facts were as follows: Engledue came along and offered the Government $20,000 as a guarantee of good faith, agreeing to spend $120,000 in three years if they would give them an option to purchase and pay for the lands at the market price if they found anything. The option asked was upon but one five-hundredth part of the gold land of the province. The Government agreed and gave the option. He hoped they would be able to make many more such deals. (Cheers.) He did not like the method of keeping public accounts. Expenditures could not be traced. It was not to be wondered, therefore, that certain members had made false statements upon the stump. Reference had been made to the fact that Mr. Hugh Miller had not been selling the Government so many drugs since he had signed the warrant for the arrest of Inspector Christie's son. The fact was that last year Mr. Miller had received $800 for drugs, more money than anyone else had received for drugs during the year. (Hear, hear).

The Surplus.

He had gone thoroughly into that question; had made a careful study of the accounts which handled as any business man would in his own affairs; taking account of the assets and actual liabilities did actually leave the surplus claimed by the Government. While he agreed with the Administration upon this point he thought they had been extravagant in the matter of the expenses for Government House. This institution should be abolished. He hoped, in dealing with the lumber question, the Government would not act in a spirit of retaliation It would be foolish for a small country like Canada to pick a quarrel with so large a country as the United States. He thought it would be unwise to prohibit logs going out of the country as it might greatly injure the lumbermen in Canada. It was stated Americans required our lumber. This was the argument used when Canadian barley was treated in the same manner. But Americans found in corn a substitute for Canadian barley, and since the cost of iron would likely be reduced fifty per cent. by Edison, it might be unwise to prohibit the exportation of logs. He thought it would be wise for the Government to increase the stumpage dues upon logs cut for export. He moved an amendment to the amendment expressing satisfaction that the Government intended dealing with the lumber question in the form of legislation.

Parry Sound's Member.

Mr. W. R. Beatty, Parry Sound, followed and made one of the most practical and sensible speeches delivered during the session. He spoke as follows:

"It was not my intention to take up the time of the House during the course of this debate, and would not have done so had it not been for certain remarks made by the member of West York with reference to the dismissal from the Government service of Mr. D. F. Macdonald, who has for some years acted as forest ranger in the Parry Sound and Muskoka district. Reflections were cast upon the character of this gentleman, and it was insinuated he had been a party to the frauds alleged to have been discovered as having been perpetrated by the Moore Lumber Co.

Now, Sir, I do not wish to be silent in this House when a civil servant, whom I believe to be an honorable man, is attacked, and who has no opportunity to reply. I have known Mr. Macdonald for over twenty years, and believe him to be a thoroughly honest and truthful man—a man who never cheated any man out of a dollar or a cent. It will be time to charge him with complicity in this affair when he has been proven guilty.

"Now, Sir, while I am upon my feet I desire to say a few words with reference to the timber policy of this province. It seems to me that since the Americans have made an attempt to close up our saw mills, and throw out of employment so many honest, industrious Canadian workmen, our Government should take such action as would mitigate the evil results of the legislation enacted across the line. I am speaking in the interest of the people who sent me here, Conservatives and Reformers alike, when I say they do not care for measures of retaliation except in so far as they will do them some practical good. It is simply a matter of business, and we want such a law enacted as will give our own laborers work, and keep our own saw mills in operation." (Cheers.)

Dr. McKay's Remarks.

Dr. McKay (Victoria) congratulated Mr. Whitney upon the fact that he was endeavoring to conduct the present campaign without appeals to religious bigotry and intolerance. He was trying honestly to gain power through the open door of Parliament and yet all the complaints used in years past against the Government on the cry—they favored Roman Catholics had still the same groundwork as before—why then was it that nothing was heard of any of these cries? Whitney personally was a good, honest man, but he was surrounded by a crowd of men the people of the province would never trust. (Cheers.)

The Other Side.

Mr. Charlton was listened to with great attention, it being the general impression he knew considerable about the timber question. He ridiculed the idea that the timber lands of the province were nearly depleted. He gave it as his opinion that the timber sales of the future might go on for 152 years at the same rate they had been sold since the Mowat Government gained power. He thought it would amount to confiscation and breach of contract if the Government, in their new bill dealing with the timber question, insisted upon any further restrictions than already embodied in the licenses issued. (Hear, hear.) He referred solely to limits already sold and paid for. There was undoubtedly a strong sentiment throughout the country upon this subject, but he was convinced this was because it was not understood.

The Opposition Policy.

Mr. Whitney having promised at the opening of the debate to speak again made good his promise last evening. He said the reasons for the calling of Parliament as given by the Ministers, their organ, The Globe, and Liberal members all disagreed. He was asked by the Government why he did not formulate his charges and make them in the House. Simply because he did not wish to play the Government game and did not wish to do so. He complained that Mr. Hardy had treated him unfairly in the debate. He stated again he was not satisfied with the manner in which the public accounts were kept. The Government had not proclaimed its policy on the timber question, but its policy could be guessed since the Ministers had applauded Mr. Charlton's remarks when he asked that the logs should be allowed to go to the United States. Mr. Charlton had said there was timber left yet enough for 152 years, how then could he excuse the Government for spending large sums each year in re-planting trees? He urged the Government to adopt his policy and at once refuse to allow Americans to take any more logs from Ontario.

A Crushing Reply.

Hon. Mr. Hardy was loudly cheered when he stood up to close the debate. With reference to the timber question he said Mr. Whitney looked upon this subject from a party standpoint and did not approach it in a manner its importance would demand. (Hear, hear.) This question had but recently become a matter of practical politics and this because of the recent action of the American Government, which action had wholly changed the conditions upon this side of the line. Mr. Whitney had allowed his political organ to dictate his line of argument, that the Government was treasonable; favoring Americans, etc. The Government was dealing with business men who had been invited to purchase. He wished the world to know that British law gave protection to alien and native alike. (Cheers.) When aliens were invited to pay money to Canada and in return receive logs they would be honestly and fairly dealt with. It was not the policy of the Government to act in the dishonest manner with Americans that their Government meted out to foreigners. (Cheers.) As a matter of fact Americans had but a very small proportion of the timber lands of Ontario, and upon most of the lands they did own Canadian capitalists and banks had advanced nearly the full value of the timber, so that if the Opposition's policy were adopted Canadians would be heavily burdened. Complaint had been made that the Government had not, in the speech from the throne, announced their full policy upon this subject. It was well known that the time to do this was when the bill would be brought down, and not when the foreshadowing speech was read. (Cheers.) He then read the contracts that had been made with holders of timber licenses which gave them absolute liberty to take logs away for one year, and asked if the Opposition wished the Government to break their word, back out of the contract, and sully the honor of a British Government. As the representatives of the Queen the Ministers had the honor of the Crown to uphold, and with the help of Heaven the Government intended to do so. (Cheers.) The Government had heard a deputation of Canadian lumbermen who had not asked that Americans should not be allowed to take logs away this year, but had simply asked that after these present licenses had expired next year then farther export should be prohibited. Some experts had said that such action upon the part of the Government would depreciate the value of limits on the Georgian Bay at least fifty per cent. Every timber limit in Ontario would be affected. Millions of money was involved and the Government had decided to call Parliament together that the whole matter might be threshed out and all interests heard by the representatives of the people. It was the intention of the Government to have the matter thoroughly discussed by the members, who would be given an opportunity to hear all the facts before action should be taken, involving over forty millions of dollars. (Cheers.)

Mr. Whitney Exposed.

Mr. Hardy then called attention to the fact that Mr. Whitney had accused the Government of having associated with Americans. A great deal had been said about the action taken by the Government with reference to the dismissal of Mr. Macdonald, who had allowed the Moore Lumber Company to steal logs. It was not known that many prominent members of the Opposition had waited upon the Government and prayed that Mr. Macdonald should not be dismissed; it was not known that hundreds of most respectable citizens within the district where he had lived and worked for 20 years had done the same; it was not known that Macdonald during his long term of office had made but one mistake, but that mistake was a grave one and with tears in his eyes he had dismissed him. (Cheers.) It was not known that the Moore Lumber Company had been compelled to pay the Government $11,000, and that the president of the company who had paid this money was associated with Mr. Whitney as a director in the St. Anthony Lumber Company. (Cheers.) Who was the associate of the American robbers? (Cheers.) It did not lie in the mouth of Mr. Whitney to say one word regarding Americans. (Loud cheers.) The vote on the address was then taken and the Government sustained by a majority of 27.

TWO BOYS DROWNED.

Charles Gamon and James McFarlane Lost Their Lives on Sunday Night.

Collingwood, Ont., Dec. 10.—Charles Gamon, son of the late Charles Gamon, solicitor, and James McFarlane, son of James McFarlane, furniture dealer, of this town, started about 12 o'clock Sunday night for the wharf to stay for the night on the fishing tug Dalton McCarthy. On Monday they could not be found and a feeling of uneasiness prevailed. The harbor was dragged to-day, and the body of McFarlane was found near the Grand Trunk Railway elevator, but, so far, the body of Gamon has not been found. No doubt both walked or fell over the side of the wharf while on their way to the tug. A searching party will continue to try and find the body of Gamon.

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Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURMIDGE.

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AN ERA OF PROGRESS.

REGULATION AND RESTRICTION OF THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC IN ONTARIO.

What Has Been Accomplished—Impressions of Dr. John Clifford—Dr. Chas. B. Spahr and the Women's Christian Temperance Convention — Toronto Alderman and Ontario Ministers—Reduction of the Number of Liquor Selling Places in Toronto and Throughout Ontario — Now and Thirty Years Ago.

A few weeks ago there passed through Toronto on the way to his home in old London a minister of the Nonconformist churches, who has attained to a position of commanding influence in the social and civil as well as the religious life of his own country. He had been on a trip around the world, visiting the countries of Greater Britain north and south of the equator, and everywhere he appears to have closely observed the people and their institutions. In Toronto he was accorded a public reception, and, in the speech delivered by him, thoughtful opinions were expressed on subjects of Church and State. "I am a patriot." and the welcome to me to-night is due not so much to me and the work I have done as to your recognizing in me the representative of that country—one who rejoices in the Greater Britain, and who welcomes the federalizing of the whole British people for the purpose of advancement. I am a Canadian, though I dwell in London. I am an Australian, though I dwell in London. I am a Londoner, though I am still travelling around the world. And the mere statement of that fact, illumined as it is by such facts as this—that one-fifth of the population of the globe is under the British flag, that one-fifth of the territory of this globe is under the British flag—I say, a recognition of that fact in the lives of the people of this country opens up

ILLIMITABLE RESPONSIBILITIES.

Our business is not to live for Canada only, not to live for England only, but to live for this great British Empire. God has committed to us British people the custody of those important principles upon which States are based, and by obedience to which they achieve the Divine ideal. He has made us the custodians of liberty of conscience, and we shall never have done our work for mankind until there is not a nation upon the earth that does not put as central to its collective life this principle of liberty of conscience." Speaking of the Public School system of Ontario, which some of our own critics attempt to decry and belittle, he said that we are far ahead of what they are doing in the old country. "I am free to say from what I have seen, that the educators in the old country would find it immensely to their advantage to come and inspect the work that is being done in this city of Toronto. There is a thoroughness in the drill, there is a completeness in your arrangements, there is an inventiveness in your methods of teaching, that seems to reach, I was about to say, the maximum of perfection." And, speaking of public questions which we have faced, and have done a great deal to master, he said:—"Your actions as a State seem to me to exhibit the operations of the collective conscience upon the development of the individual character in the highest form which I know. I am not aware that anything in connection with the Australian Colonies goes so far, and does so thoroughly make it difficult to do wrong—as our Christian statesmen, Mr. Gladstone, said —and easy to do right as your Ontario arrangements. Your legislation in these directions and your administration thus carry

A WISE MORAL CENSORSHIP

to such a degree of efficiency as to protect those who are in peril, to guard the weak and to help to firmer standing those who have again and again fallen. I congratulate you on your conception of the State. It is not the old Nonconformist conception of the State. You have gone beyond it. Retaining the old antagonism to the union of church and State, you have obtained and developed a larger conception of the functions of the State, and thereby increased the ministry of the State to the collective life, and thus placed one of the finest organs for the development of the individual life at its maximum of availableness for each individual citizen." These were the impressions of Dr. John Clifford, of London, speaking calmly, in a judicial way, of the people and the institutions of Ontario as he saw them and studied them. It was a splendid compliment, the full value of which is more likely to be recognized in England than among ourselves, with whom the characteristics which won Dr. Clifford's admiration are so familiar.

AN AMERICAN WRITER'S VIEWS.

Still more recently an American writer qualified by training as a careful observer of affairs spent a few days in Toronto, and his opinions are also upon record. The convention of the World's Women's Temperance Union attracted, among other representatives of the press, a staff member of the New York Outlook, better known, perhaps, as Dr. Lyman Abbott's paper. The Outlook is a weekly of the highest class; it is an influential organ of the best public opinion in the United States in the movement for social and political reform, and in sending to the convention one of its editors, Dr. Charles B. Spahr, it gave proof of the

EARNESTNESS OF ITS OWN CONVICTION

in the cause of temperance. The editor was impressed by several things which he saw. Of Toronto itself he says it was the best possible place to hold the convention of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union. In the city of the world, Dr. Spahr affirms, would so warm a welcome have been accorded to a body of women advocating a radical position on the temperance question. "One of the first incidents the writer saw at the convention building was a Toronto alderman escorting the delegate from Iceland and the delegate from Japan to a carriage! Think of a new York alderman showing similar attention to delegates to a similar convention! Yet this Toronto alderman, I learned, was in no way identified with the extreme temperance wing of the board. In fact his views on the temperance question hardly came up to the average standard of the body. A Prohibition Alderman attracts no more attention in Toronto than a saloon-keeping Alderman in one of our continental cities." The favourable attitude of public sentiment toward the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was to this New York editor one of the most interesting features of the convention. At the banquet given to the delegates he noticed that one of the speakers was the Hon. A. S. Hardy, the Premier of Ontario. "His presence and address, however, were less notable, inasmuch as he is a Liberal leader; and in Canada, as in England, the party which favours free trade in necessities and comforts is the party which favours no trade in the things which injure the community." But Dr. Shahr mentions another speaker at the banquet who had no such party bias in favour of the work. "This was the Hon. G. W. Foster, one of the influential members of the last Conservative Ministry. Mr. Foster's

ADDRESS WAS AS SIGNIFICANT

as his presence. He described at some length the way in which temperance instruction was made compulsory in the Ontario schools through the efforts of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and expressed his hearty agreement with the Union that the cause of temperance was best promoted by teaching children the importance of total abstinence." A stranger may be pardoned for picking up the wrong name of a man in a strange country, but all Canadians will quickly recognize that the man who made this speech at the banquet was Hon. G. W. Ross, the Minister of Education, and not Hon. George E. Foster, the late Minister of Finance. Mr. Ross has been for thirty years a leader in the cause of temperance reform, and in the fourteen or fifteen years in which he has held the portfolio of Education he has done much in the aid of the temperance movement, besides providing for instruction on the subject in the Public Schools of the Province. Mr. Foster was not even present at the meetings of the Union, and whether his views have undergone a change or not it is certain that his voice is not as often heard now in favour of prohibition as in days before he was a Cabinet Minister.

HON. GEO. W. ROSS' WORK.

But how has it come to pass that public sentiment with us is so strongly in sympathy with the friends of temperance reform? It was not always so. A quarter of a century ago, and even less, the situation was wholly different, not in Toronto only, but throughout the whole Province. In the city 23 years ago there were nearly three times as many liquor licenses issued as there are now, although the population now is three times more than it was then. So also in the Province, with a population increased by half a million, the number of places licensed to sell liquor is less by one-half. Thirty years ago the much-lauded Government of a Sandfield Macdonald—in which Sir John Carling and the late Sir Matthew Cameron were influential members—passed an act that practically established free trade in liquor. Four years before an act was passed in which tavern licenses were limited to one for every 250 of the population, but in the act of 1868 that limit was omitted and it was left to be fixed by the local bodies. The result was that very few of the local municipal bodies accepted the responsibility, and to that failure was attributed many of the difficulties which had arisen. In Toronto in 1874, according to the report made to the Government, not more than one half of the places licensed as taverns came up to the requirements of the law. All over the country it was found that the councils had allowed too may taverns to be licensed, that the inspectors appointed by them were inefficient, and that hardly an effort was made to enforce the provisions of the law. Here in Toronto it was declared by those who ought to know that notwithstanding the large number of places licensed to sell liquor there were as many more places

SELLING WITHOUT LICENSE.

It was found that in many cases shops were converted into mere drinking places, at which people were in the habit of getting drunk, and that to a large extent saloons were resorts for drinking and gambling. Often the municipal inspectors connived at the violations of the law, and it was the rule rather than the exception that they had not courage to make reports adverse to the applicants for licenses. This was the condition of the country when the late Hon. Adam Crooks introduced his bill to amend the license laws in 1876. "Our community is thoroughly sensible now," Mr. Crooks said, "of the necessity of endeavouring to arrest the wide-spreading and increasing evils of intemperance. What the country wants is a measure that will be practical, that can be enforced, and that, as far as legislative enactment can do so, will afford a remedy for the evils of intemperance. Experience has shown forcibly and clearly that very much of the morality and social habits of the people are influenced, and ought to be influenced, by legislation." On these lines the Crooks act was framed, taking the administration of the liquor laws out of the hands of the municipal bodies and placing it in the hands of the Government, and regulating the traffic by many new and stringent provisions. The wisdom of the departure then made has been abundantly justified by experience, and if there is a healthy public sentiment in favour of temperance in Toronto and throughout the province it is due to the reforms adopted 21 years ago.

THE RESULTS ACHIEVED.

A few figures will clearly show the results that have been achieved, comparing the number of licenses issued in 1874 under the old law, in 1877 when the Crooks Act came into operation, and in 1897 after a trial of twenty years:—

In Toronto—	1874.	1877.	1897.
Tavern	209	128	125
Shop	134	109	51
Wholesale	21	23	8
Vessel	16	6	..
Totals	380	244	184

In the Province—	1874.	1877.	1897.
Tavern	4,793	2,845	2,747
Shop	1,307	729	333
Wholesale	23	25	23
Vessel	32	27	..
Totals	6,135	3,676	3,103

In Toronto in 1874 there was one license for every 128 of population, one for every 230 in 1877, and there is only one for every 690 this year. In the Province there was one for every 243 in 1874, one for every 440 in 1877, and there is only one for every 967 this year. These figures are based on the municipal censuses, which are convenient for comparison; but the actual population is about 10 per cent. more. Vessel licenses were abolished in 1889, and since that time no vessels sailing in Ontario waters are permitted to maintain a bar or to sell liquor under any form of license.

Reference has been made to the negligence of inspectors under the old law in the issuing of licenses to houses without regard to the required accommodation. The inspectors and commissioners appointed by the Government discharge their duties differently as shown by the fact that in many municipalities there are few or no places to which licenses are issued. Out of the 812 municipalities in the Province this year there are 187 in which no license has been granted, and there are 251 other municipalities where only one, and not more than two licenses are granted. Moreover, there are 673 municipalities, or 82 per cent. of all in the Province, in which no shop licenses are issued. And this is not a result of local option, for there are only 17 municipalities in which a local option by-law is in force.

Another point worth accentuating is the lessening number of prisoners committed to the county gaols for drunkenness in the Province. In 1877 the number was 4,032, and in the twenty years since then the maximum was reached in 1883, when the number of commitments was 4,897. In the year 1897, 1898 and 1899, when the Scott Act was in force in 26 out of 41 counties, the number ranged from 4,180 in the first of these years to 4,797 in the last. Since 1889 the number of drunkards committed has been steadily and rapidly falling, and last year it was only 1,907. In 1884 there was one conviction for drunkenness to every 428 inhabitants, and in 1895 only one to every 702. In Nova Scotia the number in 1884 was one to every 751, and in 1895 one to every 390, and Nova Scotia is often upheld to us as a model in the way of temperance reform.

The things which impressed Dr. Clifford and Dr. Spahr as noticeable in Ontario are apt to be overlooked by ourselves, because they are familiar. The stages of progress have been gradually reached, and the full effect of changes have developed slowly. It is only when attention is called to them in a sympathetic way by distinguished visitors who are themselves students of political and social reform, but who see the fruits of great reforms fully ripened for the first time in their experience, that we begin to realize our circumstances and to appreciate how much we owe to the statesmen who have been managing and directing affairs for us during the past quarter of a century. The educational policy and the temperance policy of the Government have been proven by what they have accomplished, but in many other ways besides the social, the moral and the industrial interest of the province have been cared for and advanced by those to whom the functions and responsibilities of Government have been entrusted by the people. It only when we read the strong-worded speeches of the men whose allotted task it is to find fault that we discover how much our servants, the Cabinet Ministers, are deserving of confidence and gratitude for all they have done so well.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a QUARTERLY DIVIDEND for the three (3) months ending 31st December, 1897, at the rate of SIX PER CENT (6%) PER ANNUM, has this day been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Monday, 3rd Day of January 1898. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to to the 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
E. R. WOOD,
MANAGER.

Toronto, 6th December, 1897.

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The BEST Pianos ever offered.
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No extravagance in the Case—
Neat but not gaudy.
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With or without Mandolin attachment.

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I handle the best Organs in the Dominion—The Karn and the Goderich—Take your choice. You'll save in buying either.

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Thirty cents a day will buy an Evans Piano or it will buy three cigars. At the end of a given time you have the Piano, where are the Cigars? Just think it over.

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If you are discussing a Chickering Piano there is an emphatic answer.

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There are thousands of Chickering pianos so purchased and so used.

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One-Half Bushel Bag	10c
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The Best 4-foot Maple	$4.00
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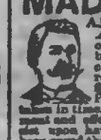

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MUNYON'S COUGH CURE

MUNYON'S COUGH CURE stops a cough, allays irritation and soreness of the chest and acts marvellously as a soothing and healing balm for diseased lungs. It positively cures bronchial cough, with rattling in the windpipe and tightness across the chest, rasping cough with secretions of mucus, hoarseness, loss of voice, soreness of the chest, difficulty in breathing, coughs from nasal catarrh, hacking cough of old people, short, dry with quick breathing; hoarseness, debility and night sweats, in fact, every form of cough and all pulmonary diseases, where the lungs are not too far consumed by the disease or covered by tubercles. Price 25c.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25c a vial.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

THEY WANT RECIPROCITY.

Boston Merchants' Association Hope for Better Understanding With Canada and Endorse McKenna.

Boston, Dec. 10.—At a meeting of the Boston Merchants' Association, held yesterday, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"The Boston Merchants' Association reaffirms the resolution unanimously adopted on Nov. 10, expressing its hope that enlarged commercial intercourse with the Dominion of Canada may result from the negotiations now pending between the United States and Great Britain, and reiterates its firm belief that a speedy adjustment of all disputed questions between Canada and the United States and the inauguration of a wise reciprocity of trade will conduce to the greater prosperity and progress of both nations. In reaffirming this resolve, the Board of Directors of the Boston Merchants' Association desires to express unanimous judgment, that for the broad interests of the United States and Canada alike, the construction of section 29 by Attorney-General McKenna should stand as the fixed law of the land, as doubtless intended by those who framed the section.

THE BUSY BEES.

An Able Address on Fruit Spraying by the Government Fruit Sprayer.

Hamilton, Dec. 10.—The bee men were yesterday addressed by W. C. Orr, Government Fruit Sprayer, on the subject of fruit spraying. He cautioned his audience against spraying trees while in bloom, as the effect was disastrous to the bees. The association, in return for the able address, elected Mr. Orr an honorary member, and then passed a resolution, petitioning the Government for a stricter inspection of nursery stock entering the country, with a view to preventing the ingress of the San Jose scale.

The names of R. F. Holtermann, Brantford, and J. Newton of Thamesford, were recommended to the choice of the Government when making the appointment of Dominion Apiarist.

Guelph will be the next place of meeting.

SUICIDAL DYSPEPSIA

Positively Averted by Using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Does Dyspepsia kill?

Yes! In thousands of instances Dyspepsia has given the invitation to death.

This may be a startling statement. But it is a true one.

Dyspepsia unchecked causes a melancholy, hopeless feeling. Soon this merges into dark and dreary despondency. Then follows insanity—which is the second stage of despondency.

The invariable tendency of all who suffer from melancholy insanity, is to commit suicide. In nine cases out of ten they succeed.

Thus Dyspepsia leads to death.

Now, there's not the least necessity for this. It need not be so, and can be prevented as easily as you can fall asleep. There's no secret about how it is done. Simply use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—one or two after each meal—for a couple of weeks, and the thing is done.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are a perfectly perfect digestive. They digest the food themselves. They don't need help.

Sometimes Constipation accompanies dyspepsia and indigestion. In each box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets is a supply of smaller tablets that are the most perfect bowel regulators ever made. Taken with Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets they fit the bowels to perform their duty which is supplementary to the digestive process.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have never failed, never will fail, cannot fail to cure any case of Indigestion, Dyspepsia or other stomach trouble. They digest the food, strengthen the stomach, and banish dyspepsia and indigestion, naturally and rapidly.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each box containing a full double treatment, can be purchased from all druggists, at 50c a box or will be sent on receipt of the price, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

The Rosedale Abandoned.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 10.—At noon yesterday the wreckers returned from the wrecked Rosedale, having abandoned the vessel. All movable things were taken off and brought here. She is headed northwest, 16 feet under the stern and 14 under the bow, and broadside to the prevailing winds. The water came in so fast that she could not be moved. The attempt to pull her off caused the water to gush in and drive the men from the hold.

Trouble in Rossland Over Finances.

Rossland, B.C., Dec. 10.—A suit has been commenced to quash the two by-laws recently submitted to the approval of the taxpayers of Rossland. An effort is being made by influential citizens to prevent the present civic government from handling any more of the city's money.

Paint Your Cheek.

Not with paint on outside that is easily washed off Put the color on from within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks with rich red blood. It is a color that stays too.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated old system I ever used." For Dyspepsia Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

THE PREMIER IN OIL.

Mr. Pebbles' Painting of Sir Wilfrid Laurier

WORTHY FAME OF THE ARTIST.

Consideration of the Question of a Papal Nuncio for the Dominion—1210 Canadians Brought to Live Under the Flag By the Repatriation Scheme.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Mr. Frank M. Pebbles, the artist from Chicago, has completed the painting of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the result is worthy of his fame. The picture is full-length, standing figure, life size. The shading is perfect and the expression as life-like as art can make it. The Premier is dressed in his familiar "Prince Albert," and stands in an easy position. The painting is to be on exhibition in the Russell House.

About a Papal Ambassador.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—In regard to His Holiness the Pope sending a nuncio to Canada, the members of the Government who were spoken to on the subject yesterday say that they have heard nothing of the matter.

It is possible that some of the bishops in Canada may have made a suggestion of this kind to the Vatican, but how it is to be carried out it is difficult to see.

Britain does not recognize any such authority at present. There is, for instance, no nuncio in London, but there is in France and most other nations.

The question therefore arises, Will the Pope, through Britain, establish in Ottawa what is not recognized elsewhere in the British possessions? It is not likely that this will be done. The most that could be expected would be that a Papal Delegate might be located in Ottawa for the purposes of the Church, but not in any way connected with, or officially recognized by, the Administration.

Such, at any rate, is how the question is viewed in official circles.

1210 Canadians Reclaimed.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Mr. Scott, general manager of the Quebec and Lake St. John railway, and Mr. P. V. Savard, M. P., were here yesterday and handed the Premier a memorandum regarding the working of the railway company's repatriation scheme. At the last session a vote of $6000 was passed for this scheme, and it was understood that it would be continued if the results proved successful. During the year 1210 colonists have been repatriated, of whom all but fifteen have remained. These have been located in the Mistassani, St. John and St. Jerome districts. The company's agent, Mr. Dupont, is now in New England, and is ready to forward 84 more families from Manchester, all of whom emigrated from the Lake St. John district. The company ask the Government to guarantee the vote of $6000 a year, for ten years.

May Free Mrs. Gauthier.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Provincial Detective Rogers and Detective Flannigan yesterday found in the possession of a farmer at Dorion Island, near Ottawa, the Belgian gun with which Mrs. Gauthier alleges Provost shot the two Frenchmen at Port Arthur last February. This discovery attaches the crime to Provost and may lead to Mrs. Gauthier's discharge on the charge of murder.

Rusty Nail and Death.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Alphonse Cyr stepped on a rusty nail a week ago. His foot swelled and he was taken to the Water Street Hospital. After three days of intense pain he yesterday succumbed to lock-jaw.

While Unloading Grain.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Robert Nesbitt, farmer, of Black Rapids, dropped dead while unloading a load of grain at the McKay Milling Company's mills in this city yesterday. Apoplexy was the cause of death.

Mr. Bell's Berth Filled.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—W. P. Smith was yesterday appointed engineer of Government Buildings at Toronto in place of ex-Ald. Bell, deceased.

Car Repairer Killed at Brantford.

Brantford, Dec. 10.—G. V. Hendershott, car repair, G. T. R., was in some unaccountable manner killed at the G. T. R. Market street station yesterday. The deceased was engaged wiping the wheels of the train previous to its departure. It is supposed he was between two freight cars, and his head was caught between the bumpers when the engine backed to take up the slack. He leaves a wife and three children.

His Punishment.

Visitor—So that scorcher is compelled to ride a wheel all through eternity. Do you think that is severe enough punishment? I should think it would be mere pleasure to him.

Satan—Ah, there could be no greater torture invented for him. Just notice that he is compelled to ride a '96 model.—New York Journal.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. R. Brady, of 229 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

People Praise It.

DEAR SIRS,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

LIZZIE HARDY,
Mayfield, Ont.

Anxious Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

CASTORIA.

Fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

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MEN'S AND BOYS' **OVERCOATS** Down at Low Water Mark Paices.

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$5.00 Tweed Overcoats	reduced to	$ 3 75
$6.00 Tweed Overcoats	reduced to	4 50
$7.00 Tweed Overcoats	reduced to	5 00
$8.50 Beaver Overcoats	reduced to	5 00
$8.00 Beaver Overcoats	reduced to	6 00
$9.00 Beaver Overcoats	reduced to	7 00
$10.00 Beaver Overcoats	reduced to	8 00
$12.00 Dress Overcoats	reduced to	10 00
$15.00 Dress Overcoats	reduced to	12 00
Our own make of All Wool Blue Beaver Overcoat trimmed with Silk Velvet Collar, and extra linings, made on our own premises, worth $14.00	reduced to	10 00

MEN'S ULSTERS

$5.00 Frieze Ulsters	reduced to	3 75
$5.50 Frieze Ulsters	reduced to	4 00
$6.00 Frieze Ulsters	reduced to	4 50
$7.00 Frieze Ulsters	reduced to	5 00
$8.00 Frieze Ulsters	reduced to	5 75

Heavy Tweed Ulsters at similar Reduced Prices.

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In Tweed Frieze and Mackinaw, Cloth, with or without storm hood—$2.50, $3.00, $3.50, and $4.00, Splendid Bargains.

Boys' Reefers or Pea Jackets—in Frieze and Nap, warm and comfortable for School and Sunday wear all reduced.

UNDERWEAR

Warm Underwear for cold weather, is what we are ready to fit you out with to perfection, and at the same time save you money. Personal inspection will convince you that all that is right in fit, right in wear and right in quality and price is here.

Shirts and Drawers, good quality, soft wool, at 35c, 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c, 90c and $1.00.

PANTS MADE TO ORDER Any way you like them for $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

H. LeBRUN & CO.

SIGN OF THE GOLDEN HORSE SHOE, GEORGE STREET.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 10.

FLOUR—The market is quiet but firm. Straight rollers are quoted at 90c to $4, middle freights, Manitoba patents at $5.40 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The market to-day was firmer. Sales of red winter were made at 82c, high freights, and at 83c middle freights. No. 2 spring sold on the Midland at 83c, and some at 70c to 77c. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held higher at 93c to 94c, Port William, and at 99c Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with moderate offerings. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is rather firmer, with sales of white at 23½c west, and of mixed at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c north and west.

CORN—WHEAT—The market is quieter, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 23c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 to $3.15 for cars on track.

Cotton Markets.

New York, Dec. 9.—Cotton—Spot closed dull; mid. uplands 5⅞c; mid. gulf 6⅛c; no sales.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 9.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 7½d to 7s 8½d; No. 1 Cal., stock exhausted; red winter, 7s 6½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 22s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 32s 6d; do., light, 32s 6d; do., short cut, 30s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese 42s 6d.

BABY'S SKIN

Freed from all Eruptions, Made Pure and White by

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

Mothers take a pride in having their Infants' skin of that delicate pink and white—soft as velvet. When torturing and disfiguring eruptions seize upon the little body, they want a remedy that will not disappoint nor fail. Time and again Dr. Chase's Ointment has proven itself a specific for all skin diseases to which babies are peculiarly subject.

MRS. CHAS. K. MOSS, of Berlin, Ont., had a little baby 6 months old, with itching sores on her body. Dr. Chase's Ointment cured her when everything else failed.

Another mother who holds Dr. Chase's Ointment in high esteem is MRS. JAS. BROWN, Molesworth, Ont. Her baby boy was covered all over the face, sides and hips with Eczema. The first application of the Ointment stopped the itching, and 3 boxes effected a complete cure.

These are but samples of the hundreds of mothers who are delighted with Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Price, 60 Cents a Box.
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You can eat these Sausage with pleasure. They are made at McWILLIE'S, Toronto—there is no doubt about it. The quality is such as to ensure the trade of every lover of wholesome Sausage. Only the choice cuts of selected young pea-fed pork are used. Spiced to a nicety, enclosed in imported English Sheep Casings. Received by Express—

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The shapes that find most favour with smokers are "ENGLISH BULLDOG" and the "ARMY BENT."

We can give you these in Fine Leather cases. Assorted Styles in one case. Prices range from $1.00 to $5.00.

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415 George Street.

IF YOU'RE BUSY BAKING FOR XMAS.

Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

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Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

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Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Ann.
Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at 2 cents per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

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Library Lamps

— AT —

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The Jeweler and Optician.

A brilliant lamp, the blazing hearth and the long winter evenings afford delightful moments in every well regulated home. Remember to look at my attractive stock of Ornamental Lamps when out shopping. They make a lovely present.

Comparison Increase of Premium Incomes

CANADIAN LIFE CO'S.

1896.

Figures, like actions, often speak more eloquently than words They certainly do in this case:—

NAMES.	Premiums 1896.	Premiums 1896.	Increase
Temperance and General	$ 142.443	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.574	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295,178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the **Government Superintendent of Insurance**, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

W. H. HILL,

Manager Central Ontario.

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	1st Class	2nd Class
Wrangel	$ 85.75	$65.80
Juneau	92.75	69.80
Sitka	100.75	74.80
Skaguay	100.75	77.80
Dyea (Taiya)	100.75	77.80
Pyramid Harbour Landing	100.75	77.80
Haines Mission	100.75	77.80

Latest information as to routes, steamship sailings and baggage allowance will be furnished upon application to any Canadian Pacific Railway Agent, or C. E. McPHERSON, Toronto.

HOLIDAY SALE

— OF —

Millinery and Mantles

During the month of December while thoughts are being turned towards Christmas, we will hold a Special Reduction Sale of every line of goods in our store. Every day of the week we will offer Bargain inducements to the Ladies to get what they want before Christmas at very low prices, as we must effect a clearance of our stock before the New Year:—

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
Stylish Mantles
Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Veilings
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

10 a. m. Probabilities.

Fresh to strong southerly winds to-day, unsettled and mild, with showers, turning colder Saturday, with northwest winds; fair weather and a few snow flurries or light snow falls.

The sun rises at 7.40 and sets at 4.41.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

A Bad Fracture.

The fracture of Jas. McQuade's leg back at the Dickson timber limits has assumed a serious aspect. Dr. King's services were called into requisition and he states that the bone was twisted when fractured which will make it difficult to reduce.

A big deal in granulated sugar, brooms, soap, raisins, nuts and other goods. These goods were bought at half price and will be sold one-third less than wholesale prices. Sale commences on Tuesday morning. Watch for hand bills. WALLER & Co., 168 Charlotte street.

Concert Notes.

The singing at the concert last night was greatly assisted by the world-famous Gerhardt-Heintzman piano used on the occasion.

Messrs. Jordan Bros. supplied the flowers that so effectively decorated the stage at St. Paul's choir concert.

Rev. Mr. Patterson.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, the eloquent pastor of Cook's church, Toronto, will lecture on "From the Hub to the Golden Gates by way of Chicago and Salt Lake City," in St. Andrew's church on the evening of December 10th. Mr. Patterson's well known descriptive powers will be given great scope by the subject, and the address will doubtless prove most interesting. 2d

Dainties From Sea and Land.

We have an unusually nice spread for the holiday bill of fare, comprising some of the most delicious dainties upon both sea and land, including fresh sea salmon, smoked sea salmon, halibut, smelts, sardines and toothsome bivalves, large and luscious. Also juicy figs, dates, grapes, oranges, etc., and other tropical fruits in the very choicest condition. J. B. OKE & Co., 418 George street. Phone 204.

Pay us a Visit.

A cordial invitation is extended to all the ladies of Peterborough who have not yet visited the "Blue Ribbon Tea" parlours, 395 George street, and enjoyed a cup of this splendid tea, which has no equal. The company intend serving their delicious teas free of charge for another week, and every lady when down town shopping and feeling weary and tired, should not fail to step into our comfortably furnished parlours, and be revived by a rich, strong and delicious beverage. All ladies visiting the "Blue Ribbon Tea" parlours are made welcome. Those who do not use the "Blue Ribbon" should ask their grocer for it. Blue Ribbon Tea is so much superior to all other teas that it is positively lonely for want of comparisons.

Grand Fancy Goods Opening.

The ladies have been taking advantage of the unusually interesting opening display of fancy goods, which commenced this week at Miss S. Armstrong's Millinery and Fancy Goods store, George street. The quantity and quality of the work shown surpasses any of Miss Armstrong's previous displays of this nature. A large proportion of the ornamental hand work shown was made on the premises and is the clever handiwork of Miss Armstrong's assistants in the store. These include table drapes, piano drapes, tea doilies, elaborate cushions, photo holders, toilet, sofa and table covers, centre pieces, drawn work, crochet mats, head rests, shaving cases, handkerchief cases, etc. There is also a beautiful display of comb and brush sets, fancy baskets, ostrich feather fans, toilet bottles, collar and cuff sets, trays and a lovely lot of Christmas novelties and pretty trinkets, always so pleasing and appropriate for holiday gifts. The sales have been good and those who have not yet paid a visit to the store should not miss this exhibition.

QUITE UP TO CONCERT PITCH.

St. Paul's Choir Concert a Success in Every Way—Splendid Choral Work—Good Solo Singing and Excellent Elocutionary Entertainment—An Immense Audience Assists in the Great Success.

It is often quoted that "a good name is better than riches," and this was exemplified last night. Mr. John Crane, organist and choirmaster of St. Paul's, has achieved a splendid reputation for giving first-rate concerts. He is a capable and conscientious trainer, and he has the good fortune to have about him a choir that is willing to put the work upon the selections taken up in order to present them in the highest style of the choral art. In tribute to this reputation the opera house was crowded last night with an audience representative of the best culture and musical spirit of the town, and that all were delighted with the programme presented is witnessed by the enthusiastic reception of almost every number; in fact, the programme was practically repeated in response to the demands of the audience.

Everything was admirably arranged. The stage was beautifully decorated with flowers, and when the white clad girls of the chorus, backed by the sombre attire of the male members, was revealed by the rise of the curtain, the sight was as pleasant to the eye as their splendid singing was to the ear.

The programme sheet was a pleasant concession to the public convenience. The words of all choruses were printed on the last page, a very great assistance to those not familiar with the selections.

The programme opened with the National Anthem, arranged as a chorus by Sir Michael Costa, and it is seldom that an audience in Peterborough has heard so faultless and effective a presentation of the grand old theme whose rich melody girds the earth every day, and it had to be sung again. Excellent as was the work of the chorus in the opening number, their subsequent work brought even greater delight. Barnby's "Sweet and Low" is a gem of composition and the conductor and chorus recognized this in their exquisitely delicate and effective treatment of it. Of course it was inevitable that a repetition should be demanded; and was given. Many considered this the gem of the evening; one enthusiastic lady, a musician of much culture, and by virtue of her acquirements, a judge, said that when the soft refrain "sweet and low" was being breathed rather than sung by the choir, so delicately were the piano effects produced, she closed her eyes and could almost fancy that she was in, what was her conception of, heaven. It is a deep pleasure to read Tennyson's tender lyric "Sweet and Low," but to hear it sung as it was sung by Mr. Crane's chorus was the luxury of enjoyment. The third chorus, unaccompanied, was a grand production of Leslie's choral arrangement of "Scots Wha Hae." All the fire, force and pathos of the selection were given with charming fidelity. Sullivan's "I hear the soft Note" was another choral gem, and so delightfully was it sung that many thought it was the best, but that was the general feeling of each number as it was presented. It was re-demanded and repeated and asked for the third time. The closing chorus, the sterling old favourite, "Hail Smiling Morn," by Hullah, was sung with splendid vim, and was a fitting close to the contributions of the choir, whose work throughout was worthy of the highest praise. The attack was excellent, the fine balance of the parts, joined to the delicate and judicious shading, were productive of exquisite effects. The crescendi were smoothly and admirably worked up, the harmony was not to be improved and altogether the singing of the choir was delightful. Mr. Crane is as good a conductor as trainer and the success achieved is verily largely due to the intelligent response to his leading.

Mr. Douglas Bird, who has been heard in Peterborough before, has no reason to complain of the reception he received, for the recalls to his four numbers must have constituted a large draught on his repertoire. He opened with Molloy's "Carnival" and had to sing an encore. He perhaps gave the greatest pleasure in Adam's "Mona," for in response to a loud recall he sang, as it has never been sung in Peterborough, except by himself, that sweetest of Moore's melodies, "Oft in the Stilly Night." It's character is just suited to Mr. Bird's style and he sings it exquisitely. He also sang "The Golden Bar" with great acceptance. His closing number, "The Palms," though better adapted to a tenor robusto, and not well fitted to Mr. Bird's voice and method, was so well received that he was compelled to sing again. His singing of the ever sweet "Far Away" was a gem of sweetness. Mr. Bird's metier is in selections involving delicate affetuoso and piano effects and in these he has few equals on the lyric stage.

The individual heroine of the evening, so to speak, was Miss Jessie Alexander. Her mignonne and captivating personality and contagious presence are potent aids to the splendid exercise of her elocutionary art. Her chic and captivating style is associated with a rare originality of theme. She is a charming interpreter of her own works. Her little head is not all ingenuousness—she knows how to touch the popular chord. Her opening number, "The Jubilee Celebration in London," was superb. Her effective references to Canada and Sir Wilfred Laurier being the prominent features of the great procession, were greeted with enthusiastic applause, while her reproduction of the "asides" of the occasion were a triumph of imitative work. There was no escape for her, and she had to come again. Her "Hyde Park orations the Sunday after Jubilee" was quite fetching, and her repeat number was of the character that demonstrated that Miss Alexander can "do the baby act" to perfection, her imitation of children being endlessly funny. In her more ambitious number, the "White Ship," she gave evidence of her ability to read heavier selections, and a delicate vein of satire and dramatic power ran through "Looking Backward." Jessie Alexander is the petite reine of entertainers, and Canada has just reason to be proud of her.

If the concert was a little long it was the fault of the audience, which insisted on doubling it up. But, primarily, it was Mr. Crane's fault. He provided a programme of which the audience could hardly get enough, and both himself and the chorus are to be heartily congratulated upon the magnificent success of last night's concert.

Mr. Crane, in addition to conducting, played Mr. Bird's accompaniments as they should be played, and Miss Roger furnished excellent accompaniments to the choral numbers.

Though last night's chorus is called St. Paul's choir, of which it is largely composed, it also contains representatives of several other church choirs in town. It is worth while suggesting that, while the chorus is together and in such excellent shape, that it would be a good idea to convert it into a permanent organization.

Local Turkey Shipments.

Mr. John Kincaid has been doing a big business during the last few weeks in turkeys. On Saturday last he shipped 1300, and sent away as many more on Wednesday, and a ton weight will be shipped out next week. He is shipping apples by the carload all the time.

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HORSE STEALING.

Harvey Manley Placed Under Arrest Charged With the Theft of a Colt.

Chief Rossel received a message yesterday from Cobourg inquiring the whereabouts of one Harvey Manley, wanted there on a charge of horse stealing.

The Chief and Officer McGinty, after considerable trouble and a long drive out in the country finally located their man as working in a foundry in town and placed him under arrest.

This morning Constable Adam Dickson, of Cobourg, came up for the prisoner and stated that Manley formerly lived on a farm in the township of Hamilton, where Hiram Dolley, a toll-gate keeper, pastured his colt. On leaving the farm in March, 1896, Manley sold the colt to a storekeeper at Garden Hill. On learning of this Mr. Dolley traced Manley out but agreed to settle the matter on payment for the colt. This was agreed to, but the money was never received, so the matter was placed in the hands of the police with the above stated result.

GAME COCK STOLEN.

Mr. John McManus' Chicken Coop was Forced Open Last Night.

Mr. John McManus, of Lake street, called at the Police Station this morning to complain of the theft of a fine game cock from his hen house last night.

At about ten o'clock three men drove up to the door in a cutter, and offered to buy the bird for a dollar, but on account of it having been highly prized by a deceased son, Mr. McManus would not have sold it under any circumstance.

This morning, however, he found that during the night the lock on the door of the coop had been picked and the cock stolen.

The case was immediately placed in the hands of the police.

COLWELL'S CASE.

He Will be Taken to Huntsville in the Morning to Stand Trial.

Constable McFayden, of Huntsville, arrived in town this morning, for the prisoner, Chas. Colwell, charged with horse-stealing, and will return north in the morning.

The constable states that as far as he can learn the prisoner went to a retired farmer named Morley, living near Huntsville, and arranged with him to get a team of horses for which he was to settle in two days, after he had made a certain deal for stock which he was anxious to carry through. A couple of days later as he had made no report, Mr. Morley's boy looked him up and asked for a settlement, but he was put off until next day, and that was the last seen of either Colwell or the team.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the George street church will hold a reception in the new Parsonage, Water street, on Friday evening. Music and refreshments. A cordial invitation is extended to all. 15c fee at the door. 2d

King of Turkey.

On Wednesday last P. J. Carey, of Cobourg, the turkey king, held his annual fair, when hundreds of farmers arrived in town with their turkeys. Upwards of four thousand turkeys were bought, aggregating about twenty tons. This was a much larger amount than Mr. Carey expected, but all, with the exception of a few that were not brought in according to directions, were bought. Early in the morning waggons and sleighs commenced arriving from all parts of the county, heavily laden with turkeys, and for hours the large staff engaged to assist in taking the birds in were kept busy. No time was given for meal, and by six o'clock the entire force looked as though they had been run through a wringing machine. Throughout the day hundreds of people visited the place where the turkeys were being received, and were amazed at the quantity received.—Cobourg Post.

FLOODED HIS LAND.

The Creek Rises in the Spring and Floods Henry Hillier's Premises.

The committee recently appointed by the town council to investigate the complaint of Mr. Henry Hillier, regarding the flooding of his premises by the creek, visited the premises this morning, and decided to recommend the council to grant Mr. Hillier $9 towards the expense involved in taking steps to prevent his land being submerged by the spring freshets.

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26th Feb., 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Constipation for years has been my chief ailment; it seemed to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However some time ago I was told of Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pill, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure.—Truly yours,

J. Harris.

"From the Hub to the Golden Gate, via Chicago and Salt Lake City," is the subject of Rev. Wm. Patterson's lecture in St. Andrew's church to-night.

West Peterborough!

Liberal Convention!

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a candidate to contest the West Riding of Peterborough at the approaching general elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Saturday, 11th of Dec., 1897,

—IN—

BRADBURN'S OPERA HOUSE

At ONE o'clock p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested, so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, Minister of Agriculture for the Province of Ontario, HON. SENATOR COX, J. R. STRATTON, M. P. P., and others will address the convention.

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MANTLES

In connection with our Great Realization Sale we will offer the following inducements in our Millinery and Mantle sections this week:

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Ladies' Trimmed Sailors, in blue and brown, worth $1.25, reduced to 50c.
Ladies' Untrimmed Shapes, worth 75c to $1.00, all colors, to clear at 50c each.
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth $2.25, reduced to $1.50 each.
Ladies' Walking Hats, worth $1.25, reduced to $1.00 each.
Special Prices in all Trimmed Millinery for the balance of this month.

MANTLES

Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $8.00, reduced to $4.00.
Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $5.00, reduced to $3.00.
Ladies' Fur Lined Cloaks only three left, to be cleared at $10.00 each.
Ladies' Tweed Jackets, worth $9.00, reduced to $7.00.
Also Great Reductions in our Better Goods.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The "Lip" and "Tube" Bias Skirt Binding is the only protector that protects. They outwear the skirt—never fades, frays or becomes ragged—a tailor made finish guaranteed. It is cheaper than other bindings and velveteen at nothing. To introduce this new and popular Binding we give away free with every purchase of same one of Worth's latest French seven gored paper Skirt Patterns.

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New Letters From London to be Issued in Book Form.

"Kit" is a household word to the readers, especially, of the Mail and Empire, and her Jubilee letters as published in that newspaper, are shortly to be issued, suitably illustrated, in book form. Kit's enemy, if she has one, for this is to be her first book, will be in high glee, but her thousands of admirers will be more delighted with perusing her pen pictures of the Diamond Jubilee celebration. Kit is an an Irishman—which is hardly an Hibernicism for she wields a virile pen—with masculine vigour, rounded off with an indescribable feminine grace. Her pen is apt to prick a bubble or touch a heart, for Kit's heart is in the right place. She writes from the heart and that's the why her words get to the heart. In descriptive work she excels. Her command of language is great, but she is no martinet, for her words are not marshalled in stiff phalanges, but trip sportively and spontaneously, and always gracefully. She means what she says and, what is rare, says what she means. She is abnormally developed on the sympathetic side of her warm Irish nature. She has a Dickensian detestation of shams and while kindly and tender in her writings, she gives no quarter to moral, religious or social humbug. Such a writer is the writer of the Jubilee letters, which George N. Morang, 63 Yonge street, Toronto, is to bring out in 16 mo. cloth at 75c. We commend the first born book of our con—connoisseur, Kit, to the reader who desires to possess a delightful souvenir of the Jubilee celebration.

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Result of a Test.

The following letter taken from the Daily Ontario, Belleville, speaks for itself:—

BELLEVILLE, 18th Nov., 97.

C. C. Lemens, Esq., People's Coal Co'y, City:

DEAR SIR,—Your letter enquiring how the test I made of your coal against Scranton coal, received from Mr. Stewart, resulted: Mr. Butterfield had one ton of each kind put in. I found your coal got up to heat much quicker and lasted one day and a half longer than the other. From the appearance of the coal I did not expect it to do so. I told Mr. Butterfield your coal is the most satisfactory.

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California Large	12
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Shelled Walnuts	30
Grenoble Walnuts	15
Blanched Almonds	45
Shelled Jordan Almonds	30
Soft Shelled Almonds	15
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PEELS.

Lemon, Citron and Orange	25
Second quality	20

The above prices are not the lowest, but the goods are the cheapest in Peterborough or any other place. Raisin seeders furnished customers. R. F. MASON & Co, 429, 431 George street, Peterborough.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Robt. Easson, in Otonabee, this Morning.

The death occurred this morning, of Mrs. Robt. Easson, aged 79, mother of Mrs. Evans Hair, of Otonabee.

The deceased has been ill for some time, but serious fears concerning her condition have only been entertained for the last few weeks. Heart trouble was the cause of death.

Six sons survive, viz: George, of Harvey; Daniel, Allen and William, of Otonabee; James, who is in the United States, and Henry, of Harvey.

During recent years Mrs. Easson has been living with her son-in-law, Mr. Evans Hair, Otonabee, from whose residence the funeral will take place on Sunday next at one p.m. to Fife's Cemetery.

A BOGUS "MERCHANT" EXPOSED.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

SIR,—Although it is very probable that "Merchant's" letter which appeared in the Times this morning, was written in the sanctum of that wide-circulated newspaper (?) it may be just as well to offer a few words of explanation in order to pull the mask off Mr. "Merchant's" face.

In the first place, I have no doubt that both myself and my well-known predecessor, Mr. C. B. Routley, are the parties who are hit at as "the people who advertise holiday bankrupt stock," so there need be no beating about the bush as to who the writer of "Merchant" had in his mind.

In the second place, I have declined to advertise in the Times because I cannot afford to pay for its million circulation and the enormous influence which it wields. That may partly account for the letter.

In the third place, the writer of "Merchant" is, I'll bet my hat, a toy merchant who keeps a toy shop in the Times building. That may also account for the letter.

In the fourth place, and lastly, just let me say in a word that I control the stock of fancy goods advertised on the corner of Water and Hunter streets, placed there because of the want of room in my store on George street, and for the purpose of dividing the large crowd of holiday shoppers who make my old established stand their headquarters. Mr. C. B. Routley is simply here as a friend to assist me during my busy holiday business, and I know many of his old friends will be glad to see him. Another thing: Mr. Routley is on the collector's roll of the town of Peterborough, and to-day pays twice as much taxes as the whole Times building put together, and surely if he wanted to ought to have at least equal civic privileges with the Times people.

Yours truly,
C. F. KUTZBACK.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 40° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	41°	34°

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G. H. WILLIAMSON ELECTED PRESIDENT

OF THE PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Annual Convention Held at Lakefield Yesterday—Three Sessions—The Programme—Rev. R. H. Burns, of Toronto, Present.

The three sessions of the annual convention of Peterborough District Epworth League were well attended yesterday in Lakefield, the Methodist church being filled to the doors in the evening.

In Rev. R. H. Burns, the father of the Epworth League in Canada, many present recognized an old friend, as at the age of sixteen Mr. Burns taught school at Selwyn. His addresses were considered by competent judges to be the best ever delivered before a convention of this nature in the district.

The day's programme was carried out as appended:

MORNING SESSION.

10:30—Meeting of the Executive Committee.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The President, W J Watsam, in the chair.
2:00—Opening exercises—Conducted by Rev J E Moore.
2:15—Appointment of Nominating Committee.
2:25—Reports of Departments:
"The Ideal Young People's Society."
2:55—"Its Aims"—Mr H P Kennedy.
3:05—"Its Methods"—Geo H Williamson, Sec. Y.M.C.A., Peterborough.
3:15—Free Parliament on above—By the President.
3:35—Solo—Miss M Nugent.
3:40—"Thy Kingdom Come"—Rev R N Burns.
4:10—Music.
Collection.
4:20—Junior Rally—Rev W D Harrison, Bridgenorth.
4:50—Report of Nominating Committee.
Introduction of officers elect.

EVENING SERVICE.

The President elect in the chair.
7:30—Song service.
7:45—Opening exercises—Conducted by Mr C E Cragg.
7:55—Address of welcome—Mr E Doige.
8:00—Reply to address of welcome—Mr W J Gardiner, B A.
8:05—"Social Work"—Miss M Mason.
8:15—Continuation of address, "Thy Kingdom Come," by Rev R N Burns.
8:45—Solo—Miss M Hendren.
9:00—Music.
Collection.
9:05—"A Christian Citizen"—Rev R N Burns.
9:25—Question Drawer—Conducted by Rev R N Burns.
9:50—Consecration service in charge of Mr G W Fisher.

The following officers were elected for the year:

Hon. President—Rev S J Shorey, Peterborough.
President—G H Williamson, Peterborough.
1st Vice-President—W J Gardiner, B A, Millbrook.
2nd Vice-President—W F Stubbs, Lakefield.
3rd Vice-President—S R Payne, Warsaw.
Secretary—M W Matchett, Ashburnham.
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LIBERAL CONVENTION.

The reader's attention is called to the convention of the Liberals and supporters of the Provincial Government, called in the Opera House, Peterborough, for to-morrow afternoon, at one o'clock p.m. to select a candidate to contest West Peterborough in the Local Legislature at the coming general elections. As before stated, the meeting will be addressed by Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture in the Ontario Cabinet, by Hon. Senator Cox, of Toronto, Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., and others.

It is expected that there will be a large attendance of the electors of West Peterborough in sympathy with the Hardy-Ross Government so that the candidate selected may represent, to as great extent as possible, the electorate of the riding.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. S. Boswell still continues to improve in condition.

Mrs. D. W. Little is spending a few days in Kingston visiting relatives.

Mrs. John Holmes, of Burleigh Falls, has been in town for the last day or so.

Mr. Ed. Mildman has been in town visiting his sister, Mrs. W. Hall, for the last few days.

Mr. E. A. Bennett left this morning for England, where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Ethel Primeau went to Norwood to-day to take part in the final concert given by the Modelites.

Mr. and Mrs. Wasson, of Warsaw, who have been spending the last week in town with their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, left to-day for British Columbia and California, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shea, of Douro, left this evening for St. Rosa, California, where they will spend the winter. Mr. Shea has been suffering from rheumatism and will try the change in climate for relief. He was in to make arrangements for having the EXAMINER sent south to him, being such an old subscriber, he felt as though he could not get along without it.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE RING.

The Lindsay Post speaks as follows concerning the Peterborough talent which went to Lindsay on Wednesday:

The athletic exhibition in the old opera house last was poorly attended, but was worthy of strong support. Unfortunately for the promoters of such enterprises, E. W. Johnston and his friends worked Lindsay for a rich harvest some years ago, and people have been shy—very shy—of sparring and wrestling matches ever since. A few more events carried out on the lines of last night's exhibition will restore the confidence of the sporting element, and then a first class attraction such as "Buffalo" Costello will receive proper recognition.

The first set-to last evening was between J. Cotey, of Lindsay, and —— —— of Peterborough. It was a four round "go" and was alone worth the price of admission. Cotey has improved very much since last year, and his cool demeanor under his frisky opponent's rushes won him deserved applause. —— —— is a clever youngster, and strikes like a pile driver. He secured a knock-down in the first round, but the spectators were at a loss to decide which was the better man or boy.

The second event was a go between Stewart, the "Soo Kid," and —— —— of Peterborough. It was a very pretty contest while it lasted, the honours being with the Peterborough boy from the outset. Stewart was rushed all around the ring, and the pace was so hot that he became winded, the result being that he was compelled to give up in the middle of the second round. He made a very good showing in the first round, but was clearly outclassed by his clever opponent.

The third set-to was between Prof. Young and Dave Fisher, and the crowd settled back in their seats with a sigh of satisfaction. The fight was a "hot un" from the first call of time. The professor knows how to handle his dukes, but he found a Tartar in Dave. Both men were hit often, and while the professor spared his opponent on several occasions he was kept busy and had to dance a lively jig to avoid some of Dave's sledge-hammer body blows. During a brisk interchange of compliments in the last round he was sent to grass.

Bag punching by J. J. O'Connor followed and his work was a revelation to the onlookers, the elbow movements being particularly catchy. That he is a hard and rapid hitter was made plain to all.

The programme was brought to a close with a four-round set-to between Prof. Young and Costello, which served to demonstrate the latter's cleverness as a defensive fighter. Young went at him "hammer and tongs," and many of his blows would have meant a knock-out had they landed—but they didn't. Costello did not wish to force the fighting and struck light blows, but they were not love taps by any means. A blow landed at the close of the round sent the professor down, but he arose smiling to receive the applause to which he was entitled for the pluck displayed in entering the ring against so formidable an opponent.

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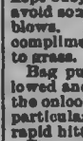

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Our representative interviewed Mr. J. Holland, the popular shoemaker, Talbot St., with the following results. Said Mr. Holland:

"Speaking of myself I have had seven pains in the small of my back, in both

sides and between my shoulders for over seven years and I was also troubled with urinary difficulties, dizziness, pain in the head, etc., so much so that I could get but little sleep, and frequently got up as tired as when I went to bed, and feeling totally unfit for work.

"I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they have cured me of all my kidney troubles. They have taken away the tired feeling, built up my system, and made me feel like a new man.

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JOHN ADAMS KASSON.

Appointed Special Envoy for Negotiation of Reciprocity Treaties.

The President has decided to appoint a special commissioner, with plenary powers, to carry into effect the reciprocity provisions of sections 3 and 4 of the Tariff Act, approved July 24, 1897. It was found, upon making an investigation of the matter, that the regular force of the department of state is at present so overcrowded with pressing business that serious delay in carrying out the expressed wish of Congress would inevitably follow if, in addition to the usual routine work of the department, its officers were required to perform the special examinations and ne-

JOHN A. KASSON.
Special Reciprocity Commissioner, with Plenary Powers.

gotiations essential to carry forward the will of Congress as expressed in the sections above referred to. Moreover, the pressure for early and consistent action in the arrangement of measures of reciprocity has been very great from foreign countries, as well as from our own citizens.

The interest of the President in reciprocity is especially keen, and during his connection with the tariff legislation of 1890, while chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives, the inclusion in that law of a reciprocity provision was conclusive of his determination to foster and promote American industry and commerce by this means. In view of these facts the President has designated Mr. Kasson, of Iowa, as such special commissioner, with Mr. Chapman Coleman, of Kentucky, as secretary, and Mr. John Ball Osborne, of Scranton, Pa., as assistant secretary.

The commissioner is charged particularly to look after the agricultural interests, both north and south, not forgetting the large and constantly increasing manufacturing interests east of the Alleghanies.

Mr. Kasson has had a varied experience in diplomatic negotiations, and has shown much ability in all with which he has been connected. He was Minister to Austria from June 11, 1877, to May, 1881; Minister to Germany from July 4, 1884, to March, 1885. He was also one of the commissioners to represent the Government of the United States at the conference held in Berlin concerning Samoan affairs, and is one of the signatories of the Berlin General Act, concluded June 14, 1889. He was then commissioned as special envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, his commission bearing date March 18, 1889. Preceding his diplomatic service, Mr. Kasson was for many years a member of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives, and in that place became thoroughly familiar with all aspects of the tariff question and the debate on that subject.—Chicago Lamp.

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OTANA WATANNA HAS WON SUCCESS WITH HER PEN.

Some Hint of Her Personality—Why She Succeeds With Magazine Readers—Her Experience Is as Great as Usually Falls to a Woman Double Her Age.

Kitishima Kata Hasche is the real or family name of the clever Japanese girl who is winning fame by writing for the magazines and newspapers under the pen name of Otano Watanna while more dollars come from her work as stenographer. Miss Hasche, or as she prefers to be called, Miss Watanna—the two names meaning the same thing, but belonging to different Japanese dialects—although scarcely past her twenty-first birthday, has seen more of life and experience than the average woman of twice her age. The realism which makes her fiction so true to life and so keenly interesting is based on a knowledge of life and the world which has been acquired in the most practical way.

Born in Yokohama, Japan, she was taken by her parents, and in company with the three brothers and nine sisters who shared with her their care and supervision, to Liverpool, England, and from thence to Manchester, before she was 8 years of age. The journey from Japan to England was made by sailing vessels, and occupied an entire year.

From Manchester the family emigrated to Canada, settling in Montreal, and it was in this city that Miss Watanna received most of her education. Shortly after entering her teens she taught herself shorthand, totally unaided except by a book on the Pitman system of shorthand, and she left Montreal when only 16, to go to the West Indies as court reporter and correspondent for The News-Letter of Kingston, Jamaica. While filling this position, she was the only woman allowed to be present at the sessions of the British Parliament, and her reports, differing from those of her fellow-workers in that they were unofficial, were witty and sarcastic enough to call general attention to their writer.

A severe attack of yellow fever, with its consequent weakening of the entire system, made necessary her return to

OTANA WATANNA.

New York, and Miss Watanna's oldest sister now occupies her former position in Jamaica. Another sister, also a writer, is married to one of the best known philosophical and scientific writers of America.

After remaining in New York for some months Miss Watanna went to Chicago. Here she made the acquaintance of Miss Florence King, the woman lawyer, who possesses the distinction of being the only representative of her sex to be registered at the United States patent office, and by Miss King was set afloat in the business and literary circles of Chicago. At present the Japanese writer is busily occupied with stenographic work during a portion of every day, the remainder of her time, including many midnight hours, she devotes to the writing of short stories and poems.

Some of these stories, nearly all of which deal with Japanese life and customs, and which are peculiarly fresh and unhackneyed in treatment, have been recently accepted by the editors of Munsey's Magazine, The Ladies' Home Journal, The Black Cat and The Iroquois Magazine. The Metropolitan Magazine was the first to bring out a bit of the Japanese writer's work, and she has also contributed to some of the leading newspapers in eastern cities. A Japanese novel, written by Miss Watanna some time ago, is soon to be dramatized as a serious representation of Japanese life and tragedy, and K. G. Gillette has been asked to prepare the manuscript for stage use.

In person Miss Watanna is decidedly and distinctively Japanese, in spite of the slight admixture of English blood which flows through her veins and beneath her olive skin, and her long, dark, almond-shaped eyes, slender hands and straight, black hair could belong to no nationality in the world save that of the gentle Jap. She is taller in stature than are the ordinary women of her race, but her voice, notwithstanding that she speaks excellent English, is also that of a Japanese woman, and she possesses that shrinking from publicity and attention which characterizes the woman of Japan to a marked degree. It was for this reason that she adopted her nom de plume. Miss Watanna is the first Japanese woman, so far as known, to enter the business world in a clerical capacity, and she is also said to be almost alone in her determination to follow literature as a life work.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 29th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

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Hon. Thomas Ballantyne Retires.

Stratford, Dec. 9.—Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, who was nominated by the Liberals to contest North Perth at the provincial elections, has been forced to retire on account of ill-health, and has requested the Reform Association to call another convention to make a choice of a candidate to take his place.

Cereals Pay Better Than Sugar.

Washington, Dec. 9.—United States Consul Stephan, at Annaberg, Germany, reports to the State Department that a considerable reduction will take place next year in the area of land devoted to beet-sugar culture in Bohemia. The reason is the high prices now paid for grain, and on the other hand the very low prices paid for beets, making it more profitable to cultivate cereals than sugar.

Newspaper Changes in Hamilton.

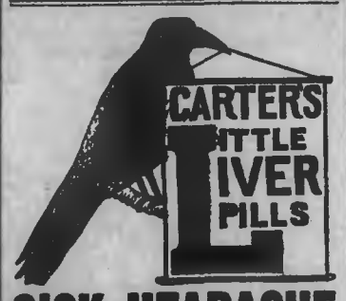
Hamilton, Dec. 9.—George Wrigley, formerly editor of The Farmer's Sun, and G. H. Graham, editor of The Whitby Chronicle, have been chosen editor and business manager respectively of The Templar Publishing Company. Mr. W. W. Buchanan remains as general manager.

Burglary at Waterloo.

Waterloo, Ont., Dec. 9.—Burglars forced an entrance into the butcher shop of H. B. Dulring, King street, by forcing the back door, some time during the night. Previously they stole augers and tools from Contractor Moogk's work shop, with which they bored a hole in the top of the safe and blew off the doors with a powder fuse. About $80 was secured and it looks like the work of professionals.

Miss Flora Gault is Missing.

Deckerville, Mich., Dec. 9.—Miss Flora Gault, once a seamstress in C. Trevethan's tailor shop, is missing. Her lodge dues were sent from Minden City, but her brother, Rev. A. Gault of Smith's Falls, Ont., has been there and also in Cass City, without obtaining any clue of her whereabouts. Mr. Gault has gone to Port Huron, where he intends employing detectives.



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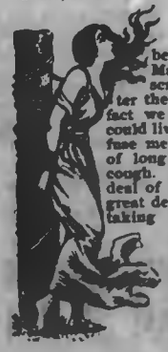
"She is an only daughter and only seventeen," writes Mrs. H. H. Conklin, of Morten Avenue, Batavia, N. Y., in a recent letter addressed to Doctor R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. "We



began your medicine in May (the 'Favorite Prescription'). My daughter then was very wasted, in fact we did not think she could live long. She had profuse menstruation which was of long standing; also a bad cough. We had spent a great deal of money and worried a great deal. When she began taking your medicine her weight was only eighty-seven pounds. She now weighs from ninety-eight to one hundred all the time and is well. Is cured entirely of her difficulty, has no cough at all, and all for eight or ten dollars. It had gotten to be a serious question with us. We had done all we could for her. We are truly grateful to you for all your kind advice and sympathy in the matter. We feel that you are a personal friend."

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This Quality Is Still a Factor in Modern Warfare.

Modern weapons have not changed the art of war very much, after all, if this campaign on the Afghan frontier is a criterion, and rapid fire guns have not decreased the need for personal heroism of the old-fashioned, melodramatic sort. It is true that a battle between Englishmen and Indians on one side, and some slightly civilised mountaineers on the other, gives few data from which to deduce what an engagement between two European armies would be, but it does give some. The attacking force was provided with weapons of the most modern kind, while the tribesmen were not entirely destitute of the same implements. The fortunes of the day turned, however, not on cannon that fired themselves many times a minute, or on rifles that sent out a score of bullets while an old muzzle-loading musket would send out one, but upon officers who would shout, "Follow me!" and upon men who would do the following. Machinery is well enough in its way, but for some time to come success in war, as in most other things, will be the result of human courage and human determination to do or die, if need be to do and die. It is the personal element that counts when the critical moment comes, and the English invaders won that useless bridge not because they had better arms than their foes, or even because they had the right on their side—which is a bit doubtful—but because a certain colonel, after making a speech at which the auditors in a metropolitan theatre would smile wearily if they heard it from beyond the footlights, proceeded to commit suicide in the way that once was called glorious by everybody. All this is deplorably illogical and archaic, no doubt, but it's an illogical and archaic world, and though we use lots of machinery, the really difficult jobs are still performed by hand and heart.—New York Times.

Horticultural Notes.

A Good Shade Tree.—Where there is an abundance of room, the silver maple is a good tree to plant for shade; but where there is not much space to spare and shade is desired, the Norway maple is better. In light soil the sugar maple does very well; but the Norway maple prefers a heavy one.

A Favorite Vine.—Clematis Jackmanni is a great favorite about Philadelphia, being seen on numerous porches mixed with other vines. Its flowers display handsomely when the vine is planted in conjunction with one of the white honeysuckles so common hereabouts.

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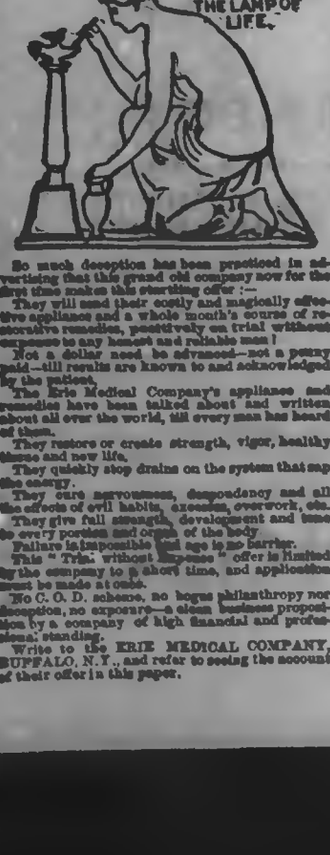

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A useful cabinet can be made almost any size for the wall space that may be devoted to it in a room, but for general use it can measure about three feet long and proportionately high.

Make the end boards thirty inches high and eight inches wide, and the bottom of each should be cut out to form a bracelet effect, as shown in the illustration.

The top board should measure thirty-seven inches long and each of the shelves thirty-six inches. They should conform in width to the side boards or ends, and they need not be more than half or five-eighths of an inch in thickness.

To fasten the woodwork together drive slim screws through the ends of the top and down into the upper ends of the side boards, and each shelf is to be attached to the end boards by means of screws driven through the side boards and into the ends of each shelf.

The wood construction will then appear as shown in the figure, and the position of the screws may be seen as indicated by the dots on the side of the end board.

To finish the top nicely a strip of cornice molding can be mitered around the upper edge of the cabinet, and a piece can be purchased at a carpenter shop for a few cents a running foot. The woodwork may be painted or stained any desirable color, and if preferable a back can be made for the cabinet of thin ceiling strip. The backing is not necessary, however, as the wall paper forms a good background.

This cabinet should be very securely anchored to the wall, as the weight of books and vases placed on the shelves would necessarily make it heavy.

Little brass anchoring plates for furniture that is to be hung against the wall can be purchased at hardware stores, and three of them should be securely screwed fast to both the top and bottom shelf.

To the under side of the top shelf

A MODEL BOOK SHELF.

a rod and ring can be attached, so that light curtains may be hung from them, and at one side of the cabinet the curtain may be draped back and caught with a ribbon, as shown in the illustration. This will be found a convenient nook for bric-a-brac, books and photographs, and some large vases and plates can be accommodated on the top.

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"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of scrofula. I was weak and debilitated and Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well. After a severe cold I had catarrhal fever. I again resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla which accomplished a complete cure." SARAH E. DEVAY, Annapolis, Nova Scotia.

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It was the pleasant myth,
That, though no kin to Lytton, I
Was owin' Meredith.

SUPPOSED TO BE FUNNY.

The Usual Way.—Kate—Do you call Helen a beauty? Mattie—Yes, indeed—to her face.—Chicago News.

(He has come for her in a buggy, and she objects to the turnout.) "You are very particular; you put on more airs than a music box!" "Well, I don't go with a crank, any way."—Harlem Life.

A Thrust.—Miss Sears (an old rival)—You must feel very sad when you think about your late husband. Mrs. Tears (with sarcasm)—Yes, but any husband is better late than never.—Brooklyn Life.

"I came to ask for your daughter in marriage, sir," said the young man. "Have you any money of your own?" asked the careful parent. "Oh, you misunderstand me, sir! I do not want to buy her."—Yonkers Statesman.

In the Collection.—"Religion," observed the layman, "costs a pretty penny." The clergyman who would rather be right than preach politics smiled wanly. "No," he replied, "a battered, ill-looking penny, as a usual thing."—Detroit Journal.

An Expedient Amendment.—Mrs. Enpeck—Another mysterious suicide—unknown man throws himself from cliff. Mr. Enpeck (thoughtlessly)—Bet his wife was at the bottom of it. Mrs. Enpeck—Sir-r-r! Mr. Enpeck (hurriedly)—Of the cliff, my love; not the suicide.—Judge.

Ethel—Oh, dear me! I don't know what to think! Algy asked me last night if I wouldn't like to have something around the house that I could love, and that would love me! Edith—Well? Ethel—Well, I don't know whether he means himself or whether he is thinking of buying me a dog.—Tit-Bits.

Highest Authority.—"Where did you get your information?" asked the editor of the yellow journal. "From the butler," answered the reporter. "It would never do to quote the butler, would it?" mused the editor. "You better merely say that we have it on the highest authority."—Chicago Evening Post.

Window Panes as Irons.

"Is that a new sort of window decoration?" asked a visitor in Chicago, as he stared at the front windows of a fine house on one of the avenues. Several squares of embroidery were plastered in each pane of glass, giving them a unique and startling appearance.

"No," said his companion, "that is a large boarding house, and those are the signs of the domestic laundry. It is a handkerchief wash drying on the window glass."

"But surely," said the visitor, "people who live in such style as that must be able to send their handkerchiefs to a laundry?"

"It is because they live in such style that they are reduced to such makeshifts. You would be astonished at the narrow system of counting pennies to which those people resort. That is only one."

"O give me my little thatched cottage again," hummed the visitor. "But why do they flaunt their economy in the front windows?"

"That is one of the secrets of its success. They take the wet handkerchiefs and plaster them on the glass to which they adhere like glue until they are dry. Then they come off without a wrinkle, and do not even require pressing in the family Bible or the dictionary. Oh, I tell you it is a great scheme for the poor boarder! I know, for I have been there myself!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Cut Beneath Her.

Lady of the House—Oh, yes, Jane; I asked Mrs. Johnston to let her little boy and his nurse call to go walking with you and the children.

Nurse—Well, ma'am, I hope as you don't expect me to go walking with that young person? I don't think you can be aware as she is only a nurse-housemaid! —Punch.

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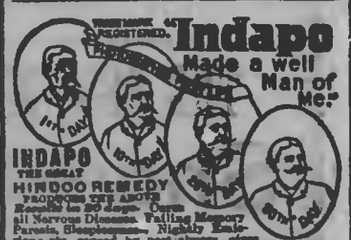

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Peterborough—MANUFACTURING FURRIERS—Toronto

AN AWFUL SPECTRE.

His Satanic Majesty Invades a Hornerite Meeting and Drives the People From the Church Near the Village of Madoc.

A very strange thing occurred recently, says the Tweed News, at a Hornerite meeting, held at the meeting house of that sect situated about seven miles north of Madoc, known as "McCoy's." The night of the occurrence of which we speak was dark and dismal, and one well calculated to strike terror into the stoutest of hearts upon the slightest cause for alarm. The people came as usual to the place of meeting, an old wooden building, through the cracks and crevices of which the wind blew with many a ghostly and wierd sound, and as they gathered together there seemed an indescribable something about the place which they knew not, but which created an uneasy restless feeling about them impossible to describe. As the meeting progressed, and as the preacher had arrived at that part of his discourse in which he had occasion to speak of the devil, there arose immediately in their midst, through and from beneath the floor, a spectre so awful in appearance that the audience and preacher alike were wholly paralysed with fear. The former had hardly ceased speaking when there rang out a voice terrible to hear: "I am the devil, I'll have you; ha, ha, ha." Fire issued from his mouth and nostrils. He needed not thus to proclaim himself as from his appearance his identification was an easy matter. He is described as having two horns, one protruding from either side of the head, a cloven foot and a clanking chain, two flaming eyes like balls of fire and a large appendage at the rear. His ears were perpendicular and pointed at the top and a fiery blaze encircled his whole body and head. His figure was tall and slim and his position erect, and when he spoke the building shook as if by an earthquake.

He had not yet ceased his sardonic "ha, ha," when the terrified people and preacher alike rushed pell mell for the door over seats and one another in their frantic endeavours to rid themselves of so awful a presence. Following them closely this fiery fiend's sardonic voice was again heard and seemed more terrible than before. "I am the devil, I'll have you, ha, ha." No further warning was needed, the terrified people fled in all directions, leaving "His Satanic Majesty" in full possession of the their meeting house.

So fully convinced are these people that they saw the devil that they have abandoned the building, and no meetings have been held there since. It is also said that a Hornerite will now travel several miles round rather than pass it.

The above was a carefully planned joke put up by some of the lads of the neighbourhood.

The Rev. Wm. Patterson's lecture to-night in St. Andrew's church, subject "From the Hub to the Golden Gate." Doors open at 7.30.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. McIlhargey shipped a load of live hogs to the Matthews Co., Peterborough, on Thursday. The lot numbered 98 in all and the average price paid the farmers was $4.25 per 100 lbs.—Lindsay Post.

—Postmaster-General Mulock has decided to allow printing on the front or address side of a postal cards, either in plain or in coloure, so long as sufficient space is allowed for the address to be written on or printed plainly.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—Clegg's Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs.
Norway's Pine Syrup cures Brocchitis.
Norway's Pine Syrup heals the lung

WILL HAVE TO RETIRE.

A Number of Militia Changes to Place Early in January.

The Cobourg Post is authority for the following: Yesterday we were informed by a gentleman who is in "close touch with the ministry" that the Government intends to strictly follow the recent orders published regarding the retirement of officers in the militia who have reached the age limit. In such a case it is pretty certain that Col. Rogers, Major McCaughey, Major Guillet, Capt. Bonnycastle and others will have to "go by the board" and others appointed to fill their place. Our informant stated that [the change would likely occur next month as the Government was anxious to appoint their successors at as early a date as possible so as to allow the new men to get into shape for camp early next summer. The officers above named are all old veterans, and much regret will be expressed at their retirement, but they may take comfort in the fact that there are others who are growing old. The same story is being told all over the country. Is the Post inspired?

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until the disease is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

Send 31 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page COMMON SENSE MEDICAL ADVISER, illustrated.

GREAT GLOVE EVENT.

On Saturday morning, December 11th, the Golden Lion will offer a rare chance in 50 dozen Black and Coloured French Kid Gloves, originally sold for $1.00 and $1.25 the pair—your choice at 50 cents a pair. These gloves were secured from a French manufacturer's agent in Montreal, by whom they were intended to be consigned to a large house that failed.

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Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 424 Water street.

A Fair Trial.

"I was troubled with a very bad headache last winter and decided to give Laxa-Liver Pill a fair trial. One box of them cured me and I have not had a headache since. They are a long way ahead of any other remedy I ever tried."

Miss Janet Munroe,
Westbourne, Man.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold yb John Nugent, 389 George Street

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures [illegible]ains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

ARRESTS AT BRAMPTON.

In Connection With the Clark-Bradley Fraud Case—Developments Expected.

Brampton, Dec. 10.—In connection with the well-known Bradley-Clark conspiracy case, Provincial Constable Heffernan has made three more arrests. Acting on instructions from the officer, Mr. Bradley, jr., Hugh Henry and a man named Bowles were arrested at Campbell's Cross and taken to the jail here.

A row in the Bradley family is said to have led to the arrests in question, and startling developments are expected when the case comes up. The young man Bradley arrested is a son of one of the principals in the conspiracy to defraud case. The father was sentenced to one year in jail in November last, but secured his freedom on the advice of the jail physician, Dr. Heggie, having served six months. The prisoners were allowed out on bail.

Grace Ella Aiton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

W. E. Thistle, Druggist.
Andrew Aiton, Witness. Hartland, N.B.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 389 George street.

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May be consulted at Oriental Hote
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FAT STOCK AT GUELPH.

The Annual Event Brought Together a Lot of Animals and Poultry.

Guelph, Dec. 10.—The Guelph Fat Stock Show opened here yesterday afternoon. As regards the show, it was up to the mark in quality, though the number of entries is not so large as at the Provincial last year. The cattle were very fine, and, if not superior, were equal to anything that has been shown in Guelph during all the years of the existence of the club. It was all fat stock that was shown, and no breeding animals.

There was a large show of sheep, pigs and poultry.

In the evening a banquet was held in the Commercial Hotel. Very interesting speeches were delivered by Hon. Thomas Ballantyne, Col. Birch, Chicago; Mortimer Levering, Lafayette, Ind., and others.

JUBILEE BAZAAR

In aid of St. Joseph's Hospital and House of Providence, from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th, in the Opera House. Hot meals at all hours. Open from 9 a.m to 10.30 p.m. Admission 10c. 3d

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MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto.....Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.30 p. m
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GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.26 p. m
Arrive.....8.09 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield....8.55 a. m., 4.20 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

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running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled rom end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

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Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

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Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

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The latest styles in Walking Hats and Sailors just opened up to-day. Also a lovely assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We have a number of Pattern Hats and Bonnets which will be sold much below the regular price.

Ladies desiring the very latest Novelties should call and make selections.

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Just in the nick of time—a fine extra shipment of

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This Month We Inaugurate a
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Of Economy
FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUYERS.

Winter weather is here and it's welcome. We are ready for it, backed by our Big Purchases of the McKENNA-THOMPSON Stock. That purchase put us in a position to send out goods by the virtue of big values for low prices that is highly appreciated. The December rush has begun and we have

Men Coming for Suits,
Mothers for Boys' Clothing,
Young Men for Hats and Furnishings.

And each duplicating the other's purchase.

NEVER TOO MUCH is our motto in prices, and often we do ourselves an injustice in making profits too little. But it's all right as long as our customers get the benefit. You know that this store is run partly in yonr interest, partly in ours.

We cannot do better than repeat here our prices of last week—for prices with us never change for higher.

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 85
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 33, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 80
We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only	$4.90

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Shoes Piled to the ceilings—a whole section heaped with Winter Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children—to fit all feet—at the Easiest prices in this or any other Town. The growth in this particular branch shows clearly that we are doing it better and better all the time, and winning new friends every week. Come and see how it is done. No skimp in anything. We can dress your feet in the newest styles of hand-sewed Shoes with any fashion of toe you desire. Felt Overshoes, Rubbers, Fur-lined and Flannel-lined Shoes and Slippers or Grandma and Baby. Assortments better and values better than you'll find anywhere. "ALWAY'S GOOD AT GOUGH'S"—Not in Spurts but ALL the time."

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10 a. m. Probabilities.

Partly clearing with strong breezes from west to north; lower temperature; high local showers or snow flurries; fair on Sunday. Sun rises at 7.41; sets at 4.42.

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SOME RARE CHANCES

.... IN ....

MANTLES AND JACKETS

.... AT ....

ROBT. FAIR'S.

During our Quick Reduction Sale before Christmas perhaps there's no department in our store where the Reduction will be more sweeping than in MANTLES AND JACKETS.

Last winter when we were closing out our matchless stock of Coats, &c., we did not hesitate to mark $12 and $15 garments at $5 and $6, in order to keep none over for another year. We propose this season to sew just as close to the line—let the loss be what it may. It sometimes pays to lose. A loss now accepted will enable us to clear out our whole stock in this department in a short time. Here are some of these Mantle Sacrifices:—

FOR $3.00 A lot of Ladies' Fancy Tweed Coats, very special, formerly sold at $7.50.

FOR $5.00 A lot of Ladies' German Tweed Coats, perfect fitting garments, formerly sold at $8.00.

FOR $6 25 A lot of Tailor-made German Coats, well finished, formerly sold at $10.

FOR $8 50 Ladies' Stylish Rough Frieze Cloth Coats, formerly sold at $12.50.

FOR $4.00 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, formerly sold for $6.50

FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Golf Capes, Lined with black and white checks, formerly sold for $12.50.

FOR $7.50 Ladies Coloured Golf Capes, formerly sold at $9.50.

The balance of our Misses and Children's Jackets are also all reduced on a par with the above changed figures ranging at $4, $4.50, $4.75 and $5, or about $2 to $2.50 off former selling prices.

This is the way we have of keeping our Stock fresh. There is no reason why the Handsome and Useful should not combine in Holiday presents.

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FELT HATS

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These Low Prices have never been excelled. Good fortune threw these Hats in our way, and now we throw them in yours. They are in good time for late buyers.

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Let us count you among our patrons this week.

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PETERBOROUGH'S FAVOURITE MERCHANT TAILORS,

THE PRIZE TEA AND FREE GIFTS AT THE PEOPLE'S GROCERY. A DECIDED SUCCESS

Would you believe it, such lovely Tea for 25 cents a pound, and a handsome Present with every pound. I saw a large beautiful white and gold China Teapot given with 1 lb. of this Tea, to an old bachelor. Just think of that! While another young lady carried off in triumph a fine large blue and white Teapot worth more money than was paid for the pound of Tea. Why there was a regular rush to the tables to secure the prizes; gifts for nothing, yes and a whole lot to choose from. Another says: "Oh my, why are you giving away your goods for nothing! Well I want to sell a lot of goods. I want to advertise my business and work up a good trade. Stop now there! I see crowds of people in your store. Why last Saturday you must have done a rushing trade." Well so we did, and we heartily thank you for your kind patronage and favours, and I promise to do my best to deserve it. "I see your advertisement in the Daily EXAMINER, with a grand list of Christmas free gifts for nothing. Just give me a pound of that tea, and I will take a set of those nice China Dishes for my little girl, it will make her so happy. Good Bye." This is what people are saying and doing. We have a large counter filled with free gifts, which every purchaser of one pound of Japan Tea can select from. We have a fine full stock of all lines in Groceries, Fruit, Provisions, Hams and Bacon, Lard, Butter and eggs. Choice Confectionery, Biscuits and Candies, Apples, Potatoes, and Vegetables of every kind, and last our fine Choice Celery, as white and clean as nice and crisp, the best to be had. We invite all the citizens of town and country to come and get the best Celery for their money that can be had at the "People's Grocery," 323 George Street Peterborough.

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Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

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LOST—ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9TH, between Mr. Tate's residence, Lakefield, and Peterborough, a fur-lined Cape. Suitable reward if returned to EXAMINER Office. 2d tw

LOST — THURSDAY EVENING — IN Catholic Association Rooms, a bunch of Keys; Owner's name attached to ring. Finder please leave at EXAMINER Office. tf

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WANTED—A PLAINLY FURNISHED Bedroom, in the vicinity of the Grand Trunk Station. Adress "H. P.," Y. M. C. A.

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We make no attempt in the limited space to enter into details. Enough to know that you have the pick of a rich and exclusive stock—the very finest and best ever seen here—with Variety, Newness and Novelty enough to satisfy every demand—Only don't put it off until the eleventh hour.

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Beautifully Chased Gold Watches,
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And innumerable little Souvenirs and GOLD AND SILVER NOVELTIES Just to hand, for the Holiday Shopping, a case of the very latest things out in the Jewelry Line.

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THE ENGINEERS' POLL

Rejection of the Employers' Proposals Probable.

£75,000 LOSS TO THE WORKMEN.

British Criticism of Hon. Edward Blake's Recent Toronto Speech—Suggested That Lord Aberdeen Question Him Respecting His Statement About Canada's Position in War.

Glasgow, Dec. 11.—The polling of the non-union engineers upon the proposals made by the employers at the conference of Federated Employers and the Amalgamated Society of Engineers was taken yesterday. The figures are as yet unknown, but it is said that the men have rejected the employers' proposals. The balloting of the unionist engineers will end to-day.

LOSS TO THE WORKMEN.

£75,000 in Wages Have Been Lost to the Strikers in the Engineering Trade.

London, Dec. 11.—Sir William Grey, the principal shipbuilder of Hartlepool, has issued a statement of the condition of the shipbuilding industry, in which he says that the engineers' strike has caused a reduction of the output of eight large steamers, which means a loss of £75,000 in wages.

The London Trades Council has issued a circular to all labor organizations in the Kingdom, inviting their opinion on the question of calling a national conference of labor unions, with a view of giving effective support to the striking engineers, and also to arrange a plan of action to be observed in future industrial disputes.

BRITAIN TO BLAKE.

Suggested That Lord Aberdeen Question Mr. Blake as to His Statement About Canada's Position in Case of War.

London, Dec. 10.—(Telegram cable.)—The speech of Hon. Edward Blake at the banquet to Lord Aberdeen at the National Club, Toronto, Wednesday night, has been much talked of here. The impression is that Mr. Blake would have Canadians believe that they can never get anything out of Great Britain, no matter what the Dominion may do to benefit British trade. This is regarded as an Irish separatist assertion.

The following sentence in Mr. Blake's speech has been vigorously criticized. In his speech Mr. Blake said: "Confederation was accomplished, and since Confederation has been accomplished, the English Government have in the most unmistakable fashion given the Government of Canada to understand that from that time forth we must not expect that the British people or the English Government should be called upon to take any very active part in the defence or protection of Canada . . that if we should unhappily come into collision with the United States, it was our own arms and our own stout hearts that we must look to for protection."

It is suggested that Lord Aberdeen should ask at what time Canada was made to understand any such thing, and also who were the parties to the understanding.

Honor to a Toronto League.

The Secretary of the Navy League credits the Toronto branch of the organization as being the first which seriously mooted the idea of securing colonial seamen for the British navy.

A Fortune in a Book.

London, Dec. 11.—At the sale here of the library of the late Earl of Ashburnham, Caxton's translation of "A Booke of the Hoole Lyfe of Jason," from the French of Raroule Lefevre, one of the earliest productions of Caxton's press, having been published at Westminister about 1477, was bought by Mr. Pickering, the publisher, for £3100. The copy is perfect and unique.

Nile Expedition to Go Ahead.

London, Dec. 11.—According to a despatch to The Daily Mail from Cairo, 600 British troops will take part in the advance of the Anglo-Egyptian expedition in the Soudan, which was postponed after the capture of Berber last September, in order to avoid the hot season.

A Celebrated Architect Dead.

London, Dec. 11.—Mr. John Loughborough, the distinguished architect and member of the Royal Academy, is dead.

HER SCALP TORN OFF.

Painful Accident at Hespeler—A Weaver's Hair Caught in the Machinery.

Hespeler, Ont., Dec. 11.—Annie Kniesehewsky, a weaver employed in A. W. Brodie's big woollen mill here, met with a very painful accident while at work in the mill yesterday afternoon. Her loom did not work properly, causing the shuttles to fly out, and while leaning backwards against the adjoining loom watching the loom-fixer at his work, the machine she was leaning against was started up by its operator, and caught her hair in the gearing of the head motion, winding it in and tearing a portion of it off, with a large piece of the scalp, also severing a portion of the left ear and loosening the remainder of the scalp from the skull on the left side of the head. Parts of the machine had to be taken apart before the unfortunate girl could be released.

ON CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

Sixteen Year Old Boy to Hang for a Crime of Which He Says He is Innocent.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 11.—At Truro yesterday morning Lyman Bartt, aged 16, was sentenced to be hanged March 8, for the murder of Asard Dever, an Armenian peddlar, who was shot dead in a road near Truro two months ago. The boy was convicted on circumstantial evidence, there being no witness to the crime. He has maintained his innocence throughout.

AN INSOLVENCY LAW

For the Dominion is to Be Discussed by Boards of Trade When Mr. Fielding Returns.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 11.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has informed the Board of Trade that immediately upon the return of Hon. Mr. Fielding, the Finance Minister, the Government will receive a deputation of Boards of Trades to discuss the question of a Dominion insolvency law.

Quebec's Governorship.

In official circles here it is generally accepted that Sir Adolphe Chapleau will remain at Spencerwood till March or May next. It is stated that on leaving he will probably travel for a time, but that he will make his home in Montreal.

Newspaper Postage Regulations.

Hon. William Mulock has issued some instructions regarding the free mailing of newspapers, bearing specially on the question, who are subscribers. After some introductory the instruction says: "Postmasters are therefore requested to bear in mind that no person can be considered as a subscriber to a paper or periodical who has not himself ordered it." A lengthy explanation ensues, which amounts to this, "That for a special purpose a third party may pay for and have sent to a second party for a time any paper, and the publisher may mail free, but that one person cannot make another a subscriber. In case of a number of papers from any particular office suddenly increasing, an explanation may be demanded." The circular concludes. "The responsibility will always rest upon publishers of proving when called upon to do so that the papers they send free are legally entitled to that privilege."

Charles Sturrock's Coal Case.

The petition of Charles Sturrock for an order compelling the G. T. R. to refund him $1079 overcharge rates on coal was dismissed, the Railway Committee deciding that they could only decide questions of general policy and not individual cases. This was a case for a court of law.

A SCRAMBLE FOR LIFE.

Turkish Baths Took Fire in Quebec and Five "Patients" Had to Hustle.

Quebec, Dec. 11.—Shortly after midnight yesterday fire broke out in the Turkish bath recently built, in fact hardly completed, and completely destroyed the building and its contents. It seems there were five gentlemen in the baths at the time at various stages of the Turkish bath treatment, who had to make hasty exit, while the manager of the baths in endeavoring to locate the source of the fire was overcome by the smoke and very nearly suffocated. He was removed in a very weak condition. Several young women who are employed in the Victoria Hotel as chambermaids, but who slept in the upper portion of the burnt building, escaped rather scantily attired by means of the viaduct leading into the hotel.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The Estimates for the Year 1898 Brought Down.

MONEY FOR COLONIZATION ROADS

The Week's Business in the House Closed Yesterday—Important First Readings—Legislation Destined to Stamp Out the San Jose Scale—Mr. Dryden Introduces His Bill.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—The week's business of the Local Legislature closed yesterday afternoon and the House adjourned till Monday next. The Provincial Secretary laid the estimates for the year 1898 upon the table as follows:

Civil Government	$ 262,988 00
Legislation	197,100 00
Justice	487,388 64
Education	721,289 21
Public Institutions	814,289 00
Agriculture	195,299 00
Immigration	10,295 00
Hospitals and Charities	161,147 47
Government Buildings	77,890 00
Public Buildings—	
1. Repairs	17,560 00
2. Capital Account	65,940 00
Public Works—	
1. Repairs	12,400 00
2. Capital Account	94,900 00
Colonization Roads	95,240 00
Charges on Crown Lands	156,945 00
Refund Account	19,500 00
Statute Consolidation	20,000 00
Miscellaneous	116,495 00
Unforeseen and Unprovided	50,000 00
	$3,897,267 99

The colonization road money is to be distributed as follows:

North Division.

Bruce Mines and Desert Lake Road, to extend northward	$ 300 00
Birch Lake Road, to grade from Webbwood northward	300 00
Balfour Roads, extension of new roads	500 00
Bridge piers for bridge over Winnipeg River, revote $900	2,700 00
Bidwell and Green Bay Road	300 00
Crozier and Lash Road, general improvement and completion of drain to Lake on sec. 1, Lash	1,500 00
Carpenter, 8 and 9 Lot Line Road, open from Lash north 2 miles	750 00
Crozier Road, from S.-E. quarter of sec. 10 north 3 miles	500 00
Coffin, 2 and 3 Concession Road, to extend from Bass Lake Road	300 00
Campbell, 6th Concession Road, to open from 25 Side Road west	250 00
Carnarvon, 25 and 26 Side Line Road, to open through Concessions 1 and 2	300 00
Dobie, 2 and 3 Concession Line Road, to open from Shenston East, a mile and a half	600 00
Dock repairs on Rainy River	300 00
Grassy River Road, to improve	500 00
Galbraith, 2 and 3 Concession Road, to complete	300 00
Haughton Road, to open from between Concessions 4 and 5 north between lots 10 and 11 to boundary	500 00
Iron Bridge and Deer Lake Station Road, repair of about four miles	300 00
Indian Head Bridge, over Lake Wolsey, on condition of grant of $3,000 from Dominion Government	1,500 00
Keewatin Bridge, for superstructure, re-vote	2,140 00
Lee's Road, to open to Spanish River, from work of last year	200 00
McDonald & Laird Boundary Road, to open from Port Findlay Road eastward	400 00
Mississauga and Blind River Road, general repairs	300 00
Oliver Township Roads, conditional upon grant from municipality	500 00
Pennefather and Vankoughnet Road, to open northward	500 00
Parkinson Road, to repair from concession 4, Gladstone, to con. 4, Parkinson	300 00
Rainy River Road, to open portions between Emo and Morley, and for general repairs in sections	9,000 00
Rayside Roads, extension of new roads	500 00
Shenston and Dobie Town Line Rod, to open northward into settlement	500 00
Spanish River and Kenabutch Road, to complete to main road, 3 miles	300 00
Sudbury and Whitefish Road, repair between Naughton and Coppercliff, seven miles	400 00
St. Joseph Island Roads	600 00
Victoria and Salter Road, repair of two sections	600 00
West Bay and Mindemoya Road, to connect with Gore Bay and Providence Bay Road	400 00
	$51,440 00

West Division.

Bala Road, to repair to Indian Reservation, 5 miles	$ 400 00
Baysville and Huntsville Road, repairs	200 00
Bethune and Proudfoot Town Line Road, to repair	250 00
Conger and Blackstone Road, to open between Joseph and Blackstone Lakes	300 00
Chaffey 30 and 31 Side Line Road, to open from concession 13 south	300 00
Chapman and Lount Town Line Road, to complete from last season's work, and repair westward	500 00
Dee Bank and Ufford	

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Pains Were Severe

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Settled in My Back.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1897.

FROM THE HUB TO THE GOLDEN GATE.

ADDRESS BY REV. MR. PATTERSON OF COOKE'S CHURCH.

The Eloquent Toronto Divine Speaks Most Interestingly to a Large Audience in St. Andrew's Church.

Rev. Mr. Patterson, Toronto's well-known pulpit orator, and pastor of Cooke's church, spoke last evening in St. Andrew's church to a large audience, taking as his subject "From the Hub to the Golden Gate by way of Chicago," being a narrative of his experiences and the scenery through which he passed when on the way several years ago to the great World's Christian Endeavour Convention in San Francisco.

The citizens of Boston, he said, claimed that their city is the hub of the universe, and it certainly is the hub of the United States, as around it cluster the most historic memories of the continent. There's the old North Church, and you fancy you can see Paul Revere on his fiery steed, waiting to carry his message. You go out of the old South Church and can again see the English horses stabled in it. Lexington, too, with its memories and the old tavern

THE LEADEN BULLETS

still embedded in it. All these things recall to our minds the great blunder which George III. made. The place also recalls the liberation of the slaves and its many reminiscences.

On Banker Hill a great monument has been erected as the people of the United States think that although they were defeated there by the British, yet in consideration of the numbers opposed to them, and the circumstances it was in reality a victory, creating the thought that God who sees the forces and realizes the circumstances may record many a seeming defeat in the world as a great spiritual victory.

There are a great many interesting things to recall of the great men of Boston. There were Emerson and Longfellow (the greatest of their poets.) I have stood on that bridge, said the speaker, and fancied I could realize Longfellow's feelings when he wrote his memorable poem.

There is no centre that has as many cities connected with it as Boston. There are fully twenty five of them connected with the Hub by street cars, ranging in size from five thousand to sixty thousand inhabitants. There is Salem, with its old tales of witchcraft, and Plymouth, where you could stand and fancy you could see through the centuries and watch the pilgrims disembarking on the rock and drinking from the spring which is still preserved and from which a visitor must drink. There are to be found the relics of those who crossed in the Mayflower, the Bible of John Alden Hanging and the sword of Miles Standish.

THESE PILGRIM FATHERS

were the foulders of the republic. Sometimes in the present age it is thought that they were too strict in their religious views, but now the pendulum of the nation has swung to the other extreme.

Coming northward in our journey, we past that river which divided the Land of the Maple from that of the Eagle—the river which bears on its bosom more traffic than any other river in the world. Passing on, we are now in Chicago—the *thirdest* and, at the same time, one of the healthiest cities in the world. There we find Mr. Mosely and his students doing their grand work in the Colportage Mission. I never saw the power of Money so illustrated as in Chicago. The Auditorium seats 6,500 people, and yet hours before the time of the meeting the streets were jammed with people waiting to get in to hear him. Seven thousand men were admitted in the evening of which I speak, and so many more were excluded that street car traffic on the street was blocked completely.

Armour's stock yards were visited—covering fourteen acres and where 7,000 men were daily employed.

The speaker then gave a very vivid description of the manner in which the cattle, hogs and sheep were slaughtered and prepared for the market in Chicago.

GREAT STOCK YARDS.

The audience was then taken across the limitless western prairies and the sandy deserts, where the beautiful green spots, known as oases, are most interesting to see.

Denver was the next city entered—40 years ago a mining camp and now a city of 120,000 inhabitants. Fourteen miles from Denver you have the great chain of the Rockies, where the snow capped mountains are all in view and as the city is 5,000 feet above the level of the sea itself a grand view can be had of the plains just passed over.

Seventeen miles from here are the Colorado Springs, above which Pike's Peak towers in all its magnificence.

The Garden of the God's lies six miles further and here there are some strange sights to be seen in the way of fantastic shapes in stone—the three graves, the Kissing Lions, the balancing rock, the Toadstools and all kinds of animals. It is really a marvellous place and must be seen to be appreciated, as description of same is beyond human power.

There are three ways of getting to Pike's Peak—by the carriage way, the trail and the railway. By the latter method it is nine miles to the top and in this nine miles there is an elevation of 9,000 feet. At the top is a restaurant and an observatory and the sight from the latter is incomparably grand—the greatness and the majesty and the power of God seems borne in upon you as they gaze out on the limitless expanse.

In going on to

SALT LAKE CITY

we have to pass through the Royal Gorge, where the train creeps through a narrow defile and the cliffs reach straight up to immeasurable heights, making the stars visible in broad daylight.

The speaker then gave a brief history of the rise and fall of the Mormons, daring which he paid great tribute to the organizing power of Brigham Young, whom he termed the Napoleon of the nineteenth century. The Mormons being persecuted went west across the plains and founded Salt Lake City, which bears a close resemblance to Jerusalem, in the shadow of the mountains and nestling beside the great Salt Lake into which streams and rivers empty but none issue, as in the case of old Jordan entering the Dead Sea by Jerusalem. The place was a desert when the Mormons selected it as a site for their city and diverting the rivers out into the desert made it a place of gladness and the city is now a place of great interest.

The great Mormon temple seats about 11,000 and the acoustics are so perfect that if you drop a pin on the altar you can hear it in the futhermost corner. The choir ranges in number from 400 to 1,000 and the service is a magnificent one, the temple being constantly filled at the different services.

The streets of the city are beautiful beyond description, being the widest in America.

Starting on from Salt Lake towards the Golden Gate we crossed the great Nevada Desert, with not a single blade of grass. Then on through

THE SNOW SHEDS

for 40 miles, where the train has to go beneath shelter to keep from being blocked. On we go down into beautiful California, where the flowers are always in bloom and in such profusion that ten cents would purchase enough to start a flower show.

The party started one Tuesday morning in June and on the following Wednesday got into San Francisco.

Rome was built on seven hills—San Francisco, it is said, on one hundred. The temperature only varies about eleven degrees—from 51 to 62, and the climate is a most invigorating one, being far different from the mild temperature of Oakland, just across the river.

The baths are something wonderful to see, being so arranged to to afford accommodation for 30,000 people to sit and watch the bathers and listen to the music which is furnished.

Then there is Chinatown. It doesn't matter whether you visit it during the day or night, The Chinese sleep at all hours and work at all hours, and it is a most interesting place to visit, seeming to be a portion of China transferred to America.

At the close of the great convention Rev. Mr. Patterson crossed the continent on the Overland Limited, and just ten days later was in Belfast. Preaching there on a Sunday morning, he was back in Toronto on the following Saturday, showing that in reality the world is but a small place after all.

At the close of the interesting address a vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Rev. Dr. Torrance and Mr. Tully, and most cordially carried.

Previous to the address Miss Waddell sang a very pretty Scotch selection.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until the disease is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 11.

FLOUR—The market continues firm, with straight rollers quoted at $4 to $4.10, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $4.25 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—The market was higher during the morning, with sales of red winter at 83c high freights. Late weakness of cables had depressing effect, and sales were made at 82½c high freights. Spring wheat sold at 82c on Midland and goose at 79c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 81c to 82c Fort William and at $1.01 to $1.02 Toronto freights.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with moderate offerings. No. 3 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 23c.

OATS—The market is rather easier, with sales of white at 23c to 23½c west, and of mixed at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 25c to 25½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11¼c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9¼c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do., short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¼c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 13c to 14c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8¼c per lb.

Live Stock Markets.

Shipping cattle, medium...	$3 75 to $4 00
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 50 3 75
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 00 2 25
Steckers and medium to good	3 00 3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 25 3 65
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 50 3 75
" good	3 40 3 65
" medium	2 75 3 00
Butchers' Xmas cattle	4 00 4 50
Springers, each	25 00 40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00 45 00
Calves, each	4 00 8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 25 3 40
Bucks, per cwt.	2 25 2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50 4 50
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 62½ ....
" light fats	4 37½ ....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 37½ ....
" sows	3 50 3 75
" stags	2 00 ....
" store	4 25 ....

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 10.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 1d to 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 5½d; corn, 3s 2d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 22s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 31s 6d do., light, 31s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast 0d higher. English country markets steady.

Paris—Wheat, 29f 45c for Jan.; flour, 62f 5c for Jan. French country markets firm.

Liverpool—Wheat steady at 7s 5½d for Dec., 7s 5⅝d for March and 7s 4½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 1¾d for Jan. and Feb., and 3s 1½d for March. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quieter. Maize on passage rather easier.

Mark Lane—English wheat 3d higher and foreign wheat 6d higher.

Paris—Close—Wheat, 29f 75c for Jan.; flour, 62f 10c for Jan. Rain in France.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat lower at 7s 4¾d for Dec. and March, 7s 5¾d for May and 7s 1¾d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for Jan. and Feb. and 3s 1½d for March. Flour, 25s 6d.

Cotton Markets.

New York, Dec. 10.—Cotton — Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 5⅞c; do. gulf, 6⅛c; no sales.

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He Reclaimed His Jewels.

One day while Rabbi Meir was away from home teaching at college, his two children were suddenly taken ill and died. When on returning he inquired about them, his wife, Beruria, first gave him an evasive answer, and then, leading the conversation to another topic, related to him how a man who had left some jewels in her care had come to reclaim them. "Am I to give them back?" she asked. "How can you put such a question?" said he, "of course you are to return them to the owner." Beruria then took her husband into the chamber where the two children were lying, and, pointing to them, while her tears were overflowing and her heart was nearly breaking, she courageously said: "The owner has come to-day and reclaimed these jewels in our trust."—From The Talmud.

The King and the Haymaker.

George III. was one day visiting a small town in the south of England, and being anxious to see something of the country, took a solitary walk. He came to a hayfield in which there was one woman at work. The King asked where all the rest were and was told that they had all gone into town to see the King.

"Why didn't you go to?" asked he.

"Pooh!" she answered, "I wouldn't go three yards to see him. Besides, they've lost a day's work, and I'm too poor to do that with five children to feed."

His Majesty slipped a sovereign into her hand and said:

"When the rest come back, tell them that while they were gone to see the King the King came to see you and left you his portrait in gold to remember him by."

Chocolate Biscuit.

Chocolate biscuits are a novelty for a luncheon and are delicious when carefully prepared. Break six eggs, separating the whites and yolks. Add to the yolks half a pound of powdered sugar and beat the mixture thoroughly. Beat up the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and add three-quarters of a cupful of flour that has been thoroughly sifted. Stir the flour in, taking care that the "cells" of the beaten eggs are not broken. After this add four tablespoonfuls of freshly-grated chocolate. Pour the batter in little paper cases and bake in a moderate oven until they are light and thoroughly done.—Boston Budget.

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Ladies' Flannelette Underwear **NIGHT GOWNS**

We are offering VERY SPECIAL VALUES for the Next Week in Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, as follows:—

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.		FLANNELETTE GOWNS.	
Heavy Cashmere Seamless Hose, with Double Heel and Toes, fast blacks, only	30c	Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front	58c
Our unmatchable line of Ladies' Winter Undervests—a fast seller and leader	25c	Extra Heavy Flannelette Gowns, double yoke, back and front, Bishop sleeves, frilled Collar Front and Sleeves	69c
All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and greys, only	65c	Special line of English Pink Flannelette Gowns, extra large size, made same as above	85c
		Same line of Goods in Children's sizes.	

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Peterborough Corset Factory - - - 206 and 210 Charlotte Street

$5000 Worth of Tobaccos, Cigars, Pipes and Smokers Sundries

To be cleared out positively before the New Year, to make room for store enlargements at

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

Catchy Presents For Christmas in Gold and Silver mounted PIPES at Wholesale prices.

Fragrant Domestic and Imported Cigars, at the price of the Goods laid down in Peterborough. English Cast Pipes in Meerschaum and Briar, just the thing for a Present for a gentlemen, at HALF PRICE. And a grand selection of Walking Canes, Gold and Silver Mounted, at Prices that are Surprisingly Low.

Hundreds of Splendid Holiday Presents during this sale at about Half Price.

Holiday buyers come early—buy quick, and get first pick of the Fine Stock a TALBOT BROS., December Clearing Sale.

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ARRIVING DAILY

...AT THE...

MISSES CASSIDY'S

The latest styles in Walking Hats and Sailors just opened up to-day. Also a lovely assortment of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

We have a number of Pattern Hats and Bonnets which will be sold much below the regular price.

Ladies desiring the very latest Novelties should call and make selections.

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JUST ARRIVED:

FROM EUROPE—2 large cases of

Palms, Ozaleas,

And Other Plants.

2 CASES BULBS AND TUBERS.

Mason's Seed and Plant House,

Corner Water and Brock Streets, Peterborough

Get Your Job Printing Done at The Examiner.

Silver Mounted Pipes.

Unless you have seen our Stock of

Silver Mounted Pipes

You can have no idea of the great Improvements that have recently been made in such goods.

THE BRIAR ROOT

is the very best possible, and in some of the AMBER MOUTHPIECES are really choice, whilst the Silver Trimmings are just right—not at all overdone.

The shapes that find most favour with smokers are "ENGLISH BULLDOG" and the "ARMY BENT."

We can give you these in Fine Leather cases. Assorted Styles in one case. Prices range from $1.00 to $5.00.

W. B. RICKEY,

WIDE AWAKE TOBACCONIST

415 George Street.

Nature makes the cures after all.

Now and then she gets into a tight place and needs helping out.

Things get started in the wrong direction.

Something is needed to check disease and start the system in the right direction toward health.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil with hypophosphites can do just this.

It strengthens the nerves, feeds famished tissues, and makes rich blood.

50c. and $1.00; all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

THE LEGISLATURE.

(Continued From First Page.)

Road, repairs in Watt	400 00
Draper Road, from Muskoka Falls to McLean's Corners, thence south on 5 and Side Line to Ryde Town Line	500 00
Franklin and Peninsula Lake Road, to open Casselman's bridge with necessary deviations	600 00
Golden Valley Road, to continue towards Loring	500 00
Joseph River Bridge, to renew, on condition that municipality furnish necessary balance to complete	1,000 00
Himsworth, 5 and 6 Side Line Road, to open from concession 9 southward	500 00
Hoodstown Bridge, to rebuild burnt bridge	600 00
Hagarman, 5 and 6 Side Line Road, to open from boundary of Mackenzie to concession 7	300 00
Junction No. 2 Road, from Rosseau Road in Humphrey	300 00
McKellar Centre Road, to improve in McKellar and Christie	300 00
Muskoka Road, repairs	400 00
Machar, 5 and 6 Side Line, to open from concession 10 northward and connect with Trout Creek Road	500 00
Macaulay Road, repairs from Dorset West	800 00
Mills and Golden Valley Road, to complete	300 00
Magnetewan and Ahmic Harbor Road, repairs	500 00
Nipissing, 6th Concession Road—to improve through swamp on lot 25 and westward, $300; with repairs between Sharp's Corners and Wanwaska, $600	900 00
Otter Lake Road, repairs	300 00
Perry, 5 Side Line Road, through concessions 9 and 10	300 00
Peninsula Road, repairs in Humphrey	300 00
Perry, and Chaffey Road, to continue south into Chaffey near or on 25 and 26 side line	500 00
Ryerson, 8 and 9 Con. Winter Road, from lot 10 westward, subject to examination. Re-vote $500	700 00
Rainy Lake Road, in McMurrich, to complete	500 00
Rosseau River Bridge on Parry Sound Road in Cardwell, to rebuild, conditional that municipality furnish any necessary balance, to complete	400 00
Sinclair and Franklin Town Line Road, to open about a mile and three-quarters	400 00
Strong, 20 Side Line Road, to improve	500 00
Stisted Road, to complete 12 and 13 con. road from lot 11 to boundary of Cardwell	250 00
Westphalia Road, from Trout Creek eastward $500, and repairs in Gurd $500	1000 00
Whitestone Valley Branch Road, to open to Deer Lake	800 00
	15,800 00

East Division.

Addington Road, repairs between Cloyne and Kaladar	400 00
Anstruther Road, repairs	800 00
Anstruther and Chandos Road, repairs	800 00
Alice, 10 Con. Road, repairs between lots 16 to 24	400 00
Ashdad and Mount St. Patrick Road, repairs	800 00
Ashdad and Renfrew Road, to repair from lot 20, con. 8, Bagot, to town line between Bagot and Admaston, 3 or 4 miles	800 00
Bonfield and Boulter, 2 and 3 Con. Road, to open	500 00
Bonfield Road, from C. P. R. station west to boundary between concessions 7 and 8	800 00
Burleigh Road, repairs	800 00
Buckhorn Road, to continue northward	400 00
Barry Bay Road, to repair from lot 3 Fraser west	800 00
Barry Bay and Paugh Lake Road, to open in Township of Sherwood to a new settlement, 4 miles	800 00
Bark Lake and Barry Bay Road, to repair about 5 miles	800 00
Buskong Bridge on Peterson Road, to renew	980 00
Cameron Road, Township of Cameron	800 00
Chisholm, 6 and 7 con. Road, to open through lots 10 and 11	400 00
Calvin Road, from Mattawa and Calvin Road south on side line between lots 30 and 31	800 00
Caldwell, No. 8 Road, to continue	400 00
Clarendon Station and Olden Road, to improve, and change location of portion of Chisholm, 12 and 13 Con. Road, to open about 2 miles, same may be located	500 00
Cavendish Roads	800 00
Cheddar Road, to open from Monck Road to Railway	500 00
Carden, first quarter line road, to repair between Victoria Road and Con. 4	800 00
Carlow road, south of Combermere, repairs	200 00
Dunnett road, continued	800 00
Dummer and Stony Lake road	800 00
Eldon, 10 Con. road, $200, and Eldon, 4th Quarter Line and 8th Con. roads, $200, conditional that local municipality grant $100	400 00
Eldon, 7th con. road, to open between 1st and 2nd Quarter lines	200 00
Ferris and Lake Nobonsing road, to open between lots 14 and 15	400 00
Ferris 8, and 9 Con. road, to open from Lot 1	400 00
Ferris, 14 and 15 Con. road, to open from Lot 24	800 00
Galway roads	800 00
Grattan, 6 and 7 Con. road, to open and improve from Lot 7	800 00
Hyde's chute and Sanson's road, repairs	400 00
Hugel road, to open between Lots 2 and 3 through Con. 2 to 4	800 00
Hagarty and sherwood town line road, to open and repair from Wilno to Opeongo rd., about 4½ miles	400 00
Hagarty, 3rd Con. road, to complete, 1¾ miles	800 00
Hastings road, repairs north and south of Maynooth	800 00
Loughboro' Lake road, repairs of about 12 miles	600 00
Levant road, repairs through Tps. of Levant and Darling, 12 miles	600 00
Murchison road, to open from O.A. & P.S. railway station to Government road	400 00
McKim Tp. road, to open through Cons. 5 and 6.	500 00
Mountain road, repairs between Parham and Tamworth	500 00
Methuen road, repairs	800 00
Maria Tp. road, to improve through Tp	800 00
Monck road, repairs in Glamorgan, $500; between Norland and Uphill, $500; and to rebuild Head River bridge and repair in Dalton, $350.	1,350 00
Mississippi road, repairs in Dungannon, Mayo, from Bronson, P. O. to Hartsmore P. O.	400 00
Monteagle, 14th Con. road, to improve across Lots 5 to 26	800 00
McClure Tp. road, to Barrigar Settlement	400 00
North Bay and Temiscamingue road, to repair	800 00
Nogie's Creek road, to continue	500 00
North Harvey road to continue	400 00
North Algoma and Wilberforce road, to improve 18th con. line	500 00
Opeongo road, to repair from Brudnell west, $500; and repairs from Hotel west in Sebastopol, $400	700 00
Parham and Sharbot Lake road, repairs	400 00
Peterson road, repairs east and west to Maynooth	800 00
Rockingingham and Palmer Rapids road, about 5 miles of repairs	500 00
Round Lake road	200 00
Sudbury and Chelmsford road, to repair	800 00
Sudbury and Wahnopitæ Lake road, to improve	400 00
Sturgeon Rive road	600 00
Springer road, continued	800 00
Silver Lake road, leading from Crow Lake to Maberly	800 00
Stone Dam and Craig road, repairs in Portland and Hinchinbrooke	500 00
South Algonr and Killaloe road, repairs	700 00
South Algona and Silver Lake, repairs	800 00
South Algona, 2 and 3 con. road, to complete	800 00
Stafford, 3rd con. line, from lot 10, to improve westward	800 00
Temiscamingue roads	2,500 00
Storrington road, from lot 23 westward about 3 miles	800 00
Verner and Badgerow road, to continue	800 00
Victoria road, from Up-South, conditional on at least an equal amount being contributed by municipality	250 00
Warren and Hugal road to continue	200 00
Widdifield, 3rd con. road, to open eastward	800 00
Wabis Creek Bridge, Liskeard, to build, re-vote $800 00	1,000 00
Wilberforce and Mud Lake road, from Byers' Corners, west	800 00
Wilberforce, 5 Proof Line road, to open and improve between cons. 13 and 15	400 00
Wilberforce, 23 Con. rd., to open and improve accross district line	250 00
	23,000 00
New short road and repairs	20,000 00
Inspection	6,000 00
To pay balances of 1897	600 00
	26,600 00

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Since the deadly epidemic of La Grippe came from Russia in 1890, there has been no remedy so successful as Dr. Humphreys' Specific "77." It meets the epidemic condition and is the cure for all its manifestations; taken early cuts it short promptly; taken during its prevalence it preoccupies the system and prevents its invasion; taken while suffering from it a relief is speedily realized.

The headache, backache and influenza are of comparatively small consequence and are easily controlled, but the cough or bronchial irritation is more serious, particularly in the feeble or when the vitality is impaired; hence, the danger and necessity of prompt and continued use of "77" until every vestage of the disease is eradicated.

"77" cures Colds, Grippe, Influenza, Catarrh, Pains in the Head and Chest, Cough and Sore Throat.

Ask for Dr. Humphrey's Specific Manual of all Diseases at your Druggists or Mailed Free.

Sold by druggists, or sent on receipt of 25 cts., or large Flask $1.00. Humphreys' Med. Co., Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

First Readings.

Mr. Field—To consolidate the debt of the Town of Cobourg.

Mr. Platt—To amend the General Road Companies Act.

Mr. Biggar—To incorporate The Canadian Consolidated Copper and Nickel Co.

Mr. Dickinson—Respecting the Synod of the Diocese of Niagara.

Mr. McNaughton—Respecting the railway debt of the Township of Ammond.

Mr. O'Keefe—Respecting the City of Ottawa.

Mr. O'Keefe—To incorporate the Ottawa Stock Exchange.

Hon. Mr. Harty—Respecting the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Railway Co.

Hon. Mr. Davis—To confirm By-law No. 740 of County of York.

Mr. Matheson—To incorporate the Smith's Falls, Rideau and Southern Railway.

Mr. German—Respecting the Shebandowan Mining Co.

Mr. Matheson—Respecting the incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa.

An Important Bill.

Hon. Mr. Dryden—To prevent the spread of the San Jose scale. He explained that this was a new pest unknown in Canada until early in 1897. It had been discovered in California and had gradually spread over the United States. It is one of the most destructive insects known. It is most difficult to eradicate it once it has gained a foothold because of its smallness. It is so diminutive that it cannot be seen with the eye alone. It was at first supposed the pest would not live in Canada because of the cold, but the proof of the unreliability of this was found in the fact that it was already found in fruit trees grown in Ontario. He thought the Government should be allowed to compensate owns of trees the inspectors found necessary to destry. He proposed giving 25 per cent. of the value of trees. He would give more but feared many fruit growers would take advantage of the compensating clause to sell their trees in this way if the full value were paid. The bill was read a first time.

Notices of Motions.

Mr. Crawford gives notice that he will on Monday enquire of the Ministry:

(1) What is the total amount that has been paid by the Province of Ontario for printing, stationery, supplies and material of every description to the firms of Warwick Bros. and Warwick Bros. & Rutter, Toronto, during the past ten years? (2) What was the total amonnt paid the above firms for paper? (3) What was the value of type and other materials supplied to the above firms by the Government of Ontario during the past ten years? (4) What is the amount that has been paid by the Government of Ontario for stationery purchased from and supplied by the above firms during the past ten years?

A HIGH, FULL COLOUR.

Diamond Dye Cardinal One of the Most Fashionable and Most Useful Colours.

Millions of packages of this wonderfully rich and popular colour are sold every year.

Fast Diamond Dye Cardinal is noted for its strength, fastness and beauty of colour. One package dyes two pounds of silk or all-wool goods a standard shade that will never wash out. It colours over with grand results all shades except green.

The Fast Diamond Dye Cardinal for dyeing cotton and mixed goods is the only Cardinal for cotton dyeing in the world that is fast to light and soap. One package makes a fast and everlasting cardinal on one pound of cotton or mixed goods.

Be not deceived with crude imitations or soap grease dyes. Ask for the "Diamond" and you will always have success.

A Friendly Bar Examination.

A Georgia correspondent sends us this account of a young man's oral examination for the bar by a local committee before an old judge, who was also an old acquaintance of the candidate. Being asked, "What is arson?" he scratched his head and finally said, "I believe that's pison, ain't it?"

On this the old judge, to help him out, says: "Tut, tut, Jim. Suppose I were to set fire to your house and burn it down, what would that be?"

With quick and emphatic reply Jim says, "I think it would be a dad drattled mean trick."

But although this answer was not technically accurate Jim was in the hands of his friends and was honorably admitted.—Case and Comment.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 239 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without succes, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

Karl's Clover Root,

The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 399 George street.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

F. F. C. C.—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure, sold by all druggists.

SUICIDAL DYSPEPSIA

Positively Averted by Using Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Does Dyspepsia kill?

Yes! In thousands of instances Dyspepsia has given the invitation to death.

This may be a startling statement. But it is a true one.

Dyspepsia unchecked causes a melancholy, hopeless feeling. Soon this merges into dark and dreary despondency. Then follows insanity—which is the second stage of despondency.

The invariable tendency of all who suffer from melancholy insanity, is to commit suicide. In nine cases out of ten they succeed.

Thus Dyspepsia leads to death.

Now, there's not the least necessity for this. It need not be so, and can be prevented as easily as you can fall asleep. There's no secret about how it is done. Simply use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets—one or two after each meal—for a couple of weeks, and the thing is done.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are a perfectly perfect digestive. They digest the food themselves. They don't need help.

Sometimes Constipation accompanies dyspepsia and indigestion. In each box of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets is a supply of smaller tablets that are the most perfect bowel regulators ever made. Taken with Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets they fit the bowels to perform their duty which is supplementary to the digestive process.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have never failed, never will fail, cannot fail to cure any case of Indigestion, Dyspepsia or other stomach trouble. They digest the food, strengthen the stomach, and banish dyspepsia and indigestion, naturally and rapidly.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each box containing a full double treatment, can be purchased from all druggists, at 50c a box or will be sent on receipt of the price, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

People Praise It.

DEAR SIRS,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

LIZZIE HARDY,
Mayfield, Ont.

A PRACTICAL VIEW OF IT.

The folks that write of fields of green where
birds and daisies rule,
I'll bet you, never struck them fields and
plowed a Georgy mule,
And them that write of tinkling bells in dells
where cattle roam,
I'll bet you, never had to drive the scampering cattle home!

And them that sing of woodlands sweet and
softly sighing pines,
I'll bet you, never had to tramp through prickly briers and vines
And cut a cord of wood or two! No matter
what they say,
The country ain't as purty as it looks from
far away!

Just jes 'em come and try it—where people
have to rise
Before the sun has blazed a way along the
chilly skies
And work from then until the stars look from
the darkening dome—
I'll bet you, 'fore the day was done they'd all
make tracks for home!

And yet they keep on singing of country life
"so sweet"
And leave out all the mortgages and notes we
have to meet!
We thank 'em for their compliments, for all
the words they say,
But still we ain't as purty as we look from
far away!

—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

He Benefited Humanity.

There is an oriental story of two brothers, Ahmed and Omar. Both wished to perform a deed whose memory should not fail, but which might sound their name and praises. Omar, with wedge and rope, lifted an obelisk on its base, carving its form in beautiful devices and sculpturing many a strange inscription on its sides. He set it in the hot desert to cope with its gales. Ahmed, with deeper wisdom and truer though sadder heart, digged a well to cheer the sandy waste and planted about it tall date palms to make cool shade for the thirsty pilgrim and to shake down fruits for his hunger.—Jewish Messenger.

The great Mohammedan school at Cairo, El Ashar, meaning "The Splendid," has clear records dating as far back as 975.

CURE THAT COUGH WITH SHILOH'S CURE

TAKE THE BEST

Sizes, 25cts. and $1.00 Bottle. One cent a dose.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough and Asthma. For Consumption it has no rival and even if advanced, and will CURE YOU at once. Sold by Druggists on a guarantee. Ask for it. Take no substitute. Price, 25 cts., 50 cts. & $1.00.

SHILOH'S BELLADONNA PLASTER.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.

Have you Catarrh? This remedy is guaranteed to cure you. Price, 50 cts. Injector free.

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Children for Adoption.

This Month We Inaugurate a

Carnival Of Economy

FOR THE BENEFIT OF BUYERS.

Winter weather is here and it's welcome. We are ready for it, backed by our Big Purchases of the McKENNA-THOMPSON Stock. That purchase put us in a position to send out goods by the virtue of big values for low prices that is highly appreciated. The December rush has begun and we have

Men Coming for Suits,
Mothers for Boys' Clothing,
Young Men for Hats and Furnishings.

And each duplicating the other's purchase.

NEVER TOO MUCH is our motto in prices, and often we do ourselves an injustice in making profits too little. But it's all right as long as our customers get the benefit. You know that this store is run partly in yonr interest, partly in ours.

We cannot do better than repeat here our prices of last week—for prices with us never change for higher.

Men's Tweed Overcoats, worth $5.00, selling at	$2 40
Men's Melton Overcoats, worth $10.00, selling at	6 00
Men's Nap Overcoats, worth $8.00, selling at	4 85
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, worth $7.50, selling at	5 75
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, worth $5.00, selling at	3 25
Men's Heavy Canadian Tweed Suits, worth $7.50, selling at	4 75
Men's Black Worsted Sacque Suits, worth $10.50, selling at	6 50
Men's Black Worsted Morning Coat Suits, worth $14, selling at	9 00
Men's Double Breasted Scotch Tweed Suits, worth $14, selling at	8 50
Boys' Overcoats, with or without cape, worth $5.50, selling at	2 25
Boys' Frieze Ulsters, sizes 24 to 30, worth $5.00, selling at	2 90
Boys' 3-piece Suits, sizes 27 to 28, worth $5.00, selling at	2 75
Boys' 2-piece Suits, sizes 24 to 27, worth $3.50, selling at	1 50

We have also placed on Special Tables a superior lot of 160 HEAVY FRIEZE OVERCOATS, for Men and Young Men, in Dark Grey and Brown and Mixed Colours, with Heavy Tweed Linings and Special Trimmings, right from the Tailoring Department, well worth not less than $7.50, during this great sale only $4.90

THE BEST MONEY'S WORTH EVER OFFERED.

Shoes Piled to the ceilings—a whole section heaped with Winter Boots and Shoes for Men, Women and Children—to fit all feet—at the Easiest prices in this or any other Town. The growth in this particular branch shows clearly that we are doing it better and better all the time, and winning new friends every week. Come and see how it is done. No skimp in anything. We can dress your feet in the newest styles of hand-sewed Shoes with any fashion of toe you desire. Felt Overshoes, Rubbers, Fur-lined and Flannel-lined Shoes and Slippers or Grandma and Baby. Assortments better and values better than you'll find anywhere. "ALWAY'S GOOD AT GOUGH'S"—Not in Spurts but ALL the time."

A CASH BUSINESS.—Under our constantly growing organization CASH becomes an important factor in Buying as well as in Selling. Credit is a curse to the human family. Cash is King. In future, therefore, SPOT CASH will be our invariable rule. Your money back if not satisfied.

GOUGH BROS.

TheWonderful Cheap Men, Nos. 375 and 379 George Street
Peterborough, and Nos. 6 and 8 Queen Street, Toronto.

Christmas Shopping

May be relieved of some of its perplexities if use be made of the facilities our stock presents. Please remember what we offer is GOOD, and—for the point is important—STYLISH.

The New Fashionable Ties in popular shades and colours. These are particularly natty. SILK GLOVES for evening wear. These are novelties that every lady will appreciate the freshness of.

In nothing so much as MILLINERY is up-to-dateness necessary. A Hat or Bonnet may be of the latest mode and yet not precisely like every other one in town. In that our Millinery is distinctively stylish, we excel. All the latest shapes and trimmings.

Our New MANTLES are very handsome and beautifully made. We know that the styles are correct. All shades and sizes from which to select.

Miss Delaney

"The White Store," George St.

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

P.B.C.

B. This Institution promises every advantage for young men and women who wish to prepare themselves as *BOOKKEEPERS or STENOGRAPHERS.*

C. A most favourable time to enter for a course in either department is NOW. NIGHT SCHOOL, 3 evenings a week.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
Opposite Post Office. Peterborough, Ont.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list in another column.

W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held on Monday, Dec. 13th, at 3.30 p.m., at Mrs. Paton's, Brock street. A large attendance is desired, as business of importance will be discussed.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Dainties From Sea and Land.

We have an unusually nice spread for the holiday bill of fare, comprising some of the most delicious dainties upon both sea and land, including fresh sea salmon, smoked sea salmon, halibut, smelts, sardines and toothsome bivalves, large and luscious. Also juicy figs, dates, grapes, oranges, etc., and other tropical fruits in the very choicest condition. J. B. OKE & Co., 418 George street. Phone 204.

St. Luke's Church, Ashburnham.

Mr. T. R. Clougher, one of the most earnest church workers in Toronto, whose eloquent address at the recent conference in Lindsay aroused so much interest, will give the same address in St. Luke's church to-morrow night. The subject is "The Layman's Work in the Church." This address will be of special value to men, who are cordially invited to attend. All seats free and unappropriated.

JUBILEE BAZAAR

In aid of St. Joseph's Hospital and House of Providence, from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th, in the Opera House. Meals at all hours. Hot meals from 12 to 2. Open from 9 a m to 10.30 p.m. Admission 10c. 3d

Debating Club.

There was a good meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Debating Club on Friday evening. Mr. C. H. Bradburn was elected first vice-president and Mr. J. W. Bennet second vice. Mr. A. C. McCallum led the debate on the "Single Tax," in which there was a good interest. Next Friday evening the subject will be "Resolved that a man's surroundings have more to do with his success than ability."

Toronto University Glee Club Coming.

The management of the Opera House begs to announce that arrangements have been completed with the Toronto University Glee and Banjo Club for a concert to be given in the Opera House here on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22nd. This announcement will be welcome news to the music loving people of Peterborough, as this club stands to the front as a high-class musical organization. On the club's last appearance here some three years ago they created a most favourable impression, and those who had the pleasure of hearing them will remember the pleasing manner in which the boys responded to encore after encore, winning the highest opinions of the audience by their beautiful singing and playing. It is to be hoped that the people of Peterborough will turn out and welcome the students with a packed house. The plan opens on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, at Ormond & Walsh's drug store. Watch for further announcements.

Remember the Concert to be given to Mr. Thos. Dunn on the 15th inst. See programmes next week and keep the date open.

EXCHANGE OF PULPITS.

Special Sermons Will be Preached to Young Men To-morrow.

The members of the Ministerial Association will exchange pulpits to-morrow evening as follows, and address their sermons especially to young men:

St Paul's—Rev S J Shorey.
George street—Rev Dr Torrance.
St Andrew's—Rev J E Moore.
Mark street—Rev J G Potter, B A.
Charlotte street—Rev A T Dykeman.
Murray street—Rev D O Crossley.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Rev. J. E. Moore, of Mark street church, will officiate at the funeral of the late Mrs. Robert Eason at the residence of Mr. Evans Hair, Otonabee, to-morrow afternoon at one o'clock.

—How often have you been vexed for postponing the selection of your Christmas cards and booklets. Whatever may cause you to delay the choosing of other gifts, don't delay the selecting of Christmas cards that have to be sent to friends by mail. Every facility is afforded at the Peterborough Bookstore to make early choice, as they are now fully displayed on special tables in a separate department. The assortment represents the newest effects of the most refined artistic taste, and are masterpieces of decorative designs.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50c at Grafton & Co.

The Boys' Debate.

The debate in the boys' room at the Y.M.C.A. last night was a lively one. The subject was: "Resolved that Canada is a more desirable place of residence than the United States." The affirmative was ably supported by C. Whiten (captain), H. Daly, J. Laing; negative—H. Sackville (captain), P. Jamieson and E. Best. Decision in favour of Canada. A blow ball match was held at the close and of course the Yankees won by one point. The boys' prayer meeting at 7.30 was an interesting one. A. Froude gave a good address on prayer.

Returned Home Satisfied.

Crowds of ladies are continually calling at the "Blue Ribbon Tea" parlour, 265 George street, and sampling a cup of this splendid tea, which is being served free of charge to the ladies of Peterborough, and all who tasted it returned home satisfied that "Blue Ribbon Tea" has no equal on the market to-day. It is rich, strong and a very delicate flavour, and if you give it one trial in your home, you will never use any other tea. It is put up in lead packages and can be obtained from all leading grocers in Peterborough at popular prices.

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Shelled Walnuts	30
Grenoble Walnuts	15
Blanched Almonds	35
Shelled Jordan Almonds	25
Soft Shelled Almonds	15
Oblong Filberts	15

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A Brilliant Opening

CHINA HALL will hold its Christmas Opening on **Thurday and Friday Afternoons, December 16th and 17th.** The stock is the most beautiful and extensive ever shown and we would like every Lady in Peterborough to see it and inspect the different Bargain Tables. No one asked to buy—everyone asked to come.

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MR. STRATTON IS THE CHOICE

Of the West Peterborough Liberal Convention.

HE RECEIVES THE UNANIMOUS NOMINATION.

Large Gathering of the Electors From all Parts of the Riding—Addresses by the Mover, Seconder and Candidate—Hon. Senator Cox and Hon. John Dryden Speak.

One of the largest and most enthusiastic rallies of the Liberals of West Peterborough ever assembled on a nomination occasion was gathered at the Opera House this afternoon to nominate a candidate in the interest of the government, to contest the representation of West Peterborough in the Ontario Legislature at the approaching Provincial general elections.

Dr. R. W. Bell, President of the West Peterborough Reform Association occupied the chair, and expressed his pleasure at seeing so large a gathering of the electors of all shades of politics and from all parts of the riding. He referred to the importance of the occasion that had brought the gathering together. It did not seem long since the last convention in that hall to nominate a candidate for the local Legislature. Since the last convention the former premier had been made Lieutenant-Governor of the Province he had so long been premier of, and he had been succeeded by Hon. Mr. Hardy, who had served his political apprenticeship with one of the most capable administrators this or any province or state had ever possessed. Mr. Hardy was, perhaps, more familiar with the wants and wishes of the province than any other man in public life to-day, having acted for the past twenty-four years as, successively, representative, Provincial Secretary, Commissioner of Crown Land, and now premier of the premier province of the Dominion. He had associated with him an excellent cabinet and his Government was in every way progressive, economical and capable and worthy of the continued confidence of the electorate. He would not occupy the time of the convention with any lengthened remarks, as they were to listen to addresses by a member of the Ontario Cabinet, Hon. John Dryden, the experienced and efficient Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Senator Cox and the candidate whom they had yet to nominate. He would therefore call for nominations as the first order of business.

There were present on the platform besides the chairman, Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Senator Cox, Mr. Richard Hall, Mr. T. G. Hazlett and Mr. Peter Hamilton.

MR. STRATTON NOMINATED.

Mr. Peter Hamilton in rising to nominate Mr. J. R. Stratton as the candidate of the supporters of the Ontario Government, to contest the representation of West Peterborough in the Local Legislature, after referring to the frequent recurrence of nominating conventions, spoke of his long and intimate association with the Liberal party. In all this time he had noted the unworthy cries to which the party opposing the Liberal party had recourse and to-day the principal cry against the Liberal party was in connection with the Michigan log matter. He pointed out the preposterous nature of the idea that the Government of Ontario would for one moment make the slightest movement in the direction of sacrificing a single interest of Ontario for the benefit of Michigan. He paid a high tribute to the worth of Canada and Canadians, and strongly denounced the various religious cries that had been raised as election issues. The Government should be judged on its record and should no longer have public confidence when that record was not in the interest of the country. About twelve years ago he had the pleasure of nominating a candidate who had against him only his youth, but he went into the fight against a strong candidate and was elected by a majority of 33. Four years later he had had the honour of nominating the same gentleman, who was again elected by over 500 majority. (Cheers.) Four years later he had again the honour and pleasure of nominating the same gentleman again, and his record as a representative was of so high a character, and he had so admirably served the riding, that he was returned by a majority of nearly 800, (Cheers) and though he did not pose as a prophet, he predicted that the capable attention Mr. Stratton had given his representative duties, and the high popularity he had deservedly won by his courteous and obliging disposition to friend and foe alike, was of so pronounced a character that he (the speaker) believed at the close of the poll on election day he would be returned by a majority of 1200. (Cheers.) Mr. Hamilton went on to express the hope that Canadians would drop the miserable religious cries that tended to separate them, and unite to develop the splendid resources that made Canada one of the best countries in the world. He had the greatest pleasure in the world in nominating Mr. J. R. Stratton, Esq., as the candidate to contest West Peterborough in the approaching Provincial general elections, (great cheering.)

Mr. G. M. Elliott said he had great pleasure in seconding the nomination. Mr. Stratton had been a representative who had most faithfully and efficiently discharged his duties. He enjoyed to a very high degree the esteem of both political parties that compose the electorate, and he had no doubt that the electors would show their appreciation of his great services on election day. (Great applause.)

There being no other nominations the chairman declared Mr. Stratton the nominee amidst enthusiastic applause, which was renewed, as Mr. Stratton advanced to address the meeting.

THE CANDIDATE'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Stratton in rising to address the convention was received with enthusiastic applause. He said that he would indeed count himself eloquent if he could even in an approximate degree express his thanks and appreciation of the hearty nomination tendered him, which, in view of the unanimity and cordiality of it, rendered any hesitation as to its acceptance unnecessary; and he did accept it with a determination to do credit to the selection by the employment of every legitimate effort to achieve success. (Cheers.) He considered it a very great honour to be nominated by the electors of West Peterborough for the fourth time in succession and he felt justly proud at enjoying the confidence of the electors of the riding to so high a degree.

In 1886 when a young and untried man the supporters of the Mowat Government honoured him with the nomination. At that time he was taken on trust and returned by a narrow majority over a strong candidate. In 1890 his first term as a representative was approved, and the electors

REITERATED THEIR CONFIDENCE

in him and endorsed his course by a majority fifteen times greater than that of his first election. In 1894 he was again selected as a candidate and the result was a majority very largely increased. He did not refer to this in the way of idle boast, but to point the moral that a representative who faithfully and earnestly endeavoured to discharge the duties of his representative position was, as a rule, certain of securing the confidence of the right-thinking portion of the electorate; and his majorities were sufficient to emphasize the fact that West Peterborough was a constituency that was composed of broad-minded electors who placed more value in a representative upon effective and faithful service than upon a mere party name. During the twelve years he had the honour of representing West Peterborough he had endeavoured to the full extent of his ability and opportunity to serve the best interests of the riding and the Province of Ontario and, while it would not become him to suggest that he had succeeded, yet the repeated assurances of confidence, capped by the assurances that this afternoon afforded, might be regarded as an evidence that his efforts to faithfully perform his representative duties towards the riding and the province

HAD NOT BEEN UNATTENDED

with some degree of success.

In accepting the nomination, he did so with pleasure, and with confidence in the belief that he would have the co-operation and support of, not only the Liberals of West Peterborough, but of many others who do not bear the same party name, and he might refer to the fact that he had received assurances from many of the latter who had not hitherto supported him.

Of course they were aware that a few evenings ago a meeting of Conservatives was called to nominate a candidate. There were many of the more liberal-minded element of the Conservative party who had the fairness to recognise the satisfactory nature of the representation the riding had enjoyed at the hands of a member of the Liberal party, and who did not think that a contest was necessary in the best interests of West Peterborough. But there were others, who from motives that were not, perhaps, so much patriotic as personal,

DESIRED A CONTEST,

even if they were themselves to be the victims of the election. They were prepared to accept defeat for the sake of the profit of distributing the spoils of patronage in the remote event of Mr. Whitney and his friends gaining the Treasury benches, hoping to gain positions for themselves that might be a solace for their rejection by the electors. At the convention of the Conservatives of the town of Peterborough a candidate was nominated, and it would be only fair to the audience to tell them, what very few could know, who this gentleman was. His name was Mr. J. W. Garvin, at present a life insurance agent. He came to Peterborough about four years ago as inspector of the Public schools of the town. He was, after serving for a time, asked by the School Board to send in his resignation, but having a different estimate of his own importance from that of the School Board, he refused to do so, and was dismissed from his position. He seems to have an itch for politics. In his native county, Simcoe, he endeavoured to secure the nomination, but even in his home where he was best known his abilities

DID NOT RECEIVE RECOGNITION,

and he was not selected. However, he had better luck in West Peterborough and managed to engineer a convention that would give him the nomination. Personally, the speaker said, he would say no word of disparagement of Mr. Garvin. In seeking the nomination he had gained, he was simply exercising the right of every citizen. In his private capacity Mr. Garvin had his friends and it was generally held that the position of a private citizen was (one he was best qualified to adorn, and the speaker felt sure that the electors would take the same view. Mr. Stratton said he was not in a position to say when the elections would be brought on—whether in early spring after the close of the session or later, but whenever they were brought on he was ready to enter the fray and he did not fear the result. He had every assurance from the best members of the electorate, independently of party affiliations, that he still enjoyed the confidence of the people and that what he had been able to do for the benefit of this riding would not pass without recognition. He had every reason to assert that the Government he supported had established by its past record of *effective government* a very strong claim upon the support of the electorate at large, and the Government, like himself, were ready to submit their record and their policy to the approval of the people with every confidence of the verdict being in their favour. Of course the Government would be

JUDGED UPON THEIR RECORD,

and if that ground of judgment were accepted there need be no fear of the result. The attitude of the opponents of the Government showed a disposition to fight shy of the appeals upon which they went to the country in previous general elections. The roar of clamour against the Ross Bible was not now heard, the crusade against separate schools had been called in and the optics of the Green Eye-opener, were it to be hoped, closed forever. Yet these disturbing issues had as much force now as

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Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING may be deferred, but remember there is a difference between a full spread and the crumbs, from which to select. You will doubtless find something at the last moment, but that something will not be so choice—it will be leavings. It's a pleasure to shop now—but that jam later on!

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Ladies' Untrimmed Shapes, worth 75c to $1.00, all colors, to clear at 50c each.
Ladies' Stylish Trimmed Hats, worth $2.25, reduced to $1.50 each.
Ladies' Walking Hats, worth $1.25, reduced to $1.00 each.
Special Prices in all Trimmed Millinery for the balance of this month.

MANTLES

Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $6.00, reduced to $4.00.
Ladies' Black Jackets, worth $5.00, reduced to $3.00.
Ladies' Fur Lined Cloaks only three left, to be cleared at $10.00 each.
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HENRY GEORGE.

An Admirer Fairly and Clearly States the Views He Promulgated.

The sudden death of Henry George on the eve of the Mayoralty election in Greater New York, where he was a candidate, has awakened a wide interest in his views. In "Social Problems," he says:

To prevent government from becoming corrupt and tyrannous its organization and methods should be as simple as possible, its functions be restricted to those necessary to the common welfare and in all parts it should be kept close to the people and as directly within their control as may be. We have ignored these principles in many ways and the result has been corruption and demoralization, the loss of control by the people and the wresting of government to the advantage of the few and the spoliation of the many. The line of reform, on one side at least, lies in simplification. * * * I am not denouncing the rich, nor seeking by speaking of these things to excite envy and hatred; but if we would get a clear understanding of social problems we must recognise the fact that it is to monopolies which we permit and create, to advantages which we give one man over another, to methods of extortion sanctioned by law and by public opinion, that some men are enabled to get so enormously rich while others remain so miserably poor. * * * Beneath all political problems lies the social problem of the distribution of wealth. This our people do not generally recognise, and they listen to quacks who propose to cure the symptoms without touching the disease. * * * We are steadily differentiating a governing class or rather a class of Praetorians, who make a business of gaining political power and then selling it.

In Mr. George's first work, "Progress and Poverty," his views are most clearly worked out. In that he traces the worst features of society to the pressure for leave to work, which is making tramps of laborers and mechanics, crowding the farmers off their farms and harrassing the commercial and professional classes. The overcrowding of every ocupation he traces to an artificial scarcity of land, due to the system that enables the idle holders to secure profits. Every attempt to extend the farming districts over new areas or to enlarge the cities is obstructed by the land speculator, who creates an artificial scarcity by merely holding for a price. Mr. George would remedy this by taking the rental value of land irrespective of improvements for public revenue and abolishing all other taxation whether tariffs, license fees or direct imposts. It would throw the bulk of taxation on the cities and towns where the greatest land values exist, the value of farms being due mainly to work on them and in consequence exempt.

THE LATE HENRY GEORGE.

Henry George.

Elected October 29, 1897.

The polls are closed; the count is made;
Yet no one heard the inspector's voice.
A viewless voter cast the vote;
A silent power declared the choice.

No cheering answers the result
From comrades or the mighty throng
Of those for whom he lived and toiled
And whom he loved so well and long.

No canvasser will change the count
With juggling figures as of yore.
The candidate-elect no court
Can unto private life restore.

Elected? Yes, to higher place
A thousandfold than mayor's chair,
A place befitting his brave heart,
A place forever free from care.

The polls are closed; the count is made;
The hero-candidate has won.
To us is left the solemn task
Of finishing what he begun.

—Margherita Arlina Hamm, in Boston Ideas.

WOMAN AS AN ARBITRATOR.

Miss Fisher Settled a Factory Trouble Where Men Had Failed.

That Miss Clara J. Fisher of Milford, the first woman ever chosen to act as expert assistant to the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation, was able in the recent difficulty between the B. H. Spaulding Company of Milford and its employes to fulfil her duties to the satisfaction of both sides testifies to her freedom from petty prejudices as well as to her large-minded sense of justice.

Miss Fisher is a pleasant-faced young woman, something over 30, who lives with her aged aunt in the pretty little manufacturing town of Milford, the picturesque name of which makes one hark back to the days when a rushing stream rather than a roaring stream turned the wheels of the mills.

Graduated from the town high school, Miss Fisher came out into the world with a pretty clear notion that she would like to be a teacher, but the fact that just at that time a friend was entering upon work at the Knowlton straw factory, in a neighboring town, decided her to enter mill life.

In a year or two her duty to her aged aunt, for whom she now tenderly cares, called her back to Milford, and after temporarily working in a village dry goods store she accepted the position of overseer in the straw factory of B. H. Spaulding. For nine years she acceptably filled the place, having charge of a room in which sixty women were employed. During these nine years she became conversant with every detail of the work of making straw hats, and although it is now two years and a half since she left the work no one could have more thoroughly understood the employes' side of the question than she does.

Miss Fisher is a young woman of far more than ordinary girl determination and ambition. During the latter part of her services as forewoman she studied to fit herself to become a stenographer, and ultimately secured a good position in Milford, at this work, whereupon she resigned at Spaulding's.

Miss Fisher had always been very popular with the girls working under her at Spaulding's, and at the time of the recent strike the employes called upon her repeatedly, and asked her to serve them as assistant to the Board of Arbitration. She at length accepted and promised to serve to the best of her ability.

With the man appointed by the board at the suggestion of Spaulding, the employer, Miss Fisher visited, besides Spaulding's factory, six other similar mills, comparing the work and the conditions with those at the factory under consideration. At all six the investigators were received with courtesy, only two out of the six refusing to give information. They withdrew as politely as possible.

Miss Fisher found the surroundings in the factories inspected all that could be desired and the relations between employes and employed extremely pleasant. In no factory visited had there ever been a strike, difficulties being settled quietly to the satisfaction of both parties.

In two weeks the Board of Arbitration, with the assistance of Miss Fisher and the other expert, settled the Spaulding difficulty satisfactorily, the sewing of 100 yards of straw being the unadopted for payment. For her services to the board Miss Fisher and her coworker received each $7 a day and expenses.—Boston Globe.

THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

His Curious Experience in a House With Creaking Stairs.

"You know how the stairs puff up," said the retired burglar, "after you stop using 'em nights? You crowd 'em down close together, solid, treading on 'em all day long, and then when you let up on 'em the fibers of the wood lift up again, and the stairs seem to swell. You know how they creak, sometimes, and snap a little, when you go down 'em first in the morning, and some of the steps yield a little under the tread? That's them settlin' down into place again.

"I love to hear 'em in the morning. It seems kind o' like the stairs wakin' up and speakin' to you as you go along down. But I don't like to hear 'em at night. And at the time I go about they've had a chance to do considerable puffin' and no matter how velvet-footed a man may be he can't lessen his weight very well, and so I learned early to tread near the wall or near the banisters going upstairs, and not on the bow in the middle. The creak, or the little soft snapping, that sounds so pleasant in the morning, and that nobody wouldn't notice then, sounds mighty loud at night, when everything is still. If anybody was awake, you could hear it from one end of the house to the other. To be sure, it might not alarm anybody, because there's other sounds in a house at night; sounds that just make themselves. Due, I suppose, to changes in temperature. Boards swell and shrink and shift a little, and you might hear a little snap somewhere in the house at any time of night. But I always hated to hear the stairs creak when I was going up 'em, all the same. Because I always thought that as likely as not it would wake up somebody, and that I should find somebody sitting up in bed looking for me when I looked into the door of a room, and, as a matter of fact, that did sometimes happen.

"I looked one night, after a wretched pair of stairs, into a half-lighted room, where I saw a man sitting up in bed, over on the other side of the room, and looking plumb at the door that I was standing in. As I told you, I was always on the lookout for just this thing, but this man surprised me, for all that. He sat there in bed all keyed up, and looking square at me. I could see him perfectly plain, and I knew he could see me just as plain, and I expected every minute he'd find his voice and begin to holler.

"But, instead of that he threw the clothes back off his legs and swung his legs around out of bed, and stood up. He put his right hand out to locate a chair that stood by the head of the bed and then started for the door, hands out a little each side of him, and feelin' out a little on both sides and sort of ahead of him as he came along.

"Humph! Blind! He'd heard the noise and was going to look for it. I might have stood there and slugged him easy as he went by, but I didn't want no 'rastle with a blind man. I just went out and left him there looking."—New York Sun.

HE WAS CALLED DOWN.

How a Dude Bluffed an Irate Chicago Husband.

"I was up in Chicago a few days ago,' said a well-known Clevelander, "when I witnessed what struck me as being a very funny incident. A young man was standing in front of one of the big hotels puffing leisurely on a cigar. He was a slender young man, well-dressed, and held his head up. Something about his appearance attracted my attention, and I was just trying to recall his face when a big fellow with his hat on the back of his head came charging up the street and suddenly stopped at sight of the young man.

"'By George,' he said, 'I believe you are the fellow?'

"The young man never moved a muscle.

"'Yes, by George,' fumed the big man, 'I believe you are the identical dude.'

"'Are you speaking to me, my friend,' quoth the young fellow.

"'Yes,' snarled the big chap. 'I'm speaking to you. You are the dude who winked at my wife in the restaurant. I know you.'

"'That's where you have the advantage of me,' said the young fellow coolly.

"'Come, come,' said the big man, and his face turned very red. 'I won't be bluffed.'

"'That's right,' said the young fellow, 'but are you sure you have the right man?'

"The red-faced citizen looked at him with a savage frown.

"'I could tell in a minute if you talked fast,' he said. 'The fellow who insulted my wife lisps.'

"'Doth he?' drolled the young man. 'I lithp, too, when I take a nothion.'

"The big man snorted with rage.

"'Curse you,' he said, 'I've a great mind to smash you right here on the street.'

"The young fellow threw away his cigar and let his arms fall at his sides.

"'See here, my friend,' he said, 'you are making a ridiculous exhibition of yourself. If you raise a finger to me I'll pitch you across the street. As far as winking at your wife goes, I want to tell you I've too much taste to wink at a woman who is stupid enough to fancy you. In the second place, I don't know your wife from Lucretia Borgia, and I'm equally positive that I never saw you before. And now you may continue your interesting hunt.'

"And the young fellow turned on his heel and stalked along.

"Say, it was the neatest calling down I ever saw, and it makes me chuckle even now."—Cleveland Leader.

House Hunting.

Officer—Move on! Move on!

De Lost—I'm (hic) not drunk; I'm house hunting.

Officer—Whose house are you hunting?

De Lost—Mine.

THE DOMESTIC WOMAN.

Three Paragraphs That Sum Up Many of Her Excellencies.

Woman as a rule is domestic, and the number is comparatively few who cannot find in the environments of home all of the best elements of happiness. To the loyal, loving, womanly heart and mind nothing can be of greater importance than the comfort and well being of each member of the home circle. As a wife her sphere is far from limited if one pauses to consider that by making the home bright and cheerful in many ways besides the mere creature comfort she is a helpmeet indeed, and buoys up the flagging spirit and brings comfort to the weary husband in times of perilous business affairs. Again, she has been known to give wise counsel at such times simply because her mind was not burdened with a load of affairs of state or trade.

As a mother, truly here is her throne, and her sway is unlimited. Too much cannot be said for all the dear women who have never either registered or voted, save by their influence on the boys over whom the divine right of motherhood has exerted such an influence that good citizenship became a subject of early and earnest thought and study. And the wise of our lands are no prouder as they go forth to cast their first ballot than are the earnest, loving, domestic women who have held them in training for twenty-one years. For he speaks for her, and of her influence even these. Many of the great men in history have been called "mother boys," and to the credit of the domestic woman be it said, seldom has a mother boy been a failure.

As a dear companion, guide and friend to her daughters the domestic woman stands pre-eminent, and to her wise thoughtfulness and care these girls will look back long after she has passed away and try to emulate her example in the culture of those who may be committed to their care.

Swift in War.

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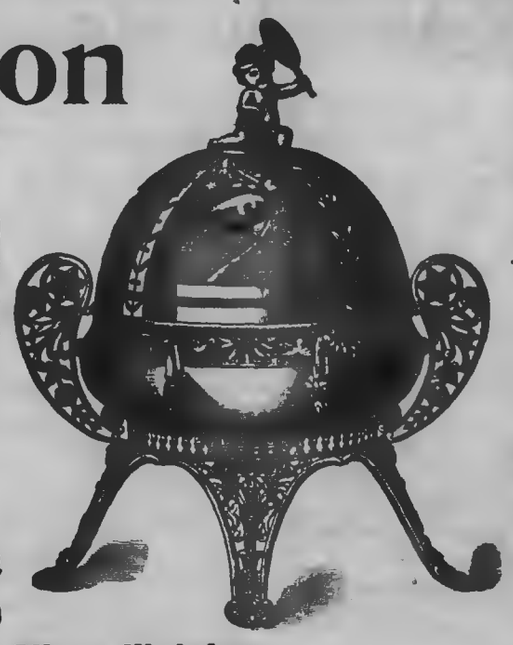

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Striving to keep his shadow in sight.
There's a tremulous smile on the lips he has kissed.
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And the sodden landscape fades away.
A shining path spreads before her feet.
Love's deathless domain she has entered today,
And, oh, to be living is sweet!

HE.

He, hurrying off to catch the train,
Hopes that his people will like the match.
What a lucky girl such a husband to gain,
For she wasn't much of a catch.
Well, the deed is done; the victim must pay.
How much did that dress cost she wore tonight?
She should make her own; there's a saving that way.
Once married, he'll set all such things right.
—E. D. Pierson in New York Sun.

LOST HIS BEARD.

"Rezonville! Gravelotte! Montretout! What a long time ago it all seems—half a lifetime, monsieur!" said my old friend Philipe Alibert, the ex-dragoon, as we stood before Brisset's picture in the salon of 1894. "Yes, that is Gravelotte—I was there. Is the picture like it? Oh, no doubt! The artist knows—I cannot tell. I had to fight, not look about.

"You want an anecdote of our troop, monsieur? Well, you shall have one. You may take it that we were picked men. There was but one youngster among us, and to us old mustaches his beardless face seemed strange. Ah, he was handsome, with the beauty du diable, fairly tall and very slim. He had a caustic tongue, and nothing pleased him better than to use it on us, his comrades, in such a manner that we feared him and left him to himself. How it was we could not tell, but Leon St. Paul carried everything before him. Did one of us offer attention to a pretty grisette merely pour passer le temps, Leon would cut him out and cover him in his retreat with confusion. This, in truth, was bad enough when the intent was merely to amuse oneself, but, more, it is hard to bear when a man was in earnest, as poor Cambert was with Mam'selle Marie Emmanuel, the vivandiere.

"A good creature, that Marie. We were devoted to her to a man, but she reserved her smiles for Leon, and, if I must say what I think, the inmost recesses of her heart for monsieur le docteur.

"Poor Marie! M. Vendome thought nothing of her.

"Cambert hated Leon and would often say while stroking his thick, black beard: 'This young cockerel crows too loud, messieurs. We must cut his comb for him.'

"'There are plenty of Prussian combs for cutting, Corporal Cambert,' our sergeant would reply. 'Let us carve them, my friend, before we practice on each other. Who knows?' he added thoughtfully on one occasion. 'The time may come when we shall none of us have the heart for crowing.'

"Ah, well, the campaign was in its infancy then, and France, like a bride who decks herself for her nuptials, had gone out to espouse the god of war, little dreaming what the children of her marriage bed would be. But to my story, monsieur. It was the eve of Gravelotte, and Cambert, moody as usual, came across Leon trifling with Marie, the vivandiere. He found her smiling into the youth's handsome, beardless face, and in a burst of sarcasm unusual with him—for monsieur will understand that he had no great command of language except for cursing—he said to her, 'Mam'selle Marie Emmanuel, if you would have us continue to be your slaves, at least give us a man for a rival.'

"Leon's face turned scarlet. 'Man or boy,' he answered, 'I will wager my silver rosary, blessed by the holy father himself, against that beard of yours, of which you think so much, that I ride before you into the fight when next we charge the Prussians.'

"'Agreed!' replied Cambert lightly. 'Have the goodness to accept my assurance mademoiselle, that I shall present you with a silver rosary in a little time.'

"'Marie shall have the rosary, but she shall also have your beard to stuff a pillow for her favorite poodle,' answered Leon, and then, looking daggers at each other, they parted.

"The morrow was the day of Gravelotte, and we heard that we were to charge the blue tunics and drive them out of the plantation of hop vines behind which they lay concealed.

"'Ah, this is work for men,' granted Cambert, as he looked to the left, on which side rode Leon, with myself next in line.

"'Look to your beard, Cambert,' answered Leon, laughing scornfully. 'You will never carry it into another fight.'

"The word was given, and off we went. Tell you about it? What shall I say? Only that the air was thick with a mist which smelled of sulphur and that a swarm of bees from hell itself seemed buzzing round our ears.

"Ping! We were not half way across the space which intervened between our starting point and those green rows of hop vines, each one masking a blue coated Prussian, when I got it! My right arm was stung by one of those bees and the bone shattered. I transferred my saber to my left hand and let my reins fall on the neck of my gray mare. On she went, her head down, her neck stretched out, her nose to the ground.

"'God of war!' I said to myself. 'Had it only been my left arm some Prussian should pay for this!' I was thinking of myself, of course, for it is not good or agreeable to charge Prussians with one arm useless, but I saw what passed near me—I saw very well, though the gray mist seemed turning red.

"Young Leon was the next. A bullet struck him below the breast just above the belt, a little to the side—a disagreeable spot that! Strike yourself with your fist, monsieur, so— just there, and you will know what I mean. I heard him groan 'O Jesu!' and saw him throw out both his hands into the air. Then I knew what had happened.

"In another instant he would fall backward over his horse's haunches and lie on the ground with a Prussian bullet in his internals and his comrades' horses trampling the beauty in his young face. On I went, the blood trickling down on to my saddle, my teeth gritting together and a pretty strong resolve in my soul to see some Prussian fluid very soon.

"'Holy Virgin!' Jean Joseph Cambert's voice reached me through the screaming and the hissing of the bullets. He was speaking grimly. 'Courage, comrade,' he said; 'you win your wager, for you ride before me toward the enemy's line.' And, monsieur, it was so! Leon St. Paul had been caught as he fell, and lay across the saddle of his rival, supported by his left arm.

"What followed then? You must picture it for yourself, for I cannot. Some of us never reached the hop vines, some never returned, but those who left us had Prussian comrades on their journey to the other world, be sure of that. Ah, ha, on that journey a good soldier of France is comforted by the presence of a detested Prussian, though in life no road is broad enough for them to travel amicably.

"When it was over we returned, and we three, Cambert, St. Paul and I, were still together.

"Cambert bore St. Paul to the place where M. Vendome and Marie Emmanuel were at work. They were both covered with blood and sweat. The surgeon groaned as we brought the youth in, for, as I have said, he loved St. Paul, but Marie uttered a cry which was hard on Cambert and made him look more grim than ever.

"I was in very great haste to part company with my right arm, but I stood aside to give young Leon his chance. A right arm is a good friend and sticketh closer than a brother. But even the best friend is sometimes de trop.

"The surgeon ripped the garments up with his scissors and tore them from the wound, disclosing the white flesh of the patient's body, but just then Leon roused and tried to drag himself on to his side, away from the healer's hand, muttering something that seemed to imply that, exclusive to the last, he would not be touched or handled in our presence.

"The surgeon drew back irresolute, which was indeed strange with moments so precious and gaping wounds waiting for him on every side.

"Then it was that the vivandiere spoke, turning to those who stood within the door of the hut, moved by such curiosity as men can feel who are used to scenes of blood.

"'Go, go, my friends,' she said; 'monsieur must find that bullet, and this is no place for you. You all have had mothers, women of France, sisters, some of you wives or sweethearts. Retire, I beg. If I come to the door of the hut and say, 'My friends, it is the death'—here her strong voice broke—'then pray—pray for the soul of a brave daughter of France.'

"We who had called the young soldier comrade and loved or hated him for his smiling, handsome face cast a strange look upon the silent figure under the doctor's hands. We saw with opened eyes, and every head was bare in an instant, for patriotism and the courage which God himself gives sometimes to his weakest commanded our respect as no other earthly attribute might.

"The doctor, with a gasping sob, turned to us as we drew toward the door of the hut. 'I loved the youth,' he said. 'I find that I have loved our sister. It is well that you should go—she wishes it—but courage, my brothers, the time has not yet come to say of our brave comrade in arms—may the soul of the faithful departed rest in peace.'

"Well, monsieur, my arm was taken off and I did well enough. They extracted that bullet from young Leon's body, and the doctor kept it. A bit of German lead, of course, but made precious by a countrywoman's blood. They moved us to the house of a wealthy patriot, and she lay in the temporary ward among the men, but separated by a screen. My bed was next to it.

"Cambert came to visit us, clean shaven, and not half so fierce and grim without his mustache. When he left, he was weeping like a child.

"One day I heard Marie Emmanuel talking to the patient behind the screen, and then I heard the voice of Leontine St. Paul.

"'How shall I face my comrades,' she said; 'how meet them, now I no longer dare to wear the dress in which they knew me?'

"And the vivandiere answered: 'Meet them, dear friend, as the wife of our brave surgeon. He loves you—I have said it. Surely such women as you were meant to be the mothers of our future heroes.'"

"And what became of Cambert?" I demanded.

"Oh, he married," said the old soldier. "He has sons and daughters. Perhaps he married Marie Emmanuel. I have seen his daughter. She is very like Marie."—Cora Langlois in New York Journal.

Must Have Been a Loose Screw.

For several minutes the young man did not speak. His heart was too full. It was enough for him to know that this glorious creature loved him; that she had promised to share his fate. With a new and delightful sense of ownership he feasted his eyes once more upon her beauty, and as he realized that henceforth it would be his privilege to provide for her welfare and happiness he could have almost wept with joy. His good fortune seemed incredible. Finally he whispered tenderly:

"How did it ever happen, darling, that such a bright, shining angel as yourself fell in love with a dull, stupid fellow like me?"

"Goodness knows," she murmured absently. "I must have a screw loose somewhere."—Pearson's Weekly.

SIGHTSEEING IN LONDON.

A Chicago Girl Notes That English Women Have Large Feet.

"Under these circumstances we took our first drive down Piccadilly, and Europe to me dates from that moment," writes Miss Lilian Bell in The Ladies' Home Journal. "The ship, the landing, the custom house, the train, the hotel—all these were mere preliminaries to Europe, which began then. People told me in America how my heart would swell at this and how I would thrill at that, but it was not so. My first real thrill came on me in Piccadilly. It went all over me in little shivers and came out at the ends of my fingers and then began once more at the base of my brain and did it all over again.

"I remember nothing definite about that first drive. I, for my part, saw with unseeing eyes. My sister had seen it all before, so she had the power of speech. Occasionally she prodded me and cried, 'Look, oh, look quickly!' But I never swerved. 'I can't look. If I do, I shall miss something. You attend to your own window and I'll attend to mine. Coming back I will see your side.'

"When we got beyond the shops, I said to the cabman:

"'Do you know exactly the way you have come?'

"'Yes, miss,' he said.

"'Then go back precisely the same way.'

"'Have you lost something, miss?' he inquired.

"'Yes,' I said, 'I have lost an impression, and I must look till I find it.'

"We did it all over again that afternoon, and that second time I was able in a measure to detach myself from the hum and buzz and the dizzying effect of foreign faces, and I began to locate impressions. My first distinct recollections are of the great numbers of high hats on the men, the ill hanging skirts and big feet of the women, the unsteadying effect of all those thousands of cabs, carriages and carts all going to the left, which kept me constantly wishing to shriek out, 'Go to the right or we'll be killed!' the absolutely perfect manner in which traffic was managed and the majestic authority of the London police."

CARE FOR EMPLOYEES.

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The question, "What is to become of the old man?" is one that is frequently discussed. Generally it is meant to apply to men who have not been able to save sufficient money to support them in their declining years and whose economic efficiency has become impaired by the passing of years. To be dependent upon their children or relatives is a humiliation that would imbitter that part of their lives which should be free from care. The almshouse is a horror of degradation from which they shrink. In some countries the governments have endeavored to solve the problem by a system of labor pensions. This is done in Germany; but, despite its merits, it still savors of charity or paternalism.

A few individuals have sought for a solution in this country. In at least one community the employer of 1,000 men insures the lives of all his workmen up to $3,000, and after 25 years of continuous service an employee may retire and continue to draw full wages as long as he lives. To do this the employer says that it costs him not over 1 per cent of his wages account, which he regards as the cheapest possible insurance against strikes and against the disturbance caused by constantly changing his working force. He puts by every year that small percentage of his profits to the account of wear and tear upon labor, just as he does a larger percentage to the account of wear and tear upon machinery. He is an earnest advocate of a national labor pension and insurance system—not by the government, but by an association of employers.—New York Mail and Express.

A Story of Abernethy.

This is the story of Dr. Abernethy which Tennyson used to tell. A farmer went to the great doctor complaining of discomfort in the head, weight and pain. The doctor said, "What quantity of ale do you take?" "Oh, I taakes my yaale pretty well." Abernethy (with great patience and gentleness), "Now then, to begin the day — breakfast, what time?" "Oh, at haafe past 7." "Ale then; how much?" "I taakes my quart." "Luncheon?" "At 11 o'clock, I gets another smack." "Ale then?" "Oh, yes, my pint and a haafe." "Dinner?" "Haafe past 1." "Any ale then?" "Yees, yees, another quart then." "Tea?" "My tea is at haafe past 5." "Ale then?" "Noa, noa." "Supper?" "Noine o'clock." "Ale then?" "Yees, yees I taakes my fill then. I goes saleep arterward." Like a lion aroused, Abernethy was up, opened the street door, shoved the farmer out and shouted out, "Go home, sir, and let me never see your face again. Go home, drink your ale and be damned." The farmer rushed out aghast, Abernethy pursuing him down the street with shouts of "Go home, sir, and be damned."—St. James Gazette.

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GRANITE RINKS SELECTED.

At a meeting of the Granite curlers held in the rink parlours last night, called by the Secretary, Mr. W. L. Allen, the following rinks were chosen in the usual way:

RINK NO. 1.	RINK NO. 1.
W S Anderson,	Col H Q Rogers,
Geo Giroux,	R E Wood,
W J Morrow,	W Manson,
Geo Edmison,	T H Bradburn,
	Judge Weller.
RINK NO. 2.	**RINK NO. 4.**
C Graham,	A G Parker,
E H Fortye,	R M Dennisson,
G F Whiten,	G S Matthews,
R S Davidson,	Dr Boucher.
RINK NO. 5.	**RINK NO. 6.**
W K Hall,	Dr Young,
H A Morrow,	R Waddell,
W L Allen,	G M Roger,
H M Allen,	E B Edwards.
RINK NO. 7.	**RINK NO 8.**
J D Collins,	L M Hayes,
H J Grassett,	A F Macnee,
J Hamilton,	J Crane,
T P Attrill,	W D Parker.
RINK NO. 9.	**RINK NO. 10**
D Walker,	M O'Brien,
J Baptie	C Fessenden,
F H D Hall,	H R H Kenner,
D W Dumble,	J Jeffries.

Richmond Fire Hall,
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Young Women's Christian Association.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Management of the Y.W.C.A. will be held at the rooms of the Association on Monday afternoon, Dec. 13th, at half past three o'clock. Mrs. Kennedy will meet her bible class as usual this evening and will be glad to welcome all members of the Association.

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MR. STRATTON IS THE CHOICE

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then; had as much excuse now as then. Their abandonment was proof that either no ground had existed for these cries or that they were raised for the purpose of gaining power at any cost and snatching a verdict at the expense of the harmony of the community.

At any rate these cries were silent now and there was an evident desire on the part of the Opposition not to disturb their repose. Still there was some difficulty in deciding what the policy of the Opposition was. During the past summer the leader of the Opposition and his lieutenants had made a tour of the Province to enlighten the electors, and it was presumed that in his public addresses Mr. Whitney had laid down the policy with which he would go to the country at the general elections. But that supposition was a mistake. When the House met Mr. Whitney had practically repudiated every important statement he had made on the stump. He had not said what he had said, and he would not be bound by it. It was therefore a little difficult to arrive at

POLICY OF THE OPPOSITION,

but anyway they were "again the Government" which they attacked and denounced in general terms without seriously successful attempts at furnishing anything like proofs of their charges.

He did not intend taking up their time on this occasion with any lengthened reference to the public questions that were now before the people, as there would be other and more convenient opportunities of discussing them later on. But it seemed to him that a government that had had control of the revenue and expenditure of the Province from 1873 to 1896 and had expended in that time about eighty millions of dollars, that had accumulated a surplus of $4,760,982; that had each year of those twenty-five years, with the exception of seven or eight, kept their expenditure within their income—a government which did all this, he repeated, had a claim to be considered a good government, especially in view of the results of government in other provinces, and in the Dominion under both Liberal and Conservative rule; and a government that had such a record had a claim upon the support of the people of the Province. It was charged against the Government that some of the items of expenditure are larger now than they were twenty-five years ago, and to those who take an interest in financial questions it would be instructive to make a comparison of certain items of expenditure in 1871 with the same items in 1896; and the items he would select for consideration were those which represented direct payment of money to the people for their benefit, and to the lessening of local taxation. For instance, the grants made to education in 1871, were $351,326, and in 1896 this had increased to $762,457, an increase of $351,151. The grant to agriculture and arts in 1871 was $76,381, and in 1896 it was $192,042, an increase of $115,661. The grant made to hospitals and charities was $40,290, and in 1896, $194,615, an increase of $154,325. The amount granted to public asylums, etc., in 1871 was $171,423, and the amount granted in 1896

WAS THE LARGE SUM

of $796,567, an increase of $625,144. The grant for the administration of justice (which include only the amounts handed over directly to county treasurers) in 1871 was $104,049, increased in 96 by $79,267. The grant made to colonization roads in 1871 was $35,049, and in 1896 it had grown to $102,719, an increase of $47,310. Altogether the total amount paid directly to the people for the several services just mentioned in 1871 was $798,828 in 1896, the amount was $2,165,716, or a grand total increase of $1,366,880. This seems to be a large amount, but it must be remembered that the increase consists in the expenditure of public money for the direct benefit of the people and that it represents a saving of a similar amount in local taxation, for if these service were not provided for by the Government the people would have to put their hands in their pockets to pay for these services or go without them. The speaker went on to show what the total payments for the several services would have been if the same scale of payment as that adopted in 1871, were continued for twenty-five years. Under that scale the total payments would have been for education, $8,782,650; for agriculture and arts, $1,909,525; for hospitals and charities, $1,006,500; for asylums, etc., $4,285,575; for administration of justice, $2,061,225; for colonization roads, $1,385,225, or a total in twenty-five years, according to the scale of payment in 1871 of $19,970,700. But the Government did not think it wise that such important services should be crippled for want of sufficient funds, and the grants had been increased as circumstances required, and with the consequence that the actual payments for the services under consideration had amounted in 25 years to the following sums:—Education, $14,115,370, an increase of $5,332,720; agriculture and arts, $3,285,650, an increase of $1,376,125; hospitals and charities, $2,376,304, an increase of $1,509,804; asylums, etc., $14,623,944, an increase of $10 338,369; administration of justice, $3,533,441, an increase of $932,216; colonization roads, $3,774,718, an increase of $1,389,493. The total actual grants therefore for 25 years had been $40,909 427, an increase of $20,938,727. It will thus be seen that the present Government

HAS RETURNED TO THE PEOPLE

for the various services mentioned, no less a sum of money than $20,938 727 more than they would have received had the same scale of expenditure been maintained and on the same scale as in 1871. There is therefore nothing to complain of in the increased expenditure. It was necessary to maintain the efficiency of the public service and it was for the benefit of the people—the people were the direct gainers. It is to be pointed out that the objections of the Opposition crop out only or chiefly at election times. As an instance taken for evidence, the ten years ending 1896. During that time the total amount of the supply bills submitted to the House was $43,7?9,111. It would be supposed that if the Government had been as recklessly extravagant as the Opposition on the stump try to delude the people into believing, that they would have made a better fight against the expenditure proposed in the House and would have tried to have it reduced. They would have objected to it. But what were the facts? Out of a total of nearly forty-four millions proposed and voted for expenditure in the Legislature the Opposition in the past ten years objected to the comparative trifle of $311,000, or only three-quarters of a mill to the dollar. This shows that if the Government has been extravagant the Opposition has not tried to prevent it. And that they have not tried to prevent proves it one of two things, that the expenditure proposed by the Government was proper and in the public interest on that the Opposition were false to their trust and if they cannot watch what they call an extravagant government they are not fit themselves to be entrusted with the government of the country. The fact was that, in the first place the Ontario Government was

AN HONEST GOVERNMENT,

for out of a total expenditure of about eighty millions made in twenty-five years there is no proof, indeed there is no charge, that one single dollar was dishonestly expended. And it was an economical Government, for while it aimed to support ever public service liberally, it also aimed at and succeeded in doing that work for the least possible expenditure of money. Of course a Government may in the course of a quarter of a century have made some mistakes in administration or policy. They would not be human if it had been otherwise, but in the main they had succeeded in giving this province clean, capable, honest and effective Government, and on their past record they were abundantly worthy of a renewal of the confidence they would seek at the approaching general elections. (Loud cheers.)

After referring briefly to one or two other public questions, the speaker said that he would have other opportunities for addressing them, and he would give place to others; and after again thanking the convention for the honour of their unanimous nomination, and declaring his complete confidence in the result of the contest, Mr. Stratton resumed his seat amidst enthusiastic applause, similar to that which had frequently interrupted him during his address.

Hon. Senator Cox and Hon. Mr. Dryden addressed the immense gathering which, in spite of the bad roads, packed the opera house from stage to entrance, but a report of their remarks is held over.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Fred Sherwood has returned from the Northwest and secured a situation with Gough Bros.

Mr. H. Clifford Shaw, of Rochester, who has been in town for the last several days, returned home this morning.

Mrs. W. G. Grisdale left on the 11.50 G. T. R. for Toronto, where she will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. D. J. Zetter, 382 Shaw street.

FOR MEN ONLY.

To-night at the young men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A., Mr. W. F. Chapman, formly secretary of the Association here will be present.

The General Saretary's Sunday 3 a.m. Bible class is increasing in interest. Topic for Sunday "One more chance."

Mr. T. R. Clerver an interesting speaker from Toronto, will address the men's meeting on Sunday at 4.15 p.m. Subject, "A Double Life."

Mr. B. Anderson will to-night organize a Bible class for boys over 14 years of age. He will lead the class during the season. It will meet at 7.30 p.m.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	..16° above zero	
Yesterday	47°	25°

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1 lb. No. 1 Lemon Peel	.15	1 lb. Cooking Figs 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Cross & Blackwell's Peel	.20	1 lb. Table Figs	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Seeded California Raisins	.12	1 doz. No. 1 Granges	.20
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"For a number of years," says Mrs. J. W. Gardiner, Napier St., Collingwood, Ont., "I have been afflicted with nervousness and weakness of the heart. The symptoms constantly became more distressing

and alarming as the disease advanced. I had violent palpitation and fluttering of the heart which naturally made me weak. My sleep was disturbed with frightful dreams and my mind wandered at night. In addition to this my blood was much impoverished, causing sleeplessness and fatigue. I became thin and lacked bodily vigor. Dizziness and weak eyesight, blurred vision, etc., added to my distress, and at times I found it difficult to breathe after slight exertion and felt always tired and weary.

"At Mr. Carpenter's drug store I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills in March last, and from that time began to get better and gain in strength and weight. By their remarkable tonic action they brought my entire system to health and strength again, gave me restful, refreshing sleep, enriched my blood and restored vitality, and in every way conferred great benefit upon me. I cannot say too much in favor of this great medicine as a tonic for all forms of physical weakness caused by wrong action of the heart or nerves."

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BARRETT'S BLOOD IS UP.

A Policeman in Troy, N. Y., Chased Him With a Gun and Arrested Him—Now He Asks Compensation.

New York, Dec. 10.—A despatch from Troy, N.Y., to a morning paper, says;

The English Government, through its ambassador, has made a claim at the State Department at Washington, on behalf of Patrick Barrett of Montreal, for compensation for his illegal arrest in this city some weeks ago.

On Nov. 18, Barrett arrived in the Union Railway station here, from his home in Montreal, at about 3 o'clock in the morning and started down Broadway on his way to Watervliet to visit his father, who was seriously ill and to whose bedside he had been suddenly called.

Barrett was in a hurry and was going at a pretty fast gait when he was hailed by a policeman. He thought some one was trying to hold him up and started to run. The policeman fired several shots at him, and finally caught him. Barrett told the policeman that he was going over the river to visit his father, who was ill, but the policeman was not convinced until he had accompanied Barrett to the house in Watervliet and heard his story corroborated by members of the family.

Barrett is a British subject and was very indignant over his arrest. When he returned to his home, he notified the Crown officials with the above result.

ANOTHER VICTORY WON.

Kincardine was the Scene of the Contest—The Victory was thorough and Complete—An Interested Person Tells of it.

KINCARDINE, Ont., Nov. 24th.—The case of Mr. Herb Brown, a finisher in Watson & Malcolm's furniture factory here, is the talk of the town at present. Mr. Brown was a continual sufferer from kidney disease. The urinary system became involved, and his condition grew very serious. That great benefactor, Dodd's Kidney Pills, conquered the disease and made a new man of the victim. Mr. Brown cannot say enough in praise of the remedy which has done so much for him. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the great favourite in this district, where many remarkable cures have been made by them. They have not failed in a single case.

SCHOOLS OF ONTARIO.

Principal Macvicar Speaks of the System Discussed and Its Adoption Suggested.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—At the meeting of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners yesterday the chairman, Rev. Principal Macvicar, paid a high tribute to the system of free education in Ontario. The question of aiding people who are too poor to pay for the education of their children is one which often comes before the commissioners, and is difficult to deal with. The members of the Board yesterday agreed that some such system as that in Ontario ought to be adopted. The annual report of the Board, which was adopted at the meeting, showed that the cost of the High School education was nearly $60 per pupil, while in the common schools it is a little over $20. The cost to parents is from $40 to $60 for each child in the High School, and an average of about $10 in the Public Schools.

Jailed in Montreal.

Joseph Lalonde and Gideon De Guire, the two French-Canadians charged with killing Alexio Grieno, the Italian, at Coteau du Lac, on the Soulanges Canal, Wednesday night, have been placed in jail here, after being arraigned in the police court and entering a plea of not guilty. Their case will come up on the 14th inst.

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Norway's Pine Syrup cures Bronchitis.
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AN ARMY INCREASE,

Lord Lansdowne Discusses the Question Last Night.

GERMANY TO LEAVE KIAO CHOU

Premier Sagasta's Opinion of President McKinley's Message - Spain Will Fight if the United States Interferes in Cuban Affairs—The Clyde and the Avoca Both Safe.

London, Dec. 10.—The Marquis of Lansdowne, Secretary of State for War, speaking last night at Edinburgh, outlined the military policy of the Government.

Lord Lansdowne, after remarking that the country had been confronted during the last few months with difficulties in every part of the globe, not of her own seeking, especially mentioning the Behring Sea and Venezuelan controversies, said that three army corps were required, adding that two must be available for offensive purposes abroad.

He asserted that he was still of opinion that only a moderate service with the colors was expedient, but he hoped to be able to increase the establishment of each home battalion, thus securing a larger margin of seasoned soldiers by contracting with small numbers of reservists, who, for extra pay, would agree, if necessary, to rejoin the colors during the first year of reserve.

In summing up the policy of the Government, Lord Lansdowne said: "Our intention is to maintain what is good of the present system, and to supplement it where deficient."

MOHAMMEDANS

Are Sinking Mutual Animosities to Rally Round the Sultan.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 10.—Throughout Russian Asia there is general unrest among the Moslems. It is attributed to the exaggerated reports of the Turkish victory over the great Greek Empire, which have spread through the length and breadth of the continent.

The authorities even fear that the revival of brigandage recently noticed in the Caucasus is decided almost solely against the Government officials and the unprecedented phenomon of Georgians displaying hostility toward Armenians has become manifest. The danger is so serious that a conference of Caucasian Governors has been convoked to concoct measures of pacification. Travellers in Central Asia report an extraordinary fervor among the Moslems of different races. The are sinking their mutual animosities and declaring that they are first of all Mohammedans, with the Sultan as their common chief.

SAGASTA SPEAKS FOR SPAIN.

If the United States Intervenes in Cuba There Will Be Trouble.

Madrid, Dec. 10.—At a Cabinet Council yesterday, at which the Queen-Regent presided, the Premier, Senor Sagasta, outlined the opinions of the European press regarding President McKinley's message to Congress, the majority of which, the Premier said, were favorable to Spain. He further declared that, in the event of the United States wishing to intervene in Cuba, it would find the Government prepared to defend the rights and honor of Spain.

Referring to the military operations in Cuba, the Premier informed the Cabinet that the results obtained were satisfactory.

Both Vessels Are Safe.

Valetta, Island of Malta, Dec. 10.—The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's steamer Clyde, concerning whose safety there were fears, has arrived here safely from Marseilles.

Cape Town, Dec. 10.—The British troopship Avoca, from Jamaica for this port, has arrived here safely. Reports of the Avoca being lost were not credited in London.

Peary and His Meteorite.

London, Dec. 10.—Lieut. Peary, the Arctic explorer, paid a visit yesterday afternoon to the British Museum, where he was met by the director, Sir William Fowler, and Curator Fletcher of the Mineralogical Department. Mr. Fletcher examined a specimen of the Cape York meteorites discovered and brought to New York by Peary, and unhesitatingly declared that it was certainly of meteoric origin. He added that no specimen in the British Museum had meteoric characters more sharply or more clearly shown than those of the Cape York meteorite. This is the opinion of one of the foremost authorities of the world, and it has so thoroughly convinced Dr. J. Scott Keltie, Secretary of the Royal Geographical Society, that it is considered by him to have settled the controversy as to the genuineness of the Cape York meteorites.

A Mysterious Order.

Dublin, Dec. 10.—The Evening Telegraph says that the War Office has sent an order to Dublin for the sharpening of all the sword bayonets in the possession of regular troops in Ireland. The order is unprecedented and a perfect mystery to both officers and men.

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KIAO CHOU CHANGES.

And Britain and France May Have Something to Say About It.

London, Dec. 10.—A despatch to The Times from Pekin says that yesterday (Thursday) the Tsung-Li-Yamen telegraphed the Viceroy of the Province of Chi-Li north of the Province of Shan Tung, that China, having complied with her demands, Germany undertakes to evacuate Kiao Chou at a date to be fixed hereafter and will receive instead as a coaling station the Sam-Sah Inlet in the Province of Fo-Kien, over against the Island of Formosa.

The Times commenting editorially upon the exchange of Kiao Chou for Sam-Sah, says: "Germany, spontaneously or otherwise, has shown deference to the wishes of Russia; and France and England may have something to say to the creation of a great German naval station at Sam-Sah."

The President's Mother.

Canton, O., Dec. 10.—Mrs. McKinley was still alive last evening, but very weak. The President remains with her.

Steamer Parnell Ashore.

Colchester, Ont., Dec. 10.—The steamer Parnell, bound for Milwaukee, loaded with coal, ran ashore one mile east of here at 8 o'clock yesterday. No assistance had reached her last night.

A Painter Paralyzed.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Archibald Gillespie, aged 51, a painter living at 158 Euclid avenue, is lying in Grace Hospital paralyzed from the waist downward, the result of a rung of a ladder breaking and throwing him 16 feet to the ground.

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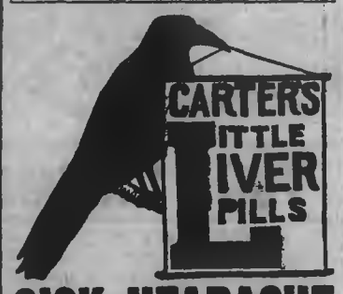
A Race Across the Atlantic.

Halifax, Dec. 10.—The Beaver Liner Gallia and the Allan Liner Parisian left this port about the same time, and it is suspected there will be a lively race across the Atlantic. The Parisian got 15 minutes the best of the start.

Toronto's Finances.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—An interesting document was presented to the Board of Control yesterday, namely, the officially compiled statement of expenditures and receipts for the year ending Dec. 31, 1897. It shows the total revenue to be $2,863,798, and the expenditure, controllable, $1,086,-236; uncontrollable, $1,777,562; total $2,863,798.



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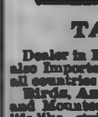

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A FAMOUS PHOTOGRAPHER.

Mrs. Cameron, Who Was a Friend of Herschel and Tennyson.

In The Century V. C. Scott O'Connor has an article on "Mrs. Cameron, Her Friends and Her Photographs." Mr. O'Connor says:

A feature of her personality which lay at the root of her great success as a photographer was her love of all that was beautiful. "She was always took by a face," as an old woman in Freshwater who remembers her put it to me. Charles Turner said the same thing in poet's language when he told her, in the sonnet he addressed to her on leaving the isle of Wight after a visit, that she "loved all loveliness." In obedience to this impulse she invariably stopped and spoke to any one, however unknown, whether in a great London thoroughfare or a village lane, whose beauty attracted her. "I am Mrs. Cameron," she would say. "Perhaps you have heard of me. You would oblige me very much if you would let me photograph you. Will you let me do so?" And by such bold and unconventional means she prevailed on many, absolute strangers though they were, to sit to her.

One of her models captured in this way was a young lady come as a summer visitor to Freshwater. Mrs. Cameron, engrossed at that time in some remarkably fine studies illustrative of the "Idylls of the King," was at a loss for a model for Queen Guinevere. But the advent of the fair stranger settled all her doubts. Here was a beauty suited to her purpose, and within the hour she had carried her off to lunch and subsequent photography.

The lady proved a most kind and indefatigable model. The village postman had already been secured for King Arthur, and Mrs. Cameron's picture of him in this character is one of the best things in the collection. A friend, going one day to Dimbola, found the young lady looking rather fatigued.

"Oh," she said, with an expressive gesture, "I am so tired."

Supposing her fatigue was the result of a long walk on a midsummer day, my friend made some suitable reference to the matter, but the young lady answered with a smile:

"Oh, no. I have not been for a walk. I have been lying on the floor for the last two hours, clutching the postman's ankle."

Mrs. Cameron, ever kind and unselfish, possessed the faculty of bringing out such qualities in others. In 1879 she died, a few months after her last return to Ceylon.

"As the day died," her sons wrote to Lord Tennyson, "as the day died on Sunday, January the 26th, the sweet, tender, gracious spirit of our beloved mother passed away in peace." No death could have been more calm, more beautiful, than hers

Lincoln's "Selfishness."

Mr. Lincoln once remarked to a fellow passenger on the old time mud wagon coach on the corduroy road which antedated railroads that all men were prompted by selfishness in doing good or evil. His fellow passenger was antagonizing his position, when they were passing over a corduroy bridge that spanned a slough. As they crossed this bridge and the mud wagon was shaking like a Sucker with chills, they espied an old razorbacked sow on the bank of the slough, making a terrible noise because her pigs had got into the slough and were unable to get out and in danger of drowning. As the old coach began to climb the hillside Mr. Lincoln called out, "Driver, can't you stop just a moment?" The driver replied, "If the other feller don't object." The "other feller"—who was no less a personage than at that time Colonel E. D. Baker, the gallant general who gave his life in defense of Old Glory at Ball's Bluff—did not "object," when Mr. Lincoln jumped out, ran back to the slough and began to lift the little pigs out of the mud and water and place them on the bank. When he returned, Colonel Baker remarked, "Now, Abe, where does selfishness come in on this little episode?" "Why, bless you soul, Ed, that was the very essence of selfishness. I would have had no peace of mind all day had I gone on and left that suffering old sow worrying over those pigs. I did it to get peace of mind, don't you see?"—Springfield (Ills.) Monitor.

Those Who Endure

the pains of rheumatism should be reminded that a cure for this disease may be found in Hood's Sarsaparilla. The experience of those who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for rheumatism, and have been completely and permanently cured, prove the power of this medicine to rout and conquer this disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier, and it neutralizes the acid which causes the aches and pains of rheumatism. This is why it absolutely cures when other liniments and other outward applications fail to give permanent relief. Be sure to get Hood's.

Spain and a Conquered Race.

The idea of conquered races enjoying the most minute liberty of action by natural birthright was regarded in Spain as absurd. Little by little pressure was brought to bear on the king and his counselors, producing a gradual relaxation of the fetters which bound the new subjects to their forced allegiance. Trade, created by the Spaniards, which finally extended to half castes, was confined exclusively to commerce with Spain. Both in the far east and the far west the exact size and number of packages shipped, the number of voyages per annum to and fro of the Naos (government trading galleons), contents of bales, etc., were all regulated, and no one could ship without a boleto or public permit, which could only be obtained from the unscrupulous officials who had come to fill their pockets by the most corrupt means. Permission had to be solicited again and again to perform almost any act beyond the common necessities of life. One could neither travel, quit or enter the country, read, write, assemble in a group, build a house nor plant a field without license.

In the Philippine islands the natives were forced to think like their masters, to dress as they were told and to adopt the religion of their conquerors under the severest penalties of torture and frequently of death. In Mexico official appointments to the Manilla dependency were publicly sold. Until the American colonies were lost to Spain hardly one Spaniard in a generation carried capital to these new possessions to develop their natural resources. Foreigners were jealously treated as intruders, and the European influx sprang generally from the lowest social orders, who acted like wolves let loose among a fold of sheep.—Westminster Review.

Paying the Cook.

In old times to dine with a nobleman cost more in tips to the servants than a club dinner. James Payn relates that Lord Poor, a well named Irish peer, excused himself from dining with the Duke of Ormond upon the ground that he could not afford it. "If you will give me the guinea I have to pay your cook (fancy!), I will come as often as you choose to ask me," which was accordingly done. The duke, however, had not the pluck to stop the practice. Lord Taafe, a general officer in the Austrian service, did what he could. He always attended his guests to the door. When they put their hands into their pockets, he said: "No. If you do give it, give it to me, for it was I who paid for your dinner." To Sir Timothy Waldo must be given the credit of putting an end to the monstrous practice. After dinner with the Duke of Newcastle he put a crown into the cook's hand. It was rejected. "I do not take silver, sir." "Very good, and I do not give gold." This courageous rejoinder "caught on," and the day of vails to cooks was over.

A Shrewd Cyclist.

An eminent queen's counsel is said to take his bicycle exercise in the following fashion: He goes out every night, but he always rides before the wind, and consequently the direction of his ride depends upon the wind. He always comes back by train.—London Telegraph.

Early Training.

"It seems strange that they should make such a vulgar display of their wealth."

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DAREDEVIL HEROISM.

Brave Rescue of General Payne by Some Negro Volunteers.

"The most daredevil piece of heroism I ever saw was by some negroes before Fort Pillow, when I was a prisoner inside the fort and General Payne was lying in front of it with his leg shot off," was the way Charles Cotton of Company C of the One Hundred and Sixty-first New York infantry began a story of valiant rescue that he told to some negro veterans.

"General Payne's leg had been shot off in the first charge," he continued, "and he was lying hidden behind some rocks in front of the fort, when his troops were forming plans to rescue him. The scathing fire from the fort swept that spot, and no officer dared to command any of his men to go to certain death in what looked like a vain attempt to rescue their chief.

"While the men were deliberating a negro stepped up and said, 'We might as well run our chances now as any other time, and I for one will make the attempt.' He was a handsome fellow, and the spirit he displayed was at once equaled by that of 11 other negroes, who stepped out and volunteered their services. A stretcher was brought, and four of them started, but had gone only a few yards when every one was shot dead. A moment after four others of the volunteers rushed out, and, picking up the stretcher, carried it a few yards farther, when they, too, were killed. The four who were left went ahead as if nothing had happened, and two of them came back alive with the general, while the other two were left dead at the pile of rocks where General Payne had been lying. General Payne is still living, and, I am told, the two noble fellows who rescued him have wanted for nothing ever since."—Buffalo Express.

America's Literary Necessity.

America needs to start a new intellectual cycle, and it is superfluous to say that the way to start is not to rest in the boasted excellence of some light form of literature, for example, the American short story. It will take larger effort than this, and effort along lines ill beset, to bring out the American rival of Homer and Dante and Virgil and Goethe and Shakespeare. There is a deal of meaning in the remark attributed to Horace Greeley that what the United States needed was a sound thrashing, but that unfortunately no other nation on earth was big enough to give it to them. The old world is well worn. It is gradually approaching, from sheer weariness, a social if not a political federalism, in which America must be teacher, not pupil.

But the only lesson which America is now teaching the world in the ideal realm is precisely the lesson which Von Hartmann has already put in words—namely, that the literature of the future is to be as the farce which the Berlin business man goes to see of an evening by way of recreation. It is doing its best to prove that after Goethe the role of transcendent genius is no longer to be played. By way of bringing about a new movement in letters it would be an excellent thing if some profoundly one sided thinker should arise to shake to pieces the eminently respectable but fatally monotonous philosophy of the American schools.—J. S. Tunison in Atlantic.

A Definition.

A woman was being examined at the Old Bailey as a witness, when, to a question put by the barrister, Mr. C——, she replied, "Don't think to humbug me."

"Answer the question directly, woman, or I'll commit you," interrupted the recorder.

"Aye," said Mr. C——, "and tell us what you mean by humbug."

"Why," replied the woman, "if I was to tell you, Mr. C——, that the recorder was a gentleman that would be humbugging you and the court too."—English Exchange.

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MR. WILLIAM DONNELLY'S EXPERIENCE THERE YEARS AGO.

He Was the First White Man to Run the White Horse Rapids and Great Canyon of the Yukon.

In the course another month one of Peterborough's ol izens will be on route for the Klondyke region in the person of Wm. Donnelly, but it will not be his first trip to the famous Yukon gold fields, as shortly after leaving Peterborough some twenty-two years ago, he and a pard struck up into the great nothern country on a prospecting trip.

They went overland by rail to San Francisco, and from there by steamer along the coast to Victoria, transhipping by another line to Sitka, and from there by canoe to the Chilliecot Pass. Here the party, which was composed of sixteen men all told, went down the Mackenzie and over the great divide, having banded together for protection against the Indians.

FINDING THE NATIVES FRIENDLY,

however, the party broke up into twos and threes, and scattered over the country—some going one way and some another. These were the first white men to brave the awful dangers of the pass and the ascension of the summit, of which so much has since been told.

The names of Dawson and Juneau and each men, after whom the camps in the region were called, are all familiar to Mr. Donnelly, who met each and every one of them during the four years that he spent between the Klondyke country and Alaska.

Gold was plentiful enough, but the difficulties, which were experienced in getting provisions was such that there seemed no possibility of the place ever being opened up.

Many of the places having such names as Cariboo and Sheep Camp were christened by Mr. Donnelly himself. The camp on the Yukon known as Cariboo was named from the fact that a cariboo was caught sight of crossing the river at that point, and Sheep Camp was so designated because the last sheep which the party had with them was killed at the last camp in the timber.

Although no one had ventured across the summit previous to the party mentioned, yet three years later there were fully 1,200 miners in the region.

Mr. Donnelly was the first man to run the White Horse Rapids in a canoe and though they are dangerous to the novice, he states that they cannot be compared to the "Canyon" in the Yukon river, where the river banks are of rock ranging in height from

80 TO 120 FEET

and when the two miners shot down into its dark recesses they knew not into what dangers they might be running and Mr. Donnelly states that when he felt the frail boat strike the first rock in the awful torrent he would have given all Alaska to be back in Peterborough again, but through they went and came out safely although the boat collapsed entirely shortly afterwards by reason of the terrific strain to which it had been subjected as it shot through the narrow gorge.

The old miner thought that there was some little exaggeration in the following verse:

The thrifty Klondyke housewife,
Her loving lord inquires,
Please wipe the gold dust off your feet
Before you come in doors.

But he stated that he had himself

SEEN THE FREE GOLD

shining in the banks of the rivers or where it had been washed by the high water in the freshets.

As is usually the case in mining countries the pioneers in the Klondyke region brought out little gold with them, as they were taxed to the utmost to obtain sufficient provisions to carry with them in the long and perilous return journey, paying a dollar and a half a pound for flour.

There has been no exaggeration concerning the cold, the narrator stating that in the winter it ranged from 60 to 80 below zero all the time. There is no wind in the Klondyke country, else every living thing would perish. He has himself taken a saucer of quicksilver out of the cabin and brought it back in his hands frozen into a paste. The thermometer was then 32 degrees below zero. When it was seventy degrees below he has seen two gallons of water thrown into the air out of a dish fall to the ground a solidly frozen mass. These are stories which might easily be taken with a grain of salt had they come from any but one who has been in the country and is here to vouch for the the truthfulness of his statements and tell many more things even more incredible.

WHISKEY

is a bad thing to take in the Yukon region in the winter, as a couple of drinks will stupefy the most hardened drinker and unless help is at hand he will quickly doze off, and dropping in the snow never waken.

It is just three years since Mr. Donnally was out on the Klondyke, or Reindeer River, which is its name as translated into English from the Indian tongue, and in going back next month he expects to find many changes, but with his great experiences aided by the travelling facilities now enjoyed he certainly should strike it rich. He will be accompanied by Mr. H. Clifford Shaw, of Rochester, who has been in Peterborough for the last few days completing all preliminaries for the trip.

A recent despatch from Victoria says:

Col Domville, M. P., who went north in the in the interests of the Klondyke-Yukon steamer company of London, says his company will build a waggon road through the White Pass, erecting a steel bridge over the canyon. The road will be ready by February. The company will also build steamers to run from Lake Bennett to White Horse rapids, around which they will have a tramway. From the end of the tramway they will have a steamer to run direct to Dawson City. These steamers, Col. Domvill, says, will be ready when the season opens. The waggon road through the White Pass is to be followed immediately by a railway.

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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Third Sunday in Advent—December 12th. Services: 11 a m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon—Subject: "The Ends of the Ages;" (The Christain Ages) 3 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p.m., Even-song and sermon. Service and Bible study on the Book of Genesis, Thursday evening at 8.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 12th. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by the pastor; 7 p. m., Rev. A. T. Dykeman, Baptist. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

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PROGRAMME OF
WINTER MEETINGS
OF THE
West Peterborough Farmers' Institute
TO BE HELD AT

Lakefield, on Monday, December 20th, 1897

Commencing at 10.30 o'clock a.m., in the Town Hall, continuing during the afternoon and evening.

Peterborough, Tuesday, December 21st, 1897

Commencing at 1.30 o'clock p.m., in the Council Chamber.

North Monaghan, Tuesday December 21st, 1897

Commencing at 7.30 p.m., in the Town Hall

LAKEFIELD MEETINGS.

10.30 A.M.

1. President's Address.
2. Subject "Care of Milk for Creamery and Cheese Factory," Prof. H. H. DEAN, of the Ontario Agricultural College.
3. "Hog Feeding," JOHN MCMILLAN, M.P., of Seaforth.
4. "Poultry," a paper, by GERALD HAYWARD.

Afternoon at 1.30 o'clock.

1. Subject "The Dairy Cow, How to Know Her; How to Get Her," PROF. DEAN.
2. "Rotation of Crops," MR. MCMILLAN.
3. Paper; "The Best Hens for the Export Egg Trade," GEO. MATTHEWS of the Geo. Matthews Co., Peterborough and Ottawa.
4. Paper "Breeding and Care of Sheep," R. H. BIRDSALL.

Evening at 7.30 o'clock.

1. "Canada Our Home" PROF. DEAN.
2. "Our Boys and Farm Life," MR MCMILLAN.

At this Meeting a Musical Programme will be rendered.

PETERBOROUGH MEETING
1.30 P.M.

1. Subject: "Feed and Care of Dairy Herd," PROF. DEAN.
2. Subject: "Cultivation of the Soil," MR. MCMILLAN.
3. An Essay on "The Poultry Business," R. COCKBURN,
4. "Hereditary Unsoundness, and Breeding Horses for the British Market," B. H. POOLE, V.S.

NORTH MONAGHAN MEETING
7.30 P.M.

1. Subject: "Some of the Needs of the Dairy Market and How to Fill Them," PROF. DEAN
2. Subject: "Our Boys and Farm Life," MR. MCMILLAN

The Farmers and in fact everyone are invited to attend these Meetings and to show that they are interested and appreciate their object, viz; "The Education and Elevation of our Farmers" At Evening Meeting a Musical Programme will be provided.

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—OF—
M. S. DEAN ESTATE.

THERE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE, by Public Auction, on

Saturday, 18th of December, 1897,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the MORGAN HOUSE, in the Town of Peterborough, by John Haggart, Auctioneer, the following Valuable Property, namely:

PARCEL NO. 1.—Brick House, No. 295 Stewart Street, and Land thereunto, being part of Block "E" according to the subdivision of Lots 12 and 13 on the north side of King street and west of George street, in the Town of Peterborough, more particularly described in registered Instrument Number 2151 for the said town of Peterborough. Upon this parcel there is erected a large two story brick veneered dwelling house with like brick kitchen and wood-shed attached. The house is fitted up with modern improvements, hot air furnace, bath room, etc.

PARCEL NO 2.—Dean's Grist Mill, at Bridgenorth, being part of Lot Number fifteen in the village of Bridgenorth, more particularly described in Registered Instrument 623, for the Township of Smith save and except the south one hundred feet of said part of said lot hereinafter referred to as Parcel No. 3. Upon this parcel there is erected a large four story Grist Mill 34 ft. x 54 ft. with a large stone Engine room 55 ft. x 32 ft. attached, and also office 12 ft. x 12 ft. attached to this mill. This Grist Mill is situate on the shore of Chemong Lake, on the main travelled road in the district and is most convenient for milling purposes for a large number of farmers in the thickly settled townships of Smith, Eastnesse, Emily, Verulam and Harvey. This mill is said to contain all necessary machinery for chopping.

PARCEL NO. 3.—Frame House in Bridgenorth, part of Lot Number fifteen, being the south one hundred feet of the land more particularly described in registered Instrument number 623 for the Township of Smith. This parcel is immediately south of the above Grist Mill and there is erected upon it a frame one and one half story dwelling house 21 ft. x 32 ft. with a summer kitchen attached.

Immediate possession may be had of any of the above properties.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent. of the purchase money will be accepted for parcel number one at the time of sale, and 20 per cent. of the purchase money will be accepted for parcels numbers two and three at the time of sale, and the balance of the purchase money for all of the parcels is to be paid within fifteen days thereafter without interest. A mortgage will be accepted on parcel number one for 40 per cent. of the purchase money for a term of five years, with interest at 5 per cent. payable yearly.

There will be a reserved bid on each parcel.

Any person desiring to inspect the above property before day of sale will receive an order to do so on application to Messrs. Stratton & Hall, Solicitors, Peterborough.

Further particulars and conditions of sale may be had from Messrs. Stratton & Hall, or W. H. Moore, Esq., Peterborough, or from Samuel Clegg, Administrator of the M. S. Dean estate.

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10 a. m. Probabilities.
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R. F.

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.... AT ....

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PETERBOROUGH.

THE LEGISLATURE

A Resume of Last Week's Lively Proceedings.

OPPOSITION'S TEAPOT TEMPEST

The Premier's Effective Handling of the Timber Policy of Mr. Whitney—Childish and Silly Tactics—The Patron View—St. John's Piggery—Ontario's Finances—A Surplus.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—The proceedings in the Local Legislature last week were most lively and interesting both for Government supporters and followers of Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition. The debate on the address was spirited and lively. The Opposition seemed to be straining every effort to coin some new and effective argument which would assist them on the stump during the campaign that will follow the session. When the debate opened Mr. Whitney seemed in good spirits and promised the Government he intended making things warm for them before the close. He and his followers left no stone unturned to place matters in their worst light, but after all said and done, the whole business amounted simply to a tempest in a teapot and gave the Government no anxiety from the beginning.

The Timber Policy.

Mr. Whitney was vigorous in his attack upon the Government's course with regard to its timber policy. He termed the Ministers the slaves of the American lumbermen and called upon them at once to prohibit the exportation of logs. His followers cheered his speech and seemed to think the Government placed in an awkward position. They were greatly surprised at the lofty position the Premier took upon the subject and at the conclusion of the debate began to wonder "where they were at." Hon. Mr. Hardy had clearly pointed out that if the Americans had an agent in Ontario that person was none other than the leader of the Opposition, who was the only Canadian member of one of the largest American lumber companies operating within the province. Mr. Whitney had called upon the Government to immediately command Americans to stop taking logs out of Canada, but in so doing he had shown a gross ignorance of the law which would make him ridiculous in the country. Mr. Whitney had quoted from the statute relating to the imposition of restrictions upon license holders and had interpreted it to mean that at any time the Government could refuse to allow logs to go out of the country. How childish and silly, not to say dishonest, his whole argument appeared when the Premier had explained the situation. He pointed out that the timber lands in question had been put up at public auction and the whole world invited to invest their money. It was true some few Americans had availed themselves of this opportunity and had purchased in good faith, had paid their money to the province believing the Government would act honorably with them, because it was a British Government and known in all times past to deal justly and fairly with citizen and alien alike. It would be a breach of contract, he submitted, and a confiscation of property to impose new conditions after the bargain had been signed and sealed and the money paid over. Such a course would not be consistent with the rights of property which had been sold and the licenses issued. No doubt Mr. Whitney saw that such a course might prove popular and of use for party purposes because the question which involved millions of money was not properly understood as yet by the people of Ontario, but the Government were the guardians of the people's honor as well as their property and were acting as the representatives of the Queen, they would not, therefore, bring reproach upon the Crown, no dishonor to the people by justifying anyone in saying they had broken faith with honest customers of the province and for the sake of political advancement break the word of the Crown once passed. The present licenses would expire in May next and it was for the Parliament to say what course should be followed after that.

The Patron View.

Mr. Whitney had expected to catch the Patron support by his timber policy and until Premier Hardy explained matters it is understood many of the Patrons intended voting against the Government, but the fair, manly and high principled stand of the Premier turned the scale in favor of the Government, the result being that every Patron in the House voted with the Ministry, which was sustained by a majority of two to one.

St. John's Piggery.

When the session opened it was understood Mr. St. John had some important revelations to make regarding the piggery out at the Humber. He had been going about the country stating how he intended exposing the dishonesty of the Government. He had stated boldly that the piggery had cost over $35,000, but when brought to book in the House he could not possibly get beyond a cost of $7000 and then admitted he did not sufficiently understand the public accounts to arrive at a correct estimate at all. The House gave him the laugh and the Ministers allowed him to go without further consideration. Mr. St. John had attempted to make a point of the fact one Macdonald, a wood-ranger, who had been dismissed for alleged dereliction of duty, had been re-engaged by the Government. He was called down by Mr. Beatty, a member of his own party, who reminded him it was time, in a British country, to condemn a man after he had been proven guilty

Ontario's Finances.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt will deliver his budget speech to-morrow, after which it is to be hoped the Opposition will give the country a rest about the surplus. One remarkable fact about the finances of Ontario is that it is the only province in the Dominion which is not in debt and has a surplus. It may be fairly supposed that in future the surplus will increase since the amount to be expended hereafter upon the public buildings will be comparatively small. The Parliament buildings, asylums, prisons, etc., are all paid for, and yet the treasury of the province contains after all expenses have been liquidated over half a million dollars. The Opposition will have an opportunity this week of stating what better state of affairs they would desire.

EDMONTON ROUTE TO YUKON.

Messrs. Warmolts and Bock Say It Can be Traveled in a Month.

Calgary, N.W.T., Dec. 13.—L. Warmolts of Chicago, leader of the Warmolts' overland expedition to the Yukon, accompanied by Edward Bock, arrived here last night from Fort Resolution, on the Great Slave Lake. Warmolts and Bock say that any man who condemns the Edmonton route does not base his remarks on facts. The whole distance, some 1200 miles, was covered in 31 days' actual traveling.

DEATH OF WILLIAM MACK.

The Recently Nominated Liberal in Stormont Passes Away.

Cornwall, Dec. 13.—William Mack, ex M.P.P., one of the most widely known and respected men in the United Counties, died here on Saturday.

Deceased was born in Lennoxshire, Scotland, in 1828, and came to Canada with his parents when a child in arms. They settled in Huntington County, Quebec. The son learned the milling trade and started the first grist mill built in Cornwall. He afterwards built the Express grist and flouring mills, and owned and operated them continuously until his death.

Mr. Mack was a member of the municipal council of the town from 1865 to 1868, was deputy reeve in 1869-70, reeve in 1871, deputy reeve in 1875 and reeve again in 1876. He was also warden of the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry in 1878. He was a life-long Liberal, and for many years represented Stormont in the Legislature, where he acted as whip. He was recently chosen to contest the riding in the Liberal interests at the forthcoming elections, the constituency now being held by the Patrons. Deceased was a Presbyterian and a very active member of Knox church. He was a man of the kindliest disposition, and one whose word was as good as his bond.

WILKINS LOST BOTH FEET.

Tried to Board a Moving Train, Caught His Toe and Fell Under the Wheels.

St. Catharines, Dec. 13.—Saturday night George Wilkins, employed on the Cataract Power Company's canal near this place, was trying to board a moving freight train from the G.T.R. station. He caught his toe and slipped, falling under the cars, having both feet mangled in a horrible manner, necessitating the amputation of both feet above the ankle at the hospital. Wilkins is an unmarried man, 23 years of age, and comes from Hamilton, which place he was evidently trying to reach to spend Sunday.

MRS. M'KINLEY DEAD.

The President's Mother Passed Away Sunday Morning.

MODEL MOTHER AND HOUSEWIFE

An Old Lady Who Was Remarkable for Her Vivacity, Which Stood Her in Good Stead Until the End of Her 86 Years—A Much-Loved Woman—Her Quiet Career.

Canton, Ohio, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Nancy Allison McKinley, mother of President McKinley, died at 2.30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mrs. Nancy Campbell Allison McKinley, who was often called "Mother McKinley," was 86 years old. She was the daughter of Abner Allison, who was of English descent, and Ann Allison, nee Campbell, of Scotch ancestry. Her parents settled in Pennsylvania, but soon moved to Ohio and settled at New Lisbon.

James McKinley, grandfather of William, settled with his family of fourteen children, at New Lisbon, Columbia County, when the father of the President was a year and a half old. William McKinley, the elder, here met Nancy Campbell Allison, and married her. The young couple

THE LATE MRS. M'KINLEY.

settled in New Lisbon, where three children were born to them, and they then moved to Niles, Trumbull County, where William McKinley, the President, was born. He was seventh in a family of nine children.

Nancy Campbell Allison's early life was spent amid simple household duties on her father's pioneer homestead. Here she acquired the strong constitution that carried her through a life of excitement and change and made her old age a marvel of health and vigor and kept her mind strong and peaceful.

She was married to William McKinley the elder in 1829. While she was widely known and beloved, her simple life presents few facts of public interest. She was considered to be a perfect type of womanhood and motherhood by thousands who knew her. The President loved and cherished her since he attained to honors and high position as he loved and cherished her when he was a boy.

It has been said of her that in no way did she betray her great age. She was vivacious and active up to the time when she was stricken with paralysis.

STEWART'S SLAYER.

Miners Tried to Arrest the Murderer, But He Had Armed Himself and Refused to Surrender.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—A letter received here from Five Finger Rapids, dated Oct. 25, says: The Canadian Mounted Police have arrested a man named Henderson of Seattle for the murder of his partner, who gave the name of Stewart. The crime was committed on the banks of Marsh Lake some time during the early part of October. Henderson was camped near the settlement of miners, who left Lake Lindermann on Sept. 17.

Stewart was quarreling with Henderson over the disposition of some baggage. Henderson ran and secured his gun and shot Stewart dead. The miners in the vicinity heard of the crime and tried to arrest the murderer. The fellow armed himself and shut himself up in an old cabin.

A delegation of miners was then sent to Tagish Lake with instructions to inform the Custom house officers at that place that a crime had been committed. The mounted police were not in the district. Henderson surrendered to the officers and will be taken to Dawson or to the post nearest to that place.

Henderson's defence was that his partner killed himself, but according to a dying statement made by the murdered man the murderer shot at his partner without giving the latter any chance to defend himself. In the belief of some of the miners Henderson was out of his head when he did the shooting. He had been complaining of great suffering from a chronic disorder.

Men coming out from Dawson say that the restaurants are all closed and the scarcity of food is driving a good many out of the country.

OLD LADY ASPHYXIATED.

Mrs. Hartmann of Napanee a Victim of the Deadly Coal Gas.

Napanee, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Hartmann, an elderly lady, who has been ill for some time and staying with Miss Mary Clough and the latter's nephew on Centre street, was found asphyxiated by coal gas Saturday morning. The nephew, who slept upstairs, awoke in a rather dazed condition this morning, but managed to get downstairs, where he found Mrs. Hartmann dead and Miss Clough unconscious. The tea-kettle had been left off the back of the stove, allowing the gas to escape all night. Miss Clough is in a critical condition and may not recover.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1897.

WEST PETERBOROUGH.

As will be seen by an extended report elsewhere, the convention of the Liberals of West Peterborough, held in the Opera House on Saturday, was the largest and most enthusiastic gathering for the nomination of a candidate ever convened in this riding. The size of the convention was perhaps less gratifying than its representative character. Every township of the riding, even the remotest, was well represented, and it would be impossible to have made a nomination that would have been a more general expression of the feeling of the constituency. Mr. Stratton's having received the unanimous nomination with such extreme cordiality is evidence of two things. It shows that his past representative career has been of the most satisfactory character, that he has left no effort unexerted to promote the interests of West Peterborough, and that he has been successful to a very large degree. It also shows that he retains the confidence of the people, and that the prospects of his re-election are not mere prospects, but an assured certainty—a certainty that, however, depends upon the united support and work of the friends of good Government in the riding. No cause is so good that it does not meet opposition, and the better the cause, the greater and, oftentimes, the more unscrupulous is the opposition. The present representative of West Peterborough has striven to give his services to the constituency without reference to party or individual; he has striven to see that every interest that demanded promotion received his support, and that, without reference to locality, circumstances of environment or personal or party associations, of those representing the interests to be served. Acting thus, with a broad impartiality, he has become recognized as the real representative of, not only those who supported his candidature on the several occasions he has been in the field, but also of all those who felt it their duty to oppose him. For this reason the numbers of those who have opposed him have become less, and the number of his friends has largely increased. That he has a good claim upon the support of the electors cannot be denied, and will, no doubt, be abundantly demonstrated at the close of the coming election campaign. The same moderate and impartial course as a representative that he has pursued for the past twelve years, will be pursued in the future, and the powers of usefulness that have been so energetically exercised in the past, amplified by experience and knowledge of the needs of the riding and province, will be at the service of the electorate. Moderate and large minded electors, with a stake in the riding, recognize that the interests of the riding will best be served by a representative who has himself a stake and an influence in the riding, who has a gratifying record for usefulness, and whose position and experience entitle him to be regarded as the man best qualified to serve the interests of West Peterborough.

The varied interests of Peterborough, which are of the first importance to our future progress, deserve specific attention, and it is particularly necessary at this time, aside from the interests of one candidate or another candidate, that a Liberal should be elected who should be able to present and be strengthened in presenting, the claims of this important constituency to the consideration of the government that has the power to implement such claims. The importance that is given by a government to the representations of a constituency gauged by the person presenting them, and if such a person is in sympathy with the Government and possesses the complete confidence of the riding, it is plain that his prospects of securing practical attention to the desires of the constituency are much more favourable than those of a representative who is hostile to the Government or untried fidelity and small influence. In the multiplicity of matters that engage the attention of a government, it is inevitable that local claims should require to be specially pressed and the representative best qualified to present such claims is one in sympathy and in favour with the government.

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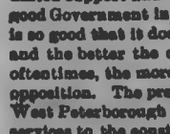

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The Haytian Ministry has resigned.

Old Sol has 100,000 miles of sun spots on him, according to Prof. Brooks of Geneva, N.Y.

William Green was badly hurt by Rev. Father Brady's frisky colt at Hamilton on Saturday.

Waterville, Me., has sent $1200 worth of cats and kittens for sale in a Philadelphia department store.

At Proctor, Pa., some tannery hands have contracted anthrax from diseased hides. Two have died.

W. J. Bryan is having a triumphant tour through Mexico, where he is being treated as a national guest.

Eastern newspaper mill men will, it is said, meet again this week to consider a scheme of consolidation.

The Niagara Falls elections are being run on the issue of Niagara power developed by Canadians for Canadians.

A Rossland, B.C., by-law to raise $15,000 to be applied towards current expenses and a sewerage system, has been quashed.

Robert W. Wood has been committed for a year and a half to Central Prison for attempting to swindle workmen at Ottawa.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has gone to Laurentides, whither he had been called by the serious illness of his brother, Dr. Laurier.

Mrs. Warren, 73 years, died at North Newark, Ont., and two hours later her aged husband, 87, died suddenly in his chair.

German National Liberals will further question in the Reichstag the Government's intentions regarding the Standard Oil Co.

M. Filipesco, director of the Epocia, killed M. Lahorany, director of the Roumanian news agency at Bucharest, in a duel on Friday.

John Dickenson, head of the oldest diamond importing house in New York died on the street of apoplexy at Fort Hamilton, L.I.

Canadian cattle are said to be sent into Buffalo invoiced at from a tenth to a third of their real value. An investigation is in progress.

John F. Bennett of Bloomingburg, N.Y., and his aged wife were nearly suffocated by their folding bed closing upon them last night.

The coroner's jury has censured the Grand Trunk in the matter of the recent tunnel accident whereby two men were suffocated.

Anthony Hope, the English novelist, contributes the proceeds of an afternoon's lecture in Toronto to the Victorian Order of Nurses scheme.

Mr. McDonald, a Patron member, will this week introduce into the Legislature a bill providing that civil servants shall not be exempt from garnishee.

D. W. Powers, the banker and owner of the famous Powers block and art gallery at Rochester, N. Y., died Saturday morning. He was 79 years of age.

A. W. Maybee of Toronto has purchased for John McDonald of St. John the heifer which won the special jubilee prize of $60 in gold at the Fat Stock Show.

Police Magistrate O'Gara of Ottawa suspended Constable McLaughlin for shooting Xavier Daoust, a supposed thief, while the latter was trying to escape arrest.

Charles W. Smith of Minneapolis has just secured a patent on a process for converting soft coal into a fuel which is pronounced superior to any anthracite.

The libel suit brought by William Morgan against The Hamilton Herald newspaper, was dismissed on Saturday before Judge Snider, the plaintiff failing to appear.

On Dec. 15, Henry Meahl of Niagara Falls, N. Y., will begin the task of eating a quail a day for thirty consecutive days. $100 is wagered by him on the successful result.

Jacob Schaefer, the billiard player, broke the record of the three-cushion game in America Friday night, by making a run of 10 points in an exhibition game with Caton.

M. Rempler, who had charge of the Panama scandal, killed himself in a sudden attack of insanity, by throwing himself from the window of the Palais de Justice.

Right Rev. Bishop McFall of Trenton, N.J., has given his decision providing for a plan of uniting the two factions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians now in existence in the United States.

A man named Alfred Nebs got into Thos. May & Co.'s warehouse at Montreal and stole $600 worth of silks and ribbons, after which he was arrested and locked up. Nebs pleaded drunkenness.

President Crespo of Venezuela officially received the British Minister on Saturday. This completes the reconciliation of Great Britain and Venezuela after a 10 years' rupture of diplomatic relations.

A telegram from Kingston dated yesterday says: F. O. Myers, Canadian road king, made a 100-miler on a bicycle on Nov. 15, in 5 hours 9 minutes, beating the best record made in America.

John Cromwell, an old man who has been chasing Beverly people with an ax, under the hallucination that he is being cheated out of property, has been committed for examination as a lunatic.

Thomas Linehan, farmer, aged 70, is under arrest at New Ross, Lunenburg County, N. S., charged with trying to kill his wife, whom he struck three times with an ax. The old man was jealous, it is said.

Mr. Alfred Stead, son of the author of "If Christ Came to Chicago," and editor of The Review of Reviews, passed through Montreal Sunday for home, having left London 10 months ago for a trip round the world.

Professors Galbraith and Ramsay Wright waited on Mr. Aubrey White, at the Parliament buildings, and asked for a grant to an observatory and observing station which may be erected in Algonquin Park.

The W. Paterson & Son Company of Brantford have written to the Mayor requesting that their establishment be exempted from taxes on account of additions in machinery and plant which they are about to make.

John Arneau of Chapleau has been jailed at Pembroke on a charge of desertion and neglect to support his wife and family. He left them last summer, and Mrs. Arneau only discovered him at Pembroke on Saturday.

According to a despatch from Shanghai the Germans are extending the area of occupation at Kiao Chou and now control 400 square miles. They have arranged a German administration and are already collecting duties.

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By order of the Board,
E. R. WOOD,
MANAGER.
Toronto, 6th December, 1897.

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Sir William Lockhart's Management Highly Praised.

HE HAS 70,000 MEN IN THE FIELD

An Army Greater Than Wellington Had at Waterloo in Indian Defiles — In Face of Fierce Fanaticism Sir William Has Displayed Immense Resource—Other Cables.

London, Dec. 13.—Military circles are praising Sir William Lockhart's conduct of the campaign in India. The exciting events that have occurred in other quarters of the world during the last 30 days have diverted attention from the attempt to punish the Afridis. But the undertaking, in its way, is the most remarkable in which England has ever been engaged.

Lockhart has under his personal command a larger body of troops than was ever before commanded by a British General. He has 70,000 men in the field, more than Wellington had at Waterloo, where only 36,000 were actually British.

In the exceptionally difficult conditions, the mountainous and unknown country, the cold season, the labor of maintaining communication along a very extended line, and the fierce fanaticism of tribes that believe they are fighting in a righteous cause and for very existence, Sir William Lockhart has displayed remarkable ingenuity and resource.

The campaign has been suspended for severe weather, but Parliament will meet before it is resumed, and the demands of India, Central Africa and the Niger region may help the Salisbury Government to push through the bill for an increase of military strength, which Lord Lansdowne has outlined.

The proportion of officers killed in Lockhart's campaign is 43, as against 74 men. This is a state of things unheard of, even in the English frontier and desert war.

The Railway News correspondent at the front says that the native losses throughout have been far less than the British and Indian losses, and that the villages destroyed were merely the summer huts of nomadic tribes who live elsewhere most of the year, and which it will be no trouble whatever to rebuild.

SPAIN WANTS WAR.

If Its Premier Speaks for the People It is Decidedly Bellicose—Ready to Defend Rights.

Madrid, Dec. 13.—At the Cabinet meeting Saturday Prime Minister Sagasta read a digest of the comments of the European press on President McKinley's message to the American Congress, proving that a majority of the newspapers sympathize with Spain.

Senor Sagasta declared that if the United States eventually desired to intervene in Cuba they would find the Spanish Government ready to defend its rights and honor. He said in conclusion that he did not attach any importance to the attitude of certain Senators in Washington.

The Marquis de Villamejor, a member of the Spanish Senate, has addressed a letter to Premier Sagasta advising a public subscription for the purpose of raising funds to increase the strength of the Spanish navy. The Marquis offers to head the subscription with a donation of $50,000.

Spain Virtually Defies the States.

Madrid, Dec. 13.—The Imparcial Saturday published a strong article, in which it declares Spain will not accept the right of President McKinley to intervene in Cuba, in case of the war being prolonged, and demands that the government adopt "the same energetic attitude towards the United States as Germany adopted towards Hayti, because President McKinley's message is equivalent to questioning the right of [illegible] prepare for all eventualities and augment her navy "by organizing a subscription in which the whole nation, from the Queen to the most humble subject, should participate."

SPAIN NEED NOT FEAR WAR.

Weyler Says the Heroic Courage of Her Soldiers Makes Her Safe.

Barcelona, Dec. 13.—Lieut.-General Weyler has asked the Government to submit in the Chamber the notes exchanged with the United States on the subject of President McKinley's message to Congress. He declares that with the elements in Spain and the heroic courage of her soldiers she need not fear war with the United States.

RESCUED AT SEA.

The Crew of a Doomed Ship Saved by an Ocean Liner.

Queenstown, Dec. 13.—The Cunard Line steamer Etruria, Captain Ferguson, from New York, on Dec. 4, for Liverpool via this port, arrived here at 1.45 p.m. Saturday. She reports having sighted at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, 14 miles west of Fastnet, the British steamer Millfield, Captain Willis, from Baltimore on Nov. 28 for Belfast, flying signals of distress. The decks of the Millfield were being swept by heavy seas, her funnels were gone, and she was sinking. The Etruria stood by her for 12 hours, during which time the Cunarder manned a lifeboat and rescued the 26 men composing the crew of the Millfield. When the rescued men left the Millfield it was expected she would soon sink.

Ireland and the Vatican.

Rome, Dec. 13.—The Vatican, it is officially announced, has approved of Mgr. Martinelli, the Papal delegate to the Roman Catholic Church in the United States, visiting Ireland for three weeks. It is pointed out that this approval is a sign that Hibernianism is regaining favor at the Vatican. Other signs of this are said to be the retirement of Mgr. Schrieder from the staff of the university at Washington and the high moral position gained at Rome by Archbishop Keane, who is considered likely to be made a cardinal.

Marriage of Divorced Persons in Britain.

London, Dec. 13.—Extraordinary agitation has been evoked by the marriage on Nov. 24, of Miss Leila Bayard Crooke, a niece of Mr. Thomas F. Bayard, the former United States Ambassador here, to Mr. Lyon, who has been divorced, which caused the clerical party to interfere and make them get married in a church other than the one first selected. It has brought out a pronouncement from the Primate to the effect that he disapproves of such marriages, and that his Vicar-General hereafter will not license them.

The Bishop of Bristol and others have also forbidden their chancellors to license the marriage of divorced people, whether innocent or guilty.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

A MILE A MINUTE TRAIN

Struck Charles Lloyd's Buggy and Hurled Him to Instant Death 90 Feet Away —Companion Only Stunned.

Tilsonburg, Ont., Dec. 13.—About 1 o'clock Sunday morning three young men left Tilsonburg in a buggy and drove northward to a hotel on the north side of the M.C.R. track, near the station. They were refused admittance, and one of the men got out of the buggy. The others started to go back, and were struck by the M.C.R. North Shore express, running about a mile a minute. The horse, which was across the track, escaped unhurt, and was found about a mile away. The buggy was smashed to atoms and one of the occupants, a man named Charles Lloyd, was hurled a distance of 90 feet and instantly killed. He head was crushed in and his teeth knocked out and both arms and legs were broken.

The other, a lad of 17, named Charles Chandler, was hurled a long distance, but escaped with a cut in the leg. He was unconscious for some hours, but was able to be taken to his home near Eden Sunday afternoon. Detective Heenan and Dr. Smith of St. Thomas were summoned, and the latter, with Dr. C. McDonald, attended to the injured man. An inquest was not deemed necessary, and the mangled remains of the unfortunate man were placed in charge of Undertaker Carpenter. The dead young man has relatives in the neighborhood. He will be buried this afternoon.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 13.

FLOUR—The market was quiet and about steady to-day. Straight rollers quoted at $3.85 to $4, middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.25 and strong bakers at $5.

WHEAT—Trade was quiet to-day, with the feeling unsettled. Red winter sold at 82c to 82½c, north and west, and spring is quoted at 81c to 82c on Midland. Goose 75c west and 76c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard, 91c to 92c, Fort William, and $1.02 Toronto freights.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with moderate offerings. No. 2 extra quoted at 27c west and feed at 25c.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23c to 23½c west, and of mixed at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 28c to 25½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3 to $3.15 for cars on track.

PROVISIONS—Trade in cured meats quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8½c to 9½c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do. short cut, $15 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is firm, with car lots quoted at 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 13c to 14c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Lambskins, 90c to $1.

WOOL—There is very little doing. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 21c to 22c, and extras at 23c to 24c.

Cheese Markets.

Watertown, N.Y., Dec. 11.—Sales of cheese in Jefferson County during the week, 51,000 boxes. No cheese sold here to-day.

2000 boxes at 7¾c to 8c; amount now on offer, 6000 boxes.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 11.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9d to 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 8½d; corn, 3s 2d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 22s 0d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 31s 0d; do., light, 30s 6d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat quiet. Futures quiet at 7s 4½d for Dec. and March, 7s 3¼d for May and 7s 1½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¼d for Jan. and Feb., 3s 1½d for March and 3s 1½d for May. Flour 23s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage rather easier and 3d to 6d lower. No. 1 Manitoba hard, Jun. and Feb., 33s.

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GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list in another column.

The Mayoralty.

It currently reported on the streets today that Mr. A. L. Davis will be a candidate for the mayoralty.

County Court.

The general sessions open before Judge Weller in the Court House to morrow. There are no criminal cases.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Rushed With Piano Sales.

The R. S. Williams & Sons Company are at present so rushed with sales of their pianos, that it is with difficulty the orders can be promptly filled. Mr. W. E. Green, of Peterborough, assistant superintendent of agencies, reports sales in this district unusually brisk.

Dainties From Sea and Land.

We have an unusually nice spread for the holiday bill of fare, comprising some of the most delicious dainties upon both sea and land, including fresh sea salmon, smoked sea salmon, halibut, smelts, sardines and toothsome bivalves, large and luscious. Also juicy figs, dates, grapes, oranges, etc., and other tropical fruits in the very choicest condition. J. B. OKE & Co., 418 George street. Phone 204.

JUBILEE BAZAAR

In aid of St. Joseph's Hospital and House of Providence, from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th, in the Opera House. Meals at all hours. Hot meals from 12 to 2. Open from 9 a.m to 10.30 p.m. Admission 10c. 24

Fortnightly Club.

The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held in the Y.M.C.A. building on Tuesday evening, the 14th inst., at 8 o'clock. Miss Spence will read a paper on Victor Hugo and there will be a short programme of music. Teas are now 225 members enrolled and the citizens are invited to swell the lists on Tuesday evening.

A Lecture.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon will lecture on "The Story of Laura Secord," the heroine of 1812, under the auspices of the Peterborough Historical Society on Thursday, Dec. 16th, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. Miss Fitzgibbon has generously offered to give this lecture without remuneration on the understanding that part of the proceeds will go to the fund for the erection of a monument to the Canadian heroine, Laura Secord. Mr. R. M. Roy will illustrate with stereopticon.

Fresh From the Gardens.

"Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea" is sent direct from the tea gardens of Ceylon to the [illegible], where it is put up in lead packages, so that all who buy this tea get it fresh and pure. "Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea" has no equal today, and when you can get the best at a reasonable price you may be well have it. Call at the parlors, 332 George street, and [illegible] for yourself. Hundreds [illegible] the parlors on the above opinion [illegible] Call [illegible] to-day a cup of this renowned tea served free of charge.

ROBBED A CRIPPLE.

And was Sentenced to Six Months in the Central Prison.

Richard Bailey was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison, this morning, on the charge of the theft of a pocket book from the cripple who has been in town for the last week on a tricycle.

Bradley, the cripple, was the first witness called. He stated that he was lying down on a bench, on Wednesday, in the Little Windsor Hotel, where he was boarding, when the prisoner came up and, slipping his hand in his pocket, took his purse containing a small sum of money.

Mr. Mat. Jamieson, proprietor of the hotel, stated that the prisoner had taken a drink at the bar and slipped out without paying for it. Bradley called to him a moment later that he had been robbed, and told him who had committed the theft. A couple of men who were in the hotel at the time went after Bailey and one of them brought him back. He denied committing the theft, and produced some small silver as being all the money he had. On being told that the police would be sent for, he took something from his mouth and threw it under the stove. The witness picked it up and found that it was a one dollar bill partially masticated. Prisoner then said he wanted to wash but slipped out of the side door and ran down the street.

Mr. Fred Hall gave evidence of having found the purse in the vicinity of Water and Brock streets, where the prisoner went when he first left the hotel.

Mr. Finney testified to overtaking prisoner near Westlake's livery stable and bringing him back to the hotel.

Officer McGinty, who arrested Bailey, stated that when he went in the door of Mrs. Jackson's boarding house, where the prisoner lived, Bailey ran out the back way but he overtook him.

The prisoner then went into the box and told of recommending the Little Windsor to Bradley as a good place for him to board. He would not swear that he did not take the purse or have the dollar bill in his mouth, but said he could not recollect either circumstance.

The magistrate expressed considerable doubt as to whether the prisoner's memory could be trusted in such a case and remarked on the meanness of a man who would steal from a cripple. The above stated sentence was then imposed.

A LEG BROKEN.

Mrs. James Fowler, of Smith, has a Bad Fall.

Mrs. James Fowler, an old lady of about 68 years of age, who resides on the second concession of the township of Smith, fell last evening and broke her leg, through one of the approaches to her barn giving away. She had to crawl some distance to the house, not being able to summon aid.

Dr. Eastwood was hastily summoned and set the broken bone. Mrs. Fowler is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. R. Pitts and her little daughter, Anita Glen, who has been spending the past two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCullough, 317 McDonel street, returned home to Toronto on Saturday.

Grace Ella Alton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

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Do Not Delay,

Many have hardly given a thought to Christmas shopping. For them the time to buy their fruits and groceries is limited, as it is only about one week and a half till Xmas. No better time left than this week and no better place than E. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. Larger assortments and better value than anywhere.

The T. Dunn Complimentary Concert.

The public are reminded to reserve the date of the complimentary concert to Mr. T. Dunn, which takes place in the Opera House, Dec. 21st. A programme of unusual merit, to which Mr. as well as Mrs. Dunn, and the very best local talent will contribute, will be presented. It will be varied and well worthy of hearing. It is likely that Canadians will take this last opportunity of hearing Mr. Dunn's splendid voice in public and of practically recognizing the many and delightful services he has given to the concert-going public. The treasury of [illegible] of every church in town and the promoter of his efforts, and an opportunity to recognize them should not be missed.

MR. STRATTON IS THE CHOICE

Of the West Peterborough Liberal Convention.

HE RECEIVES THE UNANIMOUS NOMINATION.

Excellent Addresses by Hon. Senator Cox and Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture—A Most Successful Convention.

Below is the completion of the report of the Liberal convention on Saturday, being reports of the addresses by Hon. Senator Cox and Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture:

Senator Cox.

Hon. Senator Cox, when called upon by the chairman, stated that he was very much pleased to be present—not as a speaker but as a ratepayer of West Peterborough, in which connection he still felt a great interest where the best and, he hoped, the last days of his life would be spent. (Applause.)

He had felt that he would like to attend the convention and shake hands with the owners of a large number of familiar faces, which he felt sure would be present and whom he desired to thank for the cordial support which they had given him when he sought their votes, as a candidate for the Dominion Parliament. He was astonished as well as greatly pleased to note the largeness of the convention, and thought the Liberal party was greatly

INDEBTED TO MR. STRATTON

for having aroused so much enthusiasm in what had been considered a Conservative riding, and having carried the Liberal flag to increasing victory at three elections. (Applause.) He felt confident that it had only been done by the support of such gentlemen as were present, and some of these old battles which he had fought had also doubtless contributed something to the successes also.

When the position of the Province of Ontario was compared with that of Quebec no one could help but feel gratified at the position held by the former in comparison. He congratulated the Province of Ontario on having an able, honest and efficient administration. (Applause.)

"I certainly and earnestly hope," continued Senator Cox," that the gentleman whom you have nominated this afternoon will be returned as one of the supporters of that able administration. (Applause.) There is no more worthy or efficient representative sitting in the House to-day and it is most desirable that West Peterborough have

AN INFLUENTIAL MAN

in that important legislative body, as well as have his services in other directions. (Applause.) He was very much gratified to see the position Canada was taking in the markets of Britain, and he was more than gratified that the business interests of Canada and this province more particularly were advancing. He didn't believe that this was entirely due to the change of Government but the accession to power of an honest and efficient administration had attracted attention to Canada and placed her in a foremost place in the world. (Applause.)

Continuing, the speaker congratulated the electors on having so efficient a representative in the Ontario House, and hoped that it would not be long before they would have an equally able man in the Dominion Parliament. In conclusion he stated that he was very much gratified to see such a unanimous and cordial nomination as had been Mr. Stratton's. A better man could not have been chosen, (applause) and he was sure the nomination would be followed up by a surprising majority for him when he was again returned. (Applause.) He prophesied that Mr. Stratton's 800 majority of 1894 would be increased to 1600 at the coming election, (applause) but urged that it be made 1601 if possible, as every vote counted, and one vote sometimes meant a good deal, as the Liberals of West Peterborough had lost one election by a majority of that size once. (Applause.) Peterborough should keep Mr. Stratton so long as he served them in the future as in the past. There were many interests continually coming to the front to be dealt with and a man of common sense was required to deal with them. He had proven himself a safe adviser—not rash in dealing with important interests—and moderate in everything he undertook. He should have an increased majority. He believed he would. His opponent was a comparitive stranger to the electors. (Applause.)

Minister of Agriculture.

Hon. John Dryden was greeted with liberal applause when introduced by the chairman. He assured the audience that he was most pleased to be present and observe the great enthusiasm with which the work of a convention was undertaken in Peterborough. Such matters as nominations were very easy to get on with when there was an outstanding man in the community, and it was even easier when that man was one who had been tried and had proven his ability to do the work required of him, and had not spared himself in his efforts to fulfil his duties. (Applause.) In the nomination of the afternoon he had seen that it was a case of the people seeking the man and not the man the position, as was the case in many instances, when men are anxious to get certain positions for what they could make out of them. He would venture to say that this afternoon the selection had been of the right man for the right place. (Applause.) Mr. Stratton had been a boy to the electors when sent to the Legislature for the first time, but now he was a full grown man in every sense of the term and able to hold his own with any man sent there from any part of the country. (Applause.) He congratulated the Liberals on the successful nomination which had taken place. Its enthusiasm argued well for the prophecy that Mr. Stratton would be the representative in the next Legislature of Ontario. (Applause.)

In a few months the Government must ask the electors for their verdict on the work of the last four years. The Government would not come before the people with the old leaders—many had dropped out. Adam Crooks, E.B. Wood, Sir Oliver Mowat and Christopher Fraser were all out of harness. The Government was coming before the people with a

DIFFERENT SET OF MEN,

but with the same firm name as had been doing business for the last quarter of a century. (Applause.) Only one of the old leaders with whom the speaker entered Parliament was left—Mr. Hardy; all the rest were gone. He had known Mr. Mowat well, of course, and believed him to be an honourable and upright man to whom the affairs of the country could be implicitly trusted. He also knew Mr. Hardy and assured the convention that the country never had a better friend than he—not even excluding Mr. Mowat, as Arthur Sturgis Hardy was just as true to the interests of the people as Sir Oliver in his palmiest days. Any man who came to the Legislature with the object of putting up a job on the people would find himself very quickly sat on. If any official undertook to do wrong off would go his head. There never had been a man in the Ontario Government as true to the interests of the people as Hardy and the interests would be well preserved in his hands as in Sir Oliver's. (Hear! Hear!)

The Government had asked the verdict of the people many times before and its actions had always been endorsed, because the people, regardless of their political complexion, approved of the legislation which had taken place. As Mr. Stratton had said—the Government

WAS NOT PERFECT,

mistakes had been made, as in private life, but experience had been gained by these mistakes and the Government would not be apt to err in that direction again. These things will happen and they cannot be helped but the general trend of the Government was in the one direction and and a single set of principles governed their every action.

The first principle was that of "Equality of Citizenship"—which meant that every man, no matter what race, creed, colour, whether he was rich or poor, should have the same rights. This principle has been carried out in the statute book of the Province. In the Franchise Act, for instance, the Government said to the young man, "you shall have the right to say who shall govern the country" and nothing will do him so much good as to tell him this and ask him to take a hand in the affairs of state. It elevates a young man and inculcates in him a sense of responsibility.

Then there is the Educational policy which the Province has adopted. We lay a hand on every man, no matter how poor, and say through it, "We propose to give your children a reasonable education, free. The Government's bounden duty is to educate its people and education is thus

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over the country and the system is second to none in the world. It stands to-day better than any that can be found and educationalists from other countries come to study it. Then in line with this principle is the Factory Act. Through it the Government says to those who are obliged to work, "We will protect your health and your life whilst you are among the machinery," and the same principle is adopted concerning the employment of women and young girls. It was decided that they were being worked too hard, and the Province stepped in and put a stop to it, protecting them by regulating the hours. The last step in this direction was the Bakeshop Act, through which a penalty is affixed for

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An Exchange of Pulpits Took Place Last Evening Amongst the Members of the Ministerial Association.

As arranged the members of the Ministerial Association exchanged pulpits last evening, and addressed their remarks particularly to young men. Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. S. J. Shorey will not exchange pulpits till next Sunday evening. Owing to the press in news matter to-day the sermons delivered in St. Andrew's by Rev. Mr. Moore, and the in Charlotte street church by Rev. Mr. Dykeman are held over until to-morrow.

REV. J. G. POTTER, B. A.,

spoke in the Mark street Methodist church last evening, taking as his text, "Fight the good the good fight of faith," 1st Timothy, vi. chap, 12th verse, speaking as follows to young men:

The life of every young man is looked upon as a warfare whether all are conscious of it or not. That was in two fold. It is both internal and external. We can not look well after the interests of the inner without seeing it to be our duty to war against the outer forces. Nor can we be zealous in fighting against eternal evils and yet know that the inner life is not good. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God." Only the clean heart and life can have the victory within an awithout. The conditions of the inner life, too, has to do with our external life and it is therefore necessary to know the contending forces.

In the first place, a mastery of oneself is a necessity. "I bring into subjection my own body," said Paul. As we are victorious through Christ over our own lives shall we be eminently useful in the "good fight of faith" in the world around.

In the second place we need to see opposing forces. Sin, bad habits and customs, the drinking usages, strongholds of sin, licentiousness, imparity and all forms of evil that are set as traps for the young man. High Heaven commands not to give the battle to the devil. Young manhood has more and more to realize that this world will only be saved from sin in so far as they consecrate their powers and activities to the Saviour and His service. We have been purged from dead works to serve the King of Heaven, and having enlisted into His army and gathered round His banner, we must as good soldiers of Christ fight the good fight of faith. This fight of faith implies a knowledge of sin and a knowledge of truth, a belief in the supremacy and power of our Commander and Saviour and a confident trust in Him who has already pronounced victory on all who stand fast in the fight and who press on against the foe. These are the weapons of our warfare, the word and prayer. In considering the lives of Peter, John and Paul, who in themselves were weak, yet as followers of Christ "more than conquerors." Strong in faith and filled with Christian courage, it is an inspiration to all.

"The glory of young men is their strength." "I speak unto you young men because ye are strong." Surely Paul in writing to Timothy could urge upon him the consideration of a life that had been plucked as a brand from the burning, and he could exhort him to carefully flee those things that would prove detrimental to his growth in faith and grace, and fight the good fight that was now before him. As a true soldier he must be submissive, obedient, loyal, determined, intensely interested, enduring, reliant and ready to resist all allurements—like Joseph, never willing to be ensnared, even by the court of a sovereign; like Daniel, never compromising, even under the threats of the powers that be; like Nehemiah, never making an alliance with the foe, however plausible the temptation may appear. Christ calls every young man. Christ was a young man,—only thirty-three when crucified. He called young men around Him. The apostles were young men, all teaching us important lessons of fidelity to our Lord and Master.

A message came to Sir Colin Campbell at the Battle of Alma that Her Majesty's Guards were falling thick and fast beneath the shot, had they not better retire for a little while into safe quarters? The answer was:—"It were better, sir, that everyone of Her Majesty's Guards should lie dead on the battle field than turn their backs upon the enemy!" Yes; let us as young men die rather than live a coward's life. Rather let our eyes be sealed in death than behold the glory departed from a young life. An appeal was then made to the young men present to begin such a life or warfare, and to be resolved, with God's help to stand by the true and right through Christ, the Captain of our Salvation.

REV. W. G. CLARKE, B.A.,

in the Murray street Baptist church. The subject was "Chance." The text chosen was Eccles. ix. 1 Whatever cannot be reduced to a calculation, duly weighed and measured, foreseen and foretold by human reason, we attribute in our common, week-day language to "chance." Superficial observation justifies this to the mind of the unthinking or the unbeliever.

1. Solomon is reflecting only current opinion when he says "Time and chance happeneth to them all." He states his own personal conviction in the first verse of the chapter, "The righteous and the wise and their works are in the hand of God"—not of chance. Honest motives, earnest and persistent effort, common sense and honourable methods win. The man who trusts to luck or chance will fail.

2. The teachings and language of Scriptures generally are against "chance." God reigns, rules and establishes. Christ spoke after no such pernicious form. His promises are "yea" and "amen" to him that believeth. The soldiers' game of chance at the foot of the cross stripped Christ of His garments. And this talk of chance and luck strips God of power and divests Christ of His loving interest in our behalf. It denies the providence of God, and lands man in confusion, chaos and despair. Franklin, Watts, Newton, etc., were in the hand of God and for our good.

3. "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord." Every step, word, thought, smallest concern, etc., are necessary as the threads and colours in the weaver's shuttle in the filling out of the pattern which God has in every life. Nothing so small as to be unimportant in the sight of God.

4. The bearing upon lives of young men is evident. So many are waiting at and bowing down before the shrine of "Chance." They are standing around, Micawber-like, waiting for something to turn up.

There never yet was a young man who fitted himself for life's duties but God found a place for him to fill equal to all his powers. Don't be ashamed of any honest work. "Commit thy way unto the Lord, trust also in him, and He will bring it to pass."

5. Chancing it for eternity is the supreme folly of man. The eternal truth unchangeable and irrevocable gives no encouragement to any man to run his chances for eternity. The language of God is positive and urgent. "Choose ye this day whom ye will serve," "Now is the accepted time." The danger of delay.

The roulette tables of Monte Carlo are manipulated so that the wary beginner, becoming intoxicated with repeated successes, stakes his all in one rash venture and is ruined. So many a young man starts out in dishonest ventures, until truth, honour, love, everything are risked for time and eternity. Then another turn of the wheel and all is lost forever.

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BAPTIST CONFERENCE.

The Annual Meeting of Pastors and Deacons to be Held at Bewdley.

The pastors and deacons conference in connection with the Peterborough Baptist Association, will be held at Bewdley, Tuesday and Wednesday. The following programme has been carefully arranged:—

TUESDAY.

2:30—Prayer and praise meeting.
3:00—Verbal reports of pastors.
4:00—Paper, "Life of Savonarola," by P K Dayfoot, M A.
7:30—Song service, conducted by Rev J W Kirkpatrick.
8:00—Evangelistic sermon, by Rev J R Bonner.

WEDNESDAY.

9:00—Local Board meeting.
9:30—Prayer and praise service, conducted by Deacon Mann.
10:00—Paper, "The Pastor's Everyday Life," by Rev A T Dykeman.
Discussion.
11:00—Paper, "The Bible Doctrines of Immortality," by Rev Mr Hughson.
Discussion.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

2:30—Prayer and Praise Service conducted by Deacon Graham.
3:00—Paper, "The Pastoral Relation," by Rev V H Cowsert, B A.
Discussion.
2:45—Paper, "Using the Bible in dealing with enquiries," by Rev W Peer.
4:15—Paper, "Our hymns and tunes and their authors," by Rev C E McLeod.
Discussion and business.
7:30—Song service.
8:00—Sermon by Rev V H Cowsert.

CHURCH CHIMES.

In the Mark street church Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Moore preached a helpful sermon from Galatians 5:7—"Ye did run well who did hinder you that ye should not obey the truth?" There are many hindrances in the Christian race. Every Christian should be a Christian worker. Few of us are perfectly satisfied with our present attainments. One hindrance to religion is the utter indifference of some professors of religion, while love of pleasure is another. Intemperance is a great hindrance to the cause of God to-day. The inconsistencies of many professed followers is another hindrance. So is evil speaking. Let us all aim to not be stumbling blocks in the way of others, and let us try to see how much we can do for God, not how little we can do.

Mr. Wm. Wand was able to be present and conduct his usual class at the close of the morning service.

The Sunday school at 2.30 was well attended, the attendance being the largest during 1897.

The evening service was conducted by Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., of St. Andrew's, who gave a fine sermon to young men, taking as his text, I Timothy, 6.12, "Fight the good fight of faith." It should arouse activity among our young men.

Epworth League meets Monday evening, at 8. Everyone is welcome at the meetings.

The Wednesday evening prayer meeting will again be evangelistic. Song service at 6.30, regular service at 8.

Prayer meeting was held at Mr. Wand's last Friday night where a very solemn hour was spent. Those present listened to a most profitable testimony from Bro. Wand, who has been and is very sick. He assisted Bro. Stubbs so far as he was able to conduct the meeting. It is to be held at Mr. W. M. Mattchett's, Sophia street, next Friday evening. All who can come will be made welcome. Mr. Carton is to conduct the meeting.

Active preparations are being made for the annual Christmas tree and entertainment in the new town hall on Christmas night.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

The Visiting Chapter of the Guild will hold a special meeting this afternoon to consider the work of distributing charities to the poor at Christmas.

A cottage meeting will be held at Mrs. Whittaker's house in the Carlisle settlement next Thursday evening at 7.30 p. m.

The Men's Chapter of the Guild will hold their second open meeting for men at Mr. Henderson Nesbitt's house. All men of congregation are cordially invited to attend. The paper will be read by Mr. E. A. Peck and will be followed by discussion.

The course of sermons on "Schools of Thought in the Church of England," will be continued next Sunday evening, when Rev. H. Symonds will preach on "The Broad Church School of Thought."

A series of expository addresses is being given on Friday evening at 7.45 p. m. in St. Luke's church on "The Epistle to the Philippians." The public is cordially invited to these services.

Last night Mr. T.R. Clougher, of Toronto, one of the leading members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew in that city, delivered a splendid address on the work of the laymen in the church, which was most attentively listened to by a crowded church. The whole service was hearty and the singing thoroughly congregational. Everyone was delighted with Mr. Clougher's address and hope to hear him again. In the afternoon Mr. Clougher addressed the Sunday school children and the Y. M. C. A. The men who heard him there showed their appreciation by almost all following him to St. Luke's.

ARTHUR BURNS ARRESTED.

After Being on the Other Side for Over a Year.

This morning Arthur Burns was arrested under somewhat sensational circumstances. The residence of his aunt was surrounded by the police and Burns found hiding under the bed in the other portion of the double house in which his relation resided, he having slipped through by a communicating door.

Burns was wanted on a charge of stealing a horse on Sept. 5th, 1896, from Timothy Welsh, of Otonabee, and just got home last night, having been absent from town ever since. He has been remanded until Thursday.

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"I can recommend them highly to any sufferer from kidney or back troubles, and feel that if they are given a fair trial no case, however severe, can resist their medicinal effects. 392

Laxa-Liver Pills Cure Biliousness and Sick Headache.

RIVIERRE IS CRAZY.

The Result of the Terrible Strain Which the Six Days' Bicycle Contest Imposed on Him.

New York, Dec. 11.—The race has narrowed down to 15 riders. Miller still retains the lead of nearly 100 miles over Rice, the Wilkes-Barre miner. At midnight he was about 285 miles ahead of the world's record, and with 24 hours to spare he had covered a distance up to within a few miles of the great record established by Hale last year of 1900 miles. The surprise of the night was the retirement of Rivierre, the Franchman. He is believed to be actually out of his mind, is in a pitiable physical condition, and he is now under the care of physicians. Like most of the others in the race, Rivierre has given evidence during the frightful contest of having partly lost his mind. The awful strain after the first day had in a measure mentally unbalanced him, and this afternoon he leaped from his wheel, made an assault on an imaginary foe in one of the boxes, swearing and jabbering in his native tongue. His trainers rushed to him and put h..n on his wheel, but after making a few more laps he repeated the performance with even more insane rage than he had at first demonstrated. The result was that Rivierre had again to be taken from the track to return no more.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 239 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

A Boy Killed by the Cars.

Casselman, Dec. 11.—Amable Lagutorre, 14 years of age, jumped on a C.A.R. passenger train as it was pulling out of the station yesterday afternoon. He fell between the cars and an arm and leg were cut off. The boy died a few hours afterward.

Crazy Calf to be Tried.

Edmonton, Dec. 11.—Crazy Calf has been committed for trial for the murder of his wife, Napewathum. He was drunk on whiskey supplied by L. Tarohue and J. R. Muskego. The latter will be tried for the murder of Little Duck. Napewathum was Little Duck's mother.

A Fair That Failed.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 11.—The report of the Provincial Exhibition, held here in the fall, shows a deficit on capital account of $16,000, and a deficit on current account of $9000.

"Only nervous" is a sure indication that the blood is not pure. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures nervousness.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

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POLITICS IN QUEBEC.

The Chapleau Coalition An Idle Rumor.

A STATEMENT FROM MR. TARTE.

The Langelier Interview Discounted as Unworthy of Belief—The Sacred Relations of Leader and Trusted Fellower—No Truth in the Coalition Talk—Interview With Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—All the talk of a coalition between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Adolphe Chapleau seems to be without foundation, according to Mr. Tarte's paper, The Patrie, and Mr. Tarte ought to know, for, according to the story, it was he who was arranging the whole affair.

Mr. Tarte's Paper Speaks.

Yesterday afternoon Hon. Mr. Tarte's paper, La Patrie, says: "Several of our friends have asked what we think of Hon. Mr. Langelier's interview. Our answer will be brief. The assertions credited to Hon. Mr. Langelier are so astonishing that we refuse to put faith in the veracity of the interview in question. We do not know anything of what took place between Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Langelier, but it is quite certain that the relations between a prime minister and a man of Mr. Langelier's position are generally confidential and sacred. As to Mr. Langelier's allegations regarding the pretended discussion of party affairs by Tarte, Dansereau, Decelles, Patterson and Chapleau, he knows very well that no such thing took place. Mr. Tarte went down to Quebec the other day with Hon. Mr. Patterson, in company with Mr. Decelles and Mr. Drolet, for the purpose of making a visit that had absolutely nothing to do with politics. Mr. Decelles is out of politics, and Mr. Drolet is one of the devoted friends of the Liberal cause. There is no question, either directly or indirectly, of a coalition between Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Chapleau, and in making this declaration we take the full responsibility, so this should be a sufficient answer to all that has been or will be said on the question. Mr. Langelier has rendered great services to the Liberal party, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who is a man of honor as well as a politician of a very high order, has never been disposed to ignore the member for Quebec Centre. We may also be permitted to add that during Mr. Tarte's recent visit to Quebec he discussed at length the affairs of the party with Mr. Langelier."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here this evening en route for Quebec.

SIR WILFRID SPEAKS,

But Only to Say That He Will Not Discuss Party Matters in Public.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was asked yesterday if he had seen the interview with the Honorable Francis Langelier, published in the papers.

"I have," replied the Premier.

"Have you any observations to make upon it?"

"Not a word. I am not in the habit of discussing before the public questions which only concern the internal economy of the party. I will not depart from this rule. Moreover, Mr. Langelier is an old friend, for whom I entertain the most affectionate respect, and even if I differed with him I would not communicate the matter to the press. I am only sorry that on this occasion Mr. Langelier seems to have been influenced by newspaper rumors, for which there is not even a shadow of foundation."

MISS GALL FOUND.

Port Huron Police Located Her Under the Name of Laura Gough.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 11.—The police last night took charge of a girl who gave the name of Laura Gough, and her brothers took her home this morning. It has been learned that the girl Gough is Florence Gall, who disappeared from Deckerville, Oct. 5. Her parents live near Quebec, and, failing to receive word from her, they sent Rev. John Gall, her brother, to look her up. The police will not disclose the story, nor will they tell with whom she was found.

For 14 years Miss Gall had worked as a tailoress, most of the time with Charles Trevethan, formerly of Minden City and Deckerville, and now living at Cass City. Miss Gall began to work for Mr. Trevethan at her home at Cannington, Ont., 14 years ago, and came to this state with the family.

How many young men and young women are cut off just as the future seems brightest and fullest of promise! They are taken away by the disease which causes over one-sixth of all the deaths in the world—the disease which doctors call consumption. There is absolutely no reason in the world why consumption should be fatal—why it should be even serious. It is a disease of the blood and can be cured absolutely and always by purifying and enriching the blood. The only exception to this is the case where the disease has been neglected and improperly treated until the disease is stronger than the body—until the body has become so weak as to have lost the ability to recuperate. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption if used according to directions. It also cures all lingering coughs, bronchial and throat affections.

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Advice That Has a Direct Bearing on Health and Happiness.

Perhaps you have all heard or read the advice contained in the following "don'ts," but it is good enough to be repeated over and over again. We take them from a paper that seems to think as we do about it:

Don't catch cold. Catching cold is much more preventable than it is generally supposed to be. Keep your feet warm and dry, your head cool, your chest well protected. Avoid exposure with an empty stomach. Take care not to cool off suddenly when you are heated. Keep out of drafts, wear flannels and be careful generally.

Don't sleep in the same flannels that you wear during the day.

Don't wear thin stockings or light soled shoes in cold or in wet weather.

Don't neglect personal cleanliness, but use the bath with moderation and in accordance with your general health. The daily cold bath is all right for the rugged, but it is a great tax upon the vitality of weak persons and should not be indulged in if the results are at all doubtful. Tepid water is always better for those that are not in robust health. Judge for yourself.

Don't keep the sun out of your living rooms and your sleeping rooms. Sunlight is absolutely necessary to put in proper condition the air that we breathe.

Don't neglect your house drainage. The first condition of the family's heath is a dry, sweet atmosphere.

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Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—I thought I would drop you a note and let you know that the way Mr. McInnes, Inspector of the London Mutual, settled my loss was very satisfactory, and if I can send you any one to insure I will do so.

Yours truly, (Signed) PATRICK MURPHY.

PETERBOROUGH, 22nd Oct., 1896.

Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

DEAR SIRS,—I am deeply indebted to you and your Company for the quick and good settlement of my loss on household furniture, etc., which happened night before last, and for the payment of same by cheque this day.

Yours truly, (Signed) MRS. ANNIE MARSHALL.

Mr. Richard Anglesy, of Smith, who had his barn and contents burned, says that Mr. McInnes, Inspector London Mutual, acted like a man that wanted to do the square thing between man and man, and settled his loss right.

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A Horrifying Experience With a Madman—The Surgeon to Be the Subject Operated Upon—Saved by a Knife That Needed a Little Sharpening.

"When I first hung out my shingle," said a prominent New York physician to a group of friends, among them a reporter, "I thought it would be easy to dram up a good paying practice, but I soon realized my mistake. Patients were few. I didn't earn $10 the first month, and one day when I felt very discouraged and was thinking of giving up the study of the healing art for a more lucrative commercial pursuit I met a friend. The latter was the agent for a line of transatlantic steamers, and on telling him of my poor success as a physician he offered me a position as surgeon on one of his ships. I accepted the berth, and on the evening of the third day at sea I had an experience with a madman, which I shall never forget.

"The weather was very stormy, and as I in consequence had had but little sleep the two previous nights I felt rather drowsy and sat in a chair in my stateroom dozing. Suddenly I was awakened by a tremendous lurching of the vessel. Then I heard a loud knock at my door, and a tall, strange and very excited dark featured man hurriedly entered my cabin. The man's actions were so peculiar that I jumped to my feet and reached for a revolver which lay on my table, but I was too slow. The stranger had seized the weapon. I then asked the man gruffly what he wanted. He did not reply for some time and then, after locking the door and putting the key and my pistol in his pocket, said:

"'I'm not sick, doctor. I've come here,' exposing a long knife from the sleeve of his coat, 'by order of the captain to cut your throat.'

"For a moment I looked the stranger in the face, and his wild, steady stare soon convinced me that I had to deal with a madman.

"I am not a coward, yet even now the thought of that moment makes me shudder. There I was in a remote part of the ship alone with a madman of twice my physical strength, without a chance to escape or means to give alarm, and, being unarmed, entirely at his mercy. I therefore decided that resistance would be of the least service to me and that apparent acquiescence would be best. All this quickly flashed through my mind, and accordingly feigning the utmost indifference I could I said:

"'The captain's orders must, of course, be obeyed. But can you do the deed quickly?'

"'Oh, yes,' replied the madman, calmly surveying the knife which he held in his hand. 'I'm a butcher by trade and can do the job easily with this tool.'

"Here he paused to examine with his thumb the edge of the knife, which looked rather blunt, and as he did so an idea struck me, and I remarked:

"'Your knife does not seem to have a very keen edge. The trachea is tough, you know, and rather difficult to cut with such a blunt instrument.'

"The madman now looked at me with a curious expression, as if trying to read my thoughts, and then, after examining the knife more closely, seemed to think my suggestion a good one, for he said:

"'Yes, doctor, I think you are right. A little sharpening will do no harm, so if you don't mind waiting I will go to the galley and get the cook to help me put an edge on it with his grindstone.'

"This was exactly what I wanted, as, feeling sure he would not look the door after him, I thought my escape would be easy, but picture my dismay when on his departure I discovered that the door was locked as securely as before.

"What was I to do? I flung open the porthole and shouted with all my might for assistance, but the fury of the gale was now so great that all my efforts to make myself heard were of no avail. Then in a frenzy of despair I looked about for some weapon of defense, but there was not so much as a stick to be found in my cabin. I put my ear to the keyhole, and, thinking I heard footsteps approaching, I impulsively threw off my coat, went to the farthest end of the room and, standing as defiantly as possible, resolved to fight to the last.

"I remember then the door bursting open and the entry of the madman, not alone, as I expected, but securely pinioned and attended by two of the ship's crew in charge of the second officer. The relief of the moment was so great that it completely prostrated me, and I fell in a faint to the floor.

"When I came to my senses, I learned that the peculiar and excited manner of the maniac, the large knife in his possession and his anxiety to sharpen it drew suspicion on him and induced the officer to secure and bring him to my cabin to ascertain his condition. Needless to say I pronounced the man insane, and he was kept securely confined and watched day and night until the ship arrived in Liverpool, where he was handed over to the proper authorities. I returned to New York on the same vessel, but never went to sea in the capacity of a surgeon again."—Washington Star.

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TENEMENT HOUSE FIRES.

Insurance Patrol Works as Faithfully For the Poor as For Those Who Are Insured.

There is an article in St. Nicholas on "The Fire Patrol," written by Charles T. Hill, who has contributed a series of papers to that magazine on the New York fire department. Mr. Hill says:

At fires in the homes of the poor these detachments of the patrol work just as earnestly and conscientiously to save property as they would in the expensively furnished mansions of the rich. At tenement house fires they are of great service. First, they aid in getting the people out; then, gathering the goods together, the patrolmen protect them from water with tarpaulin covers. The majority of these fires break out in the basements or cellars, then, following the air and light shafts to the top floor, they spread and do the greatest damage in the upper stories. To extinguish these fires the other floors below have to be flooded, and were it not for the fire patrol in many cases the poor families would lose everything they owned.

One of the captains of the patrol remarked: "Why, it would do your heart good if you could hear how profuse these poor people are in their thanks, and the blessings they shower on us when they find we've saved their things. They go running around, wringing their hands and crying, 'Everything's lost, everything's lost!' And then, when the fire is out, we lead them back and show them their things, as dry as a chip under the covers, and—well, say, there isn't anything they wouldn't do for us. Half the time they're not insured, and it isn't our business to protect people who are not, but we're not supposed to know everything, and our orders are to protect property first and find out whether it is insured afterward, and is is not our fault if we save the little all of a lot of poor creatures who half the time haven't a change of clothes to their backs. You bet we get to work just as quick in a tenement house fire as in a big house on Fifth avenue, and we do the same work in both places, no matter whether it's for the rich or the poor."

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The folks in town last fall;
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Knowed how to fling his heel,
But all the dance he knowed was just
The old Virginny reel.

So when they took him to the ball
The gals had lots of fun.
He went a-slippin erost the hall
An bumpin every one.
Of course he couldn't waltz, but they
Just made believe he could.
They kept on whirlin him away.
'Twas worse than splittin wood.

Just serious as could be he kept
A-goin roun an roun.
On all the ladies' trains he stepped
When he warn't fallin down.
He stood it jest as long as he
Could stand it; then he throwed
His hat down till they laughed to see,
Then jerked his coat an blowed.

He give his galluses a hitch
An squared himself, an then
As quick as that they seen him pitch
Right 'mongst the gals an men.
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Canada Life	2,006.901	2,025.716	18.825	
Manufacturers	324.449	365.149	30.700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
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every man found to be kept at work beyond a certain number of hours.

All this legislation has been enacted on the principle of "equality of citizenship."

Another of the Government's principles has been Integrity in Public Life—integrity in public matters. All have been found to recognize the fact that the Government is being carried on in the interest of the people, and not of the individual or the contractor. A man must represent his constituency and not himself. He must be the servant, and not the master, of the people.

NO BETTER ILLUSTRATION

of this can be found than in the pile of buildings in the Queen's Park which is occupied by the members. It was erected without one dollar being wrongfully expended. An insinuation as affecting this statement was once made by a member of the Opposition, when Christopher Fraser had instantly risen and demanded an immediate retraction or the formation of a Committee of Enquiry on the spot. The member of the Opposition had to withdraw the remark on the request of his leader, Sir William Ralph Meredith. It was a proud thing to be able to claim to be a member of a Government, who as Mr. Stratton had stated, had expended over $60,000,000, and not a cent found its way into the wrong channel.

In the dark days through which Canada had recently passed, many had to hang their heads in shame when the finger was pointed at the action of high Government officials, but in all this time Ontario had continued to be the green oasis, where no wrong-doing had been permitted, and where the Government had been carried along on the principles of integrity in public life.

"Liberty" was another of the principles in which the Government prided itself. Liberty of the subject. The right of the subject to think and act for himself in this country had been declared. The Government had

MADE IT EASY

for all to express their opinion. They had been given the ballot. Election fights had been done away with, and a man was enabled to vote according to his convictions without anyone being the wiser. Every man was allowed to worship according to the dictates of his own conscience, and while the speaker deferred to the Roman Catholic in allowing him to worship as he saw fit, he expected the Roman Catholic to do the same by him.

"Progression" was another of the principles referred to. Ontario is a new country, and its people believe in seeing it developed. We are young, and haven't got our farms in working order yet. We are not yet in a position to sit down and let things drift, and the Government is not like the man who is afraid to spend a dollar in his business for fear he may never see it again. Bankruptcy would speedily overtake the farmer who did not erect buildings on his farm and construct drains, etc. True business principles demanded that a man must spend his money to put his property in such condition that he can realize the very best price for it at any time.

The Ontario Government would be ashamed to stand before the people if it had not spent the money which was entrusted to it to invest. It would be an acknowledgment that they did not know what to do with it

AND THAT INCAPABLE

of laying it out wisely. Then those men who criticise and croak at the Government would have some ground on which to work. They could say the people needed other men in power who knew the needs of the country and can expend the money in such a way as to reap the best return.

The real question is: Has the money been spent wisely and has good value been received in return? And the Government is glad to be in a position to say that there has been an increased expenditure every year as the needs of the country increased.

The first steps required in a new country is transportation facilities. How much would a farm be worth in Peterborough county if there were no railroads running into it? These railways would never have been constructed if it had not been for the assistance the Government had been able to render to their aid. Was that wrong? Let the Opposition say the expenditure has been wrongfully increased. It is possible and easy to talk in such a manner, and an insult to the intelligence of the electorate.

The railways are not enough, however, as they cannot run to every farm. How about the hardy pioneer? Are not colonization roads needed for him? This is the special work in which Mr. Stratton takes

SO MUCH INTEREST

and gives so much of his attention. The Government has not hesitated about spending the money in making roads. It was the people's money and was spent for the people's benefit. It must be done and what is more it shall be done. Men living in this constituency know the value of colonization roads far better than I do.

Then there is the opening up of mineral lands and the Government will not hesitate to ask for considerable money for mining roads.

We have great industries in this country and our mining industry is increasing year by year, but the greatest of interest is that of agriculture, which I specially represent.

Many young men are anxious to start for the Klondyke just now, but would you be surprised if I say that we have better mines right here, on some of which you that are farmers are living. Yes, we have mines here that will prove just as lucrative as the Klondyke if properly worked. You can get to the bottom of a mine and exhaust it, but you can never get to the bottom of a good Ontario farm if you look after it.

Our mines are undoubtedly developing in Ontario and last year the minerals exported amounted to $5,000,000, but then butter and cheese exported was valued at $27,000,000, livestock at $26,000,000, wheat at $22,000,000, hay at $22,000,000 and so on. So we can see which is the most important interest. This

MINE OF AGRICULTURE

is turning out wealth for the Province of Ontario. If it wasn't for these fields around the town where would you get your business. Farmers don't keep the money which the get. No money permeates so quickly through the country as that which falls into the hands of the farmer. If he doesn't prosper no one else will. Sometimes the farmer feels discouraged, but he should realize now that if he fails in his crops, all other business will fall with him.

Are we properly developing our Agriculture mines? Are we making any progress? Although passing through a depression, yet we have been able to produce more and more of wealth from this mine in this province. The Ontario Government is doing more for the development of agriculture than any territory in the entire world. We are taking the lead in agriculture not only in the Dominion, but of the continent and the world over, and we are doing it for less money than any other country. What have we got to aid us? Our splendid Agricultural College in Guelph, and at a recent convention in Scotland we were pointed out as the foremost instructors in the world. The Agricultural College is the best place in this country where a farmer's son can go if he wishes to develop into an all round man. He is not merely taught to handle a plough but he is given a sound English education covering

THE WHOLE GROUND,

and a special education in livestock, beekeeping, dairying and poultry raising under the most favourable circumstances. There is an atmosphere in the Collegiate Institute that inculcates a distaste for the farm, but a farmer who wants his boy to be a farmer need have no fear of anything like this if he sends him to Guelph. If a boy sees there it makes him desirous of becoming a farmer and he will come away an enthusiast. No investment of the public money is giving better returns than the Agricultural College—not in money but in the increased intelligence of young farmers.

Then the Farmers' Institutes are better attended every year by reason of the well-posted men the Government sends out to talk to the farmers every winter along any line on which they are particularly interested. There are also the dairying schools at Guelph, Strathroy and Kingston, giving special education in one of our greatest industries.

What are the results of all this expenditure of money on behalf of the farmers? We went to face the world at Chicago, where we could not have faced them if it had not been for this educational work, and in every department we took a first or a second prize. [illegible] has captivated Great Britain. Why? Because the farmers were educated up to the art of making it

SO FAR AHEAD

of the American product that there is no place for the latter in the English market. Although the Americans started even in the race they didn't have the means of receiving the same education as the Ontario farmers. We haven't succeeded as well with butter, but we will, as we are working along the same lines as we did with the cheese. A travelling dairy is out all through the summer months for purposes of instruction.

The speaker was proud of the Ontario farmers, and more proud of the efforts which the Government was making to advance their interests. In concluding he stated that he had tried to point out the business principles on which the Ontario Government was carried on, and he asked for the careful consideration of what he had said. He urged that everything be not taken for granted that appeared in the Mail and Empire, but that an effort be made to hear both sides of every argument.

After considering our record, he said, do you want a change?

What do the directors of a bank say after a prosperous year? Do they say to try a change? Would that be business?

Talking of change, what better have the Conservatives to offer in men—what better in principles?

They have nothing better to present and only talk of side issues in an endeavour to draw a herring across the trail in Mr. St. John's pig, which has been dragged up and down the country.

I want you to elect Mr. Stratton, continued Mr. Dryden. What are you going

TO DO ABOUT IT?

The convention—Elect him!

Mr. Dryden—That's right. If such a convention as this says it will elect him it will be done, and I go back and tell Mr. Hardy that he has one safe constituency. (Applause.) And why should he not be re-elected? Have you not tried and proven him? I have known him even better than you do in his Parliamentary life and can tell you that no people have a man in the House more interested in the welfare of his constituency than Mr. Stratton, and the fact is I think he has been getting more than his share of the public money for his own constituency. You could not send a more capable man to the House, and when he asks us for favours none of us can resist him. We can't refuse him and that is why he gets so much.

Mr. Whitney says the people want a change. Surely the people of West Peterborough don't want to change to Mr. Garvin of whom I can find out nothing. Even the Conservatives would not like to see such a change, and I fully expect to see Mr. Stratton returned by a majority of 1500. (Applause.)

On Mr. Dryden taking his seat, a vote of thanks to him for his address was moved by Mr. Richard Hall and heartily carried, being followed by three cheers for the Queen, three for the Minister of Agriculture, and three for Mr. J. R. Stratton.

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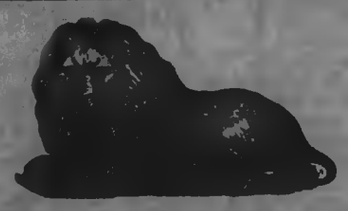
R.  F.

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Both Evening and Street Bonnets have occupied the attention of our Milliner for the exhibit.

The Prices at which the beautiful collection will be sold are not as Millinery Prices go, but on the close margin plan.

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The Holiday and Novelty Departments

Grow more interesting each succeeding day. There are two reasons for this—First, the line comprises the most complete assortment we have ever shown. Second, importing them direct enables us to create a vast saving for the stream of buyers, and that news of economy is rapidly spreading. Where can you find other Holiday Novelties equal to those of this store.

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Black and Coloured French Kid Gloves, worth $1.00 and $1.25, only 50c per pair.

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Toilet Sets, worth $1.50 for 75c.

Lovely Toilet Mirrors, 20c, 35c, 50c and 75c each.

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New Evening Silks, just imported, worth $1.00 selling at 50c.

Table Cloths, $1.00 and $1.25.

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Uncovered Tea Cosies, 50c and 65c.

Doyliss, Pillow Shams, Cushions, Comfortables, are all included in this Holiday offering.

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Are shown many articles suitable for Xmas Gifts, embracing Rugs, Mats, Squares, Curtains, Portieres, Draping Silks.

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Is teeming with very special and attractive assortments of Ties, Suspenders, Scarfs, Collars, Cuffs, Dress Shirts, Hosiery and Gloves.

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Before deciding what to buy before Xmas, come and interview us. We can be of help to you in suggesting even if not in our line.

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We make no attempt in the limited space to enter into details. Enough to know that you have the pick of a rich and exclusive stock—the very finest and best ever seen here—with Variety, Newness and Novelty enough to satisfy every demand—Only don't put it off until the eleventh hour.

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FAVOURITE STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES.

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BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

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LOST—ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9TH, between Mr. Tate's residence, Lakefield, and Peterborough, a fur-lined Cape. Suitable reward if returned to EXAMINER Office. 3d 1w

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WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST in house work in a small family. Apply immediately to No. 29 GILMOUR STREET. 3

WANTED—A PLAINLY FURNISHED Bedroom, in the vicinity of the Grand Trunk Station. Adress "H. P.," Y. M. C. A.

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HOUSES TO RENT—NOS. 98 HUNTER street and 20 Queen street; centrally located. Apply to J. J. LUNDY, Town. dtf

PIANO FOR SALE—UPRIGHT GRAND—7⅓ octaves; almost new; good make. Will be sold cheap. Apply at 247 Hunter Street.

FOR SALE—NO. 9 GILMOUR STREET—Handsome 2½ story Brick Residence; 10 rooms; all modern improvements; heated by hot water. Apply to CHAS. LEGROS. dtf

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ROOMS TO LET—FURNISHED BED Room and Parlour; and one Bed Room; with or without board. Good airy rooms, healthy locality, good lawn. Particulars on application to Mrs. HARRY ROBINSON, 557 Reid Street. tf

TO LET—NO. 12 CROSS STREET HAS been re-painted and papered throughout; is warm and comfortable. Can be had at moderate rent. Apply to STRATTON & HALL. dtf

TO RENT—99 AYLMER STREET—HOT Air Heater and also Bath. Apply to STRATTON & HALL. dtf

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Touch up your rooms with some fresh wall paper, paint or kalsomine. I am prepared to do all such work during the holiday and winter season cheaper than during busy times. All work done honestly and with honest material.

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Beautifully Chased Gold Watches,
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And innumerable little Souvenirs and GOLD AND SILVER NOVELTIES Just to hand, for the Holiday Shopping, a case of the very latest things out in the Jewelry Line.

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PETERBOROUGH.

THE LEGISLATURE

Premier Hardy's Joke About Clarke Wallace of West York.

MR. ST. JOHN'S "PIGGERY" AGAIN

Order of the House Granted Him for a Return of the Hogs Slaughtered or Which Died at the "Piggery"—Answers to Questions—Spruce Tree Plague—Mining Claims Regulations.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—The time of the Legislature was taken up chiefly yesterday afternoon by Mr. St. John, who never loses an opportunity to keep his "piggery" before the eyes of the country. He made little of his cry yesterday, the chief feature of the debate being the production of proof that he had been very far out in his calculation as to the cost of that institution. When first Mr. St. John started to speak of the cost of the piggery upon the stump he had placed it at $35,000, yesterday he was prepared to admit it had not cost more than $7000, and tried to shift his ground of complaint from the cost of the buildings to the selling of alleged diseased hogs. In this charge also he was put to shame. He denied that the hogs had been killed under the supervision of the Government inspector and described the man who had performed this office as short, stout and slightly lame.

Hon. Mr. Hardy—"According to your description it must have been your friend Hon. Clarke Wallace who officiated." (Laughter.)

Mr. St. John assured the House Mr. Wallace had nothing to do with it.

Those Pigs Again.

Mr. St. John moved for an order of the House for a return showing the value of the hogs which died, or were slaughtered at the Humber piggery during the outbreak of cholera in July, 1895. He said after the hogs had been killed, because of the cholera, some ninety of them had been sold as food. This, he considered, almost criminal.

Hon. Mr. Davis said the piggery had been established in the public interest. Previous to the time of its establishment the public institutions within the city of Toronto had each a piggery in connection with them that refuse might be properly handled. A Toronto by-law prevented the continuance of these piggeries, and, as a result, the Humber piggery was established. The land cost $1000 and the buildings $1537 and including the dwelling house, rebuilding, water supply, etc., in all $7030, not $35,000, as Mr. St. John had stated at Paris. (Hear, hear.) When the cholera broke out Mr. Andrew Smith, the Dominion Government Inspector, was asked to take charge of the piggery. He did so, and under his advice and direction everything that was done according to law was done. Mr. St. John had charged that some of the hogs killed were sold. This was true, but they had been dressed and sold under the direction of the Dominion Inspector. (Hear, hear.) The Government had nothing to hide in connection with this matter and would call as witnesses before the Public Accounts Committee any persons the Opposition desired. (Cheers.) During the three years since the establishment of the piggery $9000 were expended and $9605 received from the sale of hogs. This was a gain to the province of over $9000. He predicted a gain of from two to three thousand dollars yearly from the piggery to the province.

Dr. Meacham could not see why there should not be a handsome yearly profit from the piggery. He did not think, however, that the piggery had been built for any such figure as stated by the Provincial Secretary. Messrs. Crawford and Matheson also had a few words to say, when the motion was allowed to pass without opposition.

Answers to Questions.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, answering Mr. Langford, said a petition had been received in 1896 complaining that Mr. W. J. Stimpson, J. P., was not a proper person to fill such an office. Mr. Stimpson was given an opportunity to reply. He pointed out that many of the singatures had been placed upon the petition by Barnardo boys and other irresponsible persons. The petition was of a vague and general character. Upon Mr. Stimpson's reply being received the matter was dropped, and since that date there had been no further complaints.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, answering Mr. Langford, said last year an investigation had been held in regard to the alleged misconduct of the Superintendent of the Algonquin Park. Answering Mr. Carnegie, he said no permit had been issued to shoot in Algonquin Park last year or at any other time.

Hon. Mr. Davis, answering Mr. St. John, said in July, 1896, cholera had broken out in the Humber piggery; 261 hogs had been killed, 168 were diseased and burned, 97 were dressed and sold after inspection.

The Spruce Tree Plague.

Dr. Brodie has returned from investigating the plague in connection with spruce trees throughout the province. He reports that it is much more wide-spread than was at first believed, being in very close proximity to the great forests.

Experiments have been made on the trees, and it has been found that it is almost impossible to destroy the insect. Paris green has been tried, but the insect seems to thrive on it. The only way that the insect can be destroyed is by having the tree cut down and burned.

The Government will probably take immediate steps to enter upon a campaign against this bug.

Mining Claims Regulations.

The Bureau of Mines is acting as arbiter now in disputes over Michipicoten mining claims. A number of the claims were taken up before the district was set aside as a mining district. The Bureau is making no definite rule, but taking up each case individually. Before any claimant is permitted to possess the lands claimed, he must satisfy the Bureau that he surveyed his lands and property, and carried out all the regulations required by the old law.

Civil Servants Must Pay.

Mr. McDonald gave notice that he would introduce a bill to compel civil servants to pay their debts or permit their creditors to attach the money due them in the hands of the Government.

DEATH OF MR. ROBERT SIMPSON.

The Head of a Toronto Departmental Store Passes Away This Morning.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Mr. Robert Simpson, head of the great departmental establishment of Robert Simpson & Co. (limited). Yonge and Queen streets, in this city, died this morning at half an hour after midnight, at his residence, 90 Bloor street east.

The end was not unexpected, for Mr. Simpson had been seriously ill for several weeks past, and had been attended by Dr. Cameron and Dr. Graham.

Citizens generally learned with deep regret of Mr. Simpson's decease, for he was known to all the commercial community and very highly respected, both for his personal qualities and strict business integrity.

Mr. Simpson was in business at Newmarket before coming to this city, nearly a score of years ago. He prospered, and from small beginnings, by indomitable perseverance and personal attention to every detail of the trade, built up the present mammoth concern.

Unostentatious and unassuming, he was a representative of the class of shrewd business men who have been the architects of their own fortunes. By the hundreds of his employes—from buyers down to shop boys—he was respected and trusted. In private life and social circles he was genial and kind, and little did those who but a short while ago saw his robust form and hearty cordiality imagine that ere Christmastide should come the merchant prince would be no more. Mr. Simpson was 68 years of age, and leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Hamilton Merritt.

Crop Yields in Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—The following is a summary of the yields of the various crops of the province: Wheat area in crop, 1,-230,883 acres; total yield, 18,261,950 bush.; average yield per acre, 14.14 bush. Oats—Area in crop, 463,141; total yield, 10,628,513 bush.; average yield, 22.7. Barley—Area in crop, 153,205; total yield, 3,183,-603 bush.; average yield, 20.77. Total yield of flax, 247,836 bush.; of rye, 43,344; of peas, 33,380. Total grain crop, 32,404,625 bush.

Two Horses Were Killed.

Napanee, Ont., Dec. 14.—Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock a team of horses owned by Willet Sims of Conway ran away on Main street and collided with a single horse driven by a lady from the country, the tongue of Sims' wagon penetrating the breast of the single horse, killing it instantly. One of Sims' horse's legs was broken, and it had to be shot.

PIC RIVER TRAGEDY.

Two Men Go Out Into the Bush, One Returns.

THE BODY OF THE OTHER FOUND

An Unknown German Tells His English Fellow-Traveler in Algoma That When Life is About Over He Will Put a Bullet Through His Brain, and He Does It on Time.

Heron Bay, Algoma, Dec. 14.—The arrival here on Wednesday last of a famished traveler revealed the occurrence of a bush tragedy which will have to be investigated by the proper authorities. The man who came in reached Heron Bay about 6 o'clock in the evening and demanded food, saying that he had had nothing to eat for forty-eight hours. He stated that he had left his place on Oct. 6 in company with a German, and that he had left his companion lying helpless at a place about fifteen miles up the Pic River.

The man, who is an Englishman, said that on Oct. 26, when in the bush, the German shot himself through the wrist with a 45 calibre rifle. He doctored him up as well as he could and got him to within 15 miles of here, but then the German gave up. On Wednesday morning the Englishman left him to come here; the pair were in a shack, and the Englishman said that his companion had told him that he would sit there until the fire went out, and then he would put a bullet through his head.

A search party was made up, consisting of Messrs. Morrisseau, Paul Goodchild and Thomas Dickinson, and went out to investigate, going by way of Peninsula Station, which is seven miles from the place where the man was left. On Wednesday morning three men had left Peninsula Station, and next morning the search party met one of these men coming back with the news that the body of the German had been found in the shack. The search party went, looked at the body, and returned without touching anything in the shack.

From the examination made it looked as if the man had died by his own hand. He was sitting on a ledge about a foot high near the wall; his legs were stretched out, and his body thrown on the right side towards the fire. His rifle was between his legs, with the butt on the floor, the muzzle right against his breast, and the left arm covering it. The gun was very short and could have been discharged by the fingers.

The party returned on Thursday night, and wired Coroner Beck at Port Arthur. They did not get what they considered a satisfactory answer, and the Englishman on Friday wrote to Dr. Beck and demanded an inquest. Little doubt is felt as to the tragedy being a suicide.

THE NEW POST CARDS.

The Postmaster-General Issues Regulations Concerning the Advertising Permissible Upon Them—Ottawa Notes.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—The following are the regulations under which designs, illustrations, portraits, sketches or other forms of advertisement may be engraved, lithographed or printed on the "address" side of the one cent post card:—(1) A clear space of at least a quarter of an inch shall be left along each of the four sides of the postage stamp; (2) there shall be reserved for the address a clear space at the lower right-hand corner on the "address" side of the card immediately below the words "the space below is reserved for address only," such space so reserved for the address being at least three and one-quarter inches long by one and one-half inches wide. It is in the interest of both the department and those availing themselves of the privilege hereby granted that the spaces in question should be unconditionally reserved for the purposes intended. If any printing, engraving or other matter appears on the spaces thus reserved the post cards cannot be permitted to pass through the mails.

Letter Postage to Be Two Cents.

(Telegram special.)—It is reported on the very best of authority that Parliament will be asked to endorse proposals from the Postoffice Department reducing letter postage to two cents throughout the whole Dominion of Canada. The reduction will be conditional on Parliament's consent to the abolition of the privilege of free transmission for newspapers. It is impossible to verify the report as yet, but it is practically certain that the Postmaster-General will propose the abolition of free postage for newspapers and the reduction of the letter rate to two cents at the approaching session of the Dominion Parliament.

The militia authorities indignantly deny the report circulated to the effect that Dr. Borden, or some one in authority, had publicly stated the pay lists during the Fenian Raids had been burned. Neither Dr. Borden, nor any officer of the department ever gave out any such fable.

Apropos of the rumors that the Premier had asked for the appointment of a Papal Nuncio, one of the Cabinet says that the Government has nothing to do with it anyhow. It is, however, pointed out that for some years previous to the last general election the Liberal party were in favor and even desirous of having a Papal ablegate, not nuncio, appointed here, to prevent the interference of the clergy in the elections, and to decide matters ecclesiastical. The Government, it is stated, have not even asked for the appointment of such an officer, and it is admitted by some of the Ministers that if Sir Wilfrid Laurier has made any request for the appointment of an ablegate, the very fact of his being the head of the Government has committed the Government as a whole to sanctioning the request.

Mr. C. E. Devlin, ex-M.P., immigration agent to Ireland, arrived here this morning. He has recently lost one child, and has another dangerously ill here.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

Severe Headaches

Resulting from Catarrh Cause Great Suffering

The Great Blood Purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

Sufferers from any disease caused by impure blood should never be discouraged about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla because other medicines have failed to give relief. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail. Read this statement:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs:—I think it my duty to let you know what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I was suffering with severe headaches daily and also with catarrh. One day a paper was left at my house and in looking it over I read of your great medicine's value to my fellow sufferers. I reasoned that if it cured them, why would it not cure me, although I must own I had some doubts about it, as I

Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. E. Grey, 37 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25c.

The Daily Examiner is delivered to all parts of the Town for 10c. a week 35c. a month, $2.00 for six months

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1897.

EAST PETERBOROUGH NOMINATION.

The attention of the readers of the Examiner, in East Peterborough especially, is called to the announcement in another column of the Liberal convention to be held in the town hall, Norwood, on Dec. 21st, at 1 o'clock p. m. It is desirable that as large a gathering of the Liberals of the riding as possible will attend so that the choice of a candidate made will represent the wishes of the greatest number of the electors. The convention will be addressed by Mr. John Lang, M. P., Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., Mr. T. Blezard, M. P. P., the candidate and others.

CHEESE FACTORY REPORTS.

The Annual Meetings of the Local Factories—Results of the Season's Operations.

The annual meeting of the Maple Leaf Cheese Factory was held on Friday, Dec. 10th, for the purpose of winding up the business for the season.

The following is a report of the statement submitted to the patrons:

	Lbs milk.	Lbs cheese.	Money received.
May	194,221	17,949	$ 1,468.99
June	324,624	30,749	2,179.32
July	371,226	35,376	2,620.97
August	287,128	26,777	2,224.51
September	273,264	24,718	2,024.35
October	208,673	20,973	1,756.39
	1,661,636	141,784	$12,422.65
Money received for cheese			$12,422.65
" whey, etc			208.39
Total money received			$12,630.65
Money paid for manufacturing			$ 2,492.61
" other expenses			84.65
Total money paid out			$ 2,577.26
Total money received by patrons			10,054.79
Total no standards milk received			6984
Price per standard of the milk			$92.86
Average no pounds milk to make a pound of cheese for the season			11.814

PATRICK RYAN,
DANIEL MOLONEY, } Auditors

Beaudett Factory.

At the annual meeting of Beaudett Cheese Factory, held on Thursday of last week, Dec. 9th, which was attended by a large number of the patrons, Mr. Riddell read Prof. Robertson's letter (the same as read by President Drummond at the last meeting of Peterborough Cheese Board) and urged upon patrons to use the greatest care in preparing their milk for the factory.

REPORT OF THE SEASON'S OPERATIONS.

Milk for season, 1,206,944 pounds.
Cheese made, 103,150 pounds.
Cash receipts, $14,449.96.
Average price of cheese for the season, 8.75 cents, some of the patrons making as high as $92.70 per cow.

At this meeting the following officers were elected:—

Salesman and Secretary Treasurer—John Riddell.
Auditor—William Smithson.
Directors—Messrs. George Berry, Levi Byers, Wm. Smithson, Wm. Waterman, James Perrin and J. W. Hall.

Trewern Cheese Factory.

Quite a large gathering of the patrons of Trewern cheese factory with their friends met in the factory Friday evening, Dec. 3rd, and a very enjoyable evening was spent. After supper had been served, there was a good programme of readings, recitations, songs and instrumental music. G. W. Fitzgerald, secretary-treasurer, read an account of the season's work, which was highly satisfactory to all who are interested in the business. The following is the auditors' report of the season's work:

Total No pounds milk 1,114,000
Total No pounds cheese 96,000
Average lbs of milk per lb of cheese, 10.33.
Average price per lb of cheese, 8.75c.
Total money received, $8,136.00, showing an increase of 46 standards of milk and $1,344.00 over last year.

G. W. Fitzgerald,
Sec.-Treas.

T. T. Milburn,
T. Robinson, } Auditors

A MATTER OF INTEREST

To the Farmers of Canada—Distribution of Seed Grain Samples.

The annual distribution of samples of some of the best varieties of seed grain to farmers, for test in different parts of the Dominion, has, during the past ten years, done much to direct attention to the importance of sowing the best sorts of seed, and in many sections of the country this introduction of new sorts has resulted in a decided improvement in the yield and quality of grain produced. Nearly all the varieties sent out are grown on Experimental Farms and are selected from among those which, after being submitted to careful and repeated tests, have produced the largest average crops of grain of good quality.

Having received instructions from the Honourable Minister of Agriculture to continue this useful work and make another distribution during the season, I shall be pleased to receive applications from all who desire samples. As heretofore, one sample of one variety can be only sent to each applicant, and the distribution will be confined to samples of wheat, oats, barley, field peas, Indian corn and potatoes.

Among the varieties of grain to be distributed during the coming season, will be some of the more promising of the new cross-bred sorts, which have been produced at the Experimental Farms. All the grain sent out will be carefully cleaned and true to name. To prevent the disappointment which occurs when parties receives samples of varieties they already have, it would be well for each person applying to name two or three sorts which he would prefer, arranging them in the order of preference; when, in case the stock of the first named variety is exhausted, the second or third could be substituted. As it is proposed to only send these samples on personal, single application, it is important that every farmer who desires a sample should apply for himself. Lists of names will not be considered. All letters addressed to the Central Farm at Ottawa may be sent free of Postage, and the samples weighing three pounds each will be sent free to the applicants, through the mail. The distribution will begin early in December, and as the stock is limited and the applications will be filled in the order in which they are received, those sent in early will have the advantage. Applications may, however, be sent in at any time before the 1st of March; but after that date the list will be closed so as to ensure the sending out of all the samples in time for early sowing.

Wm. Saunders,
Director, Experimental Farms.
Central Experimental Farm,
Ottawa, Dec. 8th, 1897.

GO TO THE FOUNTAIN

That Gives Vitality and Robust Strength.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND, THE WORLD'S GRANDEST MEDICAL DISCOVERY.

A few words of advice to the weary, diseased, broken down or despairing, before it is too late.

You are evidently still in the slough of despondency, wondering why all your former efforts to obtain health have failed.

Ah! suffering brother and sister, you have not yet found that fountain of healing and health that tens of thousands of others have reached. In the past you have been misguided and deceived. You have followed, perhaps, the advice of friends and doctors, who failed to grapple with the seriousness of your case, and now you are deeper than ever before in the miry pit of suffering.

Tens of thousands who suffered greater agonies than you have endured are now well, active and enjoying the blessings of health, while you are still a slave to disease.

The rescued ones found their new life in Paine's Celery Compound, earth's truest and grandest fountain of vitality. You have the same privileges—the same right to claim its healing powers. Neglect to do so means continued sickness, agony—yes death.

If you are in earnest search for health, use the great health-giver to-day; your case is too desperate to admit of delay; prompt action is your only hope.

Mrs. W. Wigglesworth, of Liverpool, N. S., a cured lady, writes as follows:

"For fifteen years I suffered from nervous diseases and other troubles. A lady friend recommended me to use Paine's Celery Compound, and I have since received great benefit. Paine's Celery Compound has done what no other medicine could do for me. I can sleep well now, and my appetite is splendid. I advise all who are sufferers from nervousness and other diseases to it. Seven bottles restored my health wonderfully."

STONY LAKE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

There has been an epidemic of colds going the rounds of the neighbourhood. Nearly every one has had an attack. Our school teacher has been laid up with it for several days.

The recent snow and fine weather that we have had lately has started out Santa Claus. He has been bringing around some babies lately, and at Christmas will be back with a load of clothes for them.

Our energetic tax collector is drawing in the taxes very fast just now. He will have a big haul by the 15th.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

London, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

DIAMOND DYES.

Strength, Strong, Cure, Never Fade, Never Fail, Best in the World.

They colour: Dresses, Costumes, Blouses, Capes, Shawls, Coats, Vests, Trousers, Silks, Ribbons, Wool Yarns, Cotton Yarns, Rugs for Carpets and Mats, Flannels, Sheepskin Mats, Feathers, Photographs, Easter Eggs, Chickens, Pictures, Mosses, Grasses, Basket Work, Bone, etc., etc.

They make: Writing Ink, Marking Ink, Stencil Ink, Stamping Ink, Art Colours, Wood Stains, Coloured Varnishes, Shoe Dressing, etc., etc.

No other dyes in the world can give the same grand results as the Diamond Dyes. Send to Wells & Richardson Co., Montreal, for book of Directions and sample card of colours; post free to any address.

Edward III's Drum Corps.

Probably introduced from the east, it is frequently mentioned in the accounts of the first crusade. When Edward III and his queen made their triumphal entry into Calais, "tambours," or drums, were among the instruments which were played in their honor. Another of these was called a "naker," or kettle-drum, taken, together with its name, from the Arabs. The poet Chaucer also mentions this instrument in his description of the tournament in the "Knightes Tale:"

Fyftes, trompes, nakeres and clariounes,
That in the bataille blowen blody sounes.

The king generally kept a troop of these handsmen or minstrels in his employ, and we read that Edward II on one occasion gave a sum of 60 shillings to Roger the Trumpeter, Janino the Nakerer and others for their performances.—Chambers' Journal.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes the phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitaliser saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

People Praise It.

Dear Sirs,—I have often had coughs and colds, as well as bronchitis. Norway Pine Syrup cures me every time. I recommend it as a perfect cure for all throat and lung troubles.

Lizzie Hardy,
Mayfield, Ont.

CASTORIA.

Bears the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is on every wrapper.

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Wood Dealer,

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TELEPHONE 6.

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You can eat these Sausage with pleasure. They are made at McWILLIE'S, Toronto—there is no doubt about it. The quality is such as to secure the trade of every lover of wholesome Sausage. Only the choice cuts of selected young pea-fed pork are used. Spiced to a nicety, enclosed in imported English Sheep Casings. Received by Express—

FRESH EVERY FRIDAY.

We want every family in Peterborough to know about them and try them. Two pounds for 25 cents. The regular price is 15c per pound.

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Telephone 205. Regular Supplies received weekly. Orders promptly filled by Telephone or otherwise, and delivered to any part of the town. TERMS CASH.

HOLIDAY SALE

—OF—

Millinery and Mantles

During the month of December while thoughts are being turned towards Christmas, we will hold a Special Reduction Sale of every line of goods in our store. Every day of the week we will offer Bargain inducements to the Ladies to get what they want before Christmas at very low prices, as we must effect a clearance of our stock before the New Year:—

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
Stylish Mantles
Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Veilings
Chiffons, Laces, Collars, Cuffs
Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

Reduced Much Below Their Value. This store always satisfies regular customers and this Sale will bring new customers, who have seen what others bought and appreciate our store.

MISSES CAHILL

408 GEORGE STREET.

EXPERIENCE GIVES CONFIDENCE!

That's why we are so confident of pleasing you from our stock of WINTER OVERCOATS. We are not new to the business. Our past experience gives us confidence in our present stock. We believe the Goods to be right, the Cut, Style and Fit of the Garment to be right, and the Price to be right. The past experience of our customers gives them confidence. We sell so as to sell again. Already many of our old customers have come to us again for their Overcoats. If you are a stranger to us, pay us a visit and we will be pleased to show you our stock of Winter Overcoats, made of Grey, Black and Blue Beaver and Melton, with Velvet Collar, in both Single and Double-Breasted. Also our HEAVY FROSTED ULSTERS, in all colours, ranging

FROM $3.90 UP.

OAK HALL CLOTHIERS.

W. J. WATTAM, Mgr.

Dissolution of Partnership Sale.

A Large Stock of Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves and Tinware

TO BE IMMEDIATELY CLOSED OUT. THE FIRM OF

MICKS & COX

Have decided to dissolve partnership, and in order to do so will offer for sale the whole stock at a sacrifice.

The Sale will continue until the stock is entirely cleared out. This will afford an excellent opportunity to buy regular lines at very much reduced prices

Remember the Clearing Sale at 187 HUNTER ST., PETERBORO'.

N. B. All Accounts due the firm must be settled by 1st Dec. next.

Ladies' Flannelette Underwear NIGHT GOWNS

We are offering VERY SPECIAL VALUES for the Next Week in Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, as follows:—

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.		FLANNELETTE GOWNS.	
Heavy Cashmere Seamless Hose, with Double Heel and Toe, fast blacks, only	30c	Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front	58c
Our unmatchable line of Ladies' Winter Undervests—a fast seller and leader	25c	Extra Heavy Flannelette Gowns, double yoke, back and front, Bishop sleeves, frilled Collar Front and Sleeves	69c
All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and greys, only	65c	Special line of English Pink Flannelette Gowns, extra large size, made same as above	85c
		Same line of Goods in Children's sizes.	

C. G. GEMMELL,

Peterborough Corset Factory - - - 208 and 210 Charlotte Street

$5000 Worth of Tobaccos, Cigars, Pipes and Smokers Sundries

To be cleared out positively before the New Year, to make room for store enlargements at

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

Catchy Presents For Christmas in Gold and Silver mounted PIPES at Wholesale prices.

Fragrant Domestic and Imported Cigars, at the price of the Goods laid down in Peterborough. English Cane Pipes in Meerschaum and Briar, just the thing for a Present for a gentlemen, at HALF PRICE. And a grand selection of Walking Canes, Gold and Silver Mounted, at Prices that are Surprisingly Low.

Hundreds of Splendid Holiday Presents during this sale at about Half Price.

Holiday buyers come early—buy quick, and get first pick of the Fine Stock a TALBOT BROS., December Clearing Sale.

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HEAD OFFICE—427 George St., Peterborough

Capital Subscribed - $1,000,000,00
Capital Paid up - - - - 600,000,00
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Four per cent. Interest allowed on Deposits from day of Deposit to day of withdrawal.

Money advanced upon Real Estate Security repayable in monthly instalments if so desired.

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SWEET CIDER!

Just received a supply of Refined Sweet Cider. For sale by the Glass or Quart, for Mince Meat.

LONG BROS.

Order Your **COAL** — FROM —

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Why? You'll find the reason when you measure it with your eye and when you burn it. Our patrons are always satisfied, because they get the best, and flowing over measure.

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CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR RATES.

Return Tickets will be issued as below:

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First Class Fare

Good going Dec. 24 and 25; good returning until Dec. 27. Good going on Dec. 31 and Jan 1; good returning until Jan. 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste Marie, Port William and east, and to and and Detroit, Mich., and to, but not from, Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and Buffalo N. Y.

TEACHERS and STUDENTS

(Upon surrender of proper certificate signed by Principal).

Single First Class Fare and One-Third

Good Going Dec. 20 to 31; good returning until Jan. 3, 1898.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

(Upon presentation of Commercial Travellers' Railway Certificate).

Single First Class Fare

Good going Dec. 18 to 23; good to return until Jan. 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Port William and east.

Silver Mounted Pipes.

Unless you have seen our Stock of

Silver Mounted Pipes

You can have no idea of the great Improvements that have recently been made in such goods.

THE BRIAR ROOT

is the very best possible, and in some of the AMBER MOUTH-PIECES are really choice, whilst the Silver Trimmings are just right—not at all overdone.

The shapes that find most favour with smokers are "ENGLISH BULLDOG" and the "ARMY BENT."

We can give you these in Fine Leather cases. Assorted Styles in one case. Prices range from $1.00 to $5.00.

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WIDE AWAKE TOBACCONIST
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A PLANT IN BLOOM?

—Carnations —Azaleas
—Primulas —Calla Lillies
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NOW IN FLOWER AND WILL FLOWER ALL WINTER.

WEST-END GREENHOUSES

406 PARK STREET, (at Residence of G. M. Roger.) Telephone No. 21.

A. BLADE, Manager.

IF YOU'RE BUSY BAKING FOR XMAS.

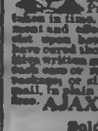
Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

Peterborough Steam Laundry

CHARLOTTE STREET.

A. PARKER, Proprietor.

MADE ME A MAN



AJAX TABLETS POSITIVELY CURE ALL Nervous Diseases—Failing Memory, Impotency, Nightmare, etc., by Abuse or other Excesses and Indiscretion. Have restored lost Vitality to 50 of my patients in 30 days. It is a nerve tonic and blood builder, and will restore Pink Color to pale cheeks and restore the fire of youth. Prevent insanity and Consumption if taken in time. Think you have Kidney trouble? Ajax Tablets will surely cure you. We have a positive written guarantee to cure any case, or refund the money. Price 50 cts. a box; 6 boxes for $2.50. Sold by druggists, or sent by mail, in plain wrapper, upon receipt of price. Pamphlet free. AJAX REMEDY CO., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Peterborough by ORMOND & WALSH, Druggists.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the *hour and time of need.*

Is prepared in two degrees of strength.

No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.

No. 2 for special cases—10 degrees stronger—sold by druggists. One box, Three Dollars; two boxes, Five Dollars.

No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company,
Windsor, Ontario.

For No. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Nugent, Druggist.

Madill's COUGH CURE

GUARANTEED

For Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat and Bronchitis.

—:—

MADILL'S PULMONIC COUGH SYRUP is UNEQUALLED as a Remedy.

EVERY BOTTLE has a positive guarantee attached Perfectly safe and reliable remedy for child or adult.

A Dose of **Madill's Stomach Pills** *taken in connection with the Cough Syrup will hasten the good effect of the Cough Syrup.*

PREPARED ONLY BY

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142 Hunter Street, - Peterborough.

THE BIG BIKE RACE.

A Physician's Diagnosis of the Physical Condition of the Winner—What Miller Ate.

New York, Dec. 14.—H. Valentine Wildman, M.D., an eminent New York physician, had the opportunity to examine the leader of the six day race, Miller. He was reclining on a couch in the trainer's apartment. The temperature of the room was quite high, I should say, about 80 degrees. Yet the leader of the race felt quite chilly. I examined his heart, and, much to my surprise, found the pulse rate 60, and but somewhat intermittent, at times running up to 70 a minute. There were dark circles around his eyes, his lips and ears of a bluish tinge, tongue quite tremulous. He is a man of fine physique, with a very large chest, which gives him great lung capacity.

The muscles were very flabby, and the different joints were much swollen and painful to pressure, especially the ankles and knees. I should think that he had incipient synobitis. His mind was in fair condition, although he was a little confused, and did not not know exactly how his score was. The fact that he had had a Turkish bath accounted in a measure for his good condition.

His actions, although perforce truly well, were those of a man suffering from exhaustion and inanition, and he evidently would soon break up altogether. He is a man of splendid proportions—a born athlete; his great muscular resources, added to a stolid and imperturbable will, were, in my mind, the means by which he won the victory.

During the six days' race Miller's food supply consisted of 8 pounds of rice, 1 pound of oatmeal, half a pound of barley, 12 quarts of coffee, 24 quarts of bottled milk, taken with lime water; 5 dozen pint jars of kumyss, 5 dozen apples, and yesterday the juice of half a dozen oranges and two pounds of grapes. No meat passed his lips, and to this fact he attributes his ability to keep up a fast clip nearly all the time. Having a lead of almost 90 miles at different times in the last 24 hours, he was inclined to take things easy, knowing his lead to be a safe one. Thus, between snatches of sleep and easy riding, he improved his physical condition and maintained his advantage in the race.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 14.

WHEAT—Trade was quiet to-day, with the feeling unsettled. Red winter sold at 31c north and west and at 32c middle freights, and white is quoted at 30c west. Spring 31c and 32c east, and goose 76c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is easier at 90c to 91c Fort William, 97c Midland and $1 to $1.01 Toronto freights.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. There were sales to-day of No. 2 at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and feed at 25c west.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23c to 23½c west, and of mixed at 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c to 44½c north and west, and at 46c east on C. P. R.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights, and at 45c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 25c to 25½c west.

FLOUR—The market is unchanged, with fair demand. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4. middle freights. Manitoba patents at $5.20 and strong bakers at $5.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3 to $3.15 for cars on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 13.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 3d to 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; peas, 4s 5½d; corn, 3s 2d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 23s 0d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 29s 0d; do., light, 31s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart. English country markets steady. Maize on passage, quiet and steady.

Paris—Wheat 20f 50c for Jan. Flour 61f 70c for Jan. French country markets weak.

Liverpool—Wheat steady at 7s 4¾d for Dec. and March, and 7s 5⅝d for May. Maize steady at 3s 1¼d for Jan. and Feb. and 3s 1½d for March. Flour 22s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat weaker at 7s 4¼d for Dec. and March, 7s 4½d for May and 7s 1½d for July. Maize steady at 3s 2¾d for Jan., 3s 1¼d for Feb., and 3s 1½d for March. Flour 22s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, Jan. and Feb., 29c. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 20f 30c for Jan. Flour dull at 61f 60c for Jan.

For cold in the head use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

FOUR KILTIES KILLED

And Fourteen Wounded in Another Hot Indian Fight.

THEY RUSH A NATIVE VILLAGE.

The Tribesmen's Fierce Attack on a Guard Transporting Wounded—Several Casualties Among the Sepoys—The Amalgamated Engineers Reject Terms—Result of Ballot.

Simla, Dec. 14.—General Kempster's rear guard, according to official despatches from the front, while transporting a number of wounded, was cut off by the tribesmen on Saturday near Sher-Khel, and was obliged to entrench for the night. By morning there was severe fighting, but the British finally rushed the village and dislodged the enemy. The Highlanders lost four killed and 14 wounded, and there were several casualties among the Sepoys before the rear guard of the brigade was finally relieved.

THE UNION BALLOT.

It is Almost Unanimously Against Accepting the Proposals of the Employers—A Meeting To-day.

London, Dec. 14.—The ballot taken by the unions of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers is almost unanimous against accepting the proposals of the employers The ballot referred to in the recent despatches grew out of the formal conference between the representatives of the striking engineers and their employers, which began on Nov. 24 last, and after several sessions was adjourned on Dec. 3 to Dec. 14, in order to allow the delegates of the engineers to submit to the various unions the terms of the masters.

The employers, through their representatives at the conference, declined to recede from their position respecting freedom in the management of their business without the interference of the unions, and emphatically pronounce against a reduction in the hours of labor, on the ground that such a diminution would mean a smaller output and inability to meet foreign competitors. The general impression when the conference was adjourned to allow the ballot was that unless the unions accepted these terms there would be a renewal of the deadlock.

The strike began on July 15 last, with a lockout upon the part of some of the engineers, followed by the engineers calling out a large number of men, until about a hundred thousand engineers were thrown out of work. The ostensible reason for the strike was the question of the payment of overtime and incidentally for eight hours per day. The engineers have insisted upon eight hours' work, and that all overtime must count as one and a quarter time for the first two hours and as time and a half after that.

Experienced Fearful Weather.

London, Dec. 14.—The British steamer Bellona, Captain Murray, from Montreal, Nov. 20, for Leith, has arrived in the Tyne, having a heavy list to port. She reports having experienced fearful weather, during which her decks were continually swept by great seas, and many cattle were washed overboard.

Hayti's New Cabinet.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 14.—A proclamation was published here at noon yesterday, announcing the composition of the new Haytian Ministry, as follows: Minister of the Interior, M. Auguste Tancrede; Minister of Commerce and Finance, M. Plaisance; Minister of Exterior Relations and Worship, M. Brutus St. Victor; Minister of War and Marine, M. Guillaume Velbrun (who is now President of the Chamber); Minister of Public Works and Agriculture, M. Cincinnatus Leconte; Minister of Justice and Public Instruction, M. Antoine Carmeleau.

Pando in Pursuit of Gomez.

Havana, Dec. 14.—It is officially announced that the Spanish force under the command of General Pando, in the province of Puerto Principe, has been pushing the insurgent leader, General Maximo Gomez, so closely that he was obliged, with about 200 of his escort, to seek refuge in the woods and mountains of Las Delicias.

A Big Cricket Score.

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 14.—The first test cricket match between the English cricket team and an Australian eleven began here yesterday. At the close of play the Englishmen had scored 337 for 4 wickets down.

ONTARIO FRUIT GROWERS.

Their Annual Meeting to be Held in Waterloo—Subjects to be Discussed.

Waterloo, Dec. 14.—To-morrow and next day the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association will hold their annual meeting here. The chief subjects to be taken up are "Fruit Spraying During 1897," which will be introduced by W. M. Orr; the cold storage export of fruit, and the San Jose scale. It is understood that Hon. Mr. Dryden's bill regarding this pest will be taken up at this meeting.

Hon. Messrs. Fisher and Dryden, Ministers of Agriculture, for the Dominion and the Province, respectively, who will be present, will, with Prof. J. M. Robertson, address a public meeting to-morrow night. Papers are expected from Prof. H. L. Hutt on "Chrysanthemums," from Prof. H. H. Groff on "Hybridising," and by Mr. E. B. Whyte on "Amateur Gardening."

Distress from Earache.

"I was troubled with earache for a long time," says Miss J. Johnson, Innisfail, N. W. T., "and after trying different remedies without success, used Hagyard's Yellow Oil as a last resort and I can really say that it cured me so completely that I have never had earache since."

How to Cure all Skin Diseases."

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

GOUGH'S CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Here is an Interesting Collection of solid worth, suitable for all Ranks and Conditions of the People, at the Wonderful Cheap Men's CHEAPEST "Cuts." SANTA CLAUS SHOPPERS come with Great Expectations, and they will be more than realized:—

New Neckwear
in Decorated Boxes
Satin Knots
Silk Ties
Silk Bows
Silk Handkerchiefs
Silk Mufflers
Silk Neckscarfs
Silk Suspenders
Silk Umbrellas
Silk Underwear
Silk Socks
Ladies' Fancy Slippers
Men's Fancy Slippers
Ladies' Rubbers
Men's Rubbers
Felt Rubbers
Children's Rubbers

Kid Gloves, Unlined
Kid Gloves, Fur-lined
Kid Gloves, Wool-lined
White Dress Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Scotch Underwear
Cardigan Jackets
Fine French Hosiery
Gentleman's Jewelry
Irish Linen Handkerchiefs
Lawn Handkerchiefs
In Fancy Boxes
Arctic Overshoes
Felt Foot Warmers
Wool Foot Warmers
Grandma's Gaiters
Children's Bootees
Baby Shoes

Fancy Silk Vests
Spotted Corduroy Vests
Smoking Jackets
Fibre Chamois Vests
Dressing Gowns
Night Robes
Waterproof Coats
Fur Caps
Beaver Caps
Persian Lamb Caps
Fur Overcoats
Silk Hats, Felt Hats
Wool Leggings
Fancy Moccasins
Men's and Boys' Overcoats
Men's and Boys' Suits
Men's and Boys' Ulsters
Reefers and Pea Jackets

GOUGH'S doors are thrown wide open. Admission Free! We turn the store over to you with polite guides to direct you through the whole performance. We are the People's People.

BROKE HIS WIFE'S NECK.

An Indian Who Was Afraid His Relatives Would be Eaten Took Drastic Measures.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—Indian Agent Short, who arrived Saturday from Berens River, brought particulars of a horrible murder, which occurred 80 miles east of Berens River reserve. An Indian woman was suffering from typhoid fever and became delirious. Her husband thought she had become a Wendigo, and decided that she must be killed in order to prevent her from eating other members of her band. Grabbing his wife around the body with one arm, he grasped her hair with the other hand, and twisted her head until he broke her neck. It was decided to take the Indian into custody on a charge of murder.

The Work of Firebugs.

Stouffville, Dec. 14.—At 12.30 yesterday morning fire, presumably started by an incendiary, destroyed the barns and outbuildings on the farm of George Richardson, two miles from Claremont. Cattle, horses and sheep perished, and grain, hay and implements were destroyed.

Parlow and Poirier Committed.

St. Scholastique, Que., Dec. 14.—Sam Parlow and Mrs. Poirier were formally committed to stand their trial at the next Criminal Assizes for the murder of the latter's husband. The prisoners were arraigned yesterday and pleaded not guilty to the charge.

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By order of the Board,
E. R. WOOD,
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LOCAL NEWS.

10 a. m. Probabilities.

Decreasing winds; unsettled, with snow or sleet. Not such change in temperature.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list is another column.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Remission Not Recommended.

The Fire, Water and Light Committee met last night and decided to recommend that the council do not grant the request of the Peterborough Light & Power Co. for the remission of the tax placed on their poles on the streets.

Dainties From Sea and Land.

We have an unusually nice spread for the holiday bill of fare, comprising some of the most delicious dainties upon both sea and land, including fresh sea salmon, smoked sea salmon, halibut, smelts, sardines and toothsome bivalves, large and luscious. Also juicy figs, dates, grapes, oranges, etc., and other tropical fruits in the very choicest condition. J. B. OKE & Co., 416 George street. Phone 204.

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JUBILEE BAZAAR

In aid of St. Joseph's Hospital and House of Providence, from Tuesday 14th to Friday 17th, in the Opera House. Meals at all hours. Hot meals from 12 to 2. Open from 9 a m to 10.30 p.m. Admission 10c. 3d

An Evening with Eugene Field's Poems.

The St. John's Mission Band will hold a sale of useful articles on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, from 7 to 10 p.m., in the school house, at which the following programme will be rendered:

PART I.

About Eugene Field, address.....Rev W L Armitage
At Play, recitation.....Lois Ostrom
Little Boy Blue, solo.....Geraldine Billington
The Night Wind, recitation.....Alma L McCollum

PART II.

Ballad of Waller Lot, recitation.....Holden Blackwell
Scenes from Ballad of Waller Lot, dramatic tableaux
Characters—The Beautious Sissy Kasta, Cowboys, Injuns, the Hero, the Famous Pup
Dutch Lullaby, lullaby.....The Chorus
The Rock-a-bye Lady from Hush-a-bye Street, tableau...Marion Sherwood, Barrie Clementi, Edith Alymer, Dorothy Alymer, Lillian Dean

Master Holden Blackwell's recitation, "Ballad of Waller Lot," will be an especially good number. The mention of Miss Alma McCollum's name as having arranged the programme, assures that it will be exceptionally good. Mrs. Greenwood is looking after the interests of the sale department. A small admission fee of 10c for adults and 5c for children.

PETERBOROUGH PRESBYTERY

In Session at St. Paul's Church—The Business Considered.

The quarterly meeting of the Peterborough Presbytery was held this morning in St. Paul's church, with the Moderator, Rev. D. Sutherland, of Warkworth, presiding and the following members present:—Rev F Andrews, Keene; Rev W Bennett (clerk), Peterborough; Rev E F Torrance, D D, Peterborough; Rev D A Thompson, Hastings; Rev A P Oswald, Janetville; Rev J K Smith, D. D, Port Hope; Rev Alexander Laird, Port Hope; Rev Wm Johnston, Millbrook; Rev A C Reeves, Lakefield; Rev A F Somerville, Norwood; Rev A W Tanner, Omemee; Rev Robert Laird, Campbellford; Rev J G Potter, Peterborough; Rev Bruce Innes, Bobcaygeon; Rev D A Hamilton, Havelock; and Elders John Clark, Campbellford; John Braden, Bobcaygeon, and W. C. Roxburgh, Norwood.

A committee was appointed to rearrange the Dunford field, and another one to consider the condition of the manse property at Ballyduff.

The next meeting of the Presbytery will be held in the hall of the First Presbyterian church, Port Hope, on the first Tuesday in March at 2 p.m.

Interesting home mission reports were presented by Rev. Dr. Torrance. Reports were given in showing that ministers had generally preached missionary sermons on the first Sabbath of this month.

PARSONAGE RECEPTION.

Rev. S. Shorey's new Residence Crowded With Guests Last Friday Evening.

The "house warming" of the beautiful new parsonage provided by the liberality of the George street Methodist church, was held last Friday night.

This "house warming" which was in the nature of a reception given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, attracted a very large attendance. Some of the guests arrived as early as half past six and the flow continued till half past nine, when the capacity of the building was taxed to its utmost.

The house was lighted from cellar to attic by means of incandescent lights and it presented a very striking appearance.

The greater part of the evening was spent in social intercourse interspersed with numbers from an impromptu programme as follows:

Instrumental duet.....Misses Abbie and Sarah Robinson
Mandolin Trio....Miss Dobbin, Miss Boyer and Master Alf Cox
Piano solo.....Mrs McAllister
Vocal solo.....Mr A L Davis
Piano duet.....Misses Sherin and Morrow
Vocal selection.....Mr A L Davis and Miss Stevens

The programme was an excellent one and much enjoyed by all.

Luncheon was served throughout the evening. Most excellent tea and coffee were supplied by Mr. C. H. Hutchings, of the Sikim Tea Parlour, and was pronounced as being most delicious. The reception was a most unqualified success in every sense of the term.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. S. Boswell is convalescing but is still unable to leave his room.

Miss Neill, of Lindsay, has been spending the last few days in town.

Mrs. Wm. Meeking, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned to Port Hope.

Mr. Geo. Gobiel, who has been confined to his room with illness for the last couple of days is able to be about again.

Mr. Eddy Howell, well known in town, has taken up residence in Waterloo, and will play with the hockey team of that town this winter.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95.

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, worn tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

Do Not Delay.

Many have hardly given a thought to Christmas shopping. For them the time to buy their fruits and groceries is limited, as it is only about one week and a half till Xmas. No better time left than this week and no better place than E. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. Larger assortments and better value than anywhere.

Fine Leather Goods.

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THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

An Interview With Mr. A. L. Davis—He Will be a Candidate—His Reasons for Entering the Field—A Large and Influential Deputation Waits Upon Him—He Consents to Run.

This morning the EXAMINER called upon Mr. A. L. Davis in connection with the rumour that he was likely to be a candidate for the Mayoralty, at the approaching municipal elections.

"It is rumoured, Mr. Davis, that you contemplate becoming a candidate for the Mayoralty for 1898. What is your position?"

Mr. Davis—"I was waited upon yesterday by a large and influential deputation of citizens, representing all classes of the community, requesting me to allow my name to go to the electors for the Mayoralty."

"What was your reply?"

Mr. Davis—"I told them that I was thankful for the honour and that I regarded the Mayoralty as both a gift and a trust from the people and that as they had so urgently pressed their desire to place the trust in my hands, I felt it my duty to sacrifice my personal inclinations and would do my duty as a citizen and place myself in their hands."

"What are your reasons for opposing Mayor Yelland?"

Mr. Davis—"In the first place he has held the position for two years and has, therefore, had his share of the honours that should be enjoyed by any citizen in connection with the office. Besides, there was a desire on the part of the citizens for a new man. I have no personal feelings against Mr. Yelland and hope we shall come out of the contest as good friends as we are now. And a large number of the ratepayers, including many of our best citizens, have expressed the need there is for having a business mayor, that is, a man of business experience and business connections, who would make it his business to originate matters looking to the advancement of the interests of the town and not content himself with mere occupancy of the mayor's chair. The need has been expressed of a mayor who would carry out an aggressive policy in the town's interest as against a policy of drift—letting things run themselves. I have been also assured that my business and other relations and connections would give me an influence at headquarters, in case the town might need any favours from the Dominion Government, that would place me, as mayor, in a better position to push the claims of the town successfully."

"When will the campaign open?"

Mr. Davis—"I am preparing a card which will generally define my position in regard to the Mayoralty and it will be in the people's hands to-morrow."

COURT OF REVISION.

A Number of Appeals Taken up Last Night and Considered.

The Court of Revision met last evening and made the following decisions in the appeals taken up:

Mrs. Ellen Rogers, for remission of taxes—Granted.

John Rogers, for remission of taxes—Not granted.

Mrs. Rebecca Hartly, asking to have part of her taxes remitted—Not granted.

Mrs. Metcalfe, for Barnardo Home, asking for remission of taxes—Not granted.

Mrs. Joseph Butler, for remission of taxes—Not granted.

Mrs. Sarah Drake, for remission of taxes—Not granted.

Miss M. Sheridan, for remission of taxes—Not granted.

Thos. H. Finn, for remission of taxes—Granted.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

By Court Stanley, Ancient Order of Foresters.

A very interesting and profitable meeting was held Friday last night by the Ancient Order of Foresters. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

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" David Holt.....C R
" R Madge.....S C R
" R McWilliams.....Treas
" H Treamaine.....S B
" Geo Datcher.....J B
" Geo Record.....Sec
" Frank Lash.....S W
" R Ringer.....J W
" R Holt.....Sub Sec
" Albert Rouse.....Chap
" Johnston, Hamilton, Gilbert.....Auditors
" W D Scott, M.D.....Physician
" Harry Williams, David Hamilton, Henry Lash.....Trustees
" W J Johnston.....Cor Sec

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Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 98, or address box 302, and have him send one over to your house.

COUNTY COURT.

There are no Criminal Cases for the Grand Jury to Consider.

The general sessions of the County Court opened this afternoon before Judge Weller.

There were no criminal cases on the docket and therefore the work of the Grand Jury, comprised of the following gentlemen, will be light:—

Herbert Cairnduff, Harvey; Richard Rimhirst, John Hanbridge, Otonabee; Joseph Edwards, Dummer; David A. Fraser, Norwood; John Fraser, H. P. Lindsay, George Munro, H. B. Meharry, Peterborough; John L. Madill, Lakefield; James McCliggott, Douro; and Jeremiah Welsh, Burleigh.

There are three appeal cases to be taken up, viz:—

Floody vs. Conway, in which Inspector Floody, of the Inland Revenue Department, is the appellant against the decision of Magistrate Edmison in dismissing a charge preferred against Michael Conway, of allowing an illicit still to be conducted on premises controlled by him. E. B. Edwards for appelant, D. O'Connell for respondent.

McNairn vs Rossel, in which Wm. McNairn appeals against the decision of Police Magistrate Dumble, in imposing a fine on the charge of selling goods without a license. Stratton & Hall for appelant, E. B. Edwards for respondent.

Legros vs Rossel, in which Charles Legros appeals against the decision of the Police Magistrate, in fining him for selling tobacco to a minor. Stratton & Hall for appelant; E. B. Edwards for respondent.

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING may be deferred, but remember there is a difference between a full spread and the crumbs, from which to select. You will doubtless find something at the last moment, but that something will not be so choice—it will be leavings. It's a pleasure to shop now—but that jam later on!

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Cashmere Hosiery
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Table Covers
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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 8° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	35°	31°

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Allan McCarthy	W M
F U Kitley	D M
Samuel Henderson	R S
Bro Watts	Chap
Jas Rose	F S
Thos Huston	Treas
Robt Wright	Sec
John Elliott	D C
E Greaves	1st Committeeman
R Goodenough	2nd "
Thos Simons	3rd "
W Clifford	4th "
A Huston	5th "
Hall Com	E Mitchell and W Dowdal
Auditors	D Kennedy and J G Weir

OFFICERS I. O. L. NO. 46.

Maple Leaf Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 46, Fraserville, held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, December 7th. After getting through with the general business of the Lodge the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Fred Clark	W M
A Reycolds	D M
Jas Lackie	Chaplain
H Lackie	Rec-Sec
T Thompson	Fin Sec
Jas McBride	D of C
Geo Berry	Lecturer
L Moore	1st Committeeman
Alex Cunningham	2nd "
H Ruddy	3rd "
Wm Cunningham	4th "
A Reynolds	5th "

HAVELOCK L. O. L.

The following officers for the year 1898 were elected at a meeting of L. O. L. No. 326, Havelock, on Tuesday evening:

Fred McAdam	W M
Jas Anderson	D M
Wm Mathieson	R S
Thos Cummings	F S
Robt McAdam	Chaplain
A J Copp	Treas
Thos Anderson	D of C
D Seabrook	Lecturer
Wm Anderson	1st Committeeman
Robt Buchanan	2nd "
Samuel Seabrook	3rd "
Jas Sexsmith	4th "
Geo Sexsmith	5th "

After the election of officers they were installed by the County Master to their several offices. Speeches were given by the newly-elected officers and also by J. H. McKelvie, of Norwood. A good time was enjoyed by all present.

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26th Feb., 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Constipation for years has been my chief ailment; it seemed to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However some time ago I was told of Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pill, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure.—Turly yours,

J. Harris.

Make it a Point

If you want furniture to visit Clegg's warerooms where you can get variety in every line. Just now you can get special values in Extension Tables. Prices run $4.50, $5, $5 50, $6 and so on. Fancy wood seat dining chairs at 50c. 60c, 70c and up. A large stock of framed pictures, selected subject, that will be cleared out at 25 per cent, below regular prices and many other lines that would interest you.—Clegg's Furniture Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

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Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, billiousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

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This store is now at its best. THE STANDARD OF EXCELLENCE united with a guarantee of VALUE, is foremost in the reputation of this store, and never more so than at Christmas time. Dependableness makes its shopping comfort universally important to all.

"WHAT SHALL I GIVE FOR A CHRISTMAS PRESENT?" That is the all-important question. Here you will find worthy Presents for Gentleman, old and young, combining the elements of Permanence, Good Taste, Beauty and Comfort. We pick a few things at random:—

FASHIONABLE NECKWEAR.—All High Class Goods. Just out from London and New York, including the swell colours and shapes in Silk and Satin Roman Stripe, Tartan and Plaid Effects, Foulard Silks in Navy and White Spot, Striped Muslins and all the new fancies in vogue—Ascott Scarfs, DeJoinvilles, Oxfords, Club Colors, Sailor Knots, Marlows, Aberdeens, Butterfly Bows, Four-in-Hands, Puffs, Fancy Ties, and Loose Flowing Ends, &c. A SPECIAL LINE put up in handsome single boxes at **50c to 75c**

LOVELY SILK MUFFLERS. 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50
Still Better Qualities at $2 00, $2 25 and $2 50.

UMBRELLAS with Congo Crook Handles and Gloria Tops, VERY SPECIAL, at only **$1.25**

Taffeta and Silk Umbrellas, with stylish Handles and tight rolling Leather Cases **$4.50**

Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, with Handles in shades of Green, (latest) Silk Case **$3.50**

GLOVES, Fine Kid, unlined, also Silk lined, and Gloves lined with fine Fur and Wool. ..... **50c to $2.75**

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Plain White Silk, hemstitched and with Fancy Coloured Border, Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, plain and hemstitched, Gentlemen's Initials, in half dozens at ..... **75c, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00** per ½ doz

Together with many other appropriate and useful articles for gift-giving. The Ladies especially will find a most interesting selection for their gentlemen friends. Never did value speak for itself more plainly than now, under our Cash System.

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GRAND BAZAAR HELD IN THE OPERA HOUSE

For St. Joseph's Hospital and the House of Providence.

THE DECORATIONS UNRIVALLED.

Cosy Nooks and Sylvan Scenes Enhanced the Beauty of the Place—The Girls are Pretty and the Articles They Offer for Sale of Genuine Merit and Superior Quality—Description of the Stalls.

To escape from the dull monotony of town life into the free north country, there to loiter away the time around the islands of beautiful Stony Lake is peace and comfort indeed. Yet almost the same sense of happiness and ease came with the first glances around the Opera House this afternoon. There were to be seen all those harmonious blending of colours so charming to the eye, and bringing with them a feeling of satisfaction and comfort.

Decorations in colours that rivalled the the beauties of the rainbow or an autumn sunset met the eye on every side, beginning at the entrance to the arcade from George street, where the ceiling was gay with festoons and bunting. Inside, little nooks, whose framework of evergreens and flowers gave them the appearances of some sylvan retreat, were stowed away in this corner and that—retreats where one might wish to stop and long enjoy the comfort and beauty there to be found. It could not be called "a state of single blessedness" for

PRETTY GIRLS WERE THERE

in dozens and scores for the especial purpose to see that it was otherwise, and with such charming incentives to spend is it any wonder that the bazaar will be a great success.

Predominating everywhere above bunting, evergreens and all other decorations was that flag of flags—the Union Jack. At every turn it met the the eye, and what decoration, to a loyal Canadian, could vie with that.

The display of fancy goods, children's clothing and ladies' and gentlemen's underwear, surpasses anything which has been shown in this line in the town for years. The quantity is something immense and the work most beautiful. The prices are beyond criticism and what more could be desired when there are such crowds of pretty girls at your elbow all the time to see that you are looked after and receive every attention whilst looking over the tables containing everything desirable in the way of ladies' work for Christmas gifts.

The workers at the bazaar are divided into two parties and the first and second wards stand arrayed

IN FRIENDLY RIVALRY

against wards three and four and Ashburnham. Along the east side of the Opera House under the gallery is the great fancy work table of the first and second ward. Its decorations are superb. Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Harry LeBrun and Mrs. Dr. Moher are attending to the children's clothing and underwear; Mrs. Sharp, Mrs. Duignan and Miss McCarthy at the dolls; Mrs. Thos. Cahill and Mrs. M. Halpin to the fancy work, and Mrs. Henry, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. John Hayes and Miss Hickey to the prizes. A little table just at the door is loaded down with cigars, soda water, etc., and is looked after by Mrs. M. Riley and Mrs. Thos. Leplante. The fish pond is in charge of Miss Annie Simons and Miss Annie O'Neil, and Miss Susie Kelly presides at a table whereon there is a great display of painted hat bands. Mrs. Thos. McGrath and Mrs. P. Heffernan have assumed charge of a ten-cent lottery, and Mrs. Legendre at another table is displaying a beautiful selection of hand-painted plaques, Christmas cards and calendars.

JUST BACK OF THESE

at the end of the hall, and between the two fish ponds, is one of the most attractive spots in the hall—a candy stand arranged in the form of a pavilion. Paine have not been spared to make it pretty and evergreens and chrysanthemums make it a veritable bower of beauty—the attractions not being lessened by any means by the fact that the toothsome sweet meats are dispensed by Miss Addie Forlong, Miss Minnie O'Sullivan and Miss Cleman. "Sweets for the sweet" is the motto hung above the stall, and from the business which is being done, a good many of the patrons of the bazaar must have a good opinion of themselves. A great deal of taste has been displayed by these young ladies in the arrangement of the decorations of their pavilion. A great bank of evergreens, from out of which lights shine in strong relief, has been arranged as a background, and against this the flag draped supports of the stand show up very prettily.

A special prize table is under the charge of Miss Burke, Miss Overend and Miss Vinette. Beautiful articles can be procured here for a very small sum.

Right at the other end of the Opera House, on the stage, seems to be the mecca to which every pilgrim to the bazaar must wend their way before they depart. The prosaic looking old stage would never be recognized under the decorations

WHICH DAINTY FINGERS

have arranged as devised by artistic eyes for beauty and effect. The scenery is completely hid by pretty tapestry hangings, and the "Bower of Mirth" is a nook well worth investigating, especially by the sterner sex, as especial provision has been made for their entertainment in the way of cigars, cigarettes, etc. Soft drinks of all sorts are also on tap, and lemon sour and ginger beer flow merrily. Sofas and easy chairs have been disposed around the stage for the comfort of those who wish to linger, and in the boxes card tables have been placed. The young ladies whose taste has been displayed in the arrangements are Miss Kempt, Miss Genevieve Kempt, Miss Brennan and Miss Dillon.

Along the whole length of the west side of the hall runs the fancy work table of the 3rd and 4th wards and Ashburnham and a bewildering display of beautiful things is made, as well as of useful articles in the way of aprons and underwear. Decorations have not been spared to make this apartment attractive.

IT IS IN CHARGE

of Mrs (Dr.) Kempt, Mrs. M. J. Coughlin, Mrs. Brennan, Mrs. Begley, Mrs. Doris, Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. Dineen and Miss Haggerty. The curiosity booth, which is very daintily constructed and where an interesting art collection is on exhibition, is in charge of Mrs. John Moloney. The fish pond in the south west corner is in charge of Mrs. J. J. Lynch and Mrs. George Ball, and here the ladies actually bait the hooks without a screen.

Miss Moran is looking after a booth put up at the corner of the stage, where religious emblems are sold. Some very handsome hand-painted placques are shown.

The dining room has been supplied with everything conceivable to make it attractive, and every day, while the bazaar is open, it is expected that hundreds will avail themselves of it at noon or tea time. Mrs. (Dr.) O'Sullivan has kindly consented to exercise a guiding hand as formerly, and she is ably assisted by Mrs. Leplante, Mrs. McFadden, Mrs. T. Cavanagh, Mrs. Sero, Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. Crowley, Mrs. Connors, Miss Sullivan, Miss White, Mrs. Simons, Mrs. H. Cavanagh, Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Foley.

That large numbers will be in attendance at the bazaar all week to view the exquisite loveliness of the scene, goes without saying. If beauty doth oft make women proud, those ladies in charge of the various stalls must surely be very proud indeed.

Musical programmes have been arranged for every afternoon and evening.

Grace Ella Alton, Hartland, N. B Cured of Eczema.

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

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Andrew Alton, Witness. Hartland, N.B.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE OF FRENCH KID GLOVES.

We continue our sale of Paris Kid Gloves. Original price $1,00 and $1.25 per pair; your choice for 59c. Black and Coloured, all sizes.

ROBERT FAIR,
Sign of the Golden Lion.

Mayoralty Election.

A GRAND RALLY of the friends and supporters of

MR. A. L. DAVIS

Will be held at the Committee Rooms, next door to LeGros' Barber Shop,

On Wednesday Evening, Dec. 15th

for organization for the contest.

A large attendance of the electors is requested.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

EAST PETERBOROUGH LIBERAL CONVENTION

A MASS MEETING of those who have been supporters of the Liberal Government in Ontario, for the selection of a Candidate to Contest the East Riding of Peterborough at the approaching General Elections for the Legislative Assembly, will be held on

Tuesday, 21st December, 1897

IN THE

TOWN HALL, Norwood

at ONE o'clock, p.m.

A large representation of all the supporters of the Government is requested so that the candidate selected to contest the constituency will be the choice of the greatest possible number of supporters.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock p.m. sharp.

MESSRS. JOHN LANG, M. P., J. R. STRATTON, M.P.P., and THOS. BLEZARD M. P. P., and others will address the meeting.

J. M. DRUMMOND, President E.P.R.A. J. O. MOFFAT, M.D., Secretary (pro tem.)

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4-Foot Maple	$4.00 per cord
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Imported Pea Coal	$5.00 per ton

Every Cord of Wood and every Ton of Coal guaranteed full measure and weight. All our Coal is clean and properly screened. Delivered in any part of the Town or Ashburnham and put in with care.

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1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Almond Nuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Cooking Raisins 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Walnuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Table Raisins	.12
1 lb. No. 1 Soft Shell Almond Nuts	.12	1 lb. Blue Bells Currants 8c. or 3½ for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Filbert Nuts	.12	1 lb. Filiabras, 4 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Lemon Peel	.15	1 lb. Cooking Figs 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Cross & Blackwell's Peel	.20	1 lb. Table Figs	.12
1 lb. No. 1 Seeded California Raisins	.12	1 doz. No. 1 Oranges	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins, large	.10	1 doz. No. 1 Lemons	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins 8c. or 3½ for	.25		

Seasonable Suggestions for Santa Claus Shoppers.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

ELEGANT 'XMAS GIFTS.

HANDSOME NEEDLE WORK. Silk Table Drapes, Silk Piano Drapes, Centrepieces, Tray Cloths, Five o'clocks, Table Covers, Sofa Cushions, Tea Cosies, Fancy Trimmed Articles, Designs in Cold Felts, Linen Work, Crochet Work, Wool Work, Lace Collars, Veilings, Cheffons. Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Stamping done to order, and ordered work promptly executed.

FANCY GOODS.—Comb and Brush Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Trays, Tie and Handkerchief Cases, Celluloid Novelties, Ostrich Fans, Photo Frames and Easels, Fancy Tassels, Art Materials, Pin Cushions, Fancy Silks, Braids, Fine Wools, &c., Stamped Goods, Wall Ornaments, Toilet and Perfume Bottles, &c., &c.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

390 GEORGE STREET.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect Shop, 450 George St

NOTICE

MADAM JABAR has removed to more Central Offices, over the New Bank of Commerce, entrance Hunter Street.

MADAME JABAR

The Greatest Living Phrenologist and Palmister.

She knows what trade or profession you are best adapted for. Advice to parents as to the proper culture of and education of children. Also to young people on love and marriage affairs. Office Hours from 10 a. m. to 9.30 p m Notice

New Books

"Sir Toady Lion"	*Crockett*	$1.50
"Equality"	*Bellamy*	1.25
"The Eye of Istar"	*Lequeux*	1.50
"Heart Songs"	*Jean Blewett*	1.00
"To London for Jubilee"	*Kit*	.75
"Sheilah McLeod"	*Boothby*	.75
"They That Sit in Darkness"	*Mackie*	.75
"The Pursuit of the House Boat"	*Bangs*	1.25
"The Potter's Wheel"	*Maclaren*	1.25
"The Great Stone of Sardis"	*Stocktong*	1.50
"A March on London"	*Henty*	1.25
"The Bether Book"	*Sarah Grand*	.75
"The Dumpies"	*Brownies*	1.25
"Autobiography of a Monkey"		1.25

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SAILSBURY'S BOOKSTORE.

MORE ELBOW ROOM

Wanted for Holiday Goods and Holiday Shoppers at

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(SUCCESSOR TO C. B. ROUTLEY.)

Two Stores Full to the Doors

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 379 George Street.

2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

SANTA CLAUS has loaded us up so heavily this year that I have been obliged to enlarge my boundaries. In order to display my enormous Holiday stock, and to divide up the multitude that annually flock to this store, I have leased the well lighted premises on the corner of Water and Hunter Streets, and stocked it to the doors like a veritable Fairyland. And now we are ready with

Both Stores Blooming With Bargains.

TOYS and Fancy Goods by the Hundreds and Thousands, bought to sell at about HALF PRICE. On with the Rush! Shop Early, as we expect tremenduous crowds in a few days. All the old friends of MR. C. B. ROUTLEY will be glad to know that he has kindly volunteered to assist during the busiest season. An extra staff of salesladies has also been engaged so that everybody can be waited on without delay,

C. F. KUTZBACH, (Successor to C. B. ROUTLEY) 379 George Street and Opposite the Post Office.

THIS TELLS THE WHOLE STORY.

A Hamilton lady restored to Health.

Mrs. A. Simpson spoke to our reporter as follows, at her cosy residence, 118 Locke St., Hamilton, Ont. Said Mrs. Simpson, "For the last two years I have suffered greatly from heart and nerve troubles,

also pains in my head. My appetite was very poor, and I felt very miserable all the time, hardly able to do my household work. My heart was so bad that I frequently fainted away, and was liable to drop down at any place or time.

Sometimes my heart seemed to bound into my throat so that I thought I would smother. My rest was very much broken, and I grew quite discouraged after using so many medicines without relief.

When I heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and procured a box at John A. Barr's drug store, and now after having used two boxes can say that I am completely cured. My appetite is good, indeed it seems as if I wanted to eat all the time. I sleep well and am thoroughly toned up. Truly I am better than I have been for many years."

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THE SULTAN OF TURKEY.

Ex-Minister Terrell Pays Tribute to His Charm of Manner.

Hon. A. W. Terrell, formerly United States minister at Constantinople, contributes "An Interview With the Sultan" to The Century. Mr. Terrell says:

The sultan is over 50 years old, of medium height, with clear olive complexion, dark hair, high forehead and large dark brown eyes. The habitual expression of his face is one of extreme sadness. Though the pashas who attend his palace when ministers or embassadors are entertained are decorated with regal splendor, he always appears in plain garb, wearing a red fes, a frock coat and trousers of dark blue stuff and patent leather shoes. A broad service sword with steel scabbard, which he holds sheathed in his hand, completes the costume. Sometimes a single decoration is worn on his breast. When he is seen thus plainly attired in the throne-room of his palace, on the first day of the feast of Bairam, seated on an ottoman covered with cloth of gold, to receive the congratulations of his civil and military chiefs, who are all radiant in uniforms and decorations, the contrast is very striking. No Christians but those of the diplomatic corps ever witness this impressive ceremony, which is conducted with the order that distinguishes a military review, but with an oriental servility that an American finds it difficult to understand. On such occasions Osman Pasha stands at the sultan's left, holding a cloth of gold scarf, which all reverently kiss after saluting their ruler.

No sovereign in Europe is more courtly or refined in entertaining his guests, and few can be more agreeable in conversation. In his personal intercourse with foreign representatives he is alike free from that stilted dignity which repels confidence and from that absence of real dignity which invites familiarity.

When I first dined at the palace, the sultan sat at the head of the table, with Mrs. Terrell at his right and myself at his left. Osman Pasha, Ismael Pasha, the former khedive of Egypt, the grand vizier and other ministers of state were the other guests.

Nothing could excel the excellence of the cuisine of which he partook with his guests, the table service and decorations, the magnificence of the dining room or the excellence of his wines, which always remain untasted except by Christian guests. Each pasha wore the insignia of his rank, blazing with gems and decorations, while the plain costume of the sultan was alone in harmony with my own. No armed men stood guard at the palace doors, and except a detail from the imperial guard, who always salute a foreign representative on his arrival, no soldiers have ever been seen by me within the palace walls on any of the occasions when I have dined there.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 239 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

Shocked and Frightened.

Weak, nervous people having heart troubles are easily shocked and frightened. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills fortify the nerves, restore regular action to the heart and cure every form of heart and nerve trouble. Mrs. Gladys McMillan, Toronto, says: "Milburns Heart and Nerve Pills cured me of nervousness and palpitation. I was so nervous that the least noise would startle me; but am now perfectly well."

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co Montreal, wholesale agents.

THE SIX DAYS' RACE.

Miller Wins It With 2093 Miles and 4 Laps to His Credit — Only Slept 4 Hours.

New York, Dec. 13.—Charles W. Miller of Chicago is the winner of the greatest, hardest and most cruel six day race on the wheel ever held. He has beaten the world's record by 183¼ miles, and has traveled the marvellous distance of 2093¼ miles in 142 hours.

Final score, 142 hours: Best previous record, 1910 miles, eight laps; holder, Teddy Hale:

Pos. Rider.	Mls.	Lps.
1—Miller	2093	4
2—Rice	2093	5
3—Schinner	2000	7
4—Hale	1920	2
5—Waller	1883	1
6—Pierce	1828	0
7—Golden	1778	0
8—Gannon	1760	6
9—Enterman	1758	7
10—Rivierre	1746	7
11—Elkes	1660	7
12—Kinse	1616	8
13—Julius	1503	5
14—Moore	1495	4
15—Beacon	1380	8
16—Johnson	1279	4
17—Gray	1239	0

A Heart-Breaking, Killing Pace.

Just 15 men out of the 36 that started lasted till the finish. No wonder, it was a heart-breaking, killing pace. All day long they waddled. No one could change his place on that black score board that has stared the poor fellows in the face for six long, weary days. A few had to ride fast to beat out Rivierre and Moore, who had places on the board, though out of the race. Some did it; others failed. All day long the crowd kept pouring in. At 6 p.m. there was not a seat left in all that big Madison Square Garden.

What the Human Body Can Endure.

The great endurance of the men is shown by the following table, a record of their sleeping hours and the hours they spent off the wheel during the 142 hours.

Rider.	Off Track.	Sleep.
Miller	10 hrs.	4 hrs.
Rice	12 "	7 "
Schinner	12 "	7 "
Hale	28 "	6 "
Waller	15 "	5 "
Golden	27 "	15 "
Pierce	17 "	13 "
Gannon	12 "	10 "
Enterman	27 "	20 "
Elkes	48 "	33 "
Kinse	22 "	20 "
Julius	25 "	15 "
Beacon	48 "	33 "
Johnson	72 "	70 "
Gray	33 "	30 "

As a reward for this week of pain and torture, in covering these weary miles, Miller will get $1500. This includes $200 for breaking the world's record. Joe Rice's share of the purse will be $800, while Schinner will get $500. Teddy Hale will receive $250, and Dutch Waller $50 less. Pierce gets $200, Golden $150, Gannon $125, Enterman and Rivierre $100 each, and Elkes $75. The others will probably receive $50 apiece.

About Miller, the Winner.

Charles William Miller, the winner of the race, was born in Saxony, Germany, 23 years ago, and has been racing for three years. He was a grocery clerk in Chicago when picked up by Trainer West and worked as a motorman on one of the electric cars while in training. He holds a number of unpaced records and ran second to Schinner in the Chicago race last year.

Economy and strength are combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month.

The English Labor Troubles.

London, Dec. 13.—Mr. John Burns sums up the crisis in the engineering trade when he declares that the men must either submit to the hard terms dictated by employers or raise $75,000 weekly for supporting the strike for the next six months. The men will probably go back to work, sullen and discontented.

A Canadian Nunciature.

Rome, Dec. 13.—It is reaffirmed here that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Dominion Premier, asked the Vatican to establish a nunciate in Canada. Baron Charles Russell, Lord Chief Justice of England, came to Rome about the end of last month to repeat the request.

Prague Rioters Got Off Lightly.

Prague, Dec. 13.—The trials of the persons arrested for participating in the recent riots here began Saturday. Up to noon six cases had been disposed of, the prisoners being sentenced from three weeks to one year at hard labor.

The two most critical times in a woman's life are the times which make the girl a woman, and the woman a mother. At these times, Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription is of incalculable value. It strengthens and invigorates the organs distinctly feminine, promotes regularity of the functions, allays irritation and inflammation, checks unnatural exhausting drains, and puts the whole delicate organism into perfect condition. Almost all the ills of womankind are traceable to some form of what is known as "female" complaint. There are not three cases in a hundred of woman's peculiar diseases that Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription will not cure.

That Awful Child.

The Dear Child—Oh, Mrs. Peek, when did you get back?

Mrs. Peek—Bless you, dear, I was not away anywhere. What made you think so?

The Dear Child—I thought you were. I heard my mamma say that you were at loggerheads with your husband for over a week.—London Tit-Bits.

Cancer Can Be Cured.

Cancer is the severest known form of blood disease. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most powerful medicine known. It cures cancer and all skin diseases. Proof: "My husband had two cancers taken off his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and it disappeared. I know this medicine is an excellent blood purifier." Mrs. WM. KIRBY, Akron, Erie Co., New York.

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 396 George street.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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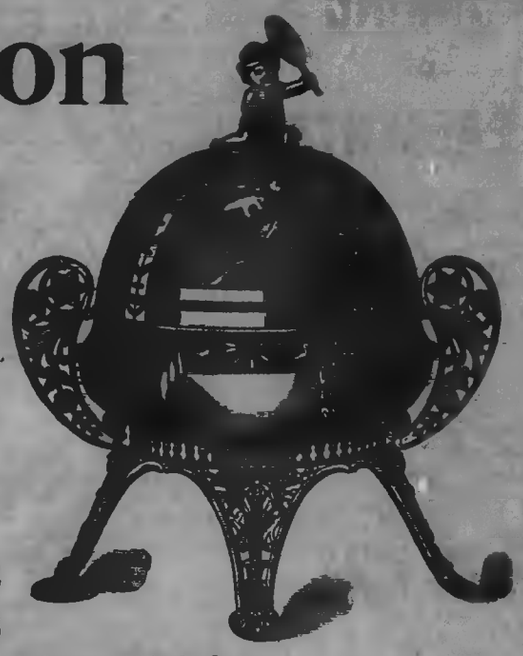

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China Yields to Germany.

Pekin, Dec. 13.—The German-Chinese difficulty is practically settled. The Germans refuse to discuss the occupation of Kiao Chou Bay. The Governor of Shang-Tung Province has been removed from office, but will not be any further degraded. No monopoly of mines and railroads is conceded to Germany, but that country is given preference. Finally the area immediately surrounding Kiao Chou Bay is set apart exclusively for Germany. China yields on all the other points.

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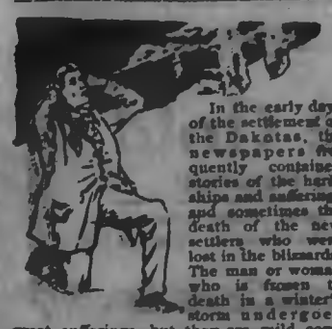

In the early days of the settlement of the Dakotas, the newspapers frequently contained stories of the hardships and sufferings and sometimes the death of the new settlers who were lost in the blizzards. The man or woman who is frozen to death in a winter's storm undergoes great sufferings, but they are mild compared with those daily borne by thousands of victims of that dread disease—consumption.

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MINISTER CURTIN SHOWED THE EMPEROR HOW TO MIX THEM.

A Reminiscence of Diplomacy Under Alexander II of Russia—The Czar a Lover of Darky Anecdote and Dialect—American Whisky For His Cellar.

"I was in Paris," said Colonel W. F. M. McCarthy of this city, "that I became acquainted with an aid of the Czar Alexander II. The Russians are greatly interested in applied chemistry and novel mechanical devices for warfare. I had some ideas on these subjects which an aid asked me to put before his superiors. The Grand Duke Constantine was there, and I was presented to him. Our interviews finally led to my going to St. Petersburg, where I was presented to the czar himself.

"I first met the emperor in the Winter palace one morning at 9 o'clock. He was an early riser, and the machinery of the court was all in operation by that hour. His majesty received me kindly and at once put me at my ease. 'I love Americans,' he said, with a smile, and I soon learned that this was true. Andrew G. Curtin of Pennsylvania was then minister from the United States at the imperial court, and there was nobody in whose society the czar took more satisfaction.

"I'll never forget the mysterious errand upon which I was dispatched one cold and stormy night by, and I may say with, General Curtin, as he was universally called in St. Petersburg. My entry into the emperor's secret service had by that time become an accomplished fact. I had become a Russian, had sworn allegiance to the czar, spiritual and temporal, and had been entered on the official list of the chancelleries as Vasili Makroff. William F. Mason McCarthy ceased to exist from that hour, at least in Russia. A messenger had come asking me to the American legation at 8 o'clock that evening, 'without uniform.' These words naturally excited my curiosity. I wore the imperial crown on the collar of my uniform coat, and in that dress passed at will through the streets of St. Petersburg by day or by night. For I was supposed to be all the while on my imperial master's business. When I got to the embassy, I learned, to my surprise, that the minister and I were to visit the czar incognito.

"General Curtin had a parcel under his arm when we reached the palace, and to my amazement he was promptly admitted without question to the czar's private apartments. I followed after him. The emperor at once dismissed his attendants, gave us hearty hand shakes and bade us be seated in front of a cheery coal fire in a large comfortable looking sitting room. General Curtin was evidently very much at home there, and from the packet under his arm he now produced a large black bottle. A servant brought lemons, cracked ice, a silver bowl containing a magnificent bunch of mint, loaf sugar, vermouth and brandy. And thereupon in my presence the American minister gave the czar lessons in the art of making mint juleps and whisky cocktails.

"The whisky was old Monongahela rye, sent to General Curtin from the state of Pennsylvania, of which he had been governor. His majesty said he had never tasted anything so good in his life as the juleps, and he forthwith commissioned General Curtin to order for the imperial cellars a large quantity of the rye whisky, which he had never heard of until after the arrival of Curtin in St. Petersburg. Ten barrels of Monongahela rye were shipped from Pennsylvania not long afterward to the czar. You'd never guess my part in the festivities. It was nothing more nor less than telling nigger stories. Of course I knew plenty of them, having been brought up in the south in antebellum days, and the czar never tired of hearing them. Folklore tales and the quaint conversation between Br'er Rabbit and Br'er B'ar delighted him. Afterward, at the czar's request, I sent to New York for all the books of this description I could get.

"General Curtin won the affection of his majesty by his genial personality, his fund of anecdote and his unaffected sincerity. He would tell story after story of American life and incident, at many of which Alexander laughed as merrily as a schoolboy. 'I love to be with men,' he would say. 'I love Americans as I hate sycophants.' He was heard to say more than once that the happiest hours of his life were those passed in this way with General Curtin.

"The peculiar affection for the United States cherished in Russia, in spite of the Russians' dislike for foreigners in general, is a national, a religious sentiment. In every Russian church the visitor is impressed—if an American he is astounded—by the prominent position in which he beholds three great portraits displayed with reverence and deep significance. The first is that of Peter the Great, the father of Russia, as we know it. The second is that of Abraham Lincoln, the liberator. The third is that of Alexander. That was an evening to be treasured up in memory."—New York Sun.

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BEAUTIFUL EVIL.

The Typical Rascal Is Never the Splendid Villain of Romance.

If the revulsion from romanticism to realism which has taken place in the higher class of fiction could descend also to the lower, it would go far toward the correction of an influence baleful in the extreme to thousands of young lives. But unhappily such a reform is impossible in the very nature of things, for in proportion as fiction becomes true to life it takes rank with the higher order, and thus passes beyond the class of readers by whom it is most needed.

For this evil influence of low sensational literature the newspaper must share the responsibility with the cheap novel. A splendid villain is always a more interesting character than a disgusting brute, so whatever nature or fortune may have done to favor a criminal is usually grossly exaggerated. If he happens to possess comeliness of person, grace of manner or intelligence above the common in his class, the public is usually regaled with rhapsodical descriptions of his beauty, refinement and intellect, and even visitors to his cell are apt to be so hypnotized by their reading and their own fancy that they fail to discover the exaggeration.

The typical rascal is never the hero that romance, whether in the dime novel or the newspaper, pictures him. His intelligence is, as a rule, of a very low order, confined to keenness and cunning, which act in the narrow circle of first preying upon his victims and then trying to outwit justice. Compare it with the intelligence which works for good. His courage is generally greatly overestimated. He rarely fights except when he has the overwhelming advantage or when he is driven into a corner. His magnanimity and amiability—qualities especially credited to him by writers and readers of the low romantic school—are myths. They are no part of his business, save as they serve to cloak his villainy. Pure selfishness or at best physical temperament is at the bottom of his good humor, apparent generosity and even his family affection, for when the crucial test comes he will sacrifice anybody and everybody to self. The proverbial "honor among thieves" holds good only to a certain point. The moment it becomes clear that no advantage, direct or indirect, remains to the individuals of the gang the vaunted honor is thrown to the winds, the gang disbands, each clutches what he can from the wreck of their common fortunes and henceforth preys upon his former pals with no more compunction than he feels in preying upon the rest of the world.—Edward C. Jackson in North American Review.

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TWO PITHY SERMONS TO YOUNG MEN.

DELIVERED BY REV. A. T. DYKEMAN AND REV. J. E. MOORE.

These Two Addresses Were Crowded Out of Yesterday's Issue—They Will be Found Full of Matter for Thought by the Young.

REV. A. T. DYKEMAN

occupied the pulpit of the Charlotte street church, and in opening his remarks, spoke of the Lord of the universe being intensely interested in the work of the young. It would be extremely traiterous in us to think otherwise, as all that God has done and is doing proves this. Our social, physical and moral environments demonstrate this clearly.

The time of youth is the dangerous season of life—it is the critical epoch in the history of man. It is a time when the moulding process is going on—a time for the formation of character. Character is crystalized habit. Life character depends largely on the mouldings of youth. Successful endings depend upon proper beginnings. The most important part of a house is its foundations—so with the superstructures of character.

Youth is the season of bright anticipations—beautiful air castles. Hannah More has beautifully portrayed the hallucinations of the young.

Faith is the time of temptation, and a young man is assailed with the forces of scepticism and intemperance as well as the social evils.

Youth is a season of warm and gushing emotions—of easy susceptibility of impressions for good or evil—surely an important period. Many influences are abroad to induce young people to imbibe false principles, to contract bad habits and to take unrighteous and ruinous courses.

The course recommended by God as an antidote against wrong choosing and doing is found in the text of the evening—"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them."—Eccles. xii, 1.

To remember your Creator is to your benefit in several ways:

1—Physically: Many suffer through life because of the folly and indiscretions of youth; intemperance, impurity, ungovernable temper and dishonesty bring their own reward.

2—Socially: Blemishes on the character of the young are a future disadvantage.

3—Spiritually: Jeremiah says "It is good for a man that he bear the yoke in his youth."

REV. J. E. MOORE, PH.B.,

occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and spoke from the text "Is the young man, Absalom, safe?" II Samuel xviii, 29. The above text of Scripture was that chosen by the Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., Sunday evening in St. Andrew's church in connection with the exchange of pulpits, and his sermon was to young men, of which the following is a brief synopsis. The speaker said: When driving into the city of London while stationed there I saw a placard which attracted my attention. It said 500 men wanted! I read on—500 men wanted to take up homesteads in the great North-West! The sign board of the Gospel is out this evening, and I read between the lines: 1,000,000 young men wanted in the great Dominion to serve God and benefit society in the consecration of a noble manhood to all that is great and ennobling to the character for time and eternity. By a careful study of the Bible I find that young men are addressed, spoken of or written to no less than fifty four times in the Word of God, impressing us with the fact that God, the loving father, manifests a peculiar interest in young men, who are the hope of the nation. Our young men are wanted from the street corners, from [illegible] and playhouses, billiard halls, the [illegible] rendezvous and the [illegible] promenades and are urged to turn their feet in the [illegible]way of noble aim and earnest work for [illegible] and men. There is a prize for every [illegible] worker and a crown of imperishable [illegible] for the head that goes through [illegible] life's conflict to victory. [illegible] your watchword, and leaning upon your purposes and exertions, with God as your guide you may stand side by side and shoulder to shoulder with the good and great of all ages.

I. Look at the possibilities of young men. I call upon you, in the name of God, to stand upright and feel that you are a man, created in the moral image of God, not an animal, not a thing, but a man with a future and a destiny in eternity. Within the breast of every young man at certain times there is an up-springing of lofty sentiment which, if cultivated, will contribute largely to his elevation in life. Obstacles are to be surmounted and difficulties vanquished. The moral, physical and intellectual world are calling loudly for champions consecrated to the cause of truth. The fields are as extensive as the universe.

The Master said, they are white unto harvest, you have an opportunity of writing your name high up on the ladder of fame—yes, amid the stars of heaven. The most beautiful and useful lives this world has ever known came from comparative obscurity. Think of the model young man—Christ Jesus our Lord—born in a stable and cradled in a manger, whose life shines with increasing lustre as the ages pass by. John B. Gough came up from obscurity and was redeemed from the thraldom of sin and degradation of drunkenness. Pure white lilies often grow among stagnant waters. The young man of noble soul, cultivated mind and upright heart will command respect everywhere. Why do so many young men whose promises of hope were radiant as the rainbow fail to distinguish themselves in the great arena of life's battle? Is it not because they are not willing to devote themselves to toilsome culture, which in every case is the price of success. The Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, was cited as an illustration of what pluck and perseverance will do for a young man. Without attendance within college halls he has earned the degree LL. B. and occupies an honoured place in the educational institutions of our country. God created the stone quarry, but men must blast and polish it. He planted the oak and the pine, but we must cut and hew. In entering the field of usefulness there must be the mainspring of all true work—love for God and man. "Seek the first the kingdom." The fallen are to be lifted up; the world is to be made better. The church presents splendid opportunities for work. The Sabbath school and Christian Endeavour or Young People's Societies all over the land invite you to live and labour for God. What He commands, that do; where He directs, there go. Allow nothing to deter you. Go forward to victory, immortality and eternal life.

Go back in thought to the days of your youth, your pious parents, your religious home, you will remember leaving home, possibly like the prodigal, you became dissatisfied with the restraining influences of home. You asked for and got your portion and out into city or town life you went, as long as the prodigal had money had money he had many friends, but when his money run out his friends run out to. David's enquiry concerning Absolom is going up from thousands of parents to-day. You will remember the London boat disaster several years ago, when 200 perished in the Thames. When the news was flashed across the wires, a minister whose son, upon whom the morning star of manhood was dawning, was attending college in that city. A telegraphic message was sent, "Is Walter safe?" answer, "Don't know." The first train took the anxious father. To the joy of family and friends he was found all right, and if there is so much concern about the temporal safety of our sons, there should be and doubtless is a concern a thousandfold more intense concerning their spiritual safety. There are breakers ahead, questionable companions, immoral or even light literature. Dr. Talmage has said, "It is just ten cents worth of unadulterated perdition." Card playing, horse racing, the wine cup and the inebriate's bowl were pointed out as dangerous rocks. The habit of using intoxicating liquors as a beverage, like Goliath, of Gath, stands head and shoulders above all the other vices in debasing and demoralising our young men. Quit you like men, be strong. Samson was bound three times with seven withes, but he burst his bonds asunder, until he put his head in the lap of Delilah, who cut off his hair and his strength went from him. They then put out his eyes and took him a slave to prison. The Delilah of intemperance outlooth our young men. "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise."

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE WHEEL.

With the tremendous growth of bicyling in this country the condition of the highways is beginning to receive the attention it deserves. In that respect, at least, is the bicycle to be held in esteem. The efforts of organised wheelmen all over the country toward the improvement of roads are bearing fruit, but there is much more to do in that line. The Canadian Wheelman's Association is the prime mover, and through its various divisions and committees accomplishes much in a general way. But it cannot work out the needed reform alone. It needs the co-operation and individual endeavour of local organizations throughout Canada. Each bicycle club can help if its members are willing to put their shoulders to the wheel.

The oldest organization of its kind in America is the Good Roads Association of Brooklyn. Its success has been so marked in recent years that it has decided to widen its sphere of usefulness so as to encompass all of Long Island. To accomplish this, branches will be organized during the coming winter in the principal towns and villages of Long Island. Each branch will have its own officers and will have jurisdiction over its immediate territory, but will act in concert with the parent body.

Similar organizations might be formed in the larger towns and cities by the wheelmen, if a few public-spirited ones were to take the initiative. Backed by the power of numbers, much good can be accomplished in dealing with the public authorities in the interest of road improvement. It is no exaggeration to say that no city in America has had so large a proportion of new pavements as Brooklyn during the past five years, and this is due unquestionably to the unceasing efforts of the Good Roads Association.

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10 a. m. Probabilities.
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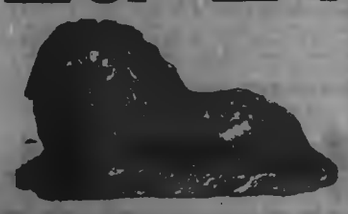
R. F.



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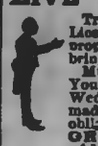

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BRITISH LOSSES WERE HEAVY.

Gallant Behavior of the Troops in Spite of the Deadly Fire—Mud, Rain and Snow Impeded Progress Very Much—The Enemy Suffered Heavily.

Simla, Dec. 15.—According to official despatches from the northwestern frontier, the march of General Westmacott's brigade from the camp at Sher-Khel into the Sturi-Khel country was one continuous action.

The enemy closed upon the rear guard and kept firing at short range with great effect. The British losses were heavy and included Lieut. West of the Gourkas, who was killed, and Lieut. Champin, who was wounded. Two other officers received injuries and 40 men were killed or wounded.

The whole march down the Bara Valley since the sixth instant has been marked by incessant fighting, but the force has behaved admirably. The route was difficult in the extreme, through rain, mud and snow. Along the river bed, the course was impeded by ravines and boulders and the cold stream had to be forded knee deep 20 times in the mire.

Twelve thousand transport animals with the numerous sick and wounded, encumbered the progress. The casualities yesterday were about 5 and to-day about 10. The enemy has been severely punished in the recent encounters.

The disaster to General Kempster's rear guard, that was cut off by the tribesmen on Saturday near Sher-Khel, was due to the animals becoming entangled in the rice fields at dusk. To increase the difficulty the drivers and carriers opened kegs of rum and became hopelessly drunk. Many of their followers were benumbed by the icy stream, and their feet bruised by the boulders. Several men are still missing.

DOVER CASTLE IN FLAMES.

One of the Historic Fortresses of Old England Almost Destroyed by Fierce Fire.

Dover, England, Dec. 15.—Fire broke out in the Castle here yesterday morning, soon gutted the officers' quarters and extended to the main block. The whole garrison was ordered out to fight the flames, and the magazine was threatened. The eastern portion of the Castle was completely gutted, and the flames spread to the western portion, but were under control at 4 p. m.

The outbreak is supposed to have been due to an overheated chimney. There was some difficulty at first in getting water, and this caused great excitement, but the entire garrison was utilized in passing buckets from hand to hand to fill the tanks, and the supply thus obtained proved sufficient.

Owing to the exertions of the garrison in removing the valuables, the property damage was comparatively small, and very much less than was at first expected.

Dover Castle is on the cliffs above Dover, and is more like a fortress than any of the other defences in England. Julius Caesar is credited with building the foundations and part of the fortress, although recent antiquarians assert it was built between the years A.D. 43 and 49, during the reign of Claudius. The Saxon portion of the fortress is presumed to have been commenced by Alfred the Great, and the foundation of the present keep is said to have originated with Gundulph, Bishop of Rochester, about the year 1153. The barracks accommodate about 2,000 men.

DISTINGUISHED CANADIAN DEAD.

Prof. Arthur Palmer, Born in Guelph, Ont., Made a High Mark.

London, Dec. 15.—Prof. Arthur Palmer, L.LD., D.C.L., of Trinity College, Dublin, is dead.

The late Dr. Palmer was born at Guelph, Canada, Sept. 14, 1841, being the fourth son of the late Venerable Arthur Palmer, first rector of Guelph, Archdeacon of Toronto. He married Miss Fanny Green of Cleveden in 1879. He was educated at Guelph Grammar School, Cheltenham College and Trinity College, Dublin. In 1880 he was appointed professor of Latin at Trinity College, and in 1888 was public orator. He edited the Satires of Horace, the Amphitruo of Plautus and Catullus in Macmillan Parmasus series, and "Hermathena." He was also editor of P. Ovidii Heroides XIV., and of Sex Properti Elgiae.

Charged With Manslaughter.

London, Dec. 15.—Jimmy Barry, of Chicago; White, his second; Watley, the second of the late Walter Croot, of Newcastle, Eng.; B. F. Angel, the manager of the National Sporting Club; and the referee and timekeeper of the recent fatal boxing match, were brought up yesterday on the charge of manslaughter. They were remanded on bail.

Englishmen Have a Big Lead.

Sydney, Dec. 15.—The cricket match between the English cricket team and an Australian eleven was continued yesterday, when the visitors were all out for 351 runs. The home players then went to the bat in their first innings and at the close of play had scored 86 runs for five wickets down.

Mail Service With New Zealand.

Wellington, New Zealand, Dec. 15.—The House of Representatives yesterday passed a resolution submitted by the Premier, the Hon. Ricard J. Seddon, in favor of establishing a fortnightly mail service between Wellington and San Francisco and between Wellington and Vancouver, B.C.

Japan Formally Protests.

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 15.—The Japanese Consul has formally protested to the Premier, the Hon. G. H. Reid, against the unfriendly character of the proposed legislation as to aliens.

Their Sad Anniversary.

Windsor, Eng., Dec. 15.—There were the usual services at Frogmore yesterday, that being the anniversary of the death of the Prince Consort, and of Princess Alice. The Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein, and the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, were present.

CURRENT CABLES.

The entire Chilian Cabinet has resigned and caused a sensation.

The Italian Premier, Marquis di Rudini, has succeeded in reconstructing his Cabinet.

Baron Von Bulow, German Foreign Minister, affirms that the Dreibund has not been shaken, as had been reported.

The Spanish Government is negotiating with the Armstrongs of England to obtain a 4800-ton cruiser, worth £300,000, which has been built for Japan.

A British corporation has arranged to start a shoe factory at Galashields, Scotland, capable of turning out 20,000 pairs of shoes weekly. United States Consul Fleming, at Edinburgh, in reporting the fact to the State Department at Washington, says this is the beginning of an attempt to compete with American shoemaking.

A CAR OF CRIMINALS.

Thirteen Hard Characters, Heavily Shackled, Brought East From New Westminster Penitentiary.

Winnipeg, Dec. 15.—Indian Inspector Marlatt has just returned from a visit to the Resseau Indian Reserve. He finds that the reports of destitution are very much exaggerated and the Indians are not in nearly as bad a state as reported.

A special car attached to the front end of the passenger train from the west yesterday morning contained 13 of the most notorious criminals that have been captured on the coast by the Canadian authorities in the past few years. Every one was loaded down with ball and chain, securely handcuffed and shackled. The New Westminster Penitentiary is becoming overcrowded, and it was deemed necessary to remove them to other places. Ten will be confined at Stony Mountain and three at Kingston.

Another Remand for Dr. Hutchison.

Ingersoll, Dec. 15.—Dr. Hutchison and Augustus Frezelle appeared before Police Magistrate Morrison again yesterday on the charge of procuring an abortion. Chief Skirving stated to the Police Magistrate that the girl in question, although considerably improved, was still unfit to appear in court, and asked for a further remand of one week, which was granted. Bail of $2,000 was renewed in Dr. Hutchison's case, and Gus. Frevelle was taken back to Woodstock jail.

$500,000 SURPLUS

Provincial Treasurer Harcourt's Budget Speech

PROVES FACT BEYOND A DOUBT

That is For the Year Only, But the Province's Aggregate Surplus is $5,250,000 Over and Above All Liabilities at Present Payable—An Able Financial Exposition.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The galleries of the Legislature were crowded yesterday afternoon when Provincial Treasurer Harcourt in splendid voice and form stood up to deliver his annual budget speech, probably the most important deliverance since Confederation. He began by explaining that the public accounts which had been laid upon the table were for but the first ten months of the year 1897, but that the other two months, not yet completed, would be brought down without delay. He was gratified to be able to say that within the first ten months of the year $477,000 more had been received than he had estimated would be collected during the whole year and $800,000 more than had actually been received during 12 months of last year. It might be said part of these receipts had been from timber. He wished to point out, however, that while during the John Sanpfield Macdonald administration timber sales were held every year and the average price received per mile was but $260, while the present Government had during their long term of office held but seven sales and the average price per mile was $1,221. (Cheers.) The revenue from liquor licenses had increased about $3,000 during the ten months. He then produced a table showing that in 1893 the Government had received from the municipalities from liquor licenses $994,000 and had paid back $990,000; in 1894 received $377,000 and paid back $382,000; in 1895, 1896 and 1897 the same amount received had been paid back and yet many members of the Opposition kept constantly complaining that the Government were doing the municipalities an injustice in this matter. How did Quebec treat this same matter? The Province of Quebec did not pay back to the municipalities one cent of money received from licenses. Last year Quebec had received from this source $663,000 and had not paid back any of it.

His estimate of $175,000 from succession duties will prove about correct by the end of the year, notwithstanding the fathers, mothers, wives, husbands, brothers, sisters, sons-in-law and daughters-in-law are not required to pay anything unless they receive over $100,000. Money left to charities or educational institutions pays nothing in Ontario, those who are justly called upon to pay this duty are people who are not blood relations. The rate in any case in Ontario is much less than in the United States or England. (Cheers.) The Government had during the ten months paid out nearly one million for the maintenance of hospitals and asylums. It was well known Ontario took better care of her unfortunate than any other country. He compared the per capita cost of Ontario's institutions with those of the various States of the Union and proved that our institutions had cost fifty per cent. less than the most economical showing across the line. (Cheers.) The State of New York had adopted the system employed in Ontario three years ago, but they levied a special tax to support their institutions while the Government of Ontario did nothing of the kind. In most other States the central government did nothing for the insane, but placed the burden upon the municipalities, while the Ontario Government taxed the municipalities not one cent but paid all these expenses. In the matter of education Ontario gave twice as much as the Province of Quebec. (Cheers.) Complaint had been made as to the method of keeping the public accounts; there were some who wished them kept as at Ottawa, although anyone would admit the accounts of Ontario were more intelligible, convenient and satisfactory in every way. He quoted speeches by Hon. Mr. Foster and Sir Charles Tupper showing the Ottawa system was most unsatisfactory. In the public accounts committee every facility is given for examining in detail all the information which is digested in the annual statement. The leader of the Opposition had stated on the stump that there was no credit system for the Provincial accounts. That anyone in his position should have made such a statement was astounding and he (Mr. Harcourt) challenged him to the proof. (Cheers.) Every account paid by the Government was first carefully scanned by the bursar of the institution for which it was paid, it was afterwards examined by the deputy minister in charge, the assistant treasurer and finally by the provincial auditor. The auditor in all cases only certified to actual payments after having satisfied himself the Legislature had appropriated the money. What better check could Mr. Whitney suggest? (Cheers.) It had never been charged the auditor was a partizan. He was not appointed by the Government, and could only be dismissed by the House.

The Timber Sales.

The Opposition had loudly complained the Government had spent millions which had been received from timber sales. What would Mr. Whitney have the Government do with this money? It was treated as ordinary revenue and had been so regarded by all governments in Canada, Conservative and Reform alike. (Cheers.) Mr. Whitney had charged the Government with having disposed of the timber wealth in a most prodigal manner. As everyone knew, this was very far from truth. The Macdonald Government had sold 685 miles in four years; the present Government had disposed of but 4,893 miles in twenty-five years. The Macdonald Government had sold for $360 per mile, while the present Government had received $1,222 per mile. (Cheers.) The Dominion Government might be said to have given away its timber. The Government was compelled by forest fires to sell the limits from time to time. The Opposition had been prophesying for years that the timber wealth would soon be

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Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. EV. GREY, 37, St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
Stylish Mantles
Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Veilings
Chiffons, Laces, Collars, Cuffs
Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Mail and Empire is willing enough to "look to Washington"—a convertible term for the United States, if it can secure a point against an opponent. It quotes from the Boston Globe: "The Dominion Postmaster-General, who proposes the idea of allowing advertisements to be printed on the face of postal cards, may learn some day that the only proper place to advertise is in the newspapers." This is a fifth estimate; and, if a business man who reads postal cards desires to utilize them as an advertising medium, it is recognition of the claims of the public to such convenience, when the Postmaster-General permits the use of post cards for such a purpose. While the newspaper is, of course, the best channel for advertising to flow through from the merchant to the public, every wide-awake business man will utilize every possible means of calling attention to his wares. It is infinitely small of the Mail and Empire to play the gnat to irritate a statesman who has done more to serve the public interest in the Post Office Department than any incumbent of the Mail and Empire's political stripe did during his whole term of office. Under Conservative management the Post Office emptied its money bag a sponge. In one short year this Mr. Mulock has done much to restore the equilibrium between income and expense.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

MR R. J. MEARS was in Toronto for a few days last week.

There was a large delegation in Peterborough on Saturday attending the Reform convention. Among others we noticed several prominent Conservatives. Lakefield will likely give Mr. Stratton an increased majority.

For Christmas novelties, fancy goods, etc., YOU will find the choicest assortment with R. Graham & Son.

MR. R. A. TURNER has placed a furnace in his store.

We clip the following from the Toronto Globe, relating to one of our old Lakefield boys, son of Mrs. Tanner: On Saturday afternoon a number of the fellow employees of Mr. Fred W. Tanner of the Globe, presented him with an illuminated address and a handsome silver water pitcher, etc., on the eve of his marriage. Mr. T. Jeffery made the presentation.

Quite a number of our young people drove out to the residence of Mr. John Davidson, Smith, on Tuesday evening and spent an enjoyable evening.

Messrs. J. H. Lilliecrap & Co. have just added to their already well-equipped planing mill a new No. 8 planer and matcher made by the well known firm, Cowan & Co., Galt. The machine will plane 24 inches wide, 6 inches thick, and will match or edge stuff up to 16 inches wide.

On Wednesday evening of last week a regular meeting of Young Canadians' L.O.L., No. 1365, was held in the lodge room when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W Rosebure.....W M
W Bryce.....D M
J Bennett.....
C Bryce.....
G Hill.....
W Strimmell.....
J Kennedy.....D M of C
W Northcott.....Lecturer
F Boyce.....
F Norwich.....
A Mitchell.....
F Sage.....
J Godfrey.....

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sabbath school have decided to hold their annual entertainment on Christmas night, Dec. 25th, in the Methodist church. The children are now being put through a course of training for the event, and the public may look forward to enjoying a good entertainment.

On and after Saturday, the 11th instant decisions of obtaining books from the Free Library can obtain them. Dr. Bell, the librarian, being there to attend to it. In future the library will be open for books every Tuesday and Saturday evenings from 7.30 to 9. The reading room is open every week day from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Our village is to be congratulated on having secured the Dickson Company's new saw mill, which they will commence erecting in the spring. It will have a cutting capacity of 15,000,000 feet board measurement, and the improvements will cost in the neighborhood of $65,000, in addition to what will be spent by the G.T.R. in the improvement of the lumber yard. It will mean a good deal to our workingmen, and we understand the Company will endeavor to employ as far as they can residents of the village. It is also expected that it will make building boom, as there is hardly a vacant house in the village. In consideration of the Company building their mill here, the village grants them exemption from taxation, other than school tax, for a period of ten years, during which time the Company is to operate and work the same.

A successful sale of fancy work and entertainment was held Thursday evening at "Harbourne," the residence of Mr. F. J. Tate. There was a large attendance, and the programme an excellent one. The proceeds amounted to about $100.

Christmas, fruits, raisins, currants, peels, nuts, figs, etc., the best goods and lowest prices with R. Graham & Son.

The following is the honour roll of the Lakefield Public Schools for the month of November:

ROOM B.

Jr. 4th—Rose Ilett, Alex Edmison, Leo Quinn.

Sr. 3rd—Charlie Bloomfield, Ralph Edmison, Alex Methuen.

Jr. 3rd—Michael Quigley, Harry Simpson, Charlie Watson.

ROOM C.

Jr. 3rd—Wesley Hurl, Stuart Fraser, Laura Edwards.

Sr. 2nd—G Ridpath, C Bullock, L Murdoff.

Jr. 2nd—H Hendren C McDonald, M Coughlin.

ROOM D.

Sr. Pt. II—Eva Little, Elmo Evans, Louise Sellens.

Jr. Pt. II—Rodger Fraser, Beatrice Gordon, Eva Jory.

Sr. Pt. I—Bertha Hodger, Ruby Martin, Maude Leahy.

Jr. Pt. I—Clarence Baptie, Mildred Webster, Elsie Millage.

Tablet—Nellie Quinn, Harold Podger, Charlie Martin.

WARD.

Sr. Pt. II—Mary Robson, Roy Pearson, Amelia Morin.

Jr. Pt. II—Jack Patterson, Arthur Murduff, Georgina Edwards.

Sr. Pt. I—Grace Baladon, Rose Moore, John Charlton, Reginald Pearson.

Jr. Pt. I—Michael Foley, Violet Pearson, Frank Trude.

Tablet—Gladys Fischer, Ida Graham, Oral Crawford.

A special meeting of the village council was held in the council chamber on Wednesday evening last. The meeting was called for the purpose of passing a bylaw to exempt the Dickson Company's property here for a term of ten years in consideration of their erecting and equipping a saw mill capable of cutting 15,000,000 feet of lumber, board measure, in a year.

Those present were Reeve Lillicrap in the chair, and Councillors Fraser, Burgis, Braden and Moore.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Bylaw No. 231 received its first and second readings.

Rule of Order No. 50 was suspended for the evening.

Moved by Councillor Braden, seconded by Councillor Moore, that Bylaw No. 231 entitled a bylaw to exempt from taxation certain lands and mill property in the village of Lakefield, owned by the Dickson Company, Limited, of Peterborough, be now read a third time and passed, and that the Reeve and Clerk sign and seal the same.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Fraser, seconded by Councillor Burgis, that the Clerk be instructed to write to the Dickson Company and inform them that the Council has passed the bylaw exempting their property from taxation.—Carried.

The council then adjourned.

COUNCIL MEETING.

A regular meeting of the village council was held in the town hall on Monday evening, 13th inst. Present, Reeve Lillicrap and all the members.

Tenders for keeping the sidewalks clear of snow during the coming winter were received from Wm. White and Robert Johnson. That of the latter was accepted on same terms as last year.

Mr. J. G. Brown handed in a letter threatening another law suit if the council did not stop the flow of water through his lot on Queen street, adjoining the rink.

Moved by Councillor Moore, seconded by Councillor Braden, that in the matter complained of by Mr. J. G. Brown, viz., the flow of water from the village streets onto his property, this council find they are not at fault in the matter, as for more than twenty years the water has taken the same course, and that this council refuse to take any action.—Carried.

The Finance Committee presented a report recommending payment of the following accounts:—

Pay sheet No. 13, wages	$ 14 88
J C Sherin & Son, wood	2 40
Madill Bros., electric light	67 00
Lakefield News, printing	12 20
W H Casement, supplies	9 78
" postage	3 00
S Sherin, postage	1 00
John Headren, street watering	46 75
J H McWilliams, repairs	1 75
S Nelson, charity orders	4 25
E A Tanner, supplies	3 38
W McDonald, repairs	75
Wm Bates, charity orders	2 62
John Cooper, teaming	14 65
Wm Cox, lumber	108 84
Total	$325 01

Report adopted on motion of Councillor Fraser, seconded by Councillor Burgis.

Moved by Councillor Fraser, seconded by Councillor Braden, that a license to peddle bread in the village of Lakefield be granted to John Hughes, at a license fee of $10 per annum, and the clerk be instructed to prepare a by-law amending the Transient Traders bylaw fixing the the license in future for selling bread at $10 per annum—Carried.

A bylaw to make provision for holding the municipal and school elections, was passed, sealed and signed.

Moved by Councillor Fraser, seconded by Councillor Moore, that the time in which the collector may return his roll is hereby extended until the 21st day of Dec. 1897, and that the clerk attach the corporate seal to this motion to give it the effect of a bylaw—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Burgis, seconded by Councillor Fraser, that the clerk be instructed to have 200 copies of the annual financial statement printed.

Council adjourned to meet on Wednesday evening, Dec. 15, 1897.

WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Get your skates on.

Miss Mary Hughes is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Thomson, of Peterborough, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mrs. A. F. Choate.

Mr. and Miss Clute, of Belleville, is visiting at Mr. Thos. Choate's.

Miss Hattie Kidd is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Charles Payne, of Coe Hill, is spending a few days in the village renewing old acquaintances.

Miss Florence Kidd has returned to the village.

The anniversary services in connection with the Methodist church were held on Sunday last. Rev. Mr. Shorey, of Peterborough conducted the morning services and the Rev. Mr. Robinson the evening. The receipts were in the neighbourhood of a hundred dollars.

In the absence of Rev. Mr. Warren no services were held in St. Mark's church last Sunday.

The shareholder of the Warsaw skating rink have been notified to turn out for work on Tuesday next, at 5.30 a.m.

A literary entertainment in connection with the Epworth League will be given in the basement of the Methodist church on December 24th. All are cordially invited.

Mrs. Allan Kidd is visiting her parents in Colborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. James spent Monday visiting friends in Keene.

Tenders for Painting, Papering and Glazing of the Warsaw "palace skating rink" will be received by the undersigned until the 20th of May, 1898. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—Fred. Tully.

Mr. Alex Watts shipped another car load of stock to Montreal on Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Spencer, of North Dummer, spent Sunday in town.

Wallace Anderson has secured the contract of supplying the hockey club with sticks during the coming season.

Miss M. McCracken is visiting at Mr. J. Hughes.

Miss M. Little spent Sunday with friends in the village.

COLD SPRINGS.

Union Sunday School entertainment.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment under the auspices of the Cold Spring Union Sunday school, will be held on Thursday evening, Dec. 23rd. An excellent programme will be provided.

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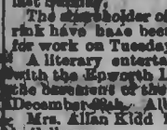

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$500,000 SURPLUS.

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exhausted. With the same prudent management which had been exercised in the past the Crown lands would not fail for a generation to come. (Cheers.)

The Surplus and Assets.

Regarding the surplus, the Opposition were constantly dealing in vague generalities and would never get down to an exact statement. Some of the assets were investments in drainage debentures amounting to $307,000; Trust funds held by the Dominion Government, $6,200,018; cash on deposit in the banks, $724,882. From this must be deducted the amount due the Dominion Government on open account and other liabilities amounting to $33,644, leaving as a cash surplus $6,958,324. (Cheers.) His statement was absolutely correct, he challenged any member of the Opposition to point it out if he was in error. He contended that railway obligations should not be deducted from the surplus because these obligations when due would be more than paid by assets not included in the statement. No other government treated such obligations as the leader of the Opposition suggested.

The Government's Policy.

Concluding, he said: "Time and again the electors have deliberately approved the financial policy of the Government. It is well defined and easily understood. It is, in a word, a policy of true economy, efficiency of service, of advancement and progress. We recognize fully that the needs of a young and growing province must constantly increase, and that to meet these needs in a suitable and timely way an increased expenditure will inevitably be necessary. At the same time we know we must carefully husband all our resources, that we must guard and preserve our forest wealth, that we must foster and encourage the all important industry of agriculture, that we must make the most of our mines and liberally assist in their development and that we must prudently avail ourselves of such sources of revenue as are legitimate. (Cheers.) What is the financial policy of the honorable gentleman opposite? Their recent speeches indicate plainly they have no policy which is either tangible or useful. They have utterly failed to destroy and they are equally powerless to construct. (Cheers.) They find fault with the large Crown lands collections; they complain because we do not give a larger share of license revenues to the municipalities, although other governments keep it all; guided by geographical considerations in certain localities they condemn succession duties and in cases fairly approve them, and at all times they speak of our invested funds as if they were a mere myth, although they know they regularly yield us large sums of interest half yearly. Without this interest, without license receipts, without Crown lands receipts, whence would we derive our revenue? In one way only, direct taxation. (Cheers.) I say there are to honorable gentlemen opposite that if their speeches mean anything they conclusively prove them to be the open advocates of direct taxation. Either this or they are driven to a policy of retrogression. Will they lessen the grants to education, to agriculture, to asylums and hospitals? If they cut off our revenues or lessen them, they are driven to this extremity. Is it their policy to compel the municipalities to take care of their own insane, their blind, their deaf and dumb and their weak-minded? Will they say we no longer encourage the erection of county houses of industry by contributing $4,000 to each county, which will make suitable provision for its infirm and destitute since our revenues will not admit of it? What officials will they cut off? Will they dispense with the services of the municipal auditor recently appointed, or the inspector of road making, or the head of the forestry department? I repeat, if their recent deliverances mean anything they plainly point to some such backward and retrogressive policy as I have just outlined. Between the two policies the electors of the province will soon be called upon to choose. On this side of the House, at any rate, we await the verdict with fullest confidence." (Cheers.)

Mr. Matheson replied for the Opposition. He asked that the debate should be adjourned in order, no doubt, to give him an opportunity to read over the speech of the Provincial Treasurer, but as the hour was not late the Premier insisted he should proceed. Mr. Harcourt had said the Province of Quebec took all the liquor license money and gave nothing back to the municipalities, but he had not said that the Quebec Government built all the court houses and public roads and in other ways assisted the people, while the Ontario Government did not give the municipalities one dollar in this manner. He did not condemn any of the persons who supplied goods to any of the public institutions of the Province, what he did condemn was the system of purchasing such supplies without tender. (Hear, hear.) He complained the system of keeping the public accounts was not a good one. He held that any one item could not be traced without wading through the whole accounts. The Treasurer had stated the expenses for ten months of the year and had then placed against them the total receipts for the whole year, and, though there were two months more expenses to be paid made up his surplus in this manner.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt: "I cannot permit such a statement as that to pass. We are having thousands of dollars daily coming in and will continue to do so right up to the last day of the year." (Cheers.)

Mr. Matheson continuing, said all the Dominion subsidy for the year had been paid the Government, all the Dominion interest had been paid and several other large items. He did not propose to go away back to Macdonald's time. He proposed to take up the financial record of the Government since the last elections and found that during the year 1894 the Government's expenses had been $3,727,000, while they received but $3,891,963; in 1895 they expended $3,718,959 and received but $3,556,006; in 1896 they expended $3,685,881 and received but $3,238,766, thus showing a deficit of over one million dollars within four years.

Mr. Conmee: "Where do you get that set of figures." (Laughter.)

Mr. Matheson: "I have picked them out of the public accounts which are so jumbled up you can't make them out."

Continuing, he said the Government was using double the money now received from Crown lands to pay ordinary expenses than used in 1889. Their expenses were constantly growing, while the timber lands were daily diminishing. He charged the Government with having sold as burned timber limits certain limits that had only a few trees scorched. (Laughter.) The Moore Lumber Co. had been caught stealing and had been fined $11,000, every dollar of which had been spent in the investigation.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "There is not a word of truth in the statement. The cost of the investigation was only $587, every cent of which the Moore Lumber Co. was compelled to pay." (Cheers.)

Mr. Matheson continued feebly. He warned the House that there would be a deficit between receipts and expenditures this current year of half a million dollars, amid the laughter of the members. After rambling along for an hour he moved the adjournment of the debate.

First Readings.

These bills were introduced and read a first time:—

Mr. Flatt, respecting the Hamilton & Dundas Street Railway Co.

Mr. Ryerson, to amend the assessment act.

Mr. Haycock, for the better auditing of public accounts.

Mr. Conmee, respecting by-law number 205 of the town of Rat Portage.

Mr. Laughrin, to consolidate the debt of the town of North Bay.

Mr. Pardo, respecting the Sydenham Flax Co.

Mr. McKee, respecting the water works of the City of Windsor.

Mr. Trouax, respecting the town of Walkerton.

Mr. McKee, respecting the Sisters of St. Joseph in the diocese of Toronto.

Mr. Marter, to amend the municipal act.

New Mining Bill.

Hon. Mr. Gibson has given notice he will introduce a bill respecting mining claims. It will deal only with the claims clauses of the act applicable in mining divisions where that part of the act is in force.

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DR. Grant OPPOSED.

Paris Presbytery Passed a Resolution Condemning His Utterances in Regard to Prohibition.

Paris, Ont., Dec. 16.—Yesterday was a field day in the Paris Presbytery, and the sentiments of Rev. Dr. Grant of Kingston, lately published in The Globe, were repudiated. The following resolution was moved by Rev. W. A. McKay, D.D., of Woodstock, and seconded by Rev. R. B. Hutt of Ingersoll:—

"Whereas the Presbyterian Church has repeatedly, in all her courts, taken strong ground against the licensed liquor traffic of this land, declaring it to be contrary to the Word of God and to the spirit of the Christian religion, and calling upon the people—by voice, vote and example—to do all in their power to seek its removal; and whereas the prohibition of that traffic has been lately assailed in one of the most largely circulated papers in the Dominion by one whose position and influence identify him very closely with the Presbyterian Church, therefore the Presbytery of Paris deems it an imperative duty to give at this time on this matter no uncertain sound in relation to its entire adherence to the position taken by our General Assembly, and our opposition to and repudiation of the ground taken by the Principal of Queen's College."

Strong speeches were made, both for and against the resolution. An amendment, condemning the views of Principal Grant, without mentioning his name, was moved and received five votes; the motion was carried by seven votes. A number of the members had to leave before the vote was taken, in order to reach home last night.

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"That's one great fault about many of these picture exhibitions," exclaimed Mrs. Hooley as she glared first at the picture and then at the catalogue.

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"You mean that one representing a boy lying on his mother's lap while she makes use of a cane? Well, you can guess the title of that easily enough."

"Oh, I know I'm not so clever as you. What is it?"

"'Whaling In Lapland,' of course."

And Mrs. Hooley looked as if she wished the speaker were a little boy.—Strand Magazine.

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UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

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The funeral of "Mother" McKinley took place yesterday at Canton, O. All business was suspended.

The transportation companies at San Francisco have agreed upon a passenger rate of $500 from San Francisco to Dawson City.

A Washington despatch says the Dingley tariff law will not be changed in any of its customs features at the present session of Congress.

At New York Charles Zanoli, the barber who has been held on suspicion of causing the death of some of the many people on whose lives he obtained insurance, was yesterday arraigned in the Police Court on the charge of homicide, and held without bail.

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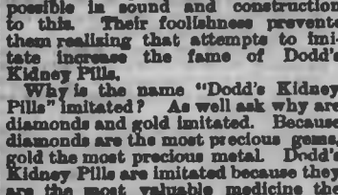

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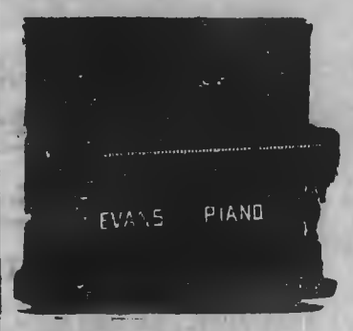
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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list in another column.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 22 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95.

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1 95.

Y.M.C.A. Debating Club.

The Y.M.C.A. Debating Club will hold its regular meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The subject for discussion will be: "Resolved that surroundings have more to do with success than ability." Messrs. W. H. Hill and J. W. Bennet are leaders. Membership in club open to Association members.

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at 2 POUNDS FOR 25C. Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest nuts for less Money.

PETER CONNAL & Co.
W. H. HAMILTON.

Blue Ribbon Tea.

Controlling as we do the garden in which these teas are grown, enables us to give you such excellent teas at the prices you pay for poor trashy teas. If you have not called at our parlours, George street, kindly do so without delay, as we remain only a few days longer. We do not sell any tea from our exhibit, but merely ask you to try them. You can procure them from your grocer.

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety, music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Under taking Warerooms.

A Gift.

Its kind, its value and its appearance may decide the dignity or vulgarity of the giver. A special announcement of Fairweather & Co. in another column is interesting reading just now. Their fur stock has never been as large or as select as this season's showing. Buying furs in quantities for two of the largest stores in Canada—one here and one in Toronto—they have special advantages in purchasing power that shows itself in the prices in home manufactured fur stock. We ask you to look up their advertisement, as it will interest you.

Nearly a Century Old.

On the threshold of a century there departed this life at Hastings, one of the oldest, if not the oldest, settler in this neighbourhood. Mrs. Johanna Keenan, relict of the late Peter Keenan, died on Wednesday at the age of 98 years. The deceased was born in the County of Tipperary, Ireland. After coming to Canada the family resided in Prince Edward county, removing to Percy township, where she lived continuously for nearly fifty years. Her husband died five years ago at the age of 90 years. Seven children, five boys and two girls, survive the old lady.

CREMATED THE NOTE.

The Charlotte Street Church Ladies Aid has Raised Nearly $2,000 in the Last Seven Years.

The Ladies' Aid of the Charlotte street Methodist church invited the members of the Quarterly Board to the school room of the church last evening, to witness the cremation of a thousand dollar note.

About seven years ago the Quarterly Board borrowed this money, and the Ladies' Aid assumed the liability. During that time, besides paying the note, they also kept the interest on the same paid, which amounted to another $600, and also spent another $500 in parsonage furnishings, making in all nearly $2,000, raised by that branch of the church.

After refreshments provided by the ladies, a song by Mr. A. L. Davis, and speeches by Messrs. T. J. Mann, R. J. Kidd, J. C. Elliott, A. L. Davis, Jas. Sutherland, Rev. D. O. Crossley and others, it was decided to cremate the note, which was duly done to the satisfaction of all concerned by Mr. R. Neill.

All spoke in the loudest terms of praise of this phenomenal work of the ladies of the church.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Statutory meetings will be held by the town and village councils this evening.

—A fur-ruff was found on the street this morning and awaits an owner at the police station.

—The Peterborough Pet Stock and Poultry Association holds a general meeting to-morrow evening in the Council Chamber.

—A benefit concert in aid of a worthy object will be given in the Auburn Mission School to-morrow evening. An excellent programme has been arranged.

—If the wife who wrote the chief of police, in regard to her husband spending his money in gambling and drinking and leaving her in want, will give her name the chief will do his duty.

—A meeting of Court Forest Queen, Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held this evening for the purpose of electing officers. A large attendance of members is requested.

—Capt. Louis Winters, of the steamer Crandella, enjoys the distinction of being the first person to cross on the ice this year from Harvey to the Bobcaygeon shore. The ice varied from an inch to two inches in thickness.

—Winter shippers on the C.P.R. will learn with satisfaction of the new system of car building just adopted by the company. Heaters are provided, which burn headlight oil and run twenty-four hours without refilling. They are attended to by C.P.R. employees, obviating the necessity of the shipper's providing a stove and a man to attend to it.

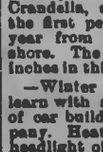
—When a man is through his days' work, and is sitting down resting at home, he cannot read the advertisements on the fence, and the hand bills or circulars that have been left at the doorstep have been blown away or destroyed. He calls for the EXAMINER, and there he finds the merchant's announcement, and with nothing to bother him, he reads it.

—Shoppers at the Peterborough Bookstore do not fail to manifest their appreciation of the elite character of the goods, as well as the remarkably low prices which prevail. It cannot be said that customers are buying their gifts like they take an emetic—shut their eyes and down it goes. On the contrary, they mark their approval in complimentary phrases and praise the superior values offered them. Round the Xmas card, booklet and calendar table, as well as at the counter devoted to the annuals and illustrated books, you hear expressions of this kind all the time. In our 15c, 23c, 28c, 44c and 75c line of books, the very best book-value ever offered is shown.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Do Not Delay.

Many have hardly given a thought to Christmas shopping. For them the time to buy their fruits and groceries is limited, as it is only about one week and a half till 'Xmas. No better time left than this week and no better place than E. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. Larger assortments and better value than anywhere.

If You've Got the Blues,



Come and get a glimpse of Toyland in the Peterborough Bookstore. Toys, Dolls and Games, are only a few of the many things in our grand Xmas exposition, but there's a feast of fun for the children, and of gladness for parents and of pleasure for all, to drive away the blues. This is the greatest toy store in town. It is a veritable wonderland for the children, and as interesting to the big folks as to the little ones. Dolldom has full swing—the finest family of dolls to be found anywhere, and all so cheap! Nowhere can such a display of good and useful dolls and toys be seen. It equals in variety and quality any two stores in town, and the prices will be found 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

CRUSHED HIS FOOT.

But the Consequences were not as Serious as they Might have Been.

Mr. John Byers met with quite a serious accident this morning at the C. P. R. station, where a 700-pound plate was being unloaded for the bridge works.

The plate was being placed on a truck, and suddely slipped to the ground. Fortunately the edge struck a small block, otherwise the entire weight would have fallen on Mr. Byers' foot. As it was the foot received sufficient injury as to necessitate his laying off work for the day.

ST. JOSEPH'S BAZAAR.

It Was Largely Attended Last Evening in the Opera House.

An immense crowd was in attendance last evening at the Bazaar in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital, which is being held in the Opera House all this week.

During the evening a pleasing musical programme was rendered and an especially attractive one has been arranged for this evening.

On Thursday and Friday evenings the programme will be as follows:

I.

Instrumental music.....Misses McCabe and Butler
Song.....Convent pupils
Recitation.....Little Carrie White
Duet.....Miss L Jackson and Mr Brown
Song (comic).....Miss Lavina Halifhan
Recitation.....Miss Lilly Simons
Song.....Mr J Brown
Drill.....

II.

Song.....Miss Annie Simons
Instrumental music.....
Recitation.....Miss Lily Simons
Song.....Miss Jeanie Riley
Song.....Miss Lily Jackson
Tableau.....

God Save the Queen.

Unfortunately in publishing the list of ladies connected with the prize table, the name of Miss Fannie Carew was omitted. Miss Carew has worked very hard in the interests of the bazaar.

The following letter has been received a regard to the curiosity booth:

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 15th, 1897.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

SIR,—In regard to your report of Curiosity Booth at the Catholic Bazaar, I wish to state that the booth has been gotten up by three little girls: Misses Daisy Stephens, Viva Donoghue and Nora Coughlin, all of whom have been indefatigable in their efforts to make a success of their undertaking, and that no other person had anything to do with it, and as these three children have done the work I wish them to have the credit.

Yours respectfully,
MRS. JOHN MOLONEY.

PETERBOROUGH'S ADVANTAGES

Being Advertised by Photos Sent to an English Capitalist.

When the British Scientific Association was in session in Toronto last summer, one of the members was invited to Peterborough by Mr. J. B. McWilliams, and expressed himself as being greatly surprised to find so progressive a town where he had been under the impression that only a village existed.

Being greatly interested in the water power of the town, twelve fine views of suitable sites for factories were obtained for him, and to-day Mr. McWilliams is forwarding the following views to the same gentlemen for the purpose of advertising the town's advantages amongst English capitalists:

St. John's church, St. Paul's, St. Peter's, George street Methodist, Collegiate Institute, Court House and Park, Nicholls Hospital, Court House, Canadian General Electric Works, Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co. Works, Auburn Woollen Mills, Y.M.C.A. and two views of the main business streets.

Whilst English capitalists are well enough acquainted with the larger cities, they know nothing whatever of the thriving towns which exist, and the excellent views which have been forwarded by Mr. McWilliams will greatly enlighten anyone on this point. A splendid photo of the Lakefield water power was also inclosed.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Vernon C. McGill was over in Lindsay yesterday.

Mr. P. G. Burgess, of Lindsay, has been spending a few days in town.

Miss Kate Ryan, formerly of the teaching staff of the Murray street Separate School has entered Mount St. Joseph.

Miss Maude Macfarlane and her brother, Mr. Ernest Macfarlane, of Homewood avenue, returned last evening from Manitoba, where they have been spending the last few months.

The Norwood Register says,—Mr. J. R. Stuart is home for a few days. During the past two weeks he organized two more Courts of the Canadian Order of Foresters in Quebec, one at Dixville on the 15th ult., with 23 charter members, and one at Waterville on the 22nd ult., with 26 charter members, making four new courts in four weeks, the other two having been instituted at Magog and Coaticook. R. J. is a hustler.

Furs for Fair Women.

There is no article of woman's wear in the selection of which Dame Fashion exerts a more arbitrary sway than in that of furs. A woman may consent to be seen in an old-fashioned gown, for her furs will conceal it; but if she appears in last season's wraps she at once admits herself far and away behind the times. The feminine heart and head find much to admire and think and plan about just now at the old-established and well-know store of W. Loch & Sons. See their holiday announcement elsewhere.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

GREAT CHRISTMAS SALE OF FRENCH KID GLOVES.

We continue our sale of Paris Kid Gloves. Original price $1.00 and $1.25 per pair; your choice for 50c. Black and Coloured, all sizes.

ROBERT FAIR,
Sign of the Golden Lion.

A NORWOOD DAM GAVE WAY THIS MORNING,

AND SWEPT AWAY A PUMP FACTORY.

Squire Bros. and Finlay & Sons also Lost About Five Hundred Cords of Wood—Other Damage Done.

(*Special to the Examiner.*)

NORWOOD, Dec. 15th.

A flood of water caused by the breaking away of the dam at James Cumming's woollen mills completely demolished Wm. Neild's foundry and pump shop here this morning. The tools and machinery were strewn along the bank of the current. The boiler has not yet been found.

Three bridges and considerable sidewalk were washed away.

About 500 cords of wood belonging to Squire Bros. and Finlay & Son is scattered along the banks of the stream for some miles. Other buildings were flooded but not much damaged.

The losses were: Wm. Neild, machinery, $1,000; Mr. Squire's building, boiler and engine, $1,500; Mr. James Cumming, $400.

Mr. Neild was a former resident of Ashburnham.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.....35° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	35°	31°

Rainfall yesterday .30 of a inch. Rain and melted snow last night and this morning, .37 of an inch. By a curious coincidence the maximum and minimum thermometers have registered the same for three days in succession, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE RING.

Mr. Dan. Cane, of Troy, N. Y., arrived in town this morning and signed articles for a twenty-round sparring contest with "Buffalo" Costello for a $300 purse and a side bet of $100—fifty dollars of which was deposited this morning in the hands of a local stakeholder. The match is to come off before Christmas. The exact time and place of match is not settled at present, but those wishing to attend will receive due notice.

Varsity Glee and Banjo Club.

On Wednesday night the Varsity Club, some sixty strong, will make the Opera House ring with their stirring choruses, brilliant part-songs, instrumental marches and operatic selections. Herr Ruth and Mr. Smedley are musicians of continental note, and they have trained their students to such perfection as was exemplified in the successful prodgetion by them of the "Antigone" last year in Toronto. The imitation of the Bugle Bands, the "Darkies' Jubilee" and the "Pilgrim Choruses," would alone send an audience away satisfied, but there is a perfect embarrassed richness of intermingled glee, solos, recitatives, military choruses and pathetic and humorous selections which promise a rich treat to the large audience who will no doubt fill the house. The prices are 25, 35 and 50c. Seats are now on sale at Ormond & Walsh's Drug Store.

Appropriate Decorations,

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 434 Water street.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50cat Grtfton & Co.

New Books

"Sir Toady Lion"	*Crockett*	$1.50
"Equality"	*Bellamy*	1.25
"The Eye of Istar"	*Lequeux*	1.50
"Heart Songs"	*Jean Blewett*	1.00
"To London for Jubilee"	*Kit*	.75
"Sheilah McLeod"	*Boothby*	.75
"They That Sit in Darkness"	*Mackie*	.75
"The Pursuit of the House Boat"	*Bangs*	1.25
"The Potter's Wheel"	*Maclaren*	1.25
"The Great Stone of Sardis"	*Stockton*	1.50
"A March on London"	*Henty*	1.25
"The Bether Book"	*Sarah Grand*	.75
"The Dumpies"	*Brownies*	1.25
"Autobiography of a Monkey"		1.25

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BRONCHITIS,
WHOOPING COUGH,
SORE THROAT,
COUGHS,
COLDS,
HOARSENESS,

Or any Bronchial or Throat Irritation,

J. D. TULLY'S,
COUGH REMEDIES

Are Unexcelled.

Corner George and Hunter Streets, West Side.

A Brilliant Opening

CHINA HALL will hold its Christmas Opening on Thurday and Friday Afternoons, December 16th and 17th. The stock is the most beautiful and extensive ever shown and we would like every Lady in Peterborough to see it and inspect the different Bargain Tables. No one asked to buy—everyone asked to come.

CHINA HALL AND SILVER BAZAAR,
(LIMITED.)

The McFarlane Wilson Company.

Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING may be deferred, but remember there is a difference between a full spread and the crumbs, from which to select. You will doubtless find something at the last moment, but that something will not be so choice—it will be leavings. It's a pleasure to shop now—but that jam later on!

SPECIAL EXHIBITS.

Holiday Art Novelties
Exquisite Bric-a-Brac
Card Cases and Purses
Shopping Bags and Chatelaines
Holiday Books and Stationery
Gilt-Edge Editions of Poets and Authors
Illuminated Gift Books
The Favourite Annuals
Gold Pens and Pencils
Fancy Goods, unique novelties
Writing Desks and Portfolios
Photo and Other Albums
Onyx Tables and Vases
Dolls, Sleighs and Toys
Work Baskets and Jewel Cases
Toilet and Shaving Sets
Hand-Painted & Porcelain Art
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GREAT REALIZATION SALE!

Headquarters for Christmas Goods.

BUY USEFUL PRESENTS AT THIS STORE.

We submit the following list for your considerat on:—

Scrap Baskets	Table Linens
Work Baskets	Table Napkins
Catch Alls	Table Covers
Hair Pin Baskets	Tray Cloths
Market Baskets	Doylies
Newspaper Racks	Five o'clock Covers
Wall Pockets	Pillow Shams
Broom Holders	Blankets
Lunch Baskets	Comforters
Flower Baskets	Lace Curtains
Doll's Cradles	Chenille Curtains
Doll's Crrriages	Tapestry Curtains
Lined Boxes	Carpets
Jewel Cases	Oilcloths
Handkerchief Boxes	Millinery
Handkerchiefs	Mantles
Kid Gloves and Silk Gloves	Fur Lined Cloaks
Ribbons	Fur Lined Capes
Laces	Dress Goods
Infantees	Black Dress Goods
Bootees	Black Silks
Cashmere Hosiery	Coloured Silks
Silk Hosiery	Blouse Silks
Wool Hosiery	Art Silks
Picture Drapes	Cushions

We guarantee the Prices for the above goods to be LOWER than quoted elsewhere.

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Everybody can learn to play. Come in and have one put away for you.

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OUR TOY PIANOS

Are causing quite a commotion with the little ones.

DRUMS FOR 20c.

Two Fine Organs for sale at a sacrifice for Cash.

G.W. MULLIGAN'S

MUSIC STORE.

MR. THOS. DUNN'S CONCERT.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

SIR,—I have read with pleasure your appropriate remarks in the EXAMINER in reference to the proposed complimentary concert to be given at the opera house on Tuesday evening, Dec. 21st, to Mr. Dunn.

Mr. Dunn has always been willing to assist at concerts given by the churches of all persuasions, benevolent societies and benefit concerts on behalf of others.

Mr. Dunn is always a favourite singer in Peterborough, and many audiences have enjoyed listening to his finely-cultivated voice. And his friends, and the citizens in general, will regret to hear of his intended departure from town

I am sure I shall be pardoned if I ask, as an expression of appreciation of his many kindnesses, a large attendance at his concert on the 21st inst.

Yours truly,
W. CLUXTON.

Peterborough, Dec. 15th, 1897.

Somethings Speak for Themselves

In this case it is the Striking Attractiveness of our Christmas Presents for Gentlemen. The Quality of our Goods, the Styles, the Finish, and their Elite Characteristics are Unequalled in Canada. Take, for instance, our Superb Display of—

Dressing Gowns
House Coats
Travelling Rugs
Mackintoshes, &c.

These are of the Best English manufacture, bought at a price to enable us to offer them at less than their value, under our Cash System.

DRESSING GOWNS AND HOUSE COATS—English manufacture. Also the Fashionable TUXEDO House Coat, with Silk Facings, Made to Order.

TRAVELLING RUGS from..... **$4.50 to $9.00**

WATERPROOF COATS—with Cape, also in "Chesterfield" Style, with Velvet Collar..... **$6.00 to $8.00**

FANCY VESTS—Brown and Drab Corduroy, Lined with Scarlet Flannel (Lloyd, Attree's make) at **$2.75**

Also some very Swell VEST LENGTHS to Make to Order—in Silk and Worsted Effects, and also the famous Spitalfield's Silk Vestings so fashionable just now in England.

BOYS' REEFERS AND OVERCOATS
BOYS' SUITS AND ODD PANTS
AT PRICES TO CLEAR.

LADIES dont fail to select for a Christmas Present something that will give pleasure to your Husband or Gentleman Friends.

Mercer's

355 George Street, - - Merchant Tailors and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

PETERBOROUGH PRESBYTERY.

Growing Necessities in the Home Missions Demand More Funds.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

On motion of Dr. Torrance, the ministers were urged to increase contributions to meet the growing necessities of Home Mission work.

An interesting report was received regarding the successful operations of young people's societies under care of Presbytery.

Rev. McIntosh, of Centreville, was appointed to represent Presbytery at the Women's Foreign Missionary Society annual meeting in Port Hope on the second Tuesday of February next.

The Remit of the Assembly on the appointment of a committee on estimates was disapproved of.

The proposed plan by a committee of the Assembly on the subject of systematic beneficience was discussed and approved of. Rev. Potter was appointed secretary on behalf of Presbytery in the further prosecution of the plan.

In accordance with the recommendation of the Assembly that "Presbyteries and Sessions take suitable measures for celebrating the 250th anniversary of the completion of the Confession of Faith and Catechism, by the Westminster Assembly of divines," it was agreed on motion of Rev. Tanner that ministers be requested to address their congregations on the subject of "The Standards of Church" and the committee of Young People's Societies be requested to arrange for addresses on the topics of the standards at their forthcoming convention of the Young People's Societies in Millbrook.

The Rev. Dr. Gregg, of Toronto, was nominated as Moderator of Assembly to meet in Montreal in June next.

On motion of Mr. Potter, it was agreed to reaffirm the recommendation of Assembly on the subject of temperance, viz., that our people are hereby earnestly exhorted to use their utmost endeavour in every lawful way to carry the plebiscite in favour of prohibition by an overwhelming majority.

ASHBURNHAM ELECTIONS.

It is rumoured that Mr. Frank Adams, Reeve of Ashburnham, will have an opponent this year. Mr. Adams will again be a candidate himself.

Ex-councillor Craig, of Ashburnham, will, it is said, again allow his name to go before the village electors.

The Power of Electricity.

By this agency Nerviline is made to penetrate to the most remote nerve—every bone, muscle and ligament is made to feel its beneficent power. Nerviline is a wonderful remedy, pleasant to even the youngest child yet so powerfully far reaching in its work that the most agonizing internal or external pain yields as if by magic.

See Grafton & Co's All Woo Underwear at 25c.

Dainties From Sea and Land.

We have an unusually nice spread for the holiday bill of fare, comprising some of the most delicious dainties upon both sea and land, including fresh sea salmon, smoked sea salmon, halibut, smelts, sardines and toothsome bivalves, large and luscious. Also juicy figs, dates, grapes, oranges, etc., and other tropical fruits in the very choicest condition. J. B. ORR & Co., 418 George street. Phone 204.

ST. PAUL'S W.F.M.S. ANNUAL MEETING.

MISS DICKSON IS AGAIN RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Reports Presented by the Secretary and Treasurer Show That Progress is Being Made—The Election of Officers.

There were almost a hundred and fifty ladies yesterday in St. Paul's church attending the twenty first annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in connection with the congregation.

Miss Charlotte Dickson, the president of St. Paul's branch, occupied the chair and after the singing of a hymn devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. J. F. Dennistoun.

The president in a brief address alluded to the great needs of foreign missions and the inadequacy of the means to perform the work.

Mrs. A. E. Lech, secretary, presented the following report:

We have again met together to review the work of the past year, the twenty-first year of our existence as a Auxiliary, and we would thank our Heavenly Father for all his loving kindness and tender mercies for his forbearance towards our weakness and shortcomings, and for His great goodness in permitting us to exist as an Auxiliary for these twenty-one years with ever increasing blessings and prosperity, and also for a year during which none of our members have been removed by death.

A meeting has been held on the second Friday of each month, except August.

The January meeting was as usual a special Prayer meeting.

Our meetings throughout the year have been characterized by the willing and efficient assistance given by the different members when called upon; a number of the members have prepared and read papers of great excellence and interest.

The average attendance was thirty-five.

The total membership is ninety, an increase of nine over last year; of these fifty one are members of the general society, and thirteen are life members, one life member was added this year.

The amount contributed this year is three hundred and twenty-six dollars and thirty-two cents. In February the Stuart settlement Sunday school contributed the sum of five dollars, which we gratefully acknowledge.

In August a box was sent to our missionaries in India; it contained material for clothing for the famine children rescued by our missionaries, a number of articles suitable for gifts for the school children, and also a quantity of bandages and other medical supplies for use in the Mission Hospital. The total value was twenty-three dollars.

This Auxiliary also contributed the sum of eight dollars to the "Memorial Fund" of the General Society, which fund went to lessen the debt in the Foreign Missionary Fund of our church.

The "Interior," one of the best missionary papers published, was again subscribed for by this Auxiliary and sent to our lady missionaries in India.

The circulation of the "Foreign Missionary Tidings"—which is the old "Letter Leaflet" enlarged and with a new name—has remained the same for several years, there being one hundred subscribers in the congregation. The wider circulation of this little publication is much to be desired, as it keeps its readers in constant touch and sympathy with our missionaries. We hope the day will soon come when one of these silent messengers will be in every family. The price is twelve cents a year.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterial Society was held in St. Andrew's church in February, when Mrs. Innes and Mrs. McPherson were delegates from this Auxiliary.

The annual meeting of the General Society was held in Hamilton in April when Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Garvin represented this Auxiliary and brough back interesting reports, which were read at our meeting in May. The semi-annual meeting of the Presbyterial Society was held in June at Millbrook, when a number of our members attended.

As stated in last year's report, it was the intention of this Auxiliary to establish a library consisting of interesting and useful literature bearing on missions, for the use of our members, the money for this purpose being taken from our expense fund.

In June last the first instalment of books was procured, consisting of twenty volumes. The selection was made by a committee of ladies after much thought and investigation, and are all of great interest. A perusal of any of these books cannot fail to increase our knowledge of and our interest and faith in mission work, and it is earnestly hoped that all our members will avail themselves of the privilege thus afforded them. This library will also be found very useful for books of reference, when information is required about any special mission work. Mrs. R. S. Davidson has been appointed librarian, and members desiring a book can always procure one at the monthly meeting of the Auxiliary. The Missionary Review is also subscribed for by the Auxiliary, and can be had by any member wishing to read it. The annual thankgiving meeting was held held in October, and was a very enjoyable meeting indeed. A true spirit of thanksgiving was abroad, which was shown especially in the large thankoffering, which amounted to $130.

We are sorry to report that our senior Mission Band (the Faithful Workers) has disbanded on account of its small membership. But we are glad to say they have not given up the work, as we are to have the pleasure of welcoming them into the Auxiliary.

It was the wish of the members that a junior band, comprising both boys and girls, be formed and take their name, "The Faithful Workers." An attempt has been made to do so, but so far only four or five children have attended. We would draw the attention of mothers to the band and hope they will take an interest in it and see that the younger children attend. The work of this year is ended, but for the coming year we pray that God will lay this work of rescuing the heathen on the hearts of everyone of us, so that we will be willing and able to do more the lighting of the dark parts of earth than ever we did in the past.

M. H. LECH,
Secretary.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

To collections, open	$ 25 80
" envelopes	23 30
Members fees	67 00
Thank offering	131 25
To collections for India	23 95
" from Stewart Settlement	5 12
Interest on deposit	3 85
Life membership	2 00
Memorial fund	3 00
Pres. expense fund	4 35
Contributed by Faithful Worker's Mission Band	18 70
Fraser Mission Band	32 32
	$307 31

J. J. KINGAN,
Treasurer.

The report of the Fraser Mission Band and Faithful Workers' Mission Band were presented respectively by Miss Jessie Cameron and Miss Alison Hamilton.

Miss Roger moved the adoption of the report and in doing so congratulated the Society on reaching its majority. This was seconded by Mrs. Robt. Hall and carried.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. G. Potter gave a helpful address and conveyed the greetings of St. Andrew's Auxiliary.

Miss Fife read a paper on "Opportunities," and during collection Mrs. Mein and Miss Mary Patterson contributed a duet, "Speed Away."

Rev. Dr. Torrance offered a dedicatory prayer and the Rev. J. G. Potter gave an address.

The result of the election of officers was as follows:

Honorary President—Mrs. Fairbairn.
Honorary Vice-President—Mrs. Henderson.
President—Miss Dickson.
First Vice-President—Mrs. J. F. Dennistoun.
Second Vice-President — Mrs. McPherson.
Treasurer—Miss Kingan.
Secretary—Mrs. Lech.
Assistant Secretary—Miss Addie Scott.
Librarian—Miss Bertha Brown.
Organist—Miss Cameron.
Executive Committee—Mrs. Jas. A. Hall, Miss Roger, Mrs. Munro, Mrs. W. Davidson, Mrs. D. H. Moore, Mrs. A. G. Dickson, Mrs. W. Ferguson and Mrs. E. H. D. Hall.

The meeting closed with the doxology and benediction.

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FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

Interesting Paper on Victor Hugo, Read by Miss Spence.

There was a very large attendance at the meeting of the Fortnightly Club last night in the Y.M.C.A. hall, which was again filled as on the occasion of the last meeting.

The programme opened with an instrumental solo, the "Marseillaise," by Mrs. E. A. Peck, which was most brilliantly rendered.

Mr. G. W. Mulligan sang "The Skipper" in excellent voice and with more than his usual expression.

A paper was then read by Miss Spence on "Victor Hugo." Miss Spence stated that it was impossible to attempt to review the work of Victor Hugo, poet, novelist, dramatist and satirest. So she would content herself with a brief review of his work as a novelist.

The story of the hunchback of Notre Dame was outlined in a very artistic manner. After which she proceeded to examine critically the style of the author and his characteristic features.

The audience, as Rev. Mr. Symonds afterwards remarked, remained perfectly motionless during the reading of the paper and burst into a storm of applause at its conclusion.

The paper was interspersed with selections from the Hunchback of Notre Dame, translated by Miss Spence with great ease and fluency.

The President, Rev. Mr. Symonds, added a few scholarly remarks, pointing out the three great novels by Victor Hugo, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," "The Toilers of the Sea" and "Les Miserables" representing his three prominent ideas—religion, nature and man. He concluded by paying a high tribute to the paper read by Miss Spence.

A Banker's Experience.

"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Hewson of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne Avenue, Toronto, "It proved effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in troubles of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

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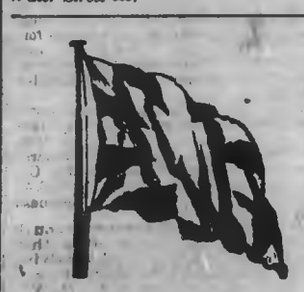

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"I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills in March last, and after using three boxes of them was completely restored to health. I have not had the slightest pain or stiffness in any part of my back, or any indication of my former trouble, since using these wonderful pills.

"With the restoration of my kidneys to a healthy condition, my appetite was restored, and my strength returned, so that I am now strong and hearty. I make this statement of my cure by Doan's Kidney Pills with the greatest pleasure, because when I commenced taking them I did not really expect so remarkable a cure as that which followed their use. I am very thankful that I hit upon this remedy, and gladly recommend it to all sufferers." 267

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A FAVORITE POEM.

I wandered lonely as a cloud
That floats on high o'er vales and hills,
When all at once I saw a crowd,
A host of golden daffodils,
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.

Continuous as the stars that shine
And twinkle on the milky way
They stretched in never ending line
Along the margin of a bay.
Ten thousand saw I at a glance,
Tossing their heads in sprightly dance.

The waves beside them danced, but they
Outdid the sparkling waves in glee.
A poet could not but be gay
In such a jocund company.
I gazed and gazed, but little thought
What wealth that show to me had brought.

For often when on my couch I lie
In vacant or in pensive mood
They flash upon that inward eye
Which is the bliss of solitude,
And then my heart with pleasure fills
And dances with the daffodils.

—Wordsworth.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. R. Brady, of 229 Talbot street.

Mr. Brady, a prominent contractor, suffered for years with Bright's Disease. Doctors and special remedies failed utterly to help him. In despair he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, and was cured by a few boxes.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved themselves, in this city, to be the only remedy that will positively cure every case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes and every other kidney complaint. They have never failed here. People will buy no other medicine.

Port Arthur's Grain Record.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 14.—With the closing of lake navigation by the sailing of the steamer Gilchrist, the record of this port is closed. Frank H. Gibbs, Dominion grain inspector, has compiled the following statistics, both for Port Arthur and Fort William, for the last three years in the wheat trade. The totals for these years are as follows: 1895, 10,550,000 bush.; 1896, 12,000,000 bush.; 1897, 17,000,000 bush.

Henegan Hanged Himself.

Niagara, Dec. 14.—Despondent over idleness since he lost his place as bailiff several months ago, Patrick Henegan yesterday morning suicided, hanging himself to the bed-post with a towel.

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CARLYLE'S SISTER DEAD.

Mrs. Hanning Passes Away After a Short Illness in Toronto—Sketch of Her Life in Canada.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Janet Carlyle Hanning, sister of the great philosophical writer, Thomas Carlyle, and the last member of the family of the Sage of Chelsea, died yesterday at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. W. J. Laing, 415 Huron street, in this city.

Deceased, who was in her 85th year, had long been a resident in Canada, having come to this country in 1851 as the wife of the late Robert Hanning of Hamilton. The latter met with reverses in business and in 1841 come to the New World to retrieve his fortunes. It was not till 10 years later that his wife and children came out to join him, and during the greater part of that period, Mrs. Hanning remained at Ecclefechan, caring for the old mother, whom her brother Thomas loved so devoutly.

After Mrs. Carlyle's death, in 1849, Thomas Carlyle received his sister and children as guests into his own home at Chelsea and they remained with him till

MRS. HANNING,
A sister of Thomas Carlyle.

they sailed for their home at Hamilton, Ontario. In the 50 years that intervened before the death of Thomas Carlyle, the famous philosopher remained always the kind elder brother to his young sister, writing to her with regularity and affection.

The family resided in Hamilton for over 25 years, and in that city four little daughters grew to womanhood and were married. In 1878 Mr. Hanning died, and three years later came the death of Thomas Carlyle. By her brother's will, Mrs. Hanning inherited sufficient estate to render her independent. She left Hamilton and went to reside with her married daughter, Mrs. Leslie, on her farm, Comely Bank, near Oakville. Here 15 years were spent, till in April of the present year, Mrs. Hanning came to Toronto and lived with her daughter, Mrs. Laing.

Soon after her arrival in this city, she had a severe illness, from which she never recovered. About ten days ago she was seized with sudden faintness, since which she grew gradually weaker till the end came peacefully yesterday.

Mrs. Hanning's remains will be buried beside those of her husband in Hamilton. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Franklin of Ripley, Ont.; Mrs. Holden of Hamilton and Mrs. Laing of Toronto.

BRAVE M. J. MERRY.

In His Efforts to Save a Companion From Suffocation He Was Successful, But He Himself Lost His Life.

Rossland, B. C., Dec. 14.—M. J. Merry, whose death here has been chronicled, lost his life in saving a companion. It transpires that he was suffocated by powder damp in the Iron Colt Mine. He was employed in working a steam drill alternately with George Cattanach. Just after an explosion Cattanach went into the first drift to notice the effect. He realized that there was danger from gas, but reached the face without any inconvenience. He was overcome on his way back and sank to the ground unconscious. As he fell he cried aloud for help. Merry rushed to his assistance, but was overcome by gas and fell prostrate on the body of his partner. Three-quarters of an hour later the other man in the mine noticed that the drill was idle, and commenced a search. The prostrate forms were discovered. Cattanach was resuscitated, but Merry was beyond recovery, although everything was done to save him.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

John Stevens, a Toronto market gardener, gave two men a ride in his wagon. One held him back in a lonely spot in the road, and the other took $17 out of his pockets.

The customs authorities at Montreal have seized the lithographic bills of Rice & Barton's Extravaganza Co., on the ground of indecency.

Many St. John's farmers are, it is claimed, engaged in smuggling coal oil and cigarettes from the United States, and the revenue officers will shortly make a raid on them.

Miller's mark has been cut down. The track was so short as to shrink his 2066-4 miles to 1986 miles, which, however, is still ahead of Teddy Hale's record of last year.

A Toronto syndicate will work a smelter at Kingston. This syndicate recently purchased the Frontenac lead mines.

It is settled that there will be no telegraphers' strike in Canada, as feared, just now.

Watt & Reid's Gananoque grocery was burglarized last night to the extent of $75.

Charles Butler, philanthropist and lawyer, died yesterday in New York. His mother was a lineal descendent of Oliver Cromwell.

A Rat Portage despatch says a move is to be made to divide West Algoma into two Legislative districts, the dividing line to be based on that now subsisting between Rainy River and Thunder Bay district.

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"NOT GUILTY," SAY THE JURY.

Barber Campbell and Benjamin Searle Were Acquitted Yesterday.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—After a long trial at the Sessions yesterday, George Campbell, a colored barber, whose place of business is at King and Niagara streets, was found not guilty of unlawfully wounding Gavin Muirhead, a policeman, on the night of Oct. 30. There was much contradictory evidence. The trouble occurred in Campbell's store, where Muirhead and Policeman Moffat had gone to arrest the barber's son for disorderliness. Muirhead was cut in the wrist with a pair of scissors and Campbell had some bones in his right hand broken by a blow from the constable's baton.

It Was An Accident.

Benjamin Searle was acquitted at the Sessions on the charge of tearing out a horse's tongue as the occurrence was thought by the jury to be an accident.

RELIGIOUS CIRCLES STIRRED UP.

A Lady Excommunicated by the Catholic Church for Marrying a Protestant.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 14.—Religious circles in this city were stirred up yesterday by the public excommunication of Mrs. Charles Miller, formerly Miss Katherine Moriarity, her mother and all relatives and Catholics who participated in her marriage ceremonies and the reception which followed, because the young woman was married by a Protestant minister.

The letter of excommunication from the Right Rev. Bishop Burke and addressed to Rev. Father Newman, pastor of the Cathedral congregation, was read at all of the services in the Cathedral.

A Cornwall Mystery Solved.

Cornwall, Dec. 11.—The decomposed body of William MacGahie of St. Andrews was found in the canal here yesterday. MacGahie was an old man accustomed to wander about the country and has been missing two weeks.

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—Kid Gloves, lined and unlined.
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—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests.
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
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A CHANGED DEVIL.

Babe Espinosa was the only daughter of Gavina Espinosa, whose wife the saints had called early, and her place had been supplied by a woman whom Babe had been taught to call Aunt Tinta. The Espinosas kept a small Mexican restaurant on Santa Lucia street, where tortillas, enchiladas, tamales, red wine and other hot stuffs were attractions. Babe had been brought up in this restaurant and in the street—in the gutter, if that was out of Aunt Tinta's way—though she had a faint remembrance of a yard around an old adobe, where there were myrtle with big blue blossoms and broken borders of gaudy flowers, and thinking of the adobe she thought of the myrtle, and thinking of the myrtle she saw it on a grave in a place where there were many thin, wooden crosses, some of them always leaning over with a promise to join those that had lain down like the sleepers. She had been christened Maria, but after some years and some slips she had repudiated the name as too commonplace for her and had assumed the name of her innocence because of the travesty it was. "Marias are thicker than virgins," said Babe, whereat her followers laughed. These were all young men. Women did not like Babe and she did not like women.

Babe was wiry, square shouldered and slim waisted. She attracted attention wherever she went. Everything she did was done with this in the vista, and she would have succeeded had she only passed as propriety. The conformation of her supraorbital region caused the other Marias to accuse her of the evil eye. Her hair, worn old style, parted in the middle and carried down over her ears, was black and only less coarse than the mane of a mustang, and her hair and eyes would have been observed in any aggregation.

Babe had a familiar, one Vico Bettani, the hunchback of the Pocket. The Pocket was a haunt of ill repute, a cluster of old, low tenements in the center of a block where there were houses facing the sidewalk in the regulation civic way. Vico was tall for a hunchback, owing to his gangy, long legs. His arm was so strong, that he could put a man under either hump and lift, Vico-fashion, while his long legs dangled like a rag doll's.

Through all the streets and alleys of the town the odd looking pair went at will and at all hours. "The devil and the devil's own," Babe said, of them, for while Maria was spite of her sex, the devil was Babe.

Often they passed old Mateo Tiseros and his tamale stand. Sometimes they flouted the old man. Sometimes they wheedled him out of a tamale by promises of sweet yerba santa, sometimes secured it by mere bold banter, but one night late, when there was no moon and old Mateo's red lantern, low and smoky, cast a light that would hardly have done for a photographer's darkroom and Babe and Vico were bold with bad wine, a whim struck Babe to upset old Mateo and his outfit.

A whisper to Vico won him to the scheme, and in a few twinklings the lantern oil had spread itself a la mayonnaise upon the outer husks of the few tamales remaining in the steamer. To Babe's surprise Vico lay in the mayonnaise, and she found the night air cool upon her spine, for old Mateo had disposed of Vico with a single left hander and with a stroke of a sharp knife had ripped Babe's clothing from neck to waist. Babe wet her dress skirt at the fountain, tore off Vico's collar, opened his shirt and mopped his face, neck and breast till consciousness returned. Then she took off his coat, threw it around her shoulders, buttoned one button, got Vico on his feet and half led, half carried him home and put him to bed.

She thought of smelling salts for Vico and began to rummage for a green bottle with an oroide top that had once held some. Not finding it in one place, she looked in another, when, feeling something unusual in the old zinc trunk, she drew it forth and shuddered till the split clothing slipped down on her tawny shoulders as she saw a wooden cross with an ivory figure in fixed contortion upon it. Then she remembered that once upon a time she had stood by an old chest when her father found the crucifix, and he, too, had trembled.

"Who is it?" she had asked.

"One Jesus," her father had said. "He was your grandmother's. He is a dead man, and the dead are as earth and air and water. I will have nothing of this Jesus."

He threw the Jesus in the strong box, then heaped clothing upon it and jumped in and stamped upon it.

Why had he not thrown it away?

Another day she had meant to do so, for she smothered when she thought of that yellow, hurt looking man, bleeding and nailed and trampled under the clothing in the tight box. She had gone with creeping flesh and got him out.

Why had she not thrown him away? Why had she forgotten him? Strange it seemed to her, that moan of Vico's at that moment, "Jesus, mercy—my Jesus, mercy—my poor head."

Her grandmother had kept Jesus by her. Had he done something for her? Would he do something for Vico? She could not bear to look at him even in the dim light, but she laid him on Vico's breast and took Vico's hands and put them upon him.

Babe could not breathe. Her face burned. Her bare breast burned. She felt her way to the back porch, heavily overhung by flowering bean and balsam vines, but the night air did not cool her, though her clothing had slipped off her arms and fallen down from her belt, and her wet skirts clung to her limbs.

Her father sat there in a low, wide rocker—her father, stupid with heavy food and sour wine—and another form was coming up the black adobe walk. It was not mist only nor shadow nor cloud, yet Babe knew not what else to call it, and it came to the railing and stood without and spoke to him, her father, "The step is fallen, husband, and the porch is falling with the thick vine, and my child is fallen."

"What business is it of yours?" replied Gavina Espinosa with sullen bravado. Then he burst out wrathfully: "By God, in the course of nature you have no right to be here. You are dead and useless."

"Dead? I am not dead," said the mist. "Death frees us. Death rests us. Death soothes pain, but I am bond and weary and I suffer."

"Anyhow, your grave is over there, flat under the myrtle."

"Ah," said the mist, "I did not know what I now perceive. I am dead, praised be God, and he is God, and now that you have cast me out and told me there is no bond between you and me I am indeed free and my grave is over there, but not flat under the myrtle. Don't you remember I asked you not to put it down? And it has never fallen. Lift the myrtle and you will see. I go to my grave. The earth is calm and soft and kindly. Nature has made it so. Tell my daughter that I went to my grave."

In the gray of morning Babe came to herself in the old porch. She looked for her father. He was not there, neither was the wide rocker. Had they really been there? Babe lay and thought. When she got up, she was a changed woman.

She bathed Vico's face and hands. He could not rise. She brought breakfast for him and served it with the only pure womanly tenderness that had ever been spontaneous with her. Vico ate and afterward slept. She mothered him all day. He did not understand Babe's new whim. Late in the afternoon he rose and dressed, wondering what her evening mood would be.

She would not let him go till he had eaten food brought with her new grace. They ate together, and when he felt new again and wholly well fed and comfortable he put his arms around Babe and kissed her. She put her arms around him and kissed him, too, as a good woman might have done.

"I am going to be good, Vico," she said. Vico had felt her strength when she was bad to him, and he was not ill pleased. "Let's both be good, Vico," she went on. "Let's go to the priest and be married."

Vico was so much astounded that he took her arms from around him. He looked at her. Yes, she meant it. Vico was as much an inheritance as any one of his traits. He was the product of an ancestry of inconstant men.

Vico laughed.

That the accustomed anger did not blaze from her eyes made him laugh consummedly, and when a tear stole down her cheek the situation became amusing beyond all things.

Vico laughed.

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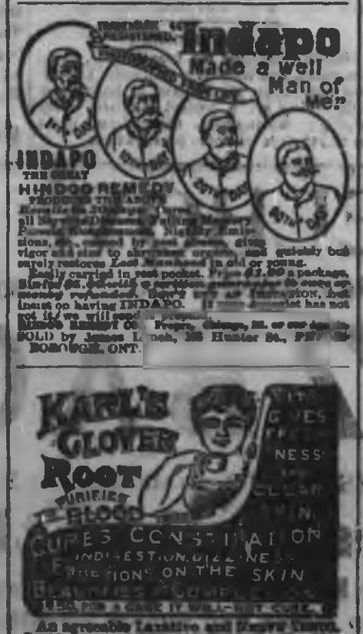

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Be careful to build up a pure white character as a monument that will stand for a remembrance of us that time cannot destroy.

A very pleasing solo entitled "I live for Thee," was sung. Rev. Mr. Potter, Mr. Anderson and Mrs. Patten each gave helpful remarks, making the avenues of future service for the young easy of access. All felt encouraged in the using of every opportunity in our wide field of church duty. The meeting closed with the benediction.

THE KLONDYKE GOLD FIELD.

The All-Canadian Summer Route the Best—Interesting Letter From a Peterborough Boy.

Mr. William Ogilvie, the well-known Government surveyor, who has been back and forth between the Yukon country and the east by pretty nearly all the different routes, and who has spent much of his time for some years in the far northwest of Canada, is of the firm opinion that the Canadian valley of the Yukon river and its tributaries is the largest and richest gold field in the world. He is also of the opinion that the Stickeen river is by far the best summer route to the Yukon district. The distance from Victoria to Fort Wrangell, near the mouth of the Stickeen river, by ocean steamship, is seven hundred and fifty miles: from Fort Wrangell to Telegraph Creek, in British Columbia, by river boat up the Stickeen river is a hundred and fifty miles: from Telegraph Creek to Teslin Lake by trail, one hundred and twenty miles, and from Teslin Lake to Dawson City by steamboat down the Yukon and its tributaries six hundred and fifty miles. From Telegraph Creek to Teslin Lake railway construction would be for the most part without great obstacles. The whole distance by this all-Canadian route is sixteen hundred and fifty miles. This route passes through American waters between Fort Wrangell and Telegraph Creek, but the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825 secures British vessels the right of navigation of all waterways on the Alaskan coast.

The following interesting letter was received by Mrs. Madill, who now resides at Hall's Glen, from her son, Mr. D. A. Madill, who left for the Yukon district last summer, and arrived safely at Dawson City:—

DAWSON CITY, KLONDIKE DISTRICT, September 27, 1897.

DEAR MOTHER,—You will perceive I have arrived at this glorious Eldorado, giving our outfit the final tie-up on the bank of the now frozen Yukon River in front of Dawson City a week ago yesterday. We had a very successful trip, making one of the fastest on record for a loaded boat. I was one of the company who started in the boat when running the canyon and shooting the White Horse and Five Fingers Rapids, there being the dangerous waters that we found it well about. I have just returned from a trip up to the junction of the Eldorado and Bonanza Creeks, which is about 15 miles from here and where the rich diggings are. The good ground has all been taken up months ago and is being held at fabulous prices, hundreds are running about looking for mining claims and many are pegging at claims that are worth less. As regards myself I have not decided what I will do this winter. There will be little chance to do any business as word arrived last night from the steamers coming up the Yukon river that they were stopped by sand bars at the Yukon Flats about 400 miles below here. These are the boats the people have been anxiously looking for for the last thirty days. The last three days shows signs of winter setting in and to-day masses of ice are floating by which seem to be all that is necessary to make the old timers anxious and others who have not sufficient food and clothing on hand to carry them through the long winter. From early morning they have been hustling their little belongings into their boats and gilding down the river towards Circle City, about 300 miles below, or perhaps to Fort Yukon, where the boats have been last heard from. As regards myself I feel quite contented, although, I, like many others, may find it a little monotonous ere the long winter is at an end and the beautiful spring is ushered in again.

The mail which leaves here to-night is supposed to be taken by a very reliable carrier, and all who send letters are paying a dollar for each letter. I am glad to have the privilege of letting you know that I am well, and it is my sincerest wish and daily prayer that the same kind and blessed Father is keeping you and all at home well also.

Give my kindest love to all and hoping to hear from you as soon as possible.

I am your affectionate son,

D. A. MADILL.

INFECTED MILK.

Dire Results from Criminal Carelessness at a Creamery.

So widely are scientific facts connected with food and hygiene disseminated nowadays, that there are comparatively few unaware of how easily milk is contaminated. Yet knowledge is at times disregarded and that too very frequently, by those who peculiar care it should be to guard the public health.

At the present time Paterson, N. J., and Arlington, suburbs of Newark, are suffering from a serious epidemic of typhoid fevs, and the resources of the health officials are taxed to the utmost to keep it in bounds. As it is the disease has extended into Jersey City, and a slight attack has occurred in New York, all of which can be distinctly traced to the same source. Since Nov. 15 sixty-two cases have been reported in Paterson alone and last Thursday and Friday fifteen cases were reported daily. Among the victims are the Mayor and a former sheriff. To trace the disease to its source Dr. John Leal turned detective. His first clue came on Thanksgiving Day, when several of the children of the local orphan asylum were taken ill, then in the irony of events, several people who ate ice cream at a pure food show held some days later, were also laid up. Dr. Leal discovered a coincidence. The milk in both cases was furnished by the same creamery.

A LITTLE INVESTIGATION

proved conclusively that in thirty-four out of the sixty-two cases in Paterson the milk was supplied from the same source. This creamery is that kept by F. W. Fulbeam, at Branchville, Sussex county, N.J., one of the largest establishments of the kind in the state, and handling the milk of about sixty farmers in the vicinity. It would naturally be thought that an establishment of this size and importance would be conducted on the strictest hygienic lines. What are facts or the case? On Friday last Dr. Leal and Dr. Hunt, of the State Board of Health, visited the place and found an astonishing condition of things. Fulbeam's three sons were lying ill with typhoid fever, but although they had been ill for four weeks the county physician had not yet detected the nature of their disease. He diagnosed their ailment as remittent fever. Fulbeam's creamery is situated on a little stream which is the outlet for Culver's Lake, and which is used to carry away sewage. Twelve feet down the stream from the sewer was the mouth of the pipe through which water was drawn to supply the creamery and with which all the milk cans were washed. Of course prompt measures were at once taken. The supply pipe was at once taken up by Dr. Hunt's order, who also promptly quarantined the place and forbade Fulbeam to send out another pint of milk until he received permission to do so. The farmers were notified that if they wished they could send their milk to market themselves but that on no account should they send it to Fulbeam's creamery. It was found that he had been sending the infected milk to Paterson, Newark, Jersey City, Dover, Morrisburg, the Oranges and New York.

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I suffered from Catarrh for ten years and was treated by some of the best physicians in Canada. I was recommended by Dr. U. Thompson, druggist, Tilsonburg, to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and can state positively it cured my Catarrh and Catarrhal Sore Throat.

Yours respectfully,
Anna A. Howey,
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GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....5.00 a. m. and 3.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m
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WAS IT A FOUL MURDER?

THE MYSTERIOUS SHOOTING IN SOMERVILLE.

John Luff Arrested on Monday Evening on Suspicion of Having Caused the Death of Thomas Lee.

On November 9th, last, as our readers will probably remember, a young man named Thos. Lee was shot in Somerville township, Victoria County, dying almost immediately. A young fellow named John Luff was present at the time of the shooting, and at the inquest his story was that Lee had come over to him from the runway where he was watching for deer and had promised him to allow him to shoot off his gun in exchange for a chew of tobacco. He got the weed, but refused to keep his promise, saying he was short of ammunition. Then, as Luff related, Lee attempted to lean his gun against a young sapling, when it went off, with the result stated above.

At the coroner's inquest it came out that Luff had told his younger brother (who was not present at the shooting) to say that he had seen the gun go off in the manner described, and this fact, combined with other suspicious circumstances, has since rankled in the minds of the deceased's friends, the result being that County Magistrate Deacon was asked to take action, and have the affair investigated.

As a preliminary step, he on Monday issued a warrant for young Luff's arrest, and Constable Short after a very tiresome trip, found his man and brought him into Lindsay yesterday.

HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Havelock Lodge No. 286, I.O.O.F., had a very successful "At Home" on Thursday evening of last week. There was a literary programme, speeches, games and oyster supper in connection. The speeches were delivered by Mr. W. S. Dodd, Rev. H. McQuade, Rev. Mr. McGinnis and others. The assembly consisted of members and their wives and friends. Much credit is due the committee of management for providing such a programme of enjoyment for their friends.

A social and literary entertainment will be held in the basement of the Methodist church on Friday evening of this week. This entertainment will be conducted by the members of the Sunday school.

Before Mr. and Mrs. Post's departure for Toronto Junction they were presented with a beautiful hall rack and parlour lamp by the members of the Epworth League.

Mr. Geo. Liscombe spent last Sunday at home.

The continual rain of the past few days have made the streets of our town almost unfit for traffic.

We have not heard of any more aspirants for council fame.

We know of only one vacant house in Havelock, and it has been empty three days only.

There is a rumour of a wedding which is expected to take place in the eastern part of the town in the near future.

Drs. Jeffs and Fowler are kept very busy these days.

KEENE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Keene mill, under the supervision of Mr. Cronk and sons, are doing a big chopping business.

The river is all clear water again after being frozen over for a week or more.

Mr. A. R. Eason has returned home from the west looking hale and hearty.

Mr. J. A. Cameron, of Peterborough, was in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. Wm. Wedlock is getting out a large quantity of first class cordwood this winter.

Mr. Samuel Mather, our enterprising carriage maker, has an order for a number of rigs. People know when they get a rig from Sam that it is the best that can be had.

Snow all gone again and replaced by mud. Not a very agreeable exchange.

The Christian Endeavour in connection with the Presbyterian church will have an entertainment on Christmas Eve. Look out for posters.

Rev. Mr. Liddy has been ill for some time. We are glad to see he is able to be around again.

Nearly every house in the country and village has been visited with the measles, but they are disappearing some now.

Mrs. A. Greenbanks, who has been in the village under Dr. Harrison's care, has gone home to Norwood for a few days.

Bad weather for the curling and skating rink, John.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to R.S.O., chapter 110 and amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Thomas Brooks, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 8th day of November, 1897, are required on or before the 18th day of January, 1898, to send by post prepaid or deliver to E. B. Stone, 374½ Water street, Peterborough, Ont., Solicitor for Frank Brooks, Arthur M. Brooks, Burton H. Brooks and Julia K. Brooks, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them.

And that after such date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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License Inspector, East Peterborough

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THE LEGISLATURE

Ottawa Not Consulted in the Timber Question.

THE BUDGET DEBATE IS RESUMED

Mr. Matheson Dissipates the Surplus and Finds a Deficit—Masterly Reply by the Minister of Education—Opposition Bossed by Sir Charles Tupper—Their Policy's Results.

Toronto, Dec. 16.—The position of the Opposition in the Legislature seems to be becoming more ridiculous daily. First Mr. St. John made statements with reference to the Humber piggery that were proved ridiculous by Premier Hardy. This was upon the debate upon the address. The House is now engaged debating the budget. Mr. Matheson, the Opposition champion, fell into the same trap as his friend from West York yesterday while discussing the budget and was called down by Hon. Mr. Ross, who made him and his party most ridiculous at every point. The members of both sides and the galleries roared with laughter as Mr. Ross exposed the ridiculous assertions of the leaders of the Opposition.

The Opposition Side.

Mr. Matheson, resuming the debate on the budget, said he had a grave complaint to make with reference to the method of book keeping at the Central prison. There were two institutions within that building. The prison was not credited by the various industries within its walls for the labor of the prisoner, but when the prisoners did any work upon the prison proper, the industry through which the work had been done will charge up to the prison the labor of its own prisoners. This was all wrong and should be changed. He did not believe in having this prison labor compete with honest labor outside. He said if the Government did not soon curtail their expenses the province would soon be called upon to face direct taxation. He thought it high time the arbitration between Ontario and Quebec should be brought to a close. It was costing about $50,000 per year, and at the rate the arbitrators were going they would spin it out for years, much to the gain of the lawyers who were friends of the Government, and who alone would profit by it. He claimed that since 1871, when the present Government came to power, they had received from all sources $29,478,538 and had expended $32,057,275, the difference they had taken from the surplus left by the Macdonald Government, all of which was now expended and direct taxation staring the country in the face. He complained that American lumbermen were permitted to bring in their own men and supplies and take out millions of dollars worth of lumber. Taking lumber at only $2 per thousand to cut it under the present policy of the Government, in that item alone the province lost annually $600,000. He condemned the present educational system on the ground that it enslaved the teachers, who feared the Minister; it gave a monopoly in school books to a single firm; it increased the cost of books and failed to give a proper education to the children of the province. He did not think the Government should control the Toronto University. There should be a higher grade of education in the public schools, a class that would give a higher education than the present public school system affords without the necessity of attending a High school. He thought sewing should be taught in the Public schools.

The Opposition Routed.

Hon. G. W. Ross was loudly cheered when he rose to reply. He congratulated the Provincial Treasurer upon the able speech he had made, showing the credit of the province was better than ever before. The speech would give the province a better credit in the markets of the world and give more confidence to the citizens. He was glad the blue ruin speeches were on the other side of the House. Members of the Opposition would like to have the country believe that Ontario's finances under a Liberal Government were in as bad a state as the finances of Quebec, for twenty years under a Conservative Government, but such was not the case, and therefore it was not right for members of the Opposition to be making misstatements calculated to injure the credit of the province. The Ontario Government did not squander the public money, did not squander the public domain, but carefully husbanded all resources and ran the country as economically as it was possible. They talked blue ruin on the other side, and yet at the end of the year the Government would have over $600,000 cash in the bank. (Cheers.) The Opposition were constantly holding the Sandfield Macdonald Government up as a standard to follow. Well, Macdonald's Government left a surplus of $600,000, and after 25 years of office the present Government had as much money as this in cash in the bank. What more did they want. (Cheers.) The Opposition said the Government had no surplus and yet the Government annually drew as interest upon their cash reserve over $212,000. Did the Opposition mean that this large sum could be drawn upon nothing? Sandfield Macdonald drew interest upon his surplus, did he not?

Mr. Marter: "Certainly."

Hon. Mr. Ross: "Then, is it not in the same manner we draw our interest?"

Mr. Marter did not reply.

Continuing, Mr. Ross said: "Ah, why do you say Macdonald drew interest upon his surplus and not agree we get our interest in the same way? Macdonald drew interest upon something, you make us out very clever to draw so large an amount upon nothing." (Laughter.) It would have been more fair if the Opposition applied the same rule to both Governments. In all the large expenditures of the Government during the past quarter of a century the Opposition had not been able to point to any extravagance or scandal. The Opposition had not evolved a policy whereby the asylums, prisons, etc., could be more efficiently or economically managed. The Administration had been clean and economical. The Government had spent nineteen millions of the people's money, and yet there were no scandals such as the Curran Bridge, Tay Canal and many others, for which the Conservative had been responsible. He compared the expenditures for the last decade with those of the Government, much to the advantage of the Government. The debts of the municipalities of the people had greatly increased, while the Government had practically no debts, having assets to pay everything. (Laughter.) The Government was charged with extravagance by the Opposition, and yet the Opposition insisted last year upon spending $11,000 upon the Public Account's Committee and only saved the $53 after all that expenditure.

The Opposition had been crying for twenty-five years that owing to the extravagance of the Government the province was on the verge of direct taxation. The cry was as vain and useless as 25 years ago. It was "Wolf, wolf," but the "wolf" never came and if the Liberals remained in there was no likelihood of a visit from that animal. (Cheers.) The Conservatives, it was true, had tried to rob the province of a large portion of its timber wealth in the hope, no doubt, of precipitating direct taxation. The Liberal party had vindicated the right of the province to this valuable land, which had it been lost would not have left Ontario the premier province. This year this tract of land had yielded $350,000 revenue, and in years to come there was every reason to believe this amount would annually increase. (Hear, hear.) The Liberal party had husbanded the resources of the province and had saved to the province from the Dominion Government land which annually yields $650,000, which, if taken, as Conservatives tried to do, would have forced direct taxation upon the province. Complaint had been made regarding the system of auditing the provincial accounts, and yet the system was precisely the same as at Ottawa, the system inaugurated by Conservatives. (Hear, hear.) The auditor in Ontario was quite independent of the Government and could send for witnesses and examine them under oath if he was not satisfied with reference to an account. He compared the public accounts from Ottawa with those of the province page by page to show that just as many details were given in Ontario as in the Dominion books.

On the stump the leaders of the Opposition had attacked the Department of Education, not expecting, of course, to be called to prove their statements in the House before the election. (Hear, hear.) They had cried, "One man power," and that "the department was rotten at the top" and that the University was used as a political machine. Dr. Willoughby had said the Government had taught the pupils to look with contempt upon the calling of their farmer fathers. Well, the present Government was not responsible for having taken Dr. Willoughby from the plough and made a medical man of him. (Laughter.) He did not care for the personal references that had been made to himself, but he did not care to hear the department vilified untruthfully. (Cheers.) Dr. Willoughby had called him "narrow" and yet when the question of the use of the French language in the schools used by the citizens of Ontario, who had come here from Quebec, was before the House had not Dr. Willoughby spoken strongly against allowing the French children to use their own language. (Cheers.) Again, with reference to the Separate schools of the province, had not Dr. Willoughby and his friends fought against the rights of Catholics tooth and nail? Had they not tried to raise a cry of intolerance, which they dared not raise to-day, because the Liberals by argument had crushed out the unjust movement. The Conservatives had voted against appointing a Minister of Agriculture and had done all they could against allowing sufficient money to assist farmers.

ARTHUR BURNS DISCHARGED.

But Immediately Re-arrested as he is Wanted in Smith's Falls.

A preliminary hearing was given Arthur Burns this morning in the police court, on the charge of the theft of a horse from Timothy Walsh, of Otonabee, a year ago last September.

Timothy Walsh, of Otonabee, the owner of the horse, was the first witness. He stated that the horse which was lost was a bay, three years old, with white strip on face and black points. It was taken in September, 1896, when it was being pastured on the Buck farm. When he went to get it from the field it had disappeared. He never saw it again. In the quest for it he went to Montreal, having heard that Pearson, the horse buyer, had purchased the animal. He saw Pearson there, but was told all the horses were sold. He telegraphed from Montreal to arrest the prisoner. He had heard in Peterborough before leaving that Burns was concerned in the theft. He never saw the prisoner. On his return he was met by friends of the prisoner, who gave him a note for $45, signed by Mrs. Burns, her daughter and her son John. Witness discounted the note with Mulholland & Roper. Pearson also gave him five dollars on account of the expense he had been put to.

Mrs. Burns, mother of the prisoner, testified that she had given the note to save the boy. The police told her that he had stolen the horse. The boy denied this before he left home. She had seen the boy since but he always denied the theft. He lived at home and she never knew of his having a horse of his own.

Miss Minnie Burns, sister of the prisoner, who had signed the note, stated that she had given the note to settle for the loss of the horse, which the family had suspicion that the prisoner had taken, although the prisoner afterwards denied having anything to do with the horse.

W. J. Pearson, horsebuyer, testified that he purchased a great many horses in the vicinity of Peterborough. He was here in the fall of 1896. He did not recognize the prisoner. In September, 1896, Mr. Welsh had come to his stables in Montreal and said he had lost a horse from his pasture. Witness had brought down a horse answering the description of the one lost. It was ruptured and brown in colour. Witness had purchased this horse from a boy who came to White's Hotel with it. The hostler said the boy had got it from his uncle in part payment for wages at the farm. The horse was ruptured and he bought it cheap. He felt badly over the matter himself and got Mr. Welsh a pass home on the train. He also gave him $5 later on because he felt sorry about the affair, although he did not blame himself in the matter. The horse would not be worth more than ten or fifteen dollars at the outside.

John Powers, formerly yardman at White's remembered the occasion spoken of by Pearson, when he purchased the horse. He was in the yard when the prisoner, Burns, brought a horse into the yard. It was a brown horse, and was ruptured. He asked for Pearson and was directed to him. The boy said he got the horse from his uncle, and the witness told Pearson that it would be all right to purchase it as he knew the family a a respectable one. The horse was then bought by Pearson. He remembered the circumstance through the fact that he knew the boy well and a few days afterwards Mr. Welsh came in to inquire about the stolen horse. The matter had been talked of considerably afterwards. His eyesight was very defective. He was at present serving a five month's term in gaol for drunkenness.

John Burns, brother of the prisoner, gave evidence as to having signed the note in question. He had no talk with his brother about the horse before the note was given. They spoke of it afterward. The prisoner denied taking the horse. He had an uncle in Douro who was a farmer.

The Crown rested its case on this evidence.

Mr. O'Connell, for the defence, did not call any witnesses, but pointed out that the identity of the stolen horse had not been well established, as Mr. Welsh said it was bay in colour, whilst Mr. Pearson and Mr. Powers both called it a brown. He claimed that the boy's identity was only established through Powers' evidence, and as the man was almost blind, this could not be called strong.

The magistrate dismissed the case on the ground that the identity of the horse had not been sufficiently established. Mr. Welsh had described it fully, but none of the other witnesses had done so.

Burns was immediately re-arrested by Chief Roseel and will be sent to Smith's Falls, where he is wanted on a charge of "false pretences."

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Court Forest Queen, C.O.F., Holds its Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of Court Forest Queen, C.O.F., last evening, the following officers were elected by acclamation:

J Crane	Past Chief Ranger
John C Smith	Chief Ranger
D Menzies	Vice-Chief Ranger
J C Reet	Chaplain
B Belleshew	Financial Secretary
Fred Skitch	Recording Secretary
R M Glover	Treasurer
H W Morphet	Senior Woodward
R J Byers	Junior Woodward
W Borland	Senior Beadle
W Dayman	Junior Beadle
Trustees	R H Kelly, A E Dixon, D D Videon
Rep to High Court	J Crane

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Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety, music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

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2 English Worsted Overcoats, large Astrachan Collar, heavy [illegible] Lining, Mohair Sleeve Lining, regular price [illegible] clear at..... $6.88

3 Black Worsted Overcoats, stylishly cut, well trimmed and finished, regular price $10.00, to clear at..... 5.48

3 Blue Black Chinchella Overcoats, Velvet Collars, Tubular Corded Edge, Most Stylish Coat in the market, regular price $11.00, to clear at..... 5.98

4 Heavy Black Cheviot Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Light Serge Body Lining, very Warm and Stylish, regular $10.50 Overcoat, to clear at..... 5.68

4 Grey Melton Overcoats, Velvet Collar, were fast sellers at $8.00, to clear at..... 5.98

5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, to clear at..... 4.68

8 Grey Tweed Overcoats, Italian Linings, the price must sell them, worth $3.00, to clear at..... 1.00

3 Young Men's Tweed Overcoats, Double Breasted, in light Grey, good value at $7.00, to clear at..... 3.48

6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at..... 2.98

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1897.

NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. W. E. Roxburgh was in Peterborough on Tuesday, attending a meeting of the Presbytery.

The Rev. Mr. Pear has completed his series of revival services in Havelock.

Mr. Thos. Fraser was in Peterborough on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Birdsall, of Rice Lake, were in town last week.

Mrs. A. Greenbanks is in Keene this week.

Mrs. C. Waters is visiting her parents in Toronto this week.

Mr. F. W. Watkins is in Chatham on business this week.

Mr. J. G. Keefer is keeping bachelor's hall, Mrs. Keefer and Master Harland having gone to Forest, Lambton county, to spend Xmas with his parents.

Mr. W. A. Richardson was in town on Monday.

Mr. F. Parker, owner of the Melrose Abbey Cheese Factory, has sold out to a gentleman in Seymour for the sum of $1,250 00.

The Baptists intend having a tea meeting shortly at the Ninth Line school house. Watch for further notice.

The late Mr. Thomas Headron's livery stable outfit was sold last week to Messrs. J. Isles, and Darling for the sum of $800.

Last Sunday was parent's day in the Presbyterian church here and as a result the pastor preached special sermons for them.

On Saturday Norwood saw the last of the Modelites, and this week the village is very quiet.

The farmers have been busy ploughing this week

Tuesday was the last day for paying taxes, after which date 5 per cent. will be charged. In the coming year we think it would be profitable if the council would allow a discount of 5 per cent. to all who pay their taxes early in the year. In this way the discount which the bank gets for paying notes before the taxes are collected would be saved and left in the hands of the ratepayers.

The Board of Education met on Monday evening, Dec. 13th, in the High School. Present, W. E. Roxburgh, Esq., in the chair, also Messrs. T. Rork, P. W. Reynolds, Jno. McNaughton, Thos. Robson, P. W. Stevenson, J. L. Squire, Thos. Fraser, Jno. Brackenridge and W. H. Stephenson, secretary.

The minutes of last meeting were read, and no objection being made, were signed.

A communication was received from Mr. Carl Lehman, stating that he did not wish to re-engage for the year 1898.

Moved by Mr. Rork, seconded by Mr. McNaughton, that Mr. Lehman's resignation be accepted—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Squire, seconded by Mr. Rork, that the secretary be instructed to advertise in the Mail and Empire and Globe for a science teacher at a salary of $600.

Moved in amendment by Mr. McNaughton, that the salary be not stated. As no one seconded this motion the original motion was carried.

A communication was received from Mr. H. E. Ford, B.A., asking for an increase of salary of $100.

Moved by Mr. Rork, seconded by Mr. Brackenridge, that Mr. Ford be given an increase of $50, and if he does not accept, the secretary be instructed to advertise for a teacher to take his place at a salary of $550 for the year 1898.

A communication from the High School Board, Orillia, was read, asking that the board petition the Legislature to make it compulsory, instead of permissive that county councils contribute to the maintenance of pupils attending a High School in an adjacent county.

Moved by Mr. Burke and Mr. Fraser, that the above communication be left in the hands of the Executive Committee, with power to act.—Carried.

Mr. J. C. Brown wrote to the board, asking for a statement of fees paid to examinations since 1878, and a copy of all resolutions of the board bearing reference to the same.

Moved by Mr. J. L. Squire and P. W. Reynolds, that Mr. Brown's communication be received and filed.—Carried.

The following accounts were presented:

Ed Scotts, Public School	$22 50
" High "	10 00
J G Keefer	3 00
R Stewart, chemicals, etc., High School	22 63

Moved by Mr. Brackenridge and Mr. Squire, that the above accounts be referred to the Finance Committee and paid if found correct.—Carried.

A complaint was made that all the school rooms were kept locked during noon hour and that children who brought their dinner with them had no place to sit down.

Moved by Mr. Rork, seconded by Mr. McNaughton, that the Property Committee be requested to provide seats for the pupils who take their dinner at the school.—Carried.

A communication was received from Mr. R W Johnston, of Port Hope, making application for the position of Science Master.

The application was received and filed.

The Board then adjourned to meet on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22nd at 8 o'clock.

The closing concert of the Model School, held in the town hall on Friday evening, was very successful. The hall was comfortably filled with an appreciative audience. Shortly after 8 o'clock Mr. Scovell, Principal of the Model School, took the chair, and the following programme was rendered in a style very creditable to those who took part.

Duet, "The Lily and the Rose".....the Misses Clancy

Chairman's address.....Mr Scovell
Instrumental.....Orchestra
Recitation.....Mr Alex Elliott
Club swinging.....Miss L Fraser
Tableau, "The Late Pleyer".....
Instrumental.....Orchestra
Pantomime, "The Cannibal".....
Recitation.....Miss E Primeau
Instrumental duet.....Misses V Butterfield and B Bredigan
Tableau, "Before the Emperor".....
Instrumental duet.....Misses B Scott and S Knox
Mock trial.....
Valedictory.....Miss S Jewell
Instrumental.....Miss N Pettegrew

The pantomime was very amusing and much interest was added to it when the pot fell down leaving the cannibal sitting on the ground. The mock trial was the principal feature of the evening, all the parts being well taken. The lawyers, whose parts were long, deserve special mention.

From a financial point of view it was also a success, having a surplus of about $12, after paying all expenses.

Let every man who has the interests of his country at heart attend the mass meeting of the Liberals in the town hall at one o'clock, on Tuesday, Dec. 21st.

A mass meeting of the Conservatives will be held in the town hall on Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, at two o'clock, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest this riding at the coming elections.

Mr. Geo. Cumming, night operator at the C. P. R. station, while out driving with a lady friend, met with what might have been a serious accident. When coming down what is known as Sanderson's hill on the Peterborough road, the cutter struck the horse's heels and caused it to run away, thinking that he might get the animal quieted down while going up the hill he took the north road, but unfortunately met Mr. A. Fife on the bridge and the result was a general spill. The cutter was upset and the young lady was thrown out. Mr. Fife's team plunged into the stream and he and his son were [illegible] to take a cold bath. Mr. Cumming managed to escape uninjured, but the horse received some deep cuts and the cutter was almost completely destroyed.

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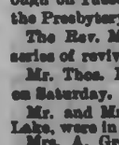

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CHEMISTRY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Sleighing proved a great advantage to the community visiting the Peterborough markets while it lasted. It is the earnest wish of all to soon have it renewed,

Wm. Sullivan and M. Doran, farmers on the boundary line of Ennismore and Emily were here paying their taxes to-day and report everything very prosperous in that section of the country, and are hopeful that the county of Victoria may in the future be favoured by an equally worthy representative in the Ontario House as West Peterborough has been blessed with for the last twelve years, and can remain there as long as he wishes, continuing to do so well.

Messrs. McKeown & Jones have nearly finished placing the modern machinery in Stephenson's mill here.

There was another large shipment made by Mr. Richardson, of Millbrook, of live stock of all kinds, whilst Mr. Pearson was here buying horses, all going to give a feeling of satisfaction of hopefulness for the future of better times under the present government.

Mr. J. D. Thornton, real estate agent, reports enquiries numerous for places to rent and buy.

Our cheese factory has been disposed of to Mr. Weir, of Manvers.

The Rev. Mr. Roberts, Methodist minister, delivers his lecture here on Wednesday night, entitled "An evening with Solomon," and is sure to attract a crowded house.

We have at present two of the most orderly and well conducted hotels in the Midland district, and Mr. Spellman's house is fast gaining good reputation.

BILL TO STOP PELAGIC SEALING

Passed by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 16.—Senator Davis, Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, called up the Administration bill to prohibit American citizens engaging in the Behring seal fisheries industry. It occasioned a long debate.

Mr. Pettigrew (South Dakota) criticized it sharply as another instance of truckling to Great Britain, and offered an amendment providing for extermination of the seals if Great Britain did not by June 1 agree to a suspension of pelagic sealing.

Mr. Pettigrew's amendment was defeated and the bill was passed by a vote of 37 to 14.

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THERE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE, by Public Auction, on

Saturday, 18th of December, 1897,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the MORGAN HOUSE, in the Town of Peterborough, by John Haggart, Auctioneer, the following Valuable Property, namely:

PARCEL NO. 1.—Brick [illegible] No. [illegible] Stewart Street, and Lane, [illegible] being part of Block "B" according to the subdivision of Lots 12 and 13 on the north side of King street and west of George street, in the Town of Peterborough, more particularly described in registered Instrument Number 9181 for the said town of Peterborough. Upon this parcel there is erected a large two story brick veneered dwelling house with brick kitchen and wood shed attached. The house is fitted up with modern improvements, hot air furnace, bath room, etc.

PARCEL NO 2.—Dean's Grist Mill, at Bridgenorth, being part of Lot Number fifteen in the village of Bridgenorth, more particularly described in Registered Instrument 623, for the Township of Smith save and except the south one hundred feet of said part of said lot hereinafter referred to as Parcel No. 3. Upon this parcel there is erected a large four story Grist Mill 34 [illegible] ft. with a large stone Engine room 55 ft. x 32 ft. attached and also off the 12 ft. x 13 ft. attached to this mill. This Grist Mill is situate on the shore of Chemong Lake, on the main travelled road in the district and is most convenient for milling purposes for a large number of farmers in the thickly [illegible] Emily, Scugog and Harvey. This mill is said to contain all necessary machinery for chopping.

PARCEL NO. 3.—Frame House in Bridgenorth, part of Lot Number fifteen, being the south one hundred feet of the last above particularly described in registered Instrument number 623 for the Township of Smith. This parcel is immediately south of the above Grist Mill and there is erected upon it a two one and one half story dwelling house 28 ft. x 28 ft. with a summer kitchen attached.

Immediate possession may be had of any of the above properties.

TERMS OF SALE—10 per cent. of the purchase money will be accepted for parcel number one at the time of sale, and 20 per cent. of the purchase money will be accepted for parcels numbers two and three at the time of sale, and the balance of the purchase money for all of the parcels is to be paid within fifteen days thereafter without interest. A mortgage will be accepted on parcel number one for 60 per cent. of the purchase money for a term of five years, with interest at 5 per cent. payable yearly.

There will be a reserved bid on each parcel.

Any person desiring to inspect the above property before day of sale will please to apply to do so on application to Messrs. Stratton & Hall, Solicitors, Peterborough.

Further particulars and conditions of sale may be had from Messrs. Stratton & Hall, or W. H. Moore, Esq., Peterborough, or from Samuel Clegg, Administrator of the M. S. Dean estate.

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Annual Meeting of the Association at Waterloo.

THE COLD STORAGE SHIPMENTS

An Important Address by Prof. Robertson—Government Assistance in Supplying the British Market—Spraying Apple Trees—The Officers Elected — Other Business.

Waterloo, Ont., Dec. 16.—The Provincial Fruit Growers' Association met here at 10 o'clock a.m. yesterday. There were present a large number of representative men from various parts of the province, and among them Dr. Saunders, Dr. Fletcher and R. B. Whyte, of Ottawa; Prof. H. L. Hutt, of O. A. C., Guelph; Prof. Talf, of the Agricultural College, Michigan; D. J. McKinnon, Grimsby; George E. Fisher, Burlington; J. W. Robertson, Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa; W. E. Wellington, Toronto, President, and all the officers of the association, representing each agricultural district of the province.

The report of the secretary-treasurer, Mr. L. Woolverton, was read, showing that the financial condition of the association was much improved, there being about $266 balance on hand. The membership of the association has increased about one-third during the past year, being now about 3,500.

Election of Officers.

The election of officers resulted as follows for 1898: President, W. W. Wellington; vice-president, W. M. Orr; secretary, L. Woolverton.

Directors—Mr. Whitney, Iroquois; R. B. Whyte, Ottawa; G. Nicol, Cataraqui; W. Boulter, Picton; Thomas Beall, Lindsay; E. C. Beman, Newcastle; M. Pettit, Winona; A. M. Smith, St. Catharines; J. S. Scarff, Woodstock; T. A. Morton, Wingham; T. H. Race, Mitchell; Alex. McNeil, Windsor.

Auditors—A. H. Pettit, Grimsby; George Fisher, Burlington.

Those present besides were: Mr. Miller, Hanover, Fraser Miller, Hanover; R. H. S. Cresswell, Hamilton; M. Bruner, Olindo; N. Burrell, St. Catharines; W. Willison, Toronto; G. W. Harcourt, Toronto, J. G. Galbraith, Toronto; James Mills, O. A. C., Guelph.

The Subject of Spraying.

Experimental spraying for fungi and insects was taken up by Mr. W. M. Orr, of Fruitland, who read an excellent paper, giving a detailed account of his work as provincial director of spraying. The work had been conducted in twenty-nine different localities. In one orchard the trees sprayed gave 90 per cent. of clean fruit; unsprayed only 20 per cent., and it was reckoned that on the portion of the orchard sprayed trees was at least $100. In another orchard Spys sprayed gave 90 per cent. clean; unsprayed 10 per cent.; Duchess, sprayed, 100 per cent. clean; unsprayed 50 per cent. Similar reports were received from all quarters. In one case Maiden's Blush, sprayed, sold at $4 per barrel, and unsprayed only 75c a barrel. The cost of spraying is about 2 cents per tree for each application.

Report by Cold Storage.

In the afternoon Mr. L. Woolverton, secretary, read a report of progress in export of fruits in cold storage, showing that such peaches, pears and grapes as reached England in good condition brought excellent prices.

Mr. George Fisher, of Burlington, reported excellent success in some private experimental shipments of pears and tomatoes and that all had paid well. He wanted to know if the department would furnish cold storage accommodation for fruit growers in general next season.

Prof. Robertson.

Prof. Robertson, who was next called upon, was received with cheers. He said that he had come to the meeting with much pleasure, principally because he wished to hear how the department could best benefit fruit growers. Referring to what had been said about the temperature, he showed that, while under Government auspices, the shipments had not been under Government control. He also considered that while the temperature had been high it had not been because of a lack of cold storage facilities, but because of the generation of heat inside the packages, caused by the fruit being too closely packed. The Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Sidney Fisher, had, however, authorized him to say that in the coming season no pains and no reasonable expense will be spared to place this fruit on the British market in the best possible condition. (Cheers.) If the fruit growers will get together and guarantee car loads the Government will bear the expense of cold storage to Montreal and secure space, provided the department is notified in time. Any information regarding methods of packing that can be gained by trial shipments will be obtained this year, and on the British side of the market every attention will be given towards obtaining the best market and the best results for the fruit. If regular shipments are sent forward the Government will have an accredited agent there, whose duty would be to find a market; in fact, to make a market. He would be required to notify the fruit buyers or dealers in the city to which it was consigned, also the buyers in adjoining cities and towns by post card, or telegraph if necessary, that an auction sale of certain kinds of Canadian fruit was going to be held at a certain hour. He would see for himself the price obtained, find out what mistakes, if any, were made, and have it in his power to foster a taste and demand for Canadian fruit. Continuing, Prof. Robertson said that it was no use sending to Britain either small apples, pears, peaches or other fruit, or large tomatoes, and every packer should so pack his fruit that it will be always the same, and see that his brand will be sought after. He gave an instance where one man's brand brought 25 shillings while another man's that went over on the same ship only brought 15 shillings. He advised each fruit grower to put up a small cold storage building of his own, if possible, so that his fruit could be placed in the packages at the proper temperature. The cost of a large case from Grimsby to London in cold storage, he showed, had been about 70 cents, with an additional charge of 5 per cent. commission. The cost to Glasgow had been 64 cents per case, and to Liverpool about 60 cents.

At the conclusion of Prof. Robertson's address Mr. Fisher, of Burlington, rose in the audience and made a complaint that during last year he had made application for space and had been told that butter had the preference. He thought the fruit men were entitled to as much consideration as the dairy men.

Prof. Robertson replied that up till very recently there had been no demand for space except for butter, but just as soon as the fruit men make a demand for space the Minister of Agriculture will see that this space is provided, and on the same terms as that enjoyed by the butter men.

Canadian Grapes in Britain.

Dr. Saunders said he did not believe the best plan to introduce Canadian grapes into the British markets was to force Concords down their throats against their will, but rather to send forward the finest flavored Canadian varieties

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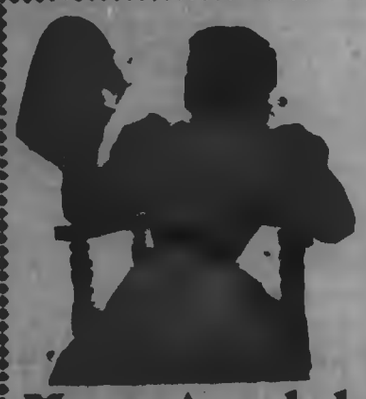

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New York, Dec. 16.—Declining an offer of almost unlimited wealth if he would return to his wife and former mode of living, George W. Ruddy, jr., son of a millionaire brick manufacturer of Woodbridge, N.J., and a student of Tolstoi and other leading advocates of advanced civilization, is living among the poorest residents of his native town, and is daily driving a sprinkling cart past his father's estates. For this alienation, the application for divorce made by his wife, Mrs. Amelia Ruddy, a talented daughter of a wealthy merchant, was to-day favorably passed upon by Senator Voorhees.

Young Ruddy is a graduate of Yale, and of two foreign universities, and is a proficient linguist. He offers no explanation, beyond declaring that he wishes to live his own life. His marriage was a love match, and, while refusing his wife's pleas to return to her, praises her unstintedly as a beautiful and accomplished woman. His friends say that he has become permeated with the idea that wealth is a horrible wrong, and that a man, to live a true life, must pass his days among the toilers and share their sorrows and joys.

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Scranton, Pa., Dec. 15.—One, and possibly two, lives were lost and $70,000 worth of property destroyed in a fire which started about midnight last night in Duryea and almost ruined the business portion of the town.

Another Senatorship Vacant.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Dec. 15.—Hon. Joseph Octave Arsenault, Senator, died at his home, Wellington, yesterday, after an illness of several weeks.

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NO SECOND TERM.

Lieut-Governor Chapleau Will Not Be Offered a Second Term in the Quebec Government House.

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—(Globe Special.)—I am in a position to state that Lieut.-Governor Chapleau will not be offered a second term, but that a successor will be appointed so soon as his Honor prorogues the Legislature. After that Sir Adolphe Chapleau will go to France, and it is his present intention to reside there for four or five years. There had been no intention lately of offering the Lieut.-Governor a second term.

The Minister of Agriculture has arranged for the fitting up of the steamship Beta of the Pickford & Blake line, from Halifax to the West Indies, with cold storage. This is now being used for the carriage of quite large quantities of poultry, meats and butter. It promises to be a new market of considerable value.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list in another column.

Historical Society.

Miss Fitzgibbon, of Toronto, will read a paper on "The Life of Laura Secord" at the meeting of Historical Society this evening in the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Fresh Nuts—No. 1 Goods.

Until further notice—new Grenoble walnuts and soft shelled almonds 12 cents a pounds, or two for 25 cents. Sicily filberts 10 cents a pound. Why pay fancy prices to some town groceries for the same goods. WALLER & Co.

10 a. m. Probabilities.

Fresh to high south-westerly to west winds, partly cloudy or cloudy, with a few local showers, followed to night by a change to decidedly colder weather, with local snow falls. Fair and decidedly cold Friday and Saturday.

The T. Dunn Complimentary Concert.

The public is reminded of the complimentary concert in the Opera House on Tuesday evening next. Among those contributing to the programme are Mrs. W. A. Sanderson, soprano; Miss Lottie Bell, violinists; the Misses Hurley, pianistes; Miss Lily Simons, elocutionist, (gold medallist); Mr. Percy Owens, pianist; Mr. T. Dunn, baritone, and Mrs. Thos. Dunn and Miss McCabe, accompanistes, and Mr. Bert. D. Jones, mandolin and guitar.

A Business Change.

Mr. W. H. Blewett, of Nepanee, and Mr. Thos. W. Martin, of Toronto, two practical grocers of large experience, have purchased the well established grocery and provision business of Mr. Alex Elliott and will hereafter conduct it as the "Spot Cash Grocery," with the departments of fruits, oysters, etc., added. At present details of transfer of stock are being attended to and a more definite reference to the Spot Cash Grocery will be made in to-morrow's EXAMINER.

One Day Longer.

All Peterborough ladies who have not availed themselves of the opportunity of sampling "Blue Ribbon Tea" should not fail to do so to-morrow, as the parlours close to-morrow (Friday) evening. If you have not tried this tea in your own home kindly procure a package from your grocer and compare it with what you have been using. As to-morrow is our last day for demonstrating, we take this opportunity of thanking the many ladies for their liberal patronage. You will find our tea on sale by all leading grocers.

New Novelties in Neckwear at LeBrun's

If you want to see the newest things out in nobby silk neckwear, fresh from Paris and New York this week, come to H. LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store They were personally selected by Mr. LeBrun for Christmas and New Year's gifts: and are something entirely new in the line of ties, bows, puffs, four-in-hands, knots, scarfs, etc. Particular attention is directed to the new and natty styles brought over from Paris by Mr. Brias, of the firm of Glover & Brias, Montreal, the leading high-class gentlemen's furnishing house of Canada. These ties are swell effects, and are all the rage, being the latest models out in neckwear. See also our large stock of mufflers in silk and Cashmere, also fine silk and linen handkerchiefs in pretty boxes. Select stock of gloves of all kinds, lined and unlined, and the latest novelties in silk braces in boxes, just the thing for holiday gifts. H. LEBRUN & Co.

See Grafton & Co's All Wool Underwear at 25c.

SALE OF WORK.

In St. John's School House Last Evening—An Interesting Programme.

The Mission Band of St. John's church held a sale of articles last evening, followed by the presentation of a musical programme, in the school house. The entertainment was well patronized, and it is understood that the receipts from the sale were most satisfactory. The programme was successfully carried out as follows:

PART I.

About Eugene Field, address.....Rev W L Armitage
At Play, recitation.....Lois Ostrom
Little Boy Blue, solo.....Geraldine Billington
The Night Wind, recitation.....Anna L McCollum

PART II.

Ballad of Waller Lot, recitation.....Helden Blackwell
Scenes from Ballad of Waller Lot, dramatic tableau
Characters—The Beauteous Sissy Knott, Cow-Boys, Injuns, the Hero, the Famous Pup
Dutch Lullaby, lullaby.....The Chorus
The Rock-a-bye Lady from Hush-a-bye Street, tableau.....Marion Sherwood, Harriet Clementi, Edith Aylmer, Dorothy Aylmer, Lillian Dean

Master Blackwell was heartily encored for his numbers.

PERSONAL.

In spite of a previous intimation that he was not in a position to consider the acceptance of the rectorate of St. Matthew's church, London, Rev. W. Leslie Armitage of All Saint's, at a vestry meeting of the church, received thirteen out of nineteen votes as against Rev. G. M. Cox, a very gratifying proof of Mr. Armitage's popularity in the parish in which he formerly laboured. Both names will be submitted to the Bishop of Huron, but it is a pleasure to state that Rev. Mr. Armitage would prefer that the offer should not have been made, as he is much attached to the work in Peterborough.

Do Not Delay.

Many have hardly given a thought to Christmas shopping. For them the time to buy their fruits and groceries is limited, as it is only about one week and a half till 'Xmas. No better time left than this week and no better place than R. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street. Larger assortments and better value than anywhere.

Toronto University Glee and Banjo Club.

Following is the programme for the concert to be given on Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, by the above organization in the Opera House. Those who appreciate good music should not fail to attend.

PROGRAMME.

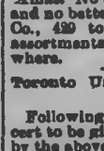
The Maple Leaf Forever.

1 CHORUS, Wanderer's Song.....*Schumann*
GLEE CLUB.
2 QUICKSTEP, Blue and White.....*Armstrong*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.
3 SONG, Queen of the Earth.....*Piccirilli*
MR. BRUCE BRADLEY '98.
4 CHORUS, A Maid on the Shore of the Mediterranee.....*Jensen*
GLEE CLUB.
5 MARCH, Stars and Stripes Forever.....*Sousa*
MANDOLIN CLUB.
6 SONG, Friar's Song from "Ivanhoe".....*Bizet*
MR. W. FLAVILLE FRISER '98.
7 MANDOLIN SOLOS
(a) Duo for one Mandolin.....*C F Smedley*
(b) Valse Brilliante.....*Godard*
MR C F SMEDLEY.
8 CHORUS
(a) Chorus of Departing Pilgrims } *Wagner*
(b) Chorus of Returning Pilgrims }
GLEE CLUB.
9 MARCH, Royal Courier.....*Wagner*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.
10 SONG, Jolly Jack.....*Lloyd*
MR JACKSON '98.
11 SELECTIONS, The Geisha.....*Sidney Jones*
MANDOLIN CLUB.
12 CHORUS, (a) Elegy.....*Cornelius*
(b) Lullaby.....*Brahms*
GLEE CLUB.
13 SELECTION, Kentucky Babe.....*Giebel*
GLEE, BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
VARSITY.

Conductor of the Glee Club.....HERR RANDOLPH RUTH
Conductor of the Banjo, Guitar and Mandolin Club.....MR G F SMEDLEY
Accompanist.....MR W A SADLER '99

If You've Got the Blues,



Come and get a glimpse of Toyland in the Peterborough Bookstore. Toys, Dolls and Games, are only a few of the many things in our grand Xmas exposition, but there's a feast of fun for the children, and of gladness for parents and of pleasure for all, to drive away the blues. This is the greatest toy store in town. It is a veritable wonderland for the children, and as interesting to the big folks as to the little ones. Dolldom has full swing—the finest family of dolls to be found anywhere, and all so cheap! Nowhere can such a display of good and useful dolls and toys be seen. It equals in variety and quality any two stores in town, and the prices will be found 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

DIED.

MCCANNON.—In Otonabee, on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, 1897, Mary McCannon, wife of the late Daniel McCannon, aged 89 years.

POLICE INVESTIGATION.

Councillor McWilliams asks for a Committee to Hear Charges Against the Chief.

At the Council meeting last evening Councillor McWilliams asked for a committee to investigate certain charges against Chief of Police Rossel, and it was agreed that a Committee of the Whole Council would meet on Monday evening next to thoroughly sift the matter, when those having a grievance will be heard, and the Chief given a chance to put in evidence in defence.

If the charges fall to the ground Councillor McWilliams states that he will be the first one to exonerate Chief Rossel, and the latter, after the adjournment of council, stated that he courted the fullest investigation.

The trouble arises through the bringing of a large number of young men into the police court the other day as witnesses in a case in which the proprietor of a local hotel was charged with selling liquor on Sunday and after hours to the young men in question. The cases were dismissed and some of the witnesses are very wrathy over having their names connected with the matter—hence the investigation.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. Daniel McCannon.

Last night one of the oldest, best known and most highly respected residents of Otonabee, Mrs. Daniel McCannon, passed away at the homestead residence at the advanced age of 89 years. She was born in North Monaghan and was perhaps, at the time of her death, the oldest native born resident of the county. Up to her last illness which was about a week's duration, Mrs. McCannon was active in body and with unimpaired faculties, and it was most interesting to hear her accounts of the hardships and exciting experiences through which she and the other first settlers passed. She remembered the first house built in Peterborough. When she went to live in her home in Otonabee it was by a blazed road through the unbroken forest, and for a while the log cabin, which was then their home was without a roof, and was occupied in that condition. Then the woods were full of wild beasts, wolves, foxes, etc. Deer were as plentiful as sheep, and it was difficult to protect the crops in the clearings from their intrusions. Mrs. McCannon was well-known, especially in North Monaghan and Otonabee. She was a Presbyterian in religion, and enjoyed the respect of all her numerous acquaintances and the community generally. She leaves behind her six children—Mrs. Daniel Doherty and Mrs. Washburn, of Saginaw, Michigan; Mr. Geo. McCannon, of Rat Portage; Mr. John McCannon, of the Northwest; Mr. Daniel McCannon, of West Branch, Michigan, and Mrs. Kerr, (Sarah) who lived with Mrs. McCannon on the homestead. In Mrs. McCannon's death another link in the chain that binds the present with the early history of the country is broken. The funeral takes place on Sunday next at 10 o'clock from the late residence. The interment takes place in the Centreville cemetery.

Demise of Lily Miller After a Long Illness.

The death of Lily Miller, aged 13, second daughter of Mr. Finch Miller, took place last evening, after a lingering and painful illness of several months' duration. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock from the family residence, No. 276 Charlotte street, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

A NEW ORGANIST

Secured for the George Street Methodist Church.

At a meeting of the Board of the George street Methodist church last evening it was decided to engage the services of Mrs. Howson, of Toronto, as organist and choir leader for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Howson is at present teaching with Mr. Torrington in the College of Music, Toronto, and was formerly organist in Brantford, as well as in the Broadway Tabernacle, Toronto. She is a neice of the late Rev. Dr. Jeffers and a sister of Prof. Jeffers, organist of the Central Methodist church, Toronto.

Mrs. Howson will be a distinct addition to the musical circles of Peterborough.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.....35° above zero
Highest. Lowest.
Yesterday.....37° 33°

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Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

P. CONNAL & CO.
W. H. HAMILTON.

THE PETRIFIED MAN

TO BE ON EXHIBITION ON SATURDAY IN PETERBOROUGH.

The Perfect Body of a Canadian Voyageur Turned Into Solid Stone—One of the Wonders of the Age—More Wonderful Than Egyptian Embalming—A Man's Body Turned to Imperishable Stone That Will Endure While the World Stands.

The Petrified Man, which was shipped to Peterborough by Mr. T. H. Graham, its owner, and a former resident, which was described in a recent issue of the EXAMINER, is one of the wonders of the day. It is the perfectly petrified body of a man with a history. Though now completely solidified and perfect in every joint and member, forty years ago the Petrified Man was a living French Canadian voyageur or guide, one Antoine La Conte, one of the earliest settlers of the Northwest, who was employed to pilot a party of wealthy Englishmen from Fort Garry, Manitoba, to St. Paul's, Minnesota. La Conte was accompanied by his two sons. On the way, and while in Marshall County, one of the members of the party took violently insane. On the fatal advice of La Conte, the man was not tied, and during the night the lunatic shot La Conte dead as he slept. The body was buried in a shallow grave close to the trail, and, of course, on the spot where the body was found. The two sons, who are still living, identified the remains as their father, both by the mark of the bullet wound and by the fact that one of their father's legs was slightly shorter than the other, and by the location of the spot where the body was found petrified forty years afterwards. As stated by the EXAMINER at the time of the arrival of the petrified man here, he had evidently died in the strength of life.

There is no question of the identity of the body, which is the perfect body of a robust man. Every feature, every muscle is distinct and clear, fastened into eternal stone by the wonderful processes of nature in the very shape in which it was laid in the grave.

This wonderful curiosity, the puzzle of scientists, and the object of great popular interest, will be on exhibition in Peterborough to-morrow at a place to be announced to-morrow. No one should fail to see it while here, as it will be removed early in the coming week.

New Books

"Sir Toady Lion"	*Crockett*	$1.50
"Equality"	*Bellamy*	1.25
"The Eye of Istar"	*Lequeux*	1.50
"Heart Songs"	*Jean Blewett*	1.00
"To London for Jubilee"	*Kit*	.75
"Sheilah McLeod"	*Boothby*	.75
"They That Sit in Darkness"	*Mackie*	.75
"The Pursuit of the House Boat"	*Bangs*	1.25
"The Potter's Wheel"	*Maclaren*	1.25
"The Great Stone of Sardis"	*Stocktong*	1.50
"A March on London"	*Henty*	1.25
"The Bether Book"	*Sarah Grand*	.75
"The Dumpies"	*Brownies*	1.25
"Autobiography of a Monkey"		1.25

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WOOD—The very best qualities carefully delivered at the following close prices:—

Long 4-foot Harwood.....$3.50 to $4.00 per cord
22-inch Hardwood.....$3.00 per cord
Long 4-foot Tamarac.....$3.00 per cord
Mixed Wood.....$2.25 to $2.50 per cord

COAL—Lehigh, Plymouth Rock and Scranton All Coal weighed on market scales and certified by Market Clerk.

Egg Coal.....$3 00 to $3.50 per ton
Stove Coal.....$3.00 to $3.50 per ton
Nut Coal.....$3.00 to $3.50 per ton
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A Brilliant Opening

CHINA HALL will hold its Christmas Opening on **Thurday and Friday Afternoons, December 16th and 17th.** The stock is the most beautiful and extensive ever shown and we would like every Lady in Peterborough to see it and inspect the different Bargain Tables. No one asked to buy—everyone asked to come.

CHINA HALL AND SILVER BAZAAR,
(LIMITED.)

The McFarlane Wilson Company.

Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING may be deferred, but remember there is a difference between a full spread and the crumbs, from which to select. You will doubtless find something at the last moment, but that something will not e so choice—it will be leavings. It's a pleasure to shop now—but that jam later on!

SPECIAL EXHIBITS.

Holiday Art Novelties
Exquisite Bric-a-Brac
Card Cases and Purses
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Holiday Books and Stationery
Gilt-Edge Editions of Poets and Authors
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The Favourite Annuals
Gold Pens and Pencils
Fancy Goods, unique novelties
Writing Desks and Portfolios
Photo and Other Albums
Onyx Tables and Vases
Dolls, Sleighs and Toys
Work Baskets and Jewel Cases
Toilet and Shaving Sets
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Market Baskets
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Wall Pockets
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Lunch Baskets
Flower Baskets
Doll's Cradles
Doll's Carriages
Lined Boxes
Jewel Cases
Handkerchief Boxes
Handkerchiefs
Kid Gloves and Silk Gloves
Ribbons
Laces
Infantees
Bootees
Cashmere Hosiery
Silk Hosiery
Wool Hosiery
Picture Drapes
Table Linens
Table Napkins
Table Covers
Tray Cloths
Doylies
Five o'clock Covers
Pillow Shams
Blankets
Comforters
Lace Curtains
Chenille Curtains
Tapestry Curtains
Carpets
Oilcloths
Millinery
Mantles
Fur Lined Cloaks
Fur Lined Capes
Dress Goods
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Black Silks
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DEPUTATION TO TORONTO.

The Town Wishes to Acquire that Portion of the River Lying Between the Spur Line and the Bank.

The Mayor and Councillors McWilliams, Best, Dawson and Davis compose a committee which was appointed to wait on the Government in Toronto to-day to endeavour to obtain such legislation as will give the town possession of that portion of the river lying between the C. P. R. spur line and the west bank.

If the committee is successful the space will be filled in, and will form a valuable asset for the town.

Active Men Wanted

To read this advertisement and then give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. It never fails to cure. Acts in twenty-four hours and causes neither pain nor discomfort. Putnam's Corn Extractor extracts corns. It is the best.

A SURPLUS OF $2,500 TO THE TOWN'S CREDIT

Of Which Over Seven Hundred Dollars is in Cash.

SO SAYS THE CHAIRMAN OF FINANCE.

Financial Statement of the Year Submitted at a Statutory Meeting of the Council Last Night—A Grant to the Poultry and Dog Show Refused—The Yeas and Nays Called For.

The Statutory meeting of the town council was held last evening. There were present the Mayor and Councillors Best, Leplante, Robertson, Denne, Davis, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Meldrum and White.

PETITIONS.

A petition was received from W. W. Johnston and 14 others, asking redress from an alleged nuisance on the north east corner of Hunter and George streets, caused by every heavy rain converting the alley in the rear of the Commercial House into a sewer carrying an amount of refuse to the corner spoken of and allowing it to remain there until it became offensive—Referred to the Health Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as appended:

From the Peterborough Light and Power Company, asking to be informed when the Auburn Power Co. intends erecting poles on the streets in order that they may not be inconvenienced thereby—Referred to the Street and Bridge Committee, with power to act.

From the Provincial Auditor, giving notice of the adoption of a set of cash books by Act of Legislature for the use of councils of towns under 15,000 population—Left in the hands of the town clerk.

From the Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Geo. Steer, asking for refund of $5.95, being overcharge through double assessment.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From Mary O'Donnell, asking remission of taxes.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From C. Simmons, asking refund of dog tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Alex. Rose, asking remission of statue labour tax.—Granted.

From Joseph Sproule, asking remission of dog tax.—Granted.

From the Christian Scientists, asking remission of their taxes for their hall.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From E. Lawrence, asking to be provided with rubber boots.—Granted.

From Thos. Cahill, asking that a fence be placed on his property on which a railway siding had been placed.—Referred to Legal Committee.

From John Best, asking remission of dog tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Mrs. Forsythe, asking remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Charlotte Scott, asking remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Fred Erskine, asking remission of dog tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

Chas E Gurnsolus	$ 3 42
Gough Bros	3 00
Times	35 10
Jos H Yellands	17 75
Lock Mfg Co	1 10
Pearl Rubber	30 00
Bell Telephone Co	75
J Beatty	7 50
Chas McClelland	75
John Morton	2 00
P Hamilton Mfg Co	37 40

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Mr. T. H. G. Denne, presented the appended report:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

Gentlemen,—Your Finance Committee beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the following accounts be paid:

Jos Barton	$ 15 00
Thos A Rehill, when certified	9 80
W S McCall	5 00
Curtis Bros	57 00
T Williams	2 50
Thos A Rehill	10 00
Wm Hetherington	2 80
Peterborough Protestant Home	9 00
Fred E Jones	2 00
Peterborough Light & Power Co	16 95
Peterborough Hardware Co	4 40
G H Noble	2 00
Examiner Printing	76 22
C P R Telegraph Co	0 42
Micks & Cox	2 25
Richard Hall & Son	4 15
C N Brown	1 65
Kingan & Allen	29 23
Municipality of North Monaghan	5 40
Frank Lush	3 50
T Fitzgerald	3 00
R H Leary	13 00
Morrow & Co	21 00
The Rathbun Co	198 33
The Rathbun Co	10 75
Peterborough Lock Mfg Co, when certified	6 25
Registrar County of Peterborough	6 00

2. That the issue of a cheque for $10.37 to David Alison for coaling sewer pipes be confirmed, this amount to be deducted from sums due the Ontario Sewer Pipe Co, in accordance with their agreement.

3. That the Treasurer be instructed to issue a cheque to the collector of taxes on the building and premises occupied as a Children's Shelter, namely pt lt 9 Charlotte w George, No. 276 Charlotte street.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. H. G. DENNE, Chairman.

The report was adopted.

THE LEGAL COMMITTEE,

through its chairman, Mr. J. B. McWilliams, reported as appended:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

Gentlemen,—Your Legal Committee beg leave to report and recommend that the treasurer be instructed to accept $77.60 in full for the arrears of taxes now standing against north of McDonel, east of Water lot 1, being the taxes for the year 1896 and interest thereon.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. B. McWILLIAMS, Chairman.

The report was adopted.

Councillor Denne, chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the following financial statement:—

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWN OF PETERBOROUGH.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from 16th December, 1896, to 31st December, 1897:

Receipts.

Bal. due Ontario Bank, 14th Dec., '96	$15,325 67
Arrears of taxes	19 19
Taxes 1896, roll in part	775 30
Licenses	208 00
Police Court	51 55
	$16,377 67

Payments.

Assessments	$ 50 00
Administration of Justice	507 05
Charity	35 25
Fire Department	792 18
Heating	18 75
Health	62 42
Hydrants	1,428 13
Interest	23 60
Law	125 00
Municipal government	142 38
Property	67 00
Streets and bridges	668 23
Special grants	197 60
Sewer connections	210 02
Sewers, contract No 3	800 00
Sewers, contract No 4	1,000 00
Due by Ontario Bank	10,502 61
	$16,377 67

Statement of Receipts and Payments from 1st January to 14th December, 1897, inclusive:

Receipts.

Bal due from Ontario Bank, 1st Jan. 1897	$10,502 61
Ashburnham	343 75
Administration of Justice	5 51
Arrears of taxes	1,092 07
Charity, amount loaned Board returned	265 00
Dog tax	661 00
Fire Department	7 55
Law	196 79
License	5 678 50
Market tolls	1,943 50
Miscellaneous	400 00
Police court	758 60
Public Schools Government grant	962 00
Railroad damages	50 00
Streets and bridges	7 73
Sewer connections	687 31
Taxes, bal 1896 roll	21,177 51
Taxes, on account 1897 roll	59,612 87
Balowing to Ontario Bank	7,780 75
	$112,416 15

PAYMENTS.

Assessments	$ 1,128 25
Administration of Justice	5 404 30
Charity	2,343 18
Chairman's expenses	13 15
Collegiate Institute	6,800 00
Commissioner Town Trust	10,8 2 88
Com Town Trust (Town deb)	13,5 6 81
Dog tax	18 20
Elections	75 00
Fire Dept	2,657 67
Health	296 92
Heating	334 20
Hydrants	3,147 17
Interest	2,411 98
Insurance	32 75
Law	830 71
Light	5,874 83
Market	84 88
Miscellaneous	584 34
Municipal govt	1,943 43
Parks—Dixon	61 00
Printing and stationery	388 05
Property	176 74
Public Schools	17,300 00
Public Schools (Govt grant)	962 00
Railroad damages	50 00
Refunds	2 25
R C Separate Schools	3,900 00
Streets and bridges	13,376 92
Snowploughing	147 48
Street watering	474 49
Special grants	1,846 57
Sewers—Outfall	20
Sewer—Contract No 3	248 88
Sewers—Contract No 4	1,760 47
Sewers—Contract No 5	7,447 18
Sewer maintenance	21 23
Sewer connections	412 11
Voters lists	149 70
Water	98 00
	$112,416 15

Collector's Roll, 1897.

Amount of roll	$ 75,018 20
Amount collected to Dec 14, inclusive	59,113 87
	$15,639 33

Statement of Assets and Liabilities, 14th December, 1897:

Assets.

Taxes, 1897, unpaid	$15,629 33	
Less estimated loss	2,500 00	$13,129 33
Arrears of taxes	$ 681 07	
Less estimated loss	181 07	500 00
Ashburnham		43 75
Bell Tel Co		150 00
Market tolls		657 50
Light & Power Co		100 00
Debentures to be issued for sewers—contracts 3 and 4		13,111 25
Expended to date on sewers—contract No 5, for which debentures will be issued		7,447 18
		$40,998 97

Liabilities.

R Hall and C McGill, trustees, principal	$25,000 00
R Hall and C McGill, trustees, interest to Dec 31	625 00
John E Hayes, George street bridge	970 00
Salaries due Dec 31st	1,791 27
Accounts presented and other assets due Dec 31st, say	4 000 00
Balance owing Ontario Bank	7,739 75
Surplus—Assets more than liabilities	742 95
	$40,998 97

In referring to the statement Councillor Denne pointed out that in addition to the cash surplus of $742 95, the town had fully $1,800 worth of broken and unbroken stone on hand for next year's work, and also about $200 worth of wood on hand, making in reality the surplus about $2,500.

This statement called for considerable applause from the spectators.

On motion of Councillors Denne and Meldrum the statement was received, and the usual number of copies ordered to be printed.

AUBURN BRIDGE SIDEWALK.

As there was a surplus on hand Councillor Meldrum brought up the matter of the erection of the sidewalk from the new footbridge across the river at Auburn to connect with the sidewalk on Water street. He stated that the bridge was almost completed, and that if the sidewalk was not built at once the public would be in as much danger as ever as they would use the rail tracks to walk from the bridge to Water street. The danger, he pointed out was not magnified, as a train went by at noon just when the employees of the mills and the school children were coming out.

On motion of Councillors McWilliams and Denne, the matter was referred to the Street and Bridge Committee, and will receive immediate attention.

Councillor McWilliams suggested getting a deed of the property belonging to the Auburn Company on which it is proposed building the sidewalk, as if the mills at any time changes hands the town would have no power to compel the property being left open through which the public gain access to the bridge.

Councillor Meldrum agreed with this proposition, saying the company would have no objection.

FIRE INSURANCE RATES.

Councillor White, chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee, who was asked at the last council as to the advantages enjoyed by Brantford being placed in Class A by the Fire Underwriters, read the following letter:

Brantford Fire Department.

J. M. White, Esq., Peterborough:

Dear Sir,—Re your communication Dec. 9th, the annual cost of our Fire Department will average about $7,700. With reference to insurance rates, I may say that the rating in this city, which is Class A, is really on the whole no better than what it was nine years ago for Class B. The manufacturing industries as you doubtless know have special rating and I am not prepared to say just how the change in the classification has affected them.

Yours respectfully,
GEO. D. CALDER,
Chief of Brantford Fire Department.

Regarding the number of town alarms coming in during the year and the method of transmitting them, he stated that one came to the town hall, two from box alarms and 26 through the Bell telephone system.

On motion of Councillors Dawson and Leplante the clerk was instructed to forward a letter of thanks to Mr. Calder for his information.

THE GEORGE STREET BRIDGE.

As Street Inspector Ranney certified that the repairs on the George street bridge had been completed, Councillor McWilliams moved that contractor Hayes be paid for his work.

Councillor Best stated that he understood that the masonary had not been carried out as far as it was before and that the space at the east end had been contracted by a foot or so.

Councillor McWilliams replied that he had also heard this report, but that the street inspector contradicted it.

The same speaker urged that the water be lowered and a channel cut through the gravel bar just at the mouth of the creek, which he felt sure would do away with the blocking of the water back in the spring.

Councillor Meldrum and Denne moved that payment be deferred until the Steet and Bridge Committee had an opportunity of ascertaining if the walls were the full distance of 66 feet in length.

This motion was carried.

Mr. McWilliams in referring to the action of the Court of Revision in dismissing the appeal of the Barnardo Home for remission of taxes, expressed the opinion that the taxes on this property should have been remitted, as a great deal of money was spent in town by the institution, which also was a good advertisement for Peterborough in England.

Councillor Leplante stated that the matter had been thoroughly sifted by the Court of Revision before it was decided not to grant remission.

The advantages of the institution were then discussed pro and con at considerable length, and the matter was referred back to the Court for fuller investigation.

A bylaw was introduced by Councillor Denne providing for the immediate payment of $100 of the $200 grant given the Children's Aid Society. The balance is to be paid over in monthly instalments. The bylaw received its several readings and was passed.

Councillors Denne and White brought up the matter of giving a grant to the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association, and moved that the sum of $50 be appropriated for that purpose.

Councillors Dawson, Leplante, Meldrum and Cobb all spoke strongly against the motion, which was lost on the following division:—

Yeas—Councillors Denne and White—2.

Nays—Councillors Best, Leplante, Robertson, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams and Meldrum—7.

The council then adjourned.

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1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Almond Nuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Cooking Raisins 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Walnuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Soft Shell Almond Nuts	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Filbert Nuts	.12	1 lb. No. 1 Table Raisins	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Lemon Peel	.15	1 lb. Blue Bells Currants 8c. or 3½ for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Cross & Blackwell's Peel	.20	1 lb. Filiabras, 4 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Seeded California Raisins	.12	1 lb. Cooking Figs 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins, large	.10	1 lb. Table Figs	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins 8c. or 3½ for	.25	1 doz. No. 1 Oranges	.20
		1 doz. No. 1 Lemons	.20

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These are of the Best English manufacture, bought at a price to enable us to offer them at less than their value, under our Cash System.

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TRAVELLING RUGS from..... **$4.50 to $9.00**

WATERPROOF COATS—with Cape, also in "Chesterfield" Style, with Velvet Collar..... **$6.00 to $8.00**

FANCY VESTS—Brown and Drab Corduroy, Lined with Scarlet Flannel (Lloyd, Attree's make) at..... **$2.75**

Also some very Swell VEST LENGTHS to Make to Order—in Silk and Worsted Effects, and also the famous Spitalfield's Silk Vestings so fashionable just now in England.

BOYS' REEFERS AND OVERCOATS
BOYS' SUITS AND ODD PANTS
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HER INTERESTING STORY.

A well-known Brighton lady tells what she thinks regarding Heart Trouble, and how to cure it.

Mrs. Stephen P. Clapp tells what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did for her.

Mrs. Clapp says, "I have been a sufferer from extreme nervousness for years, and for the last two years my heart has

troubled me greatly. I could not sleep soundly, and would often awaken with a start, together with a curious feeling as if my heart had stopped beating, and it would be some time before I could recover myself. At times I became very dizzy, and a mist gathered before my eyes. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, but could get nothing to relieve me. Finally I received a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and am glad to say that they gave me relief in a very short time. I now sleep well, my nerves are steady and strong, and I am better in every way than I have been for years.

I can recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills very highly to those suffering from any trouble affecting the heart and nerves, for I know that they have been a great boon to me."

(Signed) Mrs. Stephen P. Clapp,
249 Brighton, Ont.

CANADIAN CURRENCY.

Sanford Evans has been nominated by South Wentworth Conservatives.

Sir Charles Tupper will sail from Liverpool to-day for Canada on the Majestic.

Eugene Debs, the Chicago agitator, will lecture in Hamilton next Saturday night.

A. J. Andrews and E. F. Hutchings were nominated for the Winnipeg mayoralty yesterday.

George Haskett of Newmarket, Ont., has been sent to jail for 30 days for stealing a dead sheep.

Uxbridge Presbyterians have extended a unanimous call to Rev. J. R. Fraser, Pictou, N.S.

The new interlocking system put in by the Grand Trunk at Woodsocck was used yesterday for the first time.

Fred. Elliott, who killed his brother at Bayfield, Ont., a few weeks ago, is to appear for trial at Goderich to-day.

A Dunnville livery stable was burned last night and a number of horses perished. Loss $600; insurance unstated.

Geo. F. Jones of the firm of Jones & Barnum, coal dealers, was yesterday appointed collector of customs for the port of Cobourg.

The Gananoque police force have arrested Manly Fraser and William O'Reilly, and found with them booty stolen from a store there several nights ago.

Brakeman F. Wintermute was killed in the yard at Ronnie Station while walking on the track. A freight train cut him in two. He leaves a wife and family at Sarnia.

K. J. Hammond, chief of police of Blenheim, Ont., died very suddenly yesterday of pneumonia. Before coming to Blenheim he was a long time on the Toronto police force.

Rev. J. S. Scott, B.A., of Knox College, Toronto, who was recently called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church at Hespeler, was ordained and inducted yesterday afternoon.

Dave and Jim Ballard, two of the Melanchthon firebugs, have been taken from the penitentiary at Kingston to give evidence at Orangeville in the perjury cases in which Reeve Hamilton and others of Shelburne are interested.

A Pembroke despatch says: Andrew Koon and Paul Desjardines, while crossing the Allumette Lake on the Ottawa River with the Chapleau mail, went through the ice about the centre of the lake, two miles from land, and were in the water three-quarters of an hour before they were rescued.

Transportation to the Klondike.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 15.—The Klondike Trading and Transportation Corporation, which Sir Charles Tupper organised, have purchased the first-class steamer Amur, which is to be ordered to Victoria from Labaun, where she is now daily expected, and is expected to arrive here about the middle of next month. She will run to Stickeen and St. Michael's, and the company announce that they will see passengers clear to any destination to which they may desire to be ticketed.

Troy Is Acting Like a Crazy Man.

Kingston, Dec. 15.—John Troy, the condemned murderer in Napanee jail, is in a very disturbed state of mind, sometimes acting like one demented. Some nights he rests well and others most of his time is spent on his knees. At times he has raving spells and imagines his cell is full of fire. Rev. Father Hogan is his spiritual adviser, and after his visits the prisoner is calmer.

The two most critical times in a women's life are the times which make the girl a woman, and the woman a mother. At these times, Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription is of incalculable value. It strengthens and invigorates the organs distinctly feminine, promotes regularity of the functions, allays irritation and inflammation, checks unnatural exhausting drains, and puts the whole delicate organism into perfect condition. Almost all the ills of womankind are traceable to some form of what is known as "female" complaint. There are not three cases in a hundred of woman's peculiar diseases that Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription will not cure.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. It allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumor. All druggists or by mail, Box 33 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Fruitless Catarrh Cure.

SIR WILFRID SPEAKS.

The Premier Cheered at the Nicolet Nominations.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION.

A Regular Ovation to the Distinguished First Minister at Becancour—A Noteworthy Political Incident—Hundreds of People Cheering at Station—The Candidates.

Nicolet, Que., Dec. 15.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here to attend the nomination at Becancour yesterday of candidates for the election rendered necessary by the death of Mr. Boisvert, the late member. He received a regular ovation on the arrival of the train, and this was all the more noteworthy as Nicolet is a Conservative stronghold, which at the last Local elections gave Mr. Bull a majority of 350. Several hundred people gathered at the station and cheered enthusiastically when Sir Wilfrid appeared, accompanied by Lady Laurier. About fifteen carriages escorted Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier to the Hotel Duval. Here a deputation of Young Liberals, headed by Dr. Cloutier, waited upon Sir Wilfrid and asked permission to use his name for a new political club, and the Premier kindly consented to become Hon. President. In the evening Messrs. E. Bernier, M.P. for St. Hyacinthe, and H. J. Cloran delivered short addresses to several hundred electors who gathered at the hotel.

The Government candidate is Mr. Joseph Hector Leduc, who formerly represented this county with great credit, and who was a strong addition to the younger Liberal contingent from Quebec, who worked so hard for the cause while in Opposition.

A large outdoor meeting was held in the afternoon in front of the church. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was loudly applauded on rising to speak. With regard to the school question he said that Liberals never claimed that the settlement was perfect, but they did say that it affords more relief than the Remedial bill. He referred to the appointment of Mr. Fisher, a practical farmer, as Minister of Agriculture, and pointed out what a great improvement had taken place in the position and prospects of the farmer during the past year. With regard to the South Shore Railway he said that since both candidates favored a subsidy it was more reasonable for the electors to support the candidate who was favorable to the Government. He made no promises, but expressed the opinion that Quebec should be as well supplied with railways as the United States.

ONTARIO FRUIT GROWERS.

Report of the Board of Control of Fruit Experiment Stations.

Waterloo, Ont., Dec. 15.—The Ontario Fruit Growers' Association's annual meeting for 1897 will be held to-day and to-morrow.

The Board of Control of Fruit Experiment stations met yesterday. The members present were: Dr. Mills and Prof. Hutt of Guelph; and Messrs. A. H. Petit and L. Wolverton (secretary) of Grimsby; A. M. Smith, St. Catharines, and C. Wellington of Toronto. The secretary's statement said that about $9,500 had been spent this year in experimental work—a very small sum considering the excellent report now ready to be submitted to the Minister of Agriculture.

Prof. Hutt reported on his visits to the stations, showing that most of them were doing excellent work.

The secretary exhibited photographs of fruit described, and read detailed reports from experimenters.

Last night the Board of Directors of the Fruit Growers' Association met, and to-morrow the association proper will meet in the Town Hall and discuss spraying experiments, cold storage, export, San Jose scale, and so on.

WANTS CHARTERS CANCELLED.

American Nickel Companies Did Not Live Up to Their Agreements.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Mr. B. B. Osler, Q.C., Toronto, has filed a petition with the Department of Justice to revoke the charters granted to the Canadian Copper Co., an Ohio concern, and the Anglo-American Co., which control the output of the nickel and copper mines around Sudbury, Ont. The reason which Mr. Osler gives for cancelling the charters is that they were granted on the condition that smelting works would be established in Canada, but instead of this the companies have taken the ore to the United States and had it smelted there. It is said that about $1,250,000 in wages to workmen, etc., have been expended in this way outside of Canada, when it ought to have gone to Canadian workmen.

New International B. B. League.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 15.—The International Baseball League was formally organized here yesterday, with Hamilton, London and Guelph, Ont., and Bay City, Saginaw and Port Huron, Mich., as members. The protection of the National League has been secured, and each club made a cash deposit as a guarantee of good faith. David McArron of Port Huron was elected president of the League and Calvin Davis of Hamilton secretary-treasurer.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c

Dr Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

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New Neckwear
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Silk Ties
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Silk Mufflers
Silk Neckscarfs
Silk Suspenders
Silk Umbrellas
Silk Underwear
Silk Socks
Ladies' Fancy Slippers
Men's Fancy Slippers
Ladies' Rubbers
Men's Rubbers
Felt Rubbers
Children's Rubbers

Kid Gloves, Unlined
Kid Gloves, Fur-lined
Kid Gloves, Wool-lined
White Dress Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Scotch Underwear
Cardigan Jackets
Fine French Hosiery
Gentleman's Jewelry
Irish Linen Handkerchiefs
Lawn Handkerchiefs
In Fancy Boxes
Arctic Overshoes
Felt Foot Warmers
Wool Foot Warmers
Grandma's Gaiters
Children's Bootees
Baby Shoes

Fancy Silk Vests
Spotted Corduroy Vests
Smoking Jackets
Fibre Chamois Vests
Dressing Gowns
Night Robes
Waterproof Coats
Fur Caps
Beaver Caps
Persian Lamb Caps
Fur Overcoats
Silk Hats, Felt Hats
Wool Leggings
Fancy Moccasins
Men's and Boys' Overcoats
Men's and Boys' Suits
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Reefers and Pea Jackets

GOUGH'S doors are thrown wide open. Admission Free! We turn the store over to you with polite guides to direct you through the whole performance. We are the People's People.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 15.

FLOUR—The market is unchanged, with fair demand. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—Trade was quiet to-day, and prices generally are unchanged. Red winter sold at 91c north and west and at 82c middle freights, and white is quoted at 90c west. Spring sold at 82c Midland, and goose 70c east. No. 1 Manitoba hard is dull at 90c to 91c Fort William, and at 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 sold at 25c west.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23½c west, and at 24c on Midland.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44c north and west, and at 45c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is easier, with fair demand. Sales were made at 43c high freights, and at 44c middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 25c to 25½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3 to $3.15 for cars on track.

Live Stock Markets.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 75 to $4 25	
Bulls, heavy export, good quality	3 35	3 75
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 00	2 25
Stockers and medium to good	3 00	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 25	3 65
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 85	4 50
" good	3 37	3 65
" medium	3 00	3 25
" inferior cows	2 75	3 00
Butchers' Xmas cattle	4 00	4 50
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	45 00
Calves, each	4 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 25	3 40
Bucks, per cwt.	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	2 50	4 50
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75	....
" light fats	4 37½	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 37½	....
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

BETWEEN $200 AND $300 GONE.

STILL HIS CATARRH REMAINED.

A 25 CENT BOX OF DR. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE DOES EFFECTIVE WORK.

Catarrh sufferers and those afflicted with Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, Hawking and Spitting, Foul Breath, Loss of Taste and Smell and the many disagreeable and disastrous consequences attendant upon these, should lose no time in procuring Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

Mr. J. W. Jennison, Gilford, Ont., writes as follows: "I spent between two and three hundred dollars, tried all kinds of treatments, but got no benefit. One box of Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure did me more good than all other remedies. In fact I consider myself cured, and with a 25 cent box at that."

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We are offering VERY SPECIAL VALUES for the Next Week in Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, as follows:—

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

Heavy Cashmere Seamless Hose, with Double Heel and Toes, fast blacks, only.... 30c

Our unmatchable line of Ladies' Winter Undervests—a fast seller and leader..... 25c

All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and greys, only 65c

FLANNELETTE GOWNS.

Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front.... 58c

Extra Heavy Flannelette Gowns, double yoke, back and front, Bishop sleeves, frilled Collar Front and Sleeves..... 69c

Special line of English Pink Flannelette Gowns, extra large size, made same as above..... 85c

Same line of Goods in Children's sizes.

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Peterborough Corset Factory - - - 208 and 210 Charlotte Street

If you have one, get another.
If you have none, get one.
One what?
A 'Xmas Present for your wife and children!
What kind?
A Policy in the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company, Verb. Sap.

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W. A. STRATTON, District Agent, Peterborough. W. S. ANDERSON, Special Agent.

Comparison Increase of Premium Incomes
CANADIAN LIFE CO'S.
1896.

Figures, like actions, often speak more eloquently than words They certainly do in this case:—

NAMES.	Incomes 1896.	Incomes 1896.	Increase	
Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871	Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $356,572.
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454	
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170	
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115	
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825	
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,201.221	1,650.484	349.263	
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441	

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A man passes a restless, sleepless night, gets up dull and headachey in the morning, goes to the breakfast table without an appetite, bolts what little he does eat and rushes away to business. He is drowsy and nervous by turns all day and forces himself to work against his will. He takes five minutes for lunch and not a minute to rest afterward. He goes home at night utterly fagged out and with no appetite for supper. The idea of taking medicine or even taking a little rest never enters his head. Some night his wife finds him in the rocking-chair before the fire-place—dead. The doctor will call it nervous prostration or heart trouble or something of that kind. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best medicine for hard working men. It restores a keen edge to the appetite. It facilitates the flow of the digestive juices and makes the digestion and assimilation perfect. It invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve-tonic. Medicine dealers sell it.

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HOW CATTLE ARE DEALT IN AT THE CHICAGO STOCKYARDS.

Sitting In Their Saddles, With the Lot Between Them, Seller and Buyer Conclude a Transaction by Raising Their Whips Over Their Heads.

The Chicago stockyards are unique among the great marts of the world. In no other place, say those who are most familiar with its daily routine, is so large an aggregate of business transacted in the language of gestures and without the "scratch of a pen" as in the noisy pens of the stockyards. A whip is held high in air, across a sea of clattering horns the signal is answered by the momentary uplifting of a hand, and a "bunch" of cattle worth thousands of dollars is sold.

There is something splendidly picturesque and even spectacular in these wordless transactions. They ignore the artificialities of the complex system upon which modern business relationships are almost universally maintained. Trade in the cattle pens gets boldly back to primitive simplicity. It is done on honor, not on paper. And the undisputed transfer of millions of dollars' worth of the property here dealt in proves that a bargain sealed with the wave of the whip and an assenting gesture of the hand is quite as safe and sacred as if the whole transaction were recorded "in black and white."

The trader in the wheat pit is armed with his tally card, upon which he passes to note the names of those with whom he deals and the amount, nature and price of the commodities bought and sold. The broker upon the floor of the Stock Exchange places equal reliance upon the quickly pencilled memoranda made at the moment when the details of each transaction were upon the lips of those concerned in its fulfillment; but the buyer and seller of the yards carry whips, not pencils, and their deals are recorded in memory instead of written upon trading cards. As well try to picture the old knights making laborious written memoranda of their challenges as to think of the rough and ready traders of the cattle yards passing in their saddles to jot down upon paper their purchases and sales. Such a procedure would bid defiance to the very nature of things and do violence to the magnificent unconventionality of every environment.

"Is there never any trouble in this kind of dealing?" a leading commission man was asked.

"If you mean do the men go back on their bargains made by whip and hand, I can answer, never," was the trader's answer as he brought his trim black horse to a halt in the cattle alley and leaned forward in his saddle. "There isn't another place in America, or the whole world, for that matter, where so much business is done on the basis of personal integrity, without a written word to show for the transactions, as right here," he continued, "and the method beats all the bonds on earth. The day's business in these pens will run about $1,500,000. And how is it done? Little talk, a considerable waving of whips and hands and no exchange of written documents between buyers and sellers.

"Here is a bunch of cattle that will figure up about $10,000. Over there in the other alley is a buyer who this morning offered me a price of $5.10 for them. I thought that I could do better, but the market has been a little off, and I have decided to let the bunch go at his offer. Up to the present moment we have exchanged about a dozen words on this subject. Now, if he is willing to pay the price which he named in the morning I'll show you how a $10,000 bunch of fat steers is sold without word of mouth or a scratch of writing at the time the bargain is really made."

The commission man then straightened up in the saddle and waited for the distant buyer to look in his direction. A moment later this representative of a big packing house wheeled his horse about and faced in the direction of the seller. Instantly the commission man lifted high his rawhide riding whip and held it aloft. His attitude was as striking as that of a cavalry colonel uplifting his saber to concentrate the attention of his regiment before making a desperate charge. The pose, however, was full of natural grace and freedom and showed that the man was more at ease in the saddle than he could have been out of it.

Only a moment elapsed before the alert eye of the buyer caught sight of the upraised whip. The next instant he raised his hand a little above his head, held it motionless a moment and then dropped it with a forward movement. Quickly the seller repeated the motion of assent with his whip, and then, turning to his caller, said:

"That's all there is to it. To a stranger this kind of a performance looks like a long range sign talk between deaf mutes, but we understand each other perfectly. We both know how many cattle there are in the bunch and the price at which they have been sold. Had we been within speaking distance of each other the transaction would probably have been a verbal one, just for the sake of sociability, but not because it would have made the bargain better understood or any more binding."—Chicago Post.

A LONDON EPISODE.

A Prominent Contractor Cured of Bright's Disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 220 Talbot street.

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A BACHELOR'S QUARTERS.

Nothing Homelike About Them, According to the Married Man's Story.

They hadn't met since the old college days, ten years before, and of course the benedict insisted that the bachelor should come home to dinner with him.

"Married the year after I left college," he said, "and I have the nicest little home and the finest lot of youngsters that you ever saw. I want you to come out and see how nicely I'm fixed. I tell you a man doesn't know what life is until he's married."

"No?"

"Well, I should say not."

And so it happened that the bachelor went with the benedict and met the latter's wife and played with his children and made himself generally useful and popular until they were all seated at the dinner table.

It was over the coffee and cigars, after the benedict's wife had left the table, that the benedict finally suggested:

"Pretty comfortably fixed, ain't I, old man? Children, why don't you go into the other room?"

"Very nicely, indeed," answered the bachelor, replying to the first question and ignoring the second.

"Oh, there's nothing like home life," went on the benedict. "Willie, stop trying to climb on Mr. Brown's knee. He wants to smoke. Do you know, old man, I laugh when I think of my foolish idea that I knew in those old days what happiness was. Why, a man doesn't begin to live until— Maggie, put that nutpick back on the table. You'll jab it in your eye the first thing you know. Yes, sir. I actually have to laugh when I think of it. Our idea of contentment in those days was to get a pipe and a book and a bottle of Scotch and lock the door and lie down and—Would you mind moving your coffee cup a little farther back on the table, old man? Tommie's trying to reach it, and my wife would raise my scalp if I should let him break one of her very best cups. That's it. Thank you. As I was saying, we didn't know what ease and contentment was in those days. No single man does. A man has to have a big armchair and his slippers all ready for him and everything sort of restful and quiet before— Now, don't cry, Mabel. If you didn't want to get hurt, why did you grab the end of my cigar? Tommie, take her in to her mother. There, Willie, I told you you'd stick that nutpick into your hand if you didn't look out. Run into the other room and ask your mother to put a bandage on it. Let's see, where was I, old man? Oh, yes, I remember now. I was about to say that there's nothing homelike about a bachelor's quarters"—

"No," interrupted the bachelor, with considerable emphasis, "there isn't."

The benedict couldn't quite see the reason for such an emphatic assertion, but he wisely changed the subject, just the same.—Chicago Post.

The Word "Toast."

The word "toast," used for describing the proposal of a health in an after dinner speech, dates back to mediæval times, when the loving cup was still regarded as an indispensable feature of every banquet. The cup would be filled to the brim with wine or mead, in the center of which would be floating a piece of toasted bread. After putting his lips thereto the host would pass the cup to the guest of honor seated on his right hand, and the latter would in turn pass it to his right hand neighbor. In this manner the cup would circulate around the table, each one present taking a sip, until finally the cup would come back to the host, who would drain what remained and swallow the piece of toast in honor of all the friends assembled at his table.

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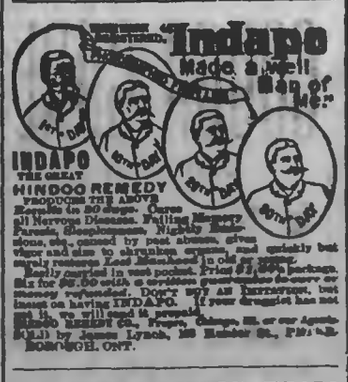

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ASHBURNHAM COUNCIL'S STATUTORY MEETING.

PRESENTATION OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

A Good Showing for Last Year—The Contract Awarded for Snow Ploughing in the South Ward.

The Ashburnham council met last evening according to statute for the purpose of receiving the financial statement of the year. The members present were Reeve Adams, and Councillors Smith, Morgan, Rutherford and Johnston.

COMMUNICATIONS.

A letter was read from J. B. Laing, Provincial Municipal Auditor, with reference to books used in connection with auditing municipal and school accounts.

From Jos. J. Whiteman, through his solicitor, C. W. Sawers, instituting a claim against the village for $300, for injury done his property through the change of water-table, etc., and requesting an early settlement.

The Treasurer presented a statement of receipts and expenditures from date of last meeting, Dec. 9th, to 14th:

Receipts from collector	$2,156 98
Rent	12 50
Expenditures, including notes paid	2,468 26

ACCOUNTS PAID.

On motion of Messrs. Johnston and Smith the following accounts were paid:

Walter Stocker	$ 2 50
Wm Medill	50
Pay sheet No 20	2 75
Peterborough Water Co	25 00
Town of Peterborough, fire protection	43 75

On motion of Messrs. Morgan and Rutherford the taxes of John Kelly were remitted.

Moved by Messrs. Morgan and Rutherford that Mr. B. M. Eden be Deputy-Returning officer for polling subdivision No. 2, and Mr. J. T. Wright for No. 1; and the polling booth for north ward, Mr. John Kylie's shop and the south ward, the Council Chamber.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Rutherford and Smith that the financial statement for 1897 be received and that the clerk get the necessary number of copies printed and posted.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Smith and Morgan that the petition of James Long and fourteen others, requesting that an electric light be placed on Sophia street be received and if any new lights are placed in the village the council will favourably consider their petition.—Carried.

SNOWPLOUGHING CONTRACT.

The following tenders for snowploughing in the south ward were received:

Jas Tighe	$40 00
G E Dixon	40 00
M Kylie	50 00
J Russell	44 00
P Beagley	39 75
W McGahey and G Wright	39 00
W Frith	42 00
Jos Valois	45 00
T Mitchell	65 00

A motion that the tender of Mr. J. Tighe be accepted and that 75 per cent. per cent. per month be paid him as the work progressed and the balance at the expiration of the contract, was carried.

Mr. Arthur Stevenson was present, representing the Light and Power Co., which company will meet the Council at 8 o'clock next Tuesday, with reference to lights.

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

which was read was as follows:—

Receipts and Expenditures from 15th Dec., '96, to Jan. 1, '97:

RECEIPTS.

Rents	$ 12 50
Fines	9 00
Taxes	1,147 77

EXPENDITURES.

Roads and bridges	$ 20 60
Salaries	126 00
Charity	4 00
Repairs	15 00
Sundries	8 75
Notes	1,100 40

Receipts and Expenditures from Jan. 1, 1896, to Dec. 15, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	$ 222 80
Taxes, arrears	3,228 28
Taxes, 1897	3,364 24
Rents	227 50
Public School Dept	205 00
Licenses	581 37
Notes discounted	6,300 00
Non-resident taxes	54 72
Miscellaneous	36 80
	$14,222 61

EXPENDITURES.

Public Schools	$ 1,577 60
Roads and bridges	1,321 23
Street water	240 00
Charity	169 85
Discount and interest	271 38
Debenture coupons	375 00
Debenture By-law 155	115 56
County rate, 1896	889 74
Notes	6,700 00
Salaries	595 00
Light and Power Co., 1896	170 00
Printing and Stationery	71 15
Law expenses, 1896-97	37 10
Town Hall insurance	44 00
Fire protection	943 75
Board of Health salaries	98 60
Miscellaneous	177 51
Balance	245 31
	$14,222 61

ASSETS.

Balance	$ 245 31
Lands and buildings	14,500 00
Taxes uncollected	3,322 56
Rents	27 50
Licenses	20 00
Non-resident taxes	150 00
Gravel pits	225 00
Interest in Peterborough fire engine	500 00
	$19,090 37

LIABILITIES.

Debentures	$ 7,400 00
Notes	3,000 00
Public School Board	556 00
Separate School	213 00
Light and Power	500 00
Salaries	165 00
Water Co. to Jan. 1, 1898	25 00
Town of Peterborough to Jan. 1, 1898	43 75
County rate	819 13
	$12,899 88

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Yesterday St. James Square Presbyterian church, Toronto, was beautiful with floral decoration, when at 5.30 p.m., there took place a pretty wedding, being the marriage of Mr. Fred W. Tanner of the Globe, and third son of the late Geo. Tanner of Lakefield, to Miss Isabel Wilson of Toronto. Rev. Louis H. Jordon, B. D., performed the ceremony. Mr. Frank Albany Rowlett was best man, and Miss M. Pearson acted as bridesmaid. The bride wore a beautiful costume of white silk, en train, trimmed with chiffon and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was dressed in pale blue silk and also held a bouquet of white roses. Mr. J. Wilson, father of the bride, gave her away, and Messrs. C. and R. Wilson, brothers of the bride, were ushers. Dr. Anderson presided at the organ, and played well the usual wedding music. After the ceremony a merry dejeuner was enjoyed at the house of the bride's parents on Cmar street. Among the guests were Senator George A., Mrs Cox and Miss Maggie Cox, Mr and Mrs James Bathgate, of Foxcroft, Minn; Mrs A M Tanner and Mr Chas S Tanner, of Lakefield: Mr and Mrs A Cox, of Peterborough; Mr and Mrs and the Misses Wilson, of Whitby; Dr J N Harvie, of Orillia: Dr Alex Harvie, of Orillia; Mr and Mrs James Edwards, of Montreal; the Misses Baldwin, Miss Hutchinson, Mr and Mrs James Linton, of Orono; Mrs B W Robertson, of Kingston; Mr and Mrs E A Tanner, of Lakefield; the Misses Thornber, Mr and Mrs James Gillard, of Cobourg, and Mr R Wilson. Presents were numerous and costly, including a sealskin jacket from the bridegroom, a silver tea service from Senator and Mrs. Cox, an onyx table from the best man and a silver tilting water pitcher from his fellow-employees in the Globe news-room. The newly-married couple leave for New York this morning to spend their honeymoon.

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THE LEGISLATURE

Mr. Marter's Speech Refrains From Referring to His

PET "EGGS AND TOMATO SAUCE"

The Opposition Roughly Handled But With No Resultant Ill-Feeling—Bills Introduced Yesterday—Mr. Marter Resumes the Budget Debate—Hon. Mr. Gibson's Strong Reply.

The debate on the budget in the House yesterday was lively, and though the Opposition was roughly handled there was no ill feeling. Mr. Marter, the late leader of the Opposition, began the talking, but refrained this year from making even the slightest reference to his pet subject, "Eggs and tomato sauce." His followers thought he made a good speech and that if he had succeeded in doing as well the year he was elected leader he would never have lost his position.

Departmental Stores.

Mr. Middleton introduced his bill respecting departmental stores, which was read the first time. The bill provides that the Council of any city or town may pass a by-law or by-laws for the purpose of imposing upon any departmental store carrying on more than three distinct classes of business a special tax in respect of each additional class of business; and in imposing such business tax, the same may be regulated in and by by-law so as to proivde either a uniform tax in respect of each additional distinct class of business or the same may be graded in such a manner as may seem proper; provided that no such by-law shall be passed or take effect under the authority of this Act without having been carried by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Council present and voting thereon. The Act shall not take effect until the 1st day of January, 1899.

To Make New Forests.

Hon. Mr. Gibson introduced a bill to establish forest reserves, which provides that the Government may set aside for reforestry purposes certain tracts of land to be selected by simply issuing a proclamation in the Ontario Gazette. All such lands will, after the proclamation, be withdrawn from the settler's market.

The Budget Debate.

Mr. Marter resumed the budget debate. He complained because Mr. Ross had pointed out the course of the Opposition with reference to the boundary award, giving as his reason that Chief Justice Meredith, who was leader of the Opposition during that time, was no longer a member of the House. He contended the Opposition had always supported the Government in its effort to secure all the disputed territory for Ontario. The Government had claimed great credit for the manner in which they had disposed of their timber and pointed with scorn to the method at Ottawa under the Conservative Government. He drew attention to the fact that before the Mackenzie Government the policy at Ottawa was to sell timber either by tender or auction, but as soon as the Liberal Government gained power they did away with this system and actually gave timber away to men like H. H. Cook and other well-known Reformers. He then spoke of the expense in connection with the Public Accounts Committee. He said it was unfair for the Government to send it broadcast throughout the country that last year the cost of this committee was $11,-000 while disputed accounts amounting to $52 had been discovered. As applied to last year alone this might be true, but in years past the Opposition had saved the province at least $8,000 per year through the investigations of this committee. He wished the country to understand the Opposition could not get witnesses they demanded should appear before the committee and instanced the case of Mr. Simpson, who had sent a medical man's certicfiate to say he was unable to appear. It was claimed the Opposition were pessimists. That was the charge that had been made against the Liberals when they were in Opposition at Ottawa, but now they were upon the other side they had become optimists. He advised that the people should place Mr. Whitney upon the Government benches with his followers and they would change their tune as quickly as the Liberals had done at Ottawa. (Laughter.) It was charged that the Opposition were advocates of direct taxation. The Globe seventeen years ago had warned the people against the same thing and two years ago Sir Oliver Mowat had stated the province was paying expenses out of the surplus.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "I venture the statement you cannot show proof Sir Oliver ever said anything of the kind."

Mr. Marter continuing, said he had not the proof with him, but he had read it in the newspapers. (Laughter.) He left this subject and proceeded to rehash the Opposition arguments regarding the surplus. He then turned his attention to the timber question, which he said had of late become a live issue. For years past, he said, the Opposition had called out loudly against the policy of the Government, but to no avail, until at last the lands were nearly all gone and the Government found themselves in a hole. He was surprised to find the Government permitting Americans to take Ontario's logs away to fill the pockets of their own laborers in manufacturing them into lumber, after the hostile legislation of the United States Government. Why had the Government called the Parliament together. They said in the press it was to consider the timber question. Why did they not bring down their bill then and tell the members and the country what their policy was? (Hear, hear.)

The Government's Answer.

Hon. Mr. Gibson said it would be a waste of time to follow point by point Mr. Marter's speech because it was the same old rehash as they had heard for the past 15 years. It was astonishing, however, that a man who had been so long in public life should have made so many statements that were childish and puerile. (Hear, hear.) With reference to the boundary dispute the present Government had charged the Opposition at the time with having tried to assist their Conservative friends at Ottawa to rob the province of valuable lands. (Hear, hear.) The boundary dispute would have been brought to a settlement long before it was if it had not been for the unpatriotic warfare of the Opposition. This was well-known by all parties at the time and the country had not forgotten it yet. He drew attention to the fact that after the Privy Council had decided the boundary question in favor of the province, even then the Conservatives had contended the province was not entitled to the timber or minerals. The province owed nothing to the Conservatives. (Cheers.) What scandals had the Government been charged with? What money, was it charged, had been squandered? It was charged that the coal bill for the Hamilton Asylum last year was larger than that of the Toronto Asylum. This was true because when coal had been purchased for the Toronto institution the competition kept down the price, while at Hamilton a combine was formed by the local coal dealers, who asked a very high price. The Government would not accept any of these tenders and had ordered the coal from a Toronto man. The Government had saved about $2,000 by so doing; the proof of this was that the Public school coal supply of that year at Hamilton had been purchased at a much higher price than that paid by the Government. (Cheers.) It proved how hard up the Opposition were for scandals when they brought up the Simpson case as a scandal. (Hear, hear.) Some years ago Simpson, an inspector of roads, was called before the Public Accounts Committee to give evidence. He did so. He was examined under oath as to his travelling expenses. It came out that he could give more explicit evidence if he had his books at hand. It was just at the close of the session, and Simpson was sent home by the committee to get his books. A few days later he became sick and before he recovered the session closed, but he sent his books to the committee. Where, then, was the justification for the use of the word scandal? The Government had experienced a rather difficult task in managing the Central Prison for the reason that when any servant of that institution was dismissed for dereliction of duty, inefficiency or bad conduct, Mr. Marter would immediately seek him out and try to use him as a tool upon which to found a scandal. This had the effect of destroying discipline in that institution; this was the childish but pernicious policy of the late leader of the Opposition. The Opposition for years had anxiously chirped away at the surplus in the hope they would in time be able to convince the people that none existed. As long as the Government could put their hands upon the money in the banks, as they could do to-day, such a course was foolish and did not require a serious answer. The Opposition kept constantly talking about the surplus Sandfield Macdonald had left and wanted to know what had become of it. There was no secret as to this, the Government had given it to assist and build railways that the Macdonald Government had become responsible for: build asylums and hospitals; and for the erection of schools and other public works, such as prisons, etc. Macdonald had left a heavy mortgage upon every dollar of his surplus. It would have been very easy for the present Government to have rolled up a very large cash surplus if they had not expended their money in needed public works and buildings. (Hear, hear.) Dealing with the subject of colonization roads at Hamilton, Mr. Whitney had made charges which were false in every particular. He had gone further and said to the people that he (Mr. Gibson) had apologised to him (Mr. Whitney) for the amount spent upon these roads and that such expenditures would not take place in future. There was not a word of truth in the statement. (Cheers.)

The highest function of the Legislature was the laws placed upon the statute books. Upon the stump Mr. Whitney had claimed that the best laws in the books had been placed there by himself and his predecessors. (Laughter.) Would he produce some of these laws? The most useful and wise laws upon the books had been placed there by the wisdom of Sir Oliver Mowat, whose sagacity and learning had left little for the Opposition to even suggest in the matter of wise legislation. He charged Mr. Whitney with unfairness in making such statements. Would Mr. Whitney have the manliness, fairness, or decency to retract such statements or point out the particular laws he had assisted in placing upon the books.

Mr. Whitney denied having made the statements.

Hon. Mr. Gibson then read from the Mail the statements attributed to Mr. Whitney as having been made at Napanee and other places and challenged him to deny them. This Mr. Whitney refused to do.

Mr. Meacham continued the debate.

THE FRUIT GROWERS.

The San Jose Scale Was the Great Topic With Them Yesterday at Waterloo, Ontario.

Waterloo, Ont., Dec. 17.—The Board of Directors of the Ontario Fruit Growers Association decided to meet next year at St. Catharines, with the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers' Association.

In the convention proper a valuable paper was read by Dr. Saunders, of Ottawa. The subject was "How to Maintain the Fertility of Orchards."

In the afternoon notices of certain changes in the constitution and by-laws were made. The meeting decided to postpone the consideration of these changes until the next annual meeting at St. Catharines.

The San Jose scale then came under consideration. Mr. W. M. Orr, inspector, read an interesting paper, showing the terrible nature of this pest, and stated that he had located about 100 trees from an infected nursery in the States, in about 80 places in Ontario. Upon visiting these places he had found the scale in several of them and rapidly increasing. Dr. Fletcher, of Ottawa, said that one characteristic of the presence of the scale was the reddening of the bark or skin affected. Every cemetery, every garden and park in the country is in danger from this pest. One scale, he said, might produce three thousand millions in one season. True, there is a parasite, of the lady-bird family, and a specimen of this has been discovered by Mr. Burrill near St. Catharines, but we cannot trust this parasite to destroy it. Fruit growers might be ruined while they wait. The best treatment is to spray in autumn with kerosene emulsion and again in the spring with a stronger solution of whale oil soap and water, first pruning the trees as closely as possible. This soap is worth in quantity only four cents a pound.

Mr. C. C. James, of the Department of Agriculture, brought copies of Mr. Dryden's bill to prevent the spread of the San Jose scale. This was read and discussed clause by clause, and on the whole met with the approval of the association. Some, however, thought the bill not quite stringent enough.

The following committee was appointed to confer with the Minister of Agriculture regarding the bill, viz.: A. H. Pettit, W. E. Wellington, E. D. Smith and M. Burrill. This committee was also to confer with the Minister of Agriculture for the Dominion.

In the evening there was a joint meeting with the Waterloo Horticultural Society, whose President welcomed the society to Waterloo. Mr. H. H. Groff, of Simcoe, spoke on "The Canna and the Gladiolus;" Prof. Hutton, "Chrysanthemum Culture;" Mr. Lockie, on "Cacti;" Mr. Wadsworth, of Berlin, on "Water Lilies;" Mr. R. B. White, on "Annuals for the Amateur's Garden." Excellent music was rendered by local talent. Resolutions were passed, thanking the Dominion and Ontario Ministers of Agriculture for their interest in the work, the Michigan Agricultural College, the Central Experimental Farm (Ottawa), and the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for their representatives, and the local and Toronto press for their liberal notices, and the Mayor and local society of Waterloo for their courtesy.

FIRES IN BRACEBRIDGE.

Tate & Bateson's Planing Mills and Other Property Destroyed.

Bracebridge, Dec. 17.—At 5.15 p.m. yesterday a fire was discovered in the Bracebridge planing mills, owned by J. R. Higgins and occupied by Tate & Bateson. A hurricane was blowing at the time, and all efforts to save the building were of no avail. The fire spread to Whaley's blacksmith shop, adjoining, and it also was consumed. While this fire was in progress the alarm was sounded for a fire in another part of the town, in an unoccupied stable. This was also consumed. The origin of both fires is supposed to be incendiary. The loss on planing mill and shops is about $8,000; no insurance.

All But 8 Were Lost.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 17.—The missing steamer Cleveland, from San Francisco for Seattle, has been wrecked in Barclay Sound, and but eight are known to survive of the 30 men constituting her passengers and crew. The vessel was looted by Indians.

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6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at 2.98

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A DISCREDITED CHARGE.

The financial critics of the Opposition insist, in the face of repeated disproof, that the Liberal Government is guilty of squandering the Sandfield Macdonald surplus and the more the people show their belief in the falsity of this statement, the more earnestly does the Opposition protest that it is the case. It has been pointed out over and over again that Sandfield Macdonald left a surplus of $3,500,000 in the treasury; and the fact has also been pointed out that before he left office he had committed his successors to the expenditure of nearly the whole of this large amount. In other words the whole sum was practically mortgaged and his successors had to lift the mortgage. The large sum of $1,500,000 was devoted to railway building, to which the present government added enough to make the total amount spent in railway construction by the Ontario Government, about six millions of dollars. To the million and a half appropriated for railways add $700,000 to be paid the Dominion Government for Provincial charges paid out of federal funds. That made a reduction in the surplus of $2,200,000. Rockwood Asylum at Kingston had been purchased but not paid for and that took another $100,000 from the surplus, making a total of $2,300,000 that the Sandfield Macdonald Government had committed their successors to, to which is to be added $400,000, to which the credit of the Government was pledged, making the sum to be substracted from the Sandfield surplus, $2,700,000, and to this is to be added, $300,000 due the Quebec Government—and $300,000 for the construction of the Central Prison, arranged for but not completed by Sandfield Macdonald. Thus we have the sum of $3,300,000 accounted for, a sum for which Sandfield Macdonald was largely responsible; and the amounts for which he was not directly responsible, were obligations that existed at the time of his leaving office, so that the succeeding government was only responsible for spending money that had to be paid, no matter from what source it came. Thus the Sandfield Macdonald Government practically paid out through their successors $3,300,000 of the $3,800,000 surplus in the treasury at the time of its retirement, leaving a balance of $500,000, which is represented by the $600,000 of cash surplus, which is now lying in the bank to the credit of the Ontario Government. The Sandfield Macdonald surplus was spent in paying obligations created by himself. It is as if a new manager succeeds to a business and finds $10,000 to the credit of the concern, but also finds that $8,000 of it is pledged to pay obligations incurred by his predecessor. Of course he has to draw on the $10,000 to pay these obligations. Is he to be accused of squandering $8,000 because he was compelled to spend it to pay legitimate debts? It is just as reasonable to accuse the Liberal Government of squandering the Sandfield Macdonald surplus when it was used in paying obligations which were in large part created, and for which it is not claimed full value has not been received, by himself? False accusation and reiteration of a discredited charge, indicate a weak cause.

MR. ST. JOHN GROWS TIRESOME.

The Toronto Star (Independent) says: This Humber piggery question, which, next to the coughing calf business, is one of the smallest subjects that ever was made a plank in a party platform, is past the joking stage, and has become wearisome. The fact of the matter is that this hog asylum cost some money, but it has paid enough profits in two years to meet the outly of construction, and in another year—had not hog cholera broken out—and even Mr. St. John dare not hold the Government responsible for the outbreak—would have been paying money to the province. The second charge, which was trumped up yesterday, to the effect that diseased meat was sold is preposterous. Every move was made under the supervision of the Dominion Inspector, and if anything was done wrongly, the Dominion Inspector must answer.

So, these are the facts. It is no credit to this province that among its intelligent people there can be found a man who, when facts stare him in the face, will fritter away his time and the time of able legislators in dishing up such twaddle as Mr. St. John has been shouting on the stump and in the House. Mr. St. John has an ambition to succeed Mr. Whitney as leader, or to become first lieutenant, and is thinking to make name for himself in the piggery way. He is making a name, but not one to be particularly envied. Let him take a lesson from Dr. Ryerson, who started out in pursuit of fame clad in the same togs. After bringing up trivial subjects and shouting over them by hours, boring and abusing everybody in sight, session after session, he has faded away into his original obscurity. Mr. St. John is following in his footsteps, and will go down at last to the same oblivion. But in the meantime people in general and the Conservative party in particular are suffering most painfully in order to give Mr. St. John a name, even though it be but the reputation of a cheap haranguing politician.

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Judges to Make Special Reports on Troy and Sternaman Cases.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Application for the commutation of their death sentences has been filed on behalf of J. F. Troy and Mrs. Sternaman. In both cases the judges who tried them have been asked to make special reports to the Minister of Justice. Troy confessed to his crime and virtually put the detectives on his track and was the most surprised man possible when he was told he would hang on January 14th. He does not yet believe he will hang. On behalf of Mrs. Sternaman, it is urged that her sex should prevent the death sentence being carried out. The cases will not be considered by the Cabinet till after Christmas.

New Poultry Market.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—A new market, promising to be one of considerable value, is to be found for Canadian poultry, meats, butter, etc., in the West Indies. The Minister of Agriculture has arranged to fit up the steamship Beta, of the Pickford and Black Line, from Halifax, with cold storage for this trade.

GAGE'S MONEY BILL.

The U. S. Secretary of the Treasurer Explains His Measure to Congressmen.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary Gage appeared to-day before the Committee on Banking and Currency of the House to present a bill embodying his views for a revision of the currency. He said, in part:—

"The objects I have in mind are four in number: First, to commit the country more thoroughly to the gold standard, remove, so far as possible, doubts and fears on that point, and thus strengthen the credit of the United States both at home and abroad.

"Second, to strengthen the treasury in relation to its demand liabilities, in which are included greenbacks, treasury notes and the incidental obligation to maintain on a parity, through interchangeability with gold, so far as may be necessary, the present large volume of silver certificates and silver dollars.

"Third, to do this in such a way as not to contract the volume of circulation in the hands of the people.

"Fourth, to take an initial step toward a system of bank note issues without the conditional deposit of public bonds as security therefor.

"If we prosper as a people, the revenue of the Government ought to be somewhat in advance of its expenditures, and the public debt of the United States gradually reduced and finally extinguished.

"Looking at the question widely, from my best point of knowledge and experience, I feel that if these could be secured, the condition of the Government, in its relation to the currency, would be much safer and stronger than now, and that through the operation of national bank note currency the commercial and industrial interests of the United States would be greatly advantaged."

After this statement it was deemed advisable to read the Secretary's bill in detail and discuss it section by section.

U. S. National Debt to Be Refunded.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary Gage's financial bill was to-day submitted to the House on banking. It provides for refunding of national debt, for establishing redemption fund and a division of issue and redemption in the treasury and for modifying existing laws respecting national banks.

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THE COMMONS DATE

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LOSS OF MAJ. WALSH'S SUPPLIES

The Report Likely to Be a Miner's Improbable Yarn—The Major is Probably at Fort Selkirk—Difficulties of the Trail—People Still Going Into the Yukon.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—At a Cabinet meeting to-day the date of the meting of Parliament was discussed, and, although no decision was reached, the proclamation will, when issued, name either January 27th or February 3rd. The matter will be decided on Saturday.

Major Walsh's Supplies.

The report telegraphed last night from the coast, on the authority of Government Surveyor St. Cyr, who had just returned from Lake Tagish, that Major Walsh had lost all his supplies, was believed here to have originated in the fact that part of Major Walsh's party, Judge McGuire and Mr. Wade, had thrown their stuff overboard on an arm of Tagish Lake in order to lighten the craft in a storm; but a message was sent to Mr. St. Cyr asking what authority there was for the report. A reply received to-day by the Deputy-Minister of the Interior states that the story came from some person on board the steamer Alki, who had come out from Dawson, and that Mr. St. Cyr had not made the statement at all. As a matter of fact, Major Walsh passed the White Horse Rapids in safety on November 8, and this was the only point where he could have met with any accident, because ahead of him lay Lake Labarge, the Lewes River and the Yukon, and it was all plain sailing to Fort Selkirk unless the ice formed, and even then he had his dogs to take him on. Major Walsh is no doubt now at Fort Selkirk and in perfect safety. The 1898 rush to the Klondike has actually begun. Hundreds are arriving at Skaguay by every boat, and thousands will be on the trails by the end of January eager to be over and far on towards Dawson before the big rush comes down over open water in April or May.

SHELBURNE PERJURY CASES.

True Bills Brought in Against the Five Prisoners—The Trials Begin.

Brampton, Ont., Dec. 17.—The grand jury yesterday at noon brought in a true bill against the five prisoners charged with the crime of perjury, and the case will be proceeded with at once. The charge against John Coleman will be investigated first. The grand jury were out about two hours, and about twenty witnesses were examined.

W. J. McKay, County Crown Attorney, of Orangeville, was the first witness called by the Crown, and he said he told A. McLaren to act for him and administer the oath to the witnesses, and the defence claims this man had no authority for doing so, and therefore there could not be a crime of perjury committed. A lengthy argument followed, and His Lordship decided to look into the case.

Judge McCarthy gave evidence as to what the prisoner Coleman said before him. He said Mrs. Stevenson, her brother, a Mr. Dick, and another man were in the office at the time. After Mrs. Stevenson knew about this order being changed, she alleges she still continued to have dealings with Mr. Hamilton, and took friends of hers there to borrow money and draw a deed of a farm. The defence claim that this shows she did not consider Hamilton dishonest or a forger, shortly after the order was given, when she apparently knew about it, or she would not have taken other business to him, as she certainly did, according to the evidence. Mr. McKay was recalled for a short time, but nothing new was brought from him, as he apparently could not remember anything. Mr. Johnston asked for bail for the prisoner, but it was refused by His Lordship, and the prisoner was taken back to jail. The jury were put under the care of two constables until to-day at 9 o'clock. His Lordship gave the constables strict orders to allow no person to approach the jury.

Not Many Signatures.

Berlin, Dec. 17.—One of the petitions for the commutation of Allison's sentence, circulating about town, has now ten signatures, one being that of a juryman.

A LONDON EPISODE.

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London, Dec. 6—Not since the great election trial some years ago, has any London episode created such widespread excitement as has the case of G. E. Brady, of 220 Talbot street.

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PARCEL NO. 1.—Brick House, No. 295 Stewart Street, and Land therewith, being part of Block "A" according to the subdivision of Lots 12 and 13 on the north side of King street and west of George street, in the Town of Peterborough, more particularly described in registered Instrument Number 2851 for the said town of Peterborough. Upon this parcel there is erected a large two story brick veneered dwelling house with like brick kitchen and wood bed & tached. The house is fitted up with modern improvements, hot air furnace, bath room, etc.

PARCEL NO 2.—Dean's Grist Mill, at Bridgenorth, being part of Lot Number fifteen in the village of Bridgenorth, more particularly described in Registered Instrument 623, for the Township of Smith save and except the south one hundred feet of said part of said lot hereinafter referred to as Parcel No. 3. Upon this parcel there is erected a large four story Grist Mill 34 ft. x 54 ft. with a large stone Engine room 35 ft. x 32 ft. attached, and also office 12 ft. x 18 ft. attached to this mill. This Grist Mill is situate on the shore of Chemong Lake, on the main travelled road in the district and is most convenient for milling purpose for a large number of farmers in the thickly settled townships of Smith, Ennismore, Emily, Verulam and Harvey. This mill is said to contain all necessary machinery for chopping.

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A melancholy child of song,
Musing amid a mournful throng
Of recollections dear?
The kindly after years had healed
The wound within his breast.
Fair Jean's devoted love revealed
That happiness which death concealed
When Mary went to rest.
He fondly scanned his bairns at play
About the cottage door,
Toiled stoutly onward day by day,
Obedient to honor's sway,
Which bound him evermore.
And yet mayhap in some lone place
Where Ayr's clear waters roll
His dreams at eve recalled the grace
Of sainted Highland Mary's face—
The mistress of his soul.
He loved, and who that loves today
Shall grudge the pensive hour
When, clad in sorrow's mantle gray,
He paused beside Ayr's quiet way
To woo oblivion's power?
What dreams were his of pleasures deep
That he might never know!
Perhaps, though years his secret keep,
Thinking of her who fell asleep,
He deemed 'twas better so.
—Frank Putnam in Chicago Times-Herald.

THE INN AT BIRNLEY.

BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

In every city and town in the land you will find a mill, store or factory which seems to be hoodooed. The location is apparently all right, but whoever buys, leases or rents makes a failure. When George Walters of the town of Birnley decided to build an inn and become a landlord, he selected what was called the best location in the corporation. He was a man liked by all, had a fair amount of money, and everybody wished him luck and predicted that he would do well. It was strange what a turn of luck came to the man. He had been successful in everything, but on the day he broke ground for the new enterprise he fell over some timbers and broke his leg. Before the framework was up a workman had been killed. While the building was being completed a painter fell from a ladder and was fatally injured. The inn was opened with a housewarming. Some of the guests drank too heavily, a quarrel occurred, and the postmaster of the town was stabbed to death. The people advised Walters to get out of it. He looked upon it merely as a run of ill luck and remained until his wife died of typhoid fever. Then he sold the inn to a stranger named Grafton and moved away.

Grafton had a wife and three children, and he had not been in the house a month when two of the children were drowned in the river near by. Fifteen days later the tavern stables were burned to the ground. The man realized that the place was hoodooed and got out of it, and it was taken by another stranger named Eldridge. This owner made a low place of it, but for six months nothing happened to create much gossip. Then Eldridge was killed in a quarrel over cards, and that was the last of the Red Rose inn as an inn. It was offered for sale at almost any price, but the story of its ill luck had gone abroad, and no one would take it. It was finally put to use as a warehouse, but after a fire, which destroyed a portion of the structure, it was left an unoccupied ruin.

It had stood thus for a year or so, an eyesore to the town and a wonder to all strangers, when a man named Cummings came along and made certain inquiries, which at once revived all the gossip. He had a sister married to a man named Drayton. On a certain date the pair had set out from Columbus, O., to drive to a town in Illinois. They had their own carriage, and that they passed through the town of Birnley was proved by the fact that the sister mailed him a letter with the postmark on it. After that letter nothing further was heard from her, though the husband had been seen in one of the territories alone. I was only a boy then, and I cannot remember all the details. I recollect, however, of Cummings explaining that it was not a happy marriage, that the woman had a large amount of money with her and that he was sure the husband had made away with her at some point on the journey.

No one in Birnley recollected the arrival of the couple or anything connected with them—no one but me. It so happened that I was able to furnish information. They arrived at 8 o'clock one evening while there was a circus in town. I had helped the hostler to put out the team and had seen the man and woman at supper. Just at daylight—I having remained with the hostler all night after we had taken in the circus—we were called upon to bring around the team. I saw only the man get into the carriage. I was sure the woman did not depart. When I spoke to the hostler, he took no interest in the matter. When I asked Mr. Eldridge, the second landlord, about it, he replied that of course she went with her husband, though he was stumbling about and half asleep, and I am sure he did not see her. Eldridge had gone, the hostler had gone and I was the only one who could give any details. I remembered and described the two people and the horses and carriage, and Cummings had no doubt that they stopped at the inn. From Birnley he proceeded on his journey west, seeking to pick up the trail. He got trace of the man a dozen times, but the woman had not been seen. After three or four weeks he came back to Birnley with the firm belief that the wife had been murdered there.

There was a river flowing through the town and a millpond below. The first move made was to drag this pond. The work was thoroughly done, and, though all anticipated that a skeleton would be found, nothing of that nature was discovered. There was found, however, a satchel containing female apparel. This had been weighted with bricks and was lying at the bottom of the pond. When the satchel was found, Cummings felt sure he was on the right track, and the rear yard of the inn was explored. Men dug into the ground in 50 different spots, but after a long day's work it became certain that nobody had been buried there. The barns had never been rebuilt after the fire. Cummings hired a dozen men and had the debris removed, but still the search was unsuccessful. He had previously gone over the house, which was little better than a ruin, but now he entered upon a closer investigation. The windows had been broken, doors carried away, and the leaky roof had let in the storms until the floors were rotten. Now and then half a dozen boys entered the house and clambered about, but as a rule it was avoided as an uncanny place. Up to this time no one had hinted at a ghost or strange things, but that was to come.

Mr. Cummings, a constable and myself entered the old inn one evening after supper to make a thorough search. What the brother expected to find he did not say, but he made up his mind that his sister never left Birnley alive. My persistency in declaring that she did not go away with her husband and the fact that the husband left at such an unusual hour probably gave Cummings the idea that she had been made away with during the night.

On entering we mounted to the second story and entered the room the couple had occupied that night. We were standing still and gazing about when there suddenly came a sound as of a woman sobbing. I bolted at once, but the constable followed at my heels, and when Cummings joined us below he was pale and trembling. It was a queer sound we had heard, and after discussing it for a spell the constable went for a Mr. Hastings, who was a justice of the peace. Hastings arrived to ridicule our fears, and together the four of us went up to the room. It was not yet dark outdoors, but very gloomy up there. The justice walked about, knocking and rapping with his cane, and perhaps ten minutes had passed when we heard a noise as of slippered feet crossing the floor, followed by gurgling and sobbing. The sounds were so real and at the same time so uncanny that the four of us made for the stairs at once. When we had got safely down, Cummings said the noises had been produced by the wind and wanted to go back, but no one would go with him. It was agreed to keep the affair a secret and inspect the house next morning, and after breakfast our number was increased to six. The two others were merchants of the town, and they had a hearty laugh at the way we had been driven out.

At half past 8 o'clock in the morning we gathered in that room. Most of the plaster was off, the floor was sinking and cobwebs hung from the corners. Queerly enough, access was had to the garret above through this, the best room in the house. There was the scuttle in the ceiling, with the trapdoor shut down, and I wondered that I had never taken notice of it before. Cummings had just remarked that he would like to take a look up there in the garret when there came a wailing, gurgling sobbing sound which lasted for at least 15 seconds. Every one of us had the same idea about it. It sounded as if a hand had clutched a woman's throat and choked the life out of her.

There was a move for the stairs, and every one's face was as pale as death, but Cummings made a gesture which checked the retreat, and there was a long minute of silence. Then there was heard what might have been called a death rattle—a queer sound to make the flesh creep. After it had died away Cummings said:

"Gentlemen, murder has been done in this house. Let no one go away. We will get a ladder and take a look into the garret."

The constable fetched a ladder, and Cummings was first through the scuttle. The garret was 40 feet long by 20 wide, with the end windows broken out and daylight and sunshine streaming in. There were loose boards over the joists, and the garret was the roosting place of scores of pigeons. For two or three minutes nothing was to be seen. Then Cummings, who had made his way to the west end of the garret, beckoned to us and pointed to an object lying on the laths between the two end joists. It was a bundle of black mold and bones—the skeleton of the missing woman. She had been murdered in the room below and carried up there, and one might have looked into the garret a hundred times without discovering the body. It had been there so long that there was only dust and bones to be gathered up and taken down for identification and burial. The murderer had stripped the body of all clothing, but on one finger had been left a ring, which the brother had given her as a bridal present. There was not the shadow of a doubt as to who the victim was, and so great was the popular excitement over the ghastly noises and the dreadful find that 100 men turned to and pulled the ruins apart and made a big bonfire of the last board. Steps were at once taken to apprehend the murderer, and his trail was followed for many months, but to this day his crime is unpunished.

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The man was a wealthy and still young northern squire, selfish and self indulgent, childless, which was fortunate, for he was unfit to play a father's part, and suddenly widowed. It was to the funeral of the wife that my friend was professionally invited. It had not been a happy marriage. The man was gloomy, not because of the bereavement, but because of the solemnity and seriousness it entailed.

He would have gone away if he had dared and left her relatives to bury her. He did not like them and swore he would not be shut up in a carriage with any one of them—he would ride alone. "No," said my friend, who had great influence over him (as indeed he had over most people with whom he was brought into contact). "You must not do that." There were good reasons why he should not have gone alone. "If you will not go with your relatives, you must go with the clergyman." "The clergyman! Well, if I must, I must, but it will quite spoil my day."—James Payn in Nineteenth Century.

A GOOD STORY.

But the Author Would Be a Poor Man to Write History.

"The most desperate personal act I witnessed during the war was performed by a Wisconsin cavalryman," said C. J. Hilton of Madison. "It was at Fleetwood Hill, and the man discounted the capture made at Ciudad Rodrigo by Charles O'Malley's man, Mickey Free. The Wisconsin man rode out between two great cavalry forces—Union and Confederate—and attacked a lieutenant and two men belonging to Jeb Stuart's force, and after a hand to hand saber fight, lasting fully ten minutes, captured the three and brought them in. It was the prettiest fight of the kind I ever saw, and the Wisconsin trooper was cheered by every man on our side who witnessed his act and by some of Stuart's riders. I don't know who the man was, but my recollection is that he belonged to the Second Wisconsin."

A man who wore the Loyal Legion button said he did not think the Second Wisconsin was in the fight with Stuart at Brandy Station and Fleetwood Hill. He asked for the story, however:

"I was a member of the Eighth New York," said Mr. Hilton, "and our regiment was part of the cavalry command sent under Pleasonton to look up Jeb Stuart just before Gettysburg. We found Stuart—yellow sash, black hat plumes, gold spurs and all that—at Brandy Station, and with him were all his riders. The fight was a hot one, and we came very near being beautifully whipped, although we claimed the victory on the ground that we learned what we wanted to know—where Stuart was and what Lee was about. Some of the heaviest fighting of the day was at a spot called Fleetwood Hill, and it was there that the Wisconsin trooper captured his three men.

"We had been at it hammer and tongs for two or three hours, when there came one of those let ups you all have seen—for all the world like two bulldogs looking for a fresh hold. While both sides were waiting for the order to advance a Confederate lieutenant and two men rode out from their tents, moving toward us as if searching for something on the field. Everybody on our side watched them and wondered what they were looking for. The two lines were fully two-thirds of a mile apart, and the three had got about a third of the way across toward us. Then over on the right of our line was a stir and commotion, and the excitement spread along until it reached us.

"The right of our line was concealed from us by a little grove of oak trees. A trooper in blue, mounted on a big bay that looked and carried himself like a thoroughbred, was riding out to meet those three men in gray. He sat on his horse like a riding school master. When within 100 yards of Stuart's three men he halted, saluted with his saber and dropped his carbine and revolver. The three men from the other side had been watching him, and, understanding the challenge, dropped their arms.

"Then came the fight. It was a saber contest, with three against one. That Wisconsin man disarmed that lieutenant in two passes, hamstrung the horse of another and put his blade through the shoulder of the third. He brought the three into our lines.

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And finds no dark nor flame forsaken space
To fret the beauty of its burning face
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—Edward Cancroft Lefroy, From His Life and Poems.

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Mauritius is the home of romance and a veritable gold mine for the story teller and novel writer. It is the scene of good old Father St. Pierre's "Paul and Virginia," and the visitor to Port Louis, the metropolis and principal seaport, who would attempt to leave the island without driving out and visiting the grave of Paul and Virginia would be considered an unromantic, unsympathetic heathen. It is situated in a peaceful valley and reached by a short drive from the capital.

This little island is one of the most cosmopolitan places in existence. French, English, German, Spanish, Italian and a few American merchants are engaged in business in the bazaars along the water front, while Africans, Malays, Persians, the natives of Madagascar, coolies from the Malabar coast, Moors from the strait of Gibraltar and the natives of upper India elbow each other in the market places, and one hears the language of every land in a half dozen blocks.

The superstitions of every country and the weird tales growing out of the traditions of all lands have been brought to the island, taken root and grown to be observed by the lower classes of all nations, and consequently the island has become the favorite hunting ground of the story teller in search of genuine novelty, particularly in the weird and mysterious vein. Besant and Rice obtained the story of "My Little Girl" from Mauritius. It was here that the story of the "Coco de Mere" had its birth. Here the legend of the enchanted caverns yawning for the reception of shipwrecked sailors, with their two gates, one leading to the celestial empire and the other to hades, is repeated and believed, and those who cross the island to its northern and most inhabited shore can see two great openings, the bottom of each being below the low water mark and the top being high enough to admit the rigging of a sailing vessel, awaiting for him to choose which way he will go, but with no guidepost or trademark to assist him in his choice.

Although the government of Mauritius is English the official language is French, and in order to travel without inconvenience one must speak it well, but in order to get at the weird and mysterious it is necessary to have an interpreter who is an East Indian and who appreciates the value of getting at the bottom of a subject after having once entered into it. While returning from a visit to the famous gardens of Curpaps I halted at a little refreshment house, and in conversation with the proprietor discovered that he was not only an old resident, but a man well versed in the folklore of the island and one who would talk if allowed to.

It is needless to say that I allowed him to, and while we were enjoying some really delicious Manilla cheroots under the shade of a great banyan tree, just back of his house, he told me the following story:

Shortly after it became impossible for many members of the old French nobility to live comfortably in la belle France a country nobleman, accompanied only by the young and beautiful daughter, left the mother country behind and arrived at Port Louis with little excepting the family jewels, plate and honor. The father and daughter brought with them an old priest who had been Ninette's instructor and almost constant companion since the child's dying mother confided her while but a toddling infant to the good old man's care. With a few house servants the count set up a modest establishment on the northern part of the island, purchased a small plantation and began the cultivation of sugar cane, which is the principal industry of the country.

Under the fostering care of her father, the priest and the old family servants Ninette grew to womanhood without having often crossed the boundary lines of the little plantation on which they lived. Her favorite recreation was reading, and she indulged this education of pastime in a bowerlike nook on the very face of the cliff overhanging the ocean. Here she would spend the delightfully balmy afternoons watching the native craft either going to sea, sailing away into the blue distance until their lateen sails looked like the wings of a flock of sea gulls or coming up out of the blue waters of the Indian ocean and growing larger and more distinct until the songs of the native sailors could be distinctly heard in her cliff top nook.

She reached the age of 19 when one morning she encountered a young stranger in the person of the son of a wealthy planter who lived many miles over the other side of the mountain and who, while pursuing his favorite pastime of shooting red winged partridges, had scaled the cliff and, following his dogs, almost stumbled into Ninette's retreat. The young man, after apologising, withdrew hastily, but his dogs, enjoying the caresses of the timid but delighted girl, refused to answer his call, and he was obliged to return to induce them to follow him.

From this incident there grew an acquaintance as carefully conducted as the strictest rules of the old French family conduct would prescribe. And one morning the count was somewhat surprised to receive a visit from the young man's father and mother, who had driven from the extreme end of the island for the purpose of introducing themselves and requesting permission for their son to pay his addresses to Ninette. The motherless child was introduced to the woman who desired to be her mother-at-law and her husband. Family history and family matters were discussed at length, and the planter and his wife did not depart until the desired consent had been obtained. After this the young couple were betrothed, the engagement duly announced, and at the expiration of nearly a year the date of the marriage set and made public, when one day Ninette, while reading in her favorite nook, was overtaken by one of those fierce storms for which the island is famous, and in attempting to regain the top of the hill slipped and fell down through the tangled underbrush, cut and scarred by jagged rocks, to the sands below. Here she was found by friends, who were alarmed at the storm and her absence and started out to search for her.

She was carried home almost lifeless, and for several days hovered between life and death, until the vigor of youth enabled her to recover sufficiently to understand the terrible accident that had befallen her. Her once beautiful features were so cut and scarred that after one horrified look into a hand mirror the poor girl turned away, sent for her father and announced her intention of entering a convent as soon as she was well enough to do so.

The almost distracted lover had ridden over from his mountain home day after day to inquire after her condition. His parents had made repeated calls, and kind hearted strangers hitherto excluded from the count's domain by the cold, exclusive disposition of its owner now came and offered sympathy and assistance daily. As soon as the attending physician decided that Ninette had sufficiently recovered to be able to bear an interview with her lover without serious results the almost frantic young man presented himself, only to be tearfully informed by the old count that his daughter desired him to convey her undying love with every assurance that it would remain unchanged until death, but that as the fearful accident that she had met with had disfigured her so that she was confident she could not survive Henri's expression of horror when he looked upon her poor mutilated features she would beg him to remember her as he saw her last, and that she would ever cherish his memory in the convent retreat that she desired to be conveyed to as soon as her health would permit.

Sadly and silently the young man took his departure, to return two days later, when he came instead of on horseback, as was his wont, in the clumsy old family carriage, from which he was assisted to alight by a favorite servant, when he said to the astonished count: "Take me to your daughter. Tell her that the changes in her features I can never know. She will always be as sweet and beautiful to me as when I saw her last. I shall never see her again, but cannot live without her society. Take me to her. She will see no looks of horror, for I am blind."

Henri, after leaving the count's door, had ridden to his own home, taken a last look at the scene that he had loved since boyhood, and then summoned a Hindoo fakir, and after a long consultation submitted to a painful operation that deprived him of his sight forever. The devotion that could not exist outside the atmosphere of mystery and superstition that hangs heavily over the little island was rewarded, and the descendants of Henri and Ninette now live in the beautiful little valley back of the capital and tell of the veiled woman who conducted the blind planter over his estate, and who was his guide and companion until both were laid to rest near the scene of their first meeting, where a marble tablet set in the side of the cliff marks the spot and makes it almost sacred to the residents of the island.

I returned to the city, and it was several days before I was able to completely shake off the indescribable impression caused by what the old innkeeper stoutly asserted was a true story of the love of Henri and Ninette.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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"Papa, where is John Jay?"

"Oh," said his father gravely, "your horse behaved very badly during the fight. He insisted, like a coward, on taking me to the rear."

The boy looked at him searchingly for an instant. Then his eyes gleamed, and he held up a remonstrant little finger, pointing it at his parent.

"Papa," said he severely, "I know John Jay would never have done that of his own will. It must have been your work."

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HIS HOLINESS DEMANDS SILENCE

After Formally Enjoining Acquiescence in the Decision—An Assassin Kills Actor William Terriss—A Terrible March in the Bara Valley Peace Treaty Signed—Cable News.

Brussels, Dec. 17.—Le Patriote, the Catholic organ, says the Pope's encyclical to the Canadian Bishops is already on route. His Holiness expresses his regret at the existing divisions of opinion and the circumstances accompanying the withdrawal of Monsignor Schrooder. He exhorts both sides to union, charity and the subordination of private interests to the imperious exigencies of the church.

After formally enjoining acquiescence in the decision the Bishops arrived at in the Schrooder case, his Holiness adds:—

"Above all, what I demand is silence. The inflammatory polemics of newspapers rend my heart."

AN ACTOR ASSASSINATED.

William Terriss, a Colleague of Sir Henry Irving, Stabbed in Cold Blood—Details of the Tragedy.

London, Dec. 17.—William Terriss, the well-known actor, was assassinated—being stabbed with a knife—as he was entering the stage door of the Adelphi Theatre last night. His assassin is supposed to be a former super. The latter rushed at the actor as Terriss was stepping across the pavement from his cab and stabbed him just below the heart. As Terris fell his murderer was seized by people who were outside of the theatre. The wounded man was carried into the theatre and doctors were called from the Charing Cross Hospital, but the wound, which was very deep, proved fatal, and the actor expired in fifteen minutes. The assassin had the appearance of a foreigner, and wore a long cloak. Terriss fell shouting: "My God! He stabbed me; don't let him escape!"

The assassin withdrew the dagger and made a second plunge at his victim, but he was seized by the spectators, of which there is always a crowd about the stage entrance to witness the arrival of the actors.

The murderer was taken to Bow Street Police Station, followed by an angry crowd. His name was given as Archer. It is said that he had been a "super" at the Adelphi Theatre several years ago, and for some days past he has haunted the theatre. The motive for the crime is not yet known.

The late William Terris was born on October 18, 1851, in London, and was consequently in his 47th year. He came of an excellent family. His father was a Kentish country gentleman, and his mother a sister of the celebrated historian of Greece, the late George Crote, closely allied to the Earl of Zetland. The real name of the deceased actor was William Lewin.

When Henry Irving, in 1880, made his memorable revival of Romeo and Juliet at the Lyceum Theatre, he invited Mr. Terriss to play Mercutio. Then began an association which continued with the greatest profit to Irving and the greatest eclat to Terris for seven years.

Aguinaldo Orders Philippine Surrender.

Madrid, Dec. 17.—An extraordinary number of the Gazette issued to-day publishes despatches received from Manilla, capital of the Philippine Islands, saying that the insurgent chief Aguinaldo has ordered all his followers to submit and that he and the entire insurgent Government will be allowed to go to Hong Kong.

Inciting the Assassination of the Czar.

London, Dec. 17.—A Russian was remanded at Bow Street Police Court today, charged with issuing a publication inciting the assassination of the Czar. Detective Melville testified to the effect that he arrested the man at the British Museum for endeavoring to persuade several persons, on various occasions, to assassinate the Czar. The name of the prisoner is Vladimer Bourtzeff. Copies of the Naro Do Voletz (the will of the people) in which incriminating articles were published, were found on him, as was also a letter in Russian from America addressed to the prisoner as editor of the Naro Do Voletz.

More Trouble in Hayti.

Port au Prince, Dec. 17.—The population is becoming more excited, instead of calmer, and the Government is preparing to take drastic measures.

At Jacmel a determined, but vain, attempt was made to seize the Government offices.

Radicals Elected in Switzerland.

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 17.—The Federal Assembly has elected Eugene Ruffy to be President of the Confederation. M. Mueller was elected Vice-President. Both President and Vice-President-elect are Radicals.

Japan Will Not Interfere.

Paris, Dec. 17.—The Gaulois prints an interview with the Japanese Minister here, during which he is quoted as declaring that Japan will not take any action with reference to the German occupation of Kiao Chou Bay, without consulting the powers interested in the far East.

Englishmen Have Practically Won.

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 17.—The Australian cricketers at the end of their second innings in the cricket match with the visiting English eleven, which began on Monday, were all out for 408 runs. At the close of the play yesterday the Englishmen, in their second innings, had scored 30 runs for no wickets down, and they have still 65 to make to win, having made 551 wickets in their first innings to the Australians' 237.

Emperor and the Prince.

Rendsburg, Dec. 17.—Emperor William arrived here on board the Deutschland. He went to Friedrichsruhe at seven o'clock an stayed there an hour with Prince Bismarck.

Friedrichsruhe, Dec. 17. — Emperor William and his party were received here by Count von Rantzow, Prince Bismarck's son-in-law, who welcomed his Majesty in the name of the great chancellor. The Emperor and Prince Adalbert proceeded to the castle amid the cheers of the crowd assembled.

WANT RESPITE OF WAR.

The Awful Look of Men Who Want a Respite From War in the Faces of the Soldiers.

London, Dec. 17.—Later details were received to-day of the march of General Westmacott's brigade down the Bara Valley. A despatch from the correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Company at Mamani, dated December 14th, says:—

"The troops had to march in a river bed, 500 yards wide, the stream being swollen with snow. On the right were sheer ranges and bush-covered spurs reaching up to the snow level, on the left were cliffs and all the heights were occupied. The motley baggage train, gaunt, smoke-grimed stretcher bearers, and overloaded ammunition ponies and the crowds of camp followers were all mixed in inextricable confusion, a seething, struggling mass, wading knee and waist deep, urged onward by the knowledge that a relentless foe was in the rear.

"In the faces of all, black and white, was seen the look which indicates that the men have had enough of war and want a respite."

TRIBAL TROUBLE IN PERSIA.

British and Persian Authorities Working Together for Suppression.

Teheran, Dec. 17.—The tribes along the Persian Gulf have for a long time been importing arms and they are now getting dangerous. The British and Persian authorities, co-operating at Bushire, the principal entrepot on the Gulf, have seized 4,000 rifles and a large quantity of ammunition. The confiscated property is valued at £25,000 sterling.

Smuggling Schooner Seized.

North Sydney, N.S., Dec. 17.—Officers Phoran and McDonald seized the schooner John Millard of La Poile, Newfoundland, to-day for smuggling. The vessel had thirteen casks of liquors and ten caddies of tobacco.

A Cattle Steamer Wrecked.

Dublin, Dec. 17.—Terrific weather has been prevailing on the southwest coast of Ireland. A large homeward-bound cattle steamer has been wrecked off the east Stagrock, Skibbereen.

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A CHANGE OF NAME.

The Canadian Government Railway System the New Title of the Intercolonial and Leased Lines.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—The Intercolonial Railway and the Prince Edward Railway, and all the leased lines, will be officially known after January 1st as the Canadian Government Railway System.

HE SHOT HIS BROTHER.

The Jury Pronounces Fred Elliott Guilty of Killing His Brother.

Goderich, Dec. 17.—At the trial of Fred Elliott on a charge of shooting his brother at Bayfield on November 8, yesterday afternoon, the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter, with a recommendation to mercy. William Cameron swore that Harvey Elliott was quarrelsome and that he attacked the prisoner, and that while he was making the attack the fatal shot was fired, but he could not tell who fired it. George Irwin, who was on the opposite side of the road, gave similar testimony.

Lilly Elliott, sister to prisoner and deceased, stated that on the day in question deceased was angry and quarrelsome, and she tried to soothe him without effect. The brothers were not in the habit of quarreling, except when Harvey was under the influence of liquor. She swore that Harvey had struck Fred and that he had also assaulted his father. The prisoner will be sentenced Saturday.

DID HE WANT TO MURDER HER?

A York County Farmer Imprisoned on a Most Serious Charge.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Yesterday County Constables Robert Burns and W. Boyd brought to the cells at the Court House Thomas Hurlburt, farmer, living on lot 81, concession 2, Markham Township. He is charged with having administered poison to his wife, Mary Elizabeth Hurlburt, last month, for the purpose of attempting to murder her.

The couple are young people, Hurlburt being 29 years of age, and have three children, the eldest of whom is ten years old. Hurlburt is a farm laborer. His wife was ill at the time of the alleged offence.

He was brought before Magistrate Ellis this afternoon and remanded until next week.

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JURY COULD NOT AGREE.

Grocer James Scott of Woodstock Charged With Attempting to Defraud.

Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 17.—At the quarter session yesterday James Scott, a well-known grocer, was tried for having sold his stock-in-trade to J. McKenzie for $3,800 abut a year ago for the purpose of defrauding Thomas H. Parker and other creditors. It appears that he paid out the greater part of this sum to his creditors, but did not pay any of it to Parker, who is alleged to have benefitted by payments on prior mortgages to the extent of $700. The judge charged strongly in favor of the defendant, and the jury, after being out four hours, stated they could not agree, and were discharged. They stood ten to two for acquittal.

The Toronto Poultry Show.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—The winter show of the Toronto Poultry Association opened in Massey Hall yesterday. There are 1,618 entries, the largest number ever received by a winter poultry show in Canada. Hon. John Dryden formally opened the show. In the course of his speech he said the poultry industry was the connecting link between city and country. A novel feature of the exhibition is addresses on poultry topics by men qualified to deal with their subjects. The show will be open to the public till Monday evening, Sunday excepted.

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THE DAM BURST.

A Norwood Foundry Washed Away and the Wreck Buried Out of Sight.

Norwood, Ont., Dec. 16.—A flood of water, caused by the breaking away of the dam of James Cummings' woollen mills completely demolished William Nellds' foundry and pump shop here yesterday morning. The tools and machinery were strewn along the track of the current. The boiler has not yet been found. Three bridges and considerable sidewalk were washed away. About 500 cords of wood belonging to Squire Bros. and Finlay & Son, is spread along the banks of the stream for some miles. Other buildings were flooded, but not much damaged.

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FRED ELLIOTT'S FATE

Is Now in the Hands of the Jury at Goderich.

Goderich, Ont., Dec. 16.—The trial of Fred Elliott for shooting his brother at Bayfield on Nov. 8 commenced before Judge Masson yesterday morning. The evidence produced so far is practically the same as that given at the coroner's inquest.

At the conclusion of the examination of Miss Elliott, Mr. Proudfoot, for the defendant, addressed the jury for three-quarters of an hour and was followed by Mr. Lewis, the prosecutor.

His Honor Judge Masson then charged the jury and they retired at 8.30 p.m., and will likely not give their verdict before this morning.

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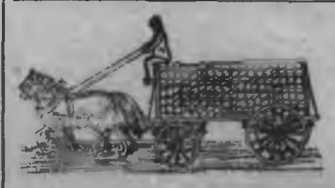

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The Bazaar Concert.

The bazaar in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital and the House of Providence will continue over Saturday in the opera house. An especially good concert programme has been prepared for this evening, for which an admission fee of ten cents only will be charged.

Evolution of the Bible.

The course of lectures to men which are being delivered every Sunday afternoon at 4.30 at St. John's church are so largely attended as to constitute them one of the principal features of the church work this year. On Sunday next Rev. H. Symonds will speak the to meeting on the "The Evolution of the Bible."

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

In Woman's Realm.

The excellence of value, care and taste which mark the display of special holiday goods at Miss Delaney's millinery establishment, is the general talk of the ladies of Peterborough. It would be difficult to give an adequate idea of the charming effects of the many beautiful things on display at this model millinery store. No lady can afford to miss the opportunity of at least seeing what Miss Delaney has prepared, whether they buy or not. Particularly deserving of mention is an exquisite line of fashionable French kid gloves, with fancy backs, tinted chiffon ties, ruchings for evening wear, fancy handkerchiefs, lovely new vellings, swell styles of cuffs pearl trimmings, laces, children's white elderdown jackets, hoods and ruffs; exquisite satin handkerchief cases, hand-painted—all at specially inexpensive prices for Christmas shoppers.

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DEPUTATION RETURNS.

After Interviewing the Commissioner of Crown Lands in Toronto Yesterday.

The mayor, Councillors J. B. McWilliams, H. Best, A. Dawson and A. L. Davis and ex-Councillor E. H. D. Hall returned from Toronto last night, where they interviewed Hon. J. M. Gibson relative to the acquirement by the town of the water front and end slip of water between the C.P.R. spur line and the west bank of the river.

The deputation was introduced to the Commissioner of Crown Lands by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., and was well received by Hon. Mr. Gibson, and as the result of their interview have every expectation of making a satisfactory arrangement with the Government in regard to the water-front privileges which the town is anxious to acquire.

The members of the deputation were delighted with their cordial reception by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

TAKEN TO SMITH'S FALLS.

Arthur Burns Left at Noon With Chief Constable McGowan.

Chief Constable McGowan, of Smith's Falls, arrived in town this morning, and left again on the 11.24 C.P.R. express with the prisoner, Arthur Burns, whom he wanted on a charge of false pretences.

Constable McGowan states that the circumstances of the charge against Burns in Smith's Falls originated in the fact that after he had been discharged from the employ of the C.P.R., he went to a merchant in that town, and representing that he was still with the company and going out on a run that very afternoon, obtained a portion of a suit of clothes on credit.

Hearing of Burn's dismissal shortly afterwards, the merchant immediately put the case in the hands of the police, and they had a lively chase around town after the lad and his chum for an hour or so, but he eluded them and got away, coming to Peterborough, where Constable McGowan wired for his arrest.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Father McCloskey, of Campbellford, was in town yesterday.

Mr. G. F. Jones, of Cobourg, has been appointed Collector of Customs of that port.

Mrs. J. A. Raymond is registered at the Rossin House, Toronto, en route to Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. Jas. Taylor, of Gilmour street, town, who has spent the summer in Ottawa, has returned to pass the winter in town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Graham, of Grand Forks, Minnesota, arrived in town last night on a visit, the guests of Mr. James McCreary.

Mr. P. Boyd Tytler, of the Lindsay branch of the Ontario Bank, is laid up for a few weeks through a sprain which he received. His many Peterborough friends will be sorry to hear of his illness. Mr. Vernon McGill is over in Lindsay on relieving duty.

Fresh Nuts—No. 1 Goods.

Until further notice—new Grenoble walnuts and soft shelled almonds 12 cents a pounds, or two for 23 cents. Sicily filberts 10 cents a pound. Why pay fancy prices to some town groceries for the same goods. WALLER & Co.

Owing to the bad weather in the beginning of the week, the Bazaar will be continued to-morrow all day, closing at 10 o'clock to-morrow night. Great bargains may be expected—everthing at reduced rates.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

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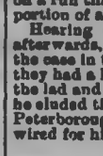

Come and get a glimpse of Toyland in the Peterborough Bookstore. Toys, Dolls and Games, are only a few of the many things in our grand Xmas exposition, but there's a feast of fun for the children, and of gladness for parents and of pleasure for all, to drive away the blues. This is the greatest toy store in town. It is a veritable wonderland for the children, and as interesting to the big folks as to the little ones. Dolldom has full swing—the finest family of dolls to be found anywhere, and all so cheap! Nowhere can such a display of good and useful dolls and toys be seen. It equals in variety and quality any two stores in town, and the prices will be found 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

A CHARMING LECTURE BY MISS FITZGIBBONS.

THE STORY OF LAURA SECORD.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbons' Lecture on a Heroine of the War of 1812—A Large Audience—Good Musical Programme.

A large audience assembled in Association Hall last night to listen to a most interesting and instructive lecture delivered, under the auspices of the Historical Society, by Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbons, of Toronto, who is a pioneer in the promotion of the work of developing the early history of Canada, and who may be regarded as the originator of the Historical Societies, that are now doing such an excellent work, not only in collecting and preserving data referring to the early history of Canada, but also in arousing an interest in the country which is a direct stimulus to patriotic sentiments.

Col. Rogers, president of the Society, occupied the chair and briefly explained the aims and objects of the Town and County of Peterborough Historical Society and mentioned that the present was the first of a series of lectures to be given under its auspices, and intended to promote its objects. He referred to the fact that the Society was fortunate in securing for the opening lecture, a lady who had been most actively and intelligently zealous in fostering a love of research into the early history of Canada.

A committee of ladies had prepared a little musical programme, and the chairman introduced Miss Boyer, who contributed a pianoforte solo in the exceedingly pleasing manner which has made her a favourite in musical circles.

The succeeding number was a soprano solo, which was sung by Mrs. A. G. Parker, with delightful effect and expression.

Miss Fitzgibbon began her lecture, or, as she preferred to have it called, her "talk," on one of the heroines of Canadian history. She paid a compliment to the excellent work of the local society, which she pointed out, had been the first to originate a museum in connection with its work. She spoke in warm terms of the excellent work already accomplished in the short history of the society.

Though her subject was a heroine of Canadian history, yet she was by no means the only one, for there were many who during the troublous time of 1812, showed a patriotism and sacrifice in the interests of the country that entitled them to rank as heroines.

After a brief description of the war of 1812, and a mention of the chief incidents, the speaker came to a critical point in the history of the war, when the only secure point held by the British Canadian forces was Burlington Heights, and the only obstacle that intervened between the American base of supplies and this critical point was the occupation of Beaver Dams. Here lay Col. Fitzgibbon, grandfather of Miss Fitzgibbon, with a small detachment of fifty men from the 49th Regiment. Mrs. Secord lived near Queenston, and had already distinguished herself by rescuing from the field her husband, who had been wounded at the Battle of Queenston. She was a slight frail looking woman, but with a spirit that amply compensated the lack of physical strength and size. The whole Niagara peninsula was at that time in practical possession of the Americans, (except Beaver Dams,) who in preparation for an advance on Burlington by way of the former point, which, owing to the small force, was supposed to be easy prey, took the greatest precautions to conceal their movements, and extraordinary means were employed to prevent the Canadians from giving information. By some means Laura Secord overheard a discussion of the plans for a raid on Beaver Dams, by a force of 500 men from Fort George, and instantly saw the necessity of Col. Fitzgibbon being warned. Leaving her invalided husband, she formed a plan to pass through the American lines. Lightly clad to avoid suspicion, she took her milking pail as if to milk her cow, which, by a clever ruse, she got beyond the lines, and that without exciting suspicion and then began her long and perilious journey through the tangled depths of the unbroken forest, abounding with wild animals and Indians. Miss Fitzgibbon graphically described this heroic journey and told how she reached her journey's end, and accomplished her mission. The lecturer then detailed the subsequent events and the clever capture by Col. Fitzgibbon with only forty-nine men, of the American forces, under command of Col. Boerstler, consisting of 500 men. The strategetic importance of this event, its influence in deciding the war in favour of the Canadians and the credit due to the heroic share of Laura Secord in the event were graphically depicted. Much interest was added the lecture, which, during its course, was amply illustrated by limelight views of the scenes and individuals referred to and connected with the events narrated, including maps. One map was of peculiar origin and interest. This was a copy of the map or diagram used at the trial of Col. Boerstler, the American officer who had surrendered his force of 500 men to Col. Fitzgibbon's 50. It correctly depicted the various roads and distances and made clearly intelligible the route taken by Mrs. Secord on her memorable journey through the forest. Views were also given of Fort George, Fort Erie, Brock's Monument, Laura Secord and her grave, the monument at Beaver Dams, a portrait of Col. Fitzgibbon and Windsor Castle, where, as one of the Knights, he passed his last days. There was also shown the swords presented to Col. Fitzgibbon by Sir Augustus D'Este, son of H. R. H. the Duke of Sussex, who was the Colonel's firm friend. During the course of her remarks Miss Fitzgibbon made a strong appeal in favour of practical efforts being made to preserve the historic remains that were now from lack of care crumbling to decay or being carried away for ordinary building purposes. On the whole Miss Fitzgibbon gave an admirable and most interesting lecture, animated with a spirit of the liveliest patriotism. The address was closed with a warm tribute to the Queen and to Canada.

The views were excellently presented by Mr. R. M. Roy.

At the conclusion of the lecture Mrs. Parker delighted the audience with another vocal solo, for which Miss Dennistoun played the accompaniment, as well as for the first number.

A cordial vote of thanks, moved by Dr. Bell and seconded by Mr. Geo. Dunsford, was tendered Miss Fitzgibbon for her admirable address.

The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem. The society is to be congratulated upon the great success of the first of their series of lectures, which was an inspiration and an encouraging stimulus to greater activity.

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GRAND JURY PRESENTMENT

As Handed in at the Sittings of the County Court.

Appended will be found the presentment of the Grand Jury at the recent sittings of the County Court, which was crowded out of the issue of the date upon which it was handed in:

To His Honour Judge Weller:

We, the members of the Grand Jury of the General Sessions of the County of Peterborough, have discharged the duties imposed upon us as expressed by your Honour and beg leave to report:

1. Your Grand Jury is gratified to state that there is absolutely nothing for us to do at this sittings of this court in the way of criminal investigation. This is the second time this year that a similar satisfactory report has been made in this regard and the court is to be congratulated on this evidence of an absence of crime of a serious nature in the county.

2. Your Grand Jury has visited the gaol, as directed. Accompanied by the gaoler, we investigated every department critically and we are pleased to be able to report that everything pertaining to the comfort, cleanliness and description of the premises was found in a most satisfactory condition.

3. We find at the present time there is one lunatic confined in the gaol. So far as we could judge, he is receiving the best attention such quarters can afford. We are, however, impressed with the fact that the gaol is not a proper place to have this unfortunate class confined. Your Grand Jury would recommend that he should be sent to an asylum for the insane, where he will receive the special treatment which his case demands.

H. P. LINDSAY,
Foreman.

P.S.—We also recommend that a House of Refuge be provided for the deserving poor instead of confining them in the common gaol.

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A Brilliant Opening

CHINA HALL will hold its Christmas Opening on **Thurday and Friday Afternoons, December 16th and 17th.** The stock is the most beautiful and extensive ever shown and we would like every Lady in Peterborough to see it and inspect the different Bargain Tables. No one asked to buy—everyone asked to come.

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GREAT REALIZATION SALE!

Headquarters for Christmas Goods.

BUY USEFUL PRESENTS AT THIS STORE.

We submit the following list for your consideration:—

Scrap Baskets
Work Baskets
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Hair Pin Baskets
Market Baskets
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Wall Pockets
Broom Holders
Lunch Baskets
Flower Baskets
Doll's Cradles
Doll's Carriages
Lined Boxes
Jewel Cases
Handkerchief Boxes
Handkerchiefs
Kid Gloves and Silk Gloves
Ribbons
Laces
Infantees
Bootees
Cashmere Hosiery
Silk Hosiery
Wool Hosiery
Picture Drapes

Table Linens
Table Napkins
Table Covers
Tray Cloths
Doylies
Five o'clock Covers
Pillow Shams
Blankets
Comforters
Lace Curtains
Chenille Curtains
Tapestry Curtains
Carpets
Oilcloths
Millinery
Mantles
Fur Lined Cloaks
Fur Lined Capes
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We guarantee the Prices for the above goods to be LOWER than quoted elsewhere.

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THE SPOT CASH GROCERY!

Succeeding **MR. ALEX. ELLIOTT** at No. 353 George Street, so long and favourably known in the Town and District as the **PALACE GROCERY.**

MESSRS. BLEWETT & MARTIN have pleasure in stating that they have purchased the Grocery Stock of MR. ALEX. ELLIOTT, and on **SATURDAY, DEC. 18th** begin their business connection with the public.

In addition to a first-class stock of General Groceries, we will carry a select stock of Foreign and Domestic Fruits, and Oysters, and everything for the table.

The firm respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage accorded to Mr. Elliott in the past, and cordially invite all others, to whom our methods of doing business will appeal, as being to their interests to trade at the SPOT CASH GROCERY.

WE BUY FOR CASH and SELL FOR CASH, and we shall give our patrons all the benefits of the POWER OF CASH.

The Spot Cash Grocery,

353 GEORGE STREET

(SUCCESSORS TO ALEX. ELLIOTT.)

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"Mr Toady Lion"	*Crockat*	$1.50
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"The Eye of Istar"	*Lequeux*	1.50
"Heart Songs"	*Jean Blewett*	1.00
"To London for Jubilee"	*Kit*	.75
"Sheilah McLeod"	*Boothby*	.75
"They That Sit in Darkness"	*Mackie*	.75
"The Pursuit of the House Boat"	*Bangs*	1.25
"The Potter's Wheel"	*Maclaren*	1.25
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"A March on London	*Henty*	1.25
"The Bether Book"	*Sarah Grand*	.75
"The Dumpies"	*Brownies*	1.25
"Autobiography of a Monkey"		1.25

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The Hymn Books used by

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In his Canadian tour are now on sale at

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416 GEORGE STREET.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

For the Local Branch of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association.

At a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the local branch of the C. M. B. A., on Tuesday evening last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Very Rev D J Casey	Spiritual Adviser
John Coughlin	Chancellor
Thos Cahill	President
A J Gough	1st Vice-President
T Henry	2nd Vice-President
John Coughlin	Rec Sec
T J Doris	Fin Sec
R Carveth	Treasurer
W F Morrow	Asst Secretary
John Sullivan	Marshall
John McCormack	Guard
Trustees—Jas O'Brien, John Simons.	
Jas Bogue	Rep to Convention

A Banker's Experience.

"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Hewson of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne Avenue, Toronto, "It proved effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in troubles of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

A PLEASANT EVENING.

Spent With Mr. Glass by His Sunday School Class.

Last evening the members of the Sunday school class of Mr. Jas. Glass, of the George street Methodist church, to the number of 24, were entertained at Mr. Glass' residence, Aylmer street.

This has been an annual custom of Mr. Glass for some years past, consequently the members of his class look for the event with great anticipation. Mr. Glass is one of the oldest teachers in the Sunday school and is very popular not only with his own class, but with the members and officers of the whole school.

The first half of the evening was spent by the boys in playing crokinole, carpet ball, etc. Then a very excellent repast was partaken of and much enjoyed and appreciated by the young gentlemen, in the dining room.

After luncheon some excellent music was provided by several members of the class. The time from 12 15 till 1 o'clock was spent in the singing of sacred songs. The closing hymn, "God be with you till we meet again," was sung with much fervour by all, and the members of the class then proceeded to get ready to retrace their steps homeward, each and everyone feeling in regard to Mr. Glass that he's a jolly good fellow. When the party reached Mr. Glass' gate three hearty cheers were given for him, Mrs. Glass and all who assisted in giving the boys such a pleasant and profitable evening.

Mr. Glass has always taken the keenest interest in his class, and the boys feel they owe a great deal to him for the kind services he has and is constantly rendering them.

CONCERT AT AUBURN.

In Aid of a Charitable Object—A Most Pleasing Programme.

The charity concert held in the Mission Hall at Auburn last night, was well attended, and a most varied and pleasing programme was presented.

Mayor Yelland occupied the chair, and the best of order prevailed.

The mayor explained the object which the promoters of the entertainment had in view, viz., the relief of an old gentleman who was in destitute circumstances through old age.

The programme opened with a dashing two step on the organ by Mr. John Armstrong, which was followed by a recitation on the Klondyke by Mr. Jesse Spenceley, which caught the crowd. Freddie Gibson sang "A Sweet Bunch of Daisies," so well that he earned an encore. Jimmy Downing's recitation, "Only a Boy," and was well received, as was an instrumental selection on autoharps by Miss and the Messrs. Roberts, the trio receiving an enthusiastic encore.

Mr. C. N. Brown made himself a prime favourite with his inimitable Irish readings. He gave "The Irish Schoolmaster" first, and in response to an encore read "Bridget O'Houlihan's Letter." Mr. J. J. Turner, jr., caught the crowd with his character songs and was most enthusiastically applauded. First as an old gentleman singing a reminiscent song, and afterwards as an Irish comedian. Mr. "Dick" Simons's recitation, "Kelly's Dream," was delightful, and Mr. Wes. Edwards brought down the house in his darkey impersonations.

Mr. Harold Nelles delighted the audience with his spirited rendering of "Im off to Philadelphia in the morning." As an encore number he gave "Tommy Atkins." Mr. George Pratley's typical English Song, "Not for Joe," was one of the best numbers on the programme and called for long and enthusiastic applause. He had to respond to an encore before the audience would let him go.

An interesting dialogue in which the parts were all well taken was given by Miss A. Ellis, Mr. A. E. Frost and Master Ernie Belleghem. A clever instrumental given by Mr. H. Rightmyer was fully appreciated. The second portion of the programme provided for the reappearance of nearly all those who contributed in the first part and the numbers were even more enthusiastically received than the earlier ones.

It is pleasing to announce that quite a sum was realized by the sale of tickets.

COUNTY COURT.

The Jury Disagree in the Illicit Still Case—Conviction Quashed in Wm. McNairn's Appeal.

In the appeal of the Inland Revenue Department from a decision of the County Magistrate in the case in which he dismissed the charge against Michal Conway of allowing an illicit still to be conducted on his premises, the jury disagreed yesterday and the case stands over until the next sittings of the court.

Mr. E. B. Edwards appeared for the Department, and Mr. D. O'Connell for the respondent, Michael Conway.

McNairn vs. Ronsel—This was an appeal from a conviction made by Police Magistrate Dumble against Wm. McNairn, for having kept a place for refreshment within the town of Peterborough, on July 3rd last, without a license. From the evidence it would appear that Mr. McNairn was conducting a lemonade stand on the road dividing the town from the township of Monaghan, on the northern half of the roadway. The police magistrate found that while so conducting a booth he was within the limits of the town, the defendant contending that he was on the dividing line between the two municipalities and was neither in the town or township, and that the roadway was vested in the Crown. After hearing evidence the conviction was quashed on the ground that when the matters complained of took place the defendant was not in the town of Peterborough.

Stratton & Hall for appellant, E. B. Edwards for respondent.

The hearing of the appeal of C. Lesros, against a conviction of Police Magistrate Dumble, on a charge of selling tobacco to a minor, has been postponed until Monday next.

A GOOD IDEA.

To Present a Friend With Ticket for Public Library.

No more pleasing gift can possibly be given at Christmas than a paid up subscription for the year to the Public Library. Every year, just about this time, a large number of tickets are issued for this purpose, and as the library is being constantly enlarged its shelves always possess new attractions.

The following volumes were added this week:—

The Bath Book	*Sarah Grand*
Doomed	*Wise*
Across the Sub-Arctics of Canada	*Tyrrell*
A Son of the Old Dominion	*Harrison*
The Clash of Arms	*Blondelle-Burton*
The Spanish Maid	*Quiller-Couch*
Undaunted	*Metcalfe*
Honours Divided	*Metcalfe*
Many Cargoes	*Jacobs*
The Habitant	*Drummond*

THE PETRIFIED MAN,

one of the most wonderful curiosities of the age, will be on exhibition at the store next north of Kennedy's Meat Shop, No. 342 George Street, to-morrow. Doors open at 9 o'clock a.m. Admission 25 cents. Only one day and evening. Don't fail to see the perfect body of a robust man turned to solid stone.

New Novelties in Neckwear at LeBrun's

If you want to see the newest things out in nobby silk neckwear, fresh from Paris and New York this week, come to H. LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store They were personally selected by Mr. LeBrun for Christmas and New Year's gifts: and are something entirely new in the line of ties, bows, puffs, four-in-hands, knots, scarfs, etc. Particular attention is directed to the new and natty styles brought over from Paris by Mr. Brias, of the firm of Glover & Brias, Montreal, the leading high-class gentlemen's furnishing house of Canada. These ties are swell affects, and are all the rage, being the latest models out in neckwear. See also our large stock of mufflers in silk and Cashmere, also fine silk and linen handkerchiefs in pretty boxes. Select stock of gloves of all kinds, lined and unlined, and the latest novelties in silk braces in boxes, just the thing for holiday gifts. H. LEBRUN & Co.

When Making A Call

Every Gentleman of taste strives to appear at his best, especially during the season of Holiday Visiting.

Many a desirable young man blushes unseen in his "bachelor's den" because he thinks he can't afford the proper apparel, but Our-Before-the-Holiday-Low-Price-Inducements should dispel such ideas. Every Suit and Overcoat we make serves the double purpose of Business and Semi-evening Dress. Cut in the height of fashion, tailored superbly, finished up-to date and priced down to a low Spot Cash basis. They are the very best value in town to-day.

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THE NORWOOD FLOOD DID MUCH DAMAGE.

FURTHER PARTICULARS CONCERNING THE HARM DONE.

An Immense Volume of Water Released by the Breaking Away of the Mill Dam on Wednesday Afternoon Last.

The following further particulars concerning Wednesday's flood in Norwood have been received:

Norwood, Dec. 16th, 1897:—There is an old saying that "misfortune never comes singly," and so far as Norwood is concerned this would seem to be a truism. In a little over twelve months this village has met with three serious losses. On the 20th of November last the Cedar street bridge accident occurred in which Mr. Lesson was injured. This accident cost the village a large sum. On the 20th of April the fire fiend visited us and consumed almost one half of the business portion of the village, causing a very great loss. From the effects of these reverses the village had no sooner began to recover when another calamity has overtaken us.

Shortly after five o'clock on Wednesday morning the dam at Mr. James Cumming's woollen mill broke away at the north-west corner, freeing an immense volume of water, which swept away every vestige of the building occupied by Mr. Wm. Nelld. as a pump factory and machine shop, together with its contents, a portion of Squire Bros.' sheds, bread wagon and a quantity of wood, the Mill street bridge, about 400 cords of wood belonging to Messrs John Finlay & Son, the sidewalk north of the factory, the bridge north of the Baptist church, the footbridge at the skating rink, besides fences and small quantities of wood belng to other parties along the creek.

The machine shop which was owned by Messrs. Squire Bros. was completely demolished, and the boiler and engine which, also belonged to the firm, were carried a considerable distance down the stream. The engine became lodged at the railway bridge, and the boiler was found several hundred yards below.

Mr. Nelld has lost everything—machinery, tools, shop fixtures, stock, etc. Small portions of it may be picked up here and there along the creek, but a great deal of it will never be recovered, and what is found will be almost rendered useless by breakage. A huge iron lathe was found buried in the gravel about 200 yards below the spot where the shop stood. Mr. Nelld's loss is placed at $1,000.

Messrs. Squire Bros' loss will be in the neighborhood of $1,000; Mr. Cumming's loss about $450; Messrs. Finlay & Son will be out at least $150, and the village not less than $300, while minor losses will swell the total to $4,000.

The banks of the river all the way from the mill to the corporation limits are strewn with wood and wreckage.

The council met at 9 a.m. and put men on at once to repair the sidewalks and to replace the bridges.

Messrs. Finlay & Son have a gang of men on gathering up their wood.

Mr. Cumming has men at work repairing the dam.

Active Men Wanted

To read this advertisement and then give Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor a trial. It never fails to cure. Acts in twenty-four hours and causes neither pain nor discomfort. Putnam's Corn Extractor extracts corns. It is the best.

New Footing and Edgings arrived at Mrs. Appleby's 426 Water street.

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety, music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

P. CONNAL & CO.
W. H. HAMILTON.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time ring up telephone No. 92, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

DIED

SMITH.—At Peterborough, on Thursday, 16th December, 1897, Ethel May, third daughter of Mr. George Smith, aged 15 years and 19 days.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 p.m. from the family residence, corner of Park and London st sts.

MOORE—At Peterborough, on Friday, Dec. 17th, 1897, Sarah, wife of Mr. James Moore, aged 68 years.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, from the family residence, 169 Park st sts.

COAL and WOOD

AT LOWEST PRICES.

The Rathbun Company

PETERBOROUGH

Have a large quantity of choice Dry No. 1 Hardwood for sale at unusually Low Prices:

4-Foot Maple.....$4.00 per cord
22-Inch Maple.....$4.00 per cord
4-Foot Tamarac.....$3.25 per cord

SCRANTON COAL.

Egg, Stove and Nut Coal.....CLOSEST CASH PRICES
Imported Pea Coal.....$5.00 per ton

Every Cord of Wood and every Ton of Coal guaranteed full measure and weight. All our Coal is clean and properly screened. Delivered in any part of the Town or Ashburnham and put in with care.

STAR AND ENSIGN PORTLAND CEMENT, LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES and WINDSOR SALT

Constantly in stock at Lowest Quotations.

W. E. SCHUSTER,

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YARDS—Corners Murray, Bethune and McDonnel Streets.

Seasonable Suggestions for Santa Claus Shoppers.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

ELEGANT 'XMAS GIFTS.

HANDSOME NEEDLE WORK. Silk Table Drapes, Silk Piano Drapes, Centrepieces, Tray Cloths, Five o'clocks, Table Covers, Sofa Cushions, Tea Cosies, Fancy Trimmed Articles, Designs in Cold Felts, Linen Work, Crochet Work, Wool Work, Lace Collars, Veilings, Chiffons Embroidered Handkerchiefs. Stamping done to order, and ordered work promptly executed.

FANCY GOODS.—Comb and Brush Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Trays, Tie and Handkerchief Cases, Celluloid Novelties, Ostrich Fans, Photo Frames and Easels, Fancy Tassels, Art Materials, Pin Cushions, Fancy Silks, Braids, Fine Wools, &c., Stamped Goods, Wall Ornaments, Toilet and Perfume Bottles, &c., &c.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

390 GEORGE STREET.

The Mayoralty Contest.

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business menand manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

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For Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat and Bronchitis.

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MADILL'S PULMONIC COUGH SYRUP is UNEQUALLED as a Remedy.

EVERY BOTTLE has a positive guarantee attached Perfectly safe and reliable remedy for child or adult.

A Dose of* Madill's Stomach Pills *taken in connection with the Cough Syrup will hasten the good effect of the Cough Syrup.

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SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect
Shop, 460 George St

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MADAME JABAR has removed to more Central Offices, over the New Bank of Commerce, entrance Hunter Street.

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She knows what trade or profession you are best adapted for. Advice to parents as to the proper culture of and education of children Also to young people on love and marriage

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1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Almond Nuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Cooking Raisins 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Walnuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Table Raisins	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Soft Shell Almond Nuts	.13	1 lb. Blue Bells Currants 8c. or 3½ for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Filbert Nuts	.12	1 lb. Filiabras, 4 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Lemon Peel	.15	1 lb. Cooking Figs 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Cross & Blackwell's Peel	.20	1 lb. Table Figs	.13
1 lb. No. 1 Seeded California Raisins	.12	1 doz. No. 1 Oranges	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins, large	.10	1 doz. No. 1 Lemons	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins 8c. or 3½ for	.25		

A WONDERFUL CHANGE.

Mr. R. Wheatley, of the Department of Militia, Ottawa, says in reference to Doan's Kidney Pills that they are the best remedy he ever tried.

Mr. Wheatley makes the following statement:

"I suffered a great deal for a long time with severe pains in my back over the kidneys, restless, headaches, sleepless and general debility also made life a burden.

"Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try them, seeing that no other remedy had succeeded in my case. Well, from the first a wonderful change took place, and I continued to improve rapidly until, at the end of six weeks, I was cured.

"I now eat well, sleep well, have no pain, dizziness or headache, and am in fact all O. K., thanks to Doan's Pill, which it is needless to say I recommend highly."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists at 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50.

One Laxa-Liver Pill every Night for a Month will Cure Constipation.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The directors of the Cleveland, C. C. and St. Louis have declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent. on the preferred stock, payable January 20th.

At San Francisco yesterday Theodore Durrant was for the fourth time sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Blanche Lamont. January 7 is the date set.

Hon. R. R. Dobell and family have landed at Halifax.

Victoria (B. C.) Presbytery nominates Rev. Dr. Bryce as Moderator of the General Assembly.

Interest in the Luetgert trial at Chicago is petering out. The jury yesterday visited the sausage factory and inspected the vats where the wife is alleged to have been dissolved into nothingness.

G. H. McGlynn, U. S. Deputy Marshal, who arrested George Seymour on Monday night, has received from Binghamton the papers necessary for holding his prisoner on charges of horse stealing and jail breaking.

After an existence of nearly a quarter of a century, the Produce Exchange of Chicago is on the verge of dissolution. At the end of a long and stormy meeting yesterday it was decided to distribute the money in the treasury of the exchange among the members, which is taken to mean that the doom of the organization is sealed.

John Barber, of Simcoe, Ont., was killed yesterday by a cave-in at a well in which he was working. He leaves a wife and family.

Hon. J. C. Patterson, Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba, is a guest of Sir William Meredith at Toronto. Mr. Patterson is on his way to Montreal.

Rev. I. B. Wallwin, of Lucknow, has declined the call extended by the congregation of the Central Methodist church. He will go to Leamington.

Phineas Leach, who looked after the furnace in the Queen's Hotel at Carleton, Ont., knocked a small bit of skin from his knuckle while doing his work the other day and has died from blood poisoning.

The electric railway, barn and five cars were burned at Port Arthur early yesterday morning. The fire is supposed to have started from a live wire. Loss not estimated; insurance $12,000.

The Abbott Bros., of Montreal, have agreed to Kingston's terms and will locate there. They are to spend $950,000 in buildings and plant and to receive a bonus of $50,000, free site and free municipal taxation.

Mrs. McCaugherty, wife of the farm instructor at Kingston Penitentiary, died yesterday of pneumonia. A son is seriously ill with the disease, while a second son is confined in a Watertown, N. Y., hospital.

Burglars carried off a dozen watches and some jewelry from the store of Alex. Henderson at Arnprior on Tuesday night. Several boarders at the Campbell House were robbed of their cash also the same night. No arrests.

Rev. Robert Johnston, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in London, Ont., spoke at a Christian Endeavor convention in Baltimore, Md., recently, and now the Central Presbyterian church of that city wants him to become its pastor.

John Botterell and Peter Blakeley Kingston Penitentiary convicts, who tried to skip out, were tried in the County Court at Kingston yesterday and had a year each added to their sentences. John Welch, who also tried to get away, had two years tacked on to his term.

The two most critical times in a woman's life are the times which make the girl a woman, and the woman a mother. At these times, Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription is of incalculable value. It strengthens and invigorates the organs distinctly feminine, promotes regularity of the functions, allays irritation and inflammation, checks unnatural exhausting drains, and puts the whole delicate organism into perfect condition. Almost all the ills of womankind are traceable to some form of what is known as "female" complaint. There are not three cases in a hundred of woman's peculiar diseases that Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription will not cure.

True Bill for Manslaughter.

Goderich, Dec. 15.—In the Queen v. Frederick Elliott, charged with shooting his brother at Bayfield, Nov. 8, the grand jury, after being out for an hour and a half, brought in a true bill for manslaughter, and the case will commence this morning when court opens.

After Typhoid Fever.

"After I had typhoid fever kidney troubles ensued. I had terrible pains in my back, head and shoulders, and felt tired, drowsy and dragged out and had annoying urinary troubles. I have grown daily better since I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have no pains of any kind, sleep well, feel rested; and the urinary troubles have completely disappeared." J. W. Douglas, Port Hope.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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STRIKE SETTLEMENT HOPEFUL.

The Bara Valley Fight was of the Most Desperate Description—When the British Had an Equal Chance With the Enemy They Punished Them Severely.

London Dec. 16.—During the course of yesterday's enquiry into the recent great fire in the Cripple Gate district of London, the City Solicitor, Mr. Henry Crawford, said the inquest had assumed grave importance. The expert evidence, he said, had proved that the fire was not accidental, and the evidence agreed that the fire was started in a stack of clothing in Waller & Brown's showroom. Mr. Brown, he added, could not escape the fact that he was the only person in the showroom just prior to the outbreak, and it was only fair to state that Mr. Brown was perfectly willing to re-enter the witness box and give any further details he could on the subject.

HE FOUGHT IN CANADA.

General Sir Henry Lynedoch Gardiner Has Crossed the Bar.

London, Dec. 16.—General Sir Henry Lynedoch Gardiner is dead. He had been, since the early part of last year, commander of the Horse Artillery, and was born in 1820. He was a son of General Sir Robert Gardiner, was educated at the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich, and entered the Royal Artillery 1837, serving at Prescott, Canada, in that year, and in the Canadian rebellion in the year following. In 1861 he was on the Royal Commission on Defence of Canada as a lieutenant-colonel.

THE BARA VALLEY FIGHT.

The Tribesmen Lose 400 Men to the Deadly Fire of British Rifles.

Simla, Dec. 16.—Further details from the front regarding the march of General Westmacott's brigade down the Bara Valley show it to have been accompanied by the most desperate fighting. The enemy exposed themselves in their efforts to cut off the rear guard, and poured in a constant rifle fire, in replying to which the British troops exhausted their pouches of ammunition. While the rear guard was worn out by constant attacks and in a difficult position, the enemy made the coup of the campaign by an open rush. The tired soldiers stood firm, and withering, independent fire swept the advancing tribesmen, who charged almost to the bayonet's point, wavered and retreated to cover. The action recommenced with the rising of the moon.

The British troops behaved splendidly, and inflicted the most severe punishment the enemy has yet sustained. Fully 400 men fell.

LOOKS MORE HOPEFUL.

The Combined Committee Said to Have Arrived at an Agreement.

London, Dec. 16.—The conference between the Amalgamated Society of Engineers and the Employers' Federation was resumed yesterday. It was expected that the result of the ballot taken to decide whether the masters proposal should be accepted would lead to a rupture of the negotiations for the settlement of the strike, the men having voted overwhelmingly against accepting the terms of their employers.

This, however, was not the case, and at the meeting the employers adopted an attitude that was more conciliatory than that assumed by them prior to the taking of the ballot. They submitted a further explanation of their position, and both sides displayed throughout the meeting a more reasonable spirit. The discussion resulted in a substantial advance toward a settlement of the dispute.

The aspect of the dispute is even more hopeful to-day. It is understood that the combine committee of masters and men has arrived at an agreement as to the three leading points in dispute, freedom of employment piece work and overtime. When the remainder of the points have been settled the committee will report to the conference for approval.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13 h.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

True Bills Returned.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—The grand jury at the Sessions have brought in true bills against the Toronto & Mimico Electric Light and Railway Company and the Metropolitan Railway Company for "disobedience of statute." They ran cars on Sunday. A true bill was also returned against George Beatty, charged with aggravated assault.

Popular Hotel Man.

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and head which caused me much annoyance. After trying many remedies without benefit I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped me and I took four bottles. I am now completly cured." JAMES REILLEX, Proprietor Chapman House, Sarnia, Ont.

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Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

TO RE-OPEN KYBER PASS.

Sir William Lockhart Will Send a Force to Accomplish the Work.

Simla, Dec. 16.—General Sir William Lockhart, the British Commander-in-Chief, has decided to send a column of troops to reopen the Khyber Pass, marching up from Jamurd. Then, from Ali Musjid, the column will descend into the Bazaar Valley and punish the tribesmen in that district.

Britain Will Not Change.

London, Dec. 16.—The correspondent of the New York Sun telegraphed his paper to-day that the Government is in consultation with the Government of Canada in regard to the question of suspending pelagic sealing for a year. There is no indication of Great Britain moderating her attitude in the matter.

Greece Asks Delay.

Constantinople, Dec. 16.—The Greek Government has requested a month's extension of the term fixed upon for ratifying the treaty of peace with Turkey. The members of the diplomatic corps are much surprised at this request, and the Turkish officials declare it is unwarranted and unacceptable.

The Queen Regent Christina of Spain yesterday received General Weyler, the former Captain-General of Cuba.

A Triangular Fight.

Alexandria, Dec. 16. — Yesterday a meeting of Patrons and other independents met and nominated, almost unanimously, Mr. D. M. McPherson, the present M.P.P. The nomination of this convention leaves in the field three candidates—Dr. Macdonald (Con.), Mr. D. C. McRae (Lib.) and Mr. D. M. McPherson (Patron).

Paint Your Cheek.

Not with paint on outside that is easily washed off. Put the color on from within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks with rich red blood. It is a color that stays too.

The Defunct Farmers' Loan Co.

Toronto, Dec. 16.—Master in Ordinary Hodgins yesterday appointed the Toronto General Trusts Co. to liquidate the estate of the defunct Farmers' Loan and Savings Co. There will be two advising committees of four members each to act in conjunction with the liquidators, one appointed by the shareholders, the other by the debenture-holders. This was the method observed in the winding up of the Central Bank.

According to Mr. Osler, the interim liquidator, the liabilities amount to $1,406,503.05, the assets to $1,789,000, but "there has not been time to verify these figures." They were taken from the company's books. Hon. Mr. Mulock, in a statement, denied all the charges of unloading brought against him, and Mr. E. B. Osler corroborated.

Belgium's Consul-General.

New York, Dec. 16.—Among the passengers who arrived yesterday on the steamer Friesland, from Antwerp, was Jules de Bertrand do Fancouval, Belgian Consul-General to Canada.

DR. CHASE'S REMEDIES

Some of their Remarkable Cures.

E. J. Lasalle, Dunnville, Ont.—Cured of severe Kidney and Bladder Trouble by Chase's K.-L. Pills, a cure that created a sensation.

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R. D. Robbins, 148 Cowan Ave., Toronto, Ont.—Cured of an Eczematous Sore extending from knee to ankle. Eight doctors failed. Dr. Chase's Ointment cured.

Miss Anna A. Howey, Eden, Ont.—Cured of Catarrh of 10 years' standing and Catarrhal Sore Throat by Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

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Choice selections in Solitaire Rings, Ruby and Diamond, Sapphire and Diamond, Diamond Stars, Crescents and Sunbursts.

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Sensible Gifts to go to thousands of homes at prices figured down to the lowest notch of economy. Guaranteed goods.

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Ladies' China Satin Lined Jewel Cases and Trays, Celluloid Brush and Comb Sets, Fine Brassware, Artistic Brass and China Decorated Lamps, Brass and Onyx Top Tables, Japanese China ware, Fine Art Medallions, Leather Goods of all kinds, Portfolios, Music Cases, Letter Cases, and a Royal Stock of Ladies' and Misses' Purses, Pocket Books, Card Cases, etc.

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Which form a large part of the Xmas trade, you would wonder how such pretty tokens of friendship could be purchased for the price we ask:—Cigar Holders, Cigar Cutters, Match Boxes, Shirt Studs and Links, Knives and Erasers, Scarf Pins, Mirrors, Bracelets, Brooches, Pins, Thimbles, Combs, Hair Brushes, Manicure Sets, Bouquet Holders, Chains and Fobs, Fern Dishes and Pots, Opera Glasses and Fans, Puff Boxes, etc., etc.

Optical Department--

A large assortment of Gold and Silver, Steel, Shell and other materials of Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Oculists Prescriptions carefully ground and filled. Work guaranteed absolutely reliable. Adjusting Spectacles to suit the various conditions of sight our Specialty. Lorgnettes, Thermometers, Microscopes.

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— 1896. —

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NAMES.	Incomes 1896.	Incomes 1896.	Increase
Temperance and General	$ 142.449	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined, $295,178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the **Government Superintendent of Insurance**, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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No woman can hope to be a contented wife, the mistress of a happy home and the mother of healthy children who suffers from weakness and disease of the delicate organs that are distinctly feminine. All the air castles that she builds will crumble into dust, unless she takes measures to correct the disorders from which she suffers. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive cure for all disorders of these most sensitive organs. It makes them strong, healthy and vigorous. It prepares a woman for happy wifehood and healthy motherhood. It robs maternity of its peril and of nearly all pain. It insures children with strong, healthy constitutions. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits. For nursing mothers it is the best supportive tonic.

When a dealer urges some substitute he's thinking of the larger profit he'll make—not of your welfare.

"About six years ago my wife became afflicted with displacement, causing inflammation and much pain," writes Rev. I. J. Coppedge, of Elmo, Kaufman Co., Texas. "She could not stand on her feet or get in any position but what she suffered great bearing down pain. I got her a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which she soon found was helping her; so she kept on until she had taken six bottles. Since taking the last she has not suffered a moment from the old trouble."

OUR OWN.

If I had known in the morning
How wearily all the day
The words unkind would trouble my mind
That I said when you went away,
I had been more careful, darling,
Nor given you needless pain,
But we vex our own with look and tone
We may never take back again.

For, though in the quiet evening
You may give me the kiss of peace,
Yet it well might be that never for me
The pain of the heart should cease!
How many go forth at morning
Who never come home at night!
And hearts have broken for harsh words spoken
That sorrow can ne'er set right.

We have careful thought for the stranger
And smiles for the some time guest,
But oft for our own the bitter tone,
Though we love our own the best.
Ah, lips with the curve impatient,
Ah, brow with the shade of scorn,
'Twere a cruel fate were the night too late
To undo the work of the morn!

—Margaret E. Sangster.

SAWING UP A LOG.

How Planks Are Cut Into Shape In a Great Western Sawmill.

W. S. Harwood contributes "The Story of a Pine Board" to St. Nicholas. After telling of the cutting down of the tree and its progress from the forest to the mill Mr. Harwood says:

Up from the yellowish brown depths of the slow moving river flowing so steadily on its way to the sea comes a huge, dark brown thing with a shining, dripping coat. It is our log, entering upon its last stage. It passes at once up a long incline called the "slit"—a trench of wood about eight inches deep and two feet wide at the top, so hollowed out that the largest log will lie in it securely as it is being drawn up the incline by the stout chains with which the slit is equipped. Projecting pieces of steel on this chain serve to keep the log steady, its great weight, causing it to sink upon these pieces of steel, which are like sharp teeth. A workman, standing at the side of the slit, by means of a lever throws up two powerful steel pointed arms, which lift the logs out of the slit and throw them upon tables, from which they are rolled down to the carriage which leads to the saws. When the log reaches the carriage, it is thrown upon the framework by the "nigger"—a long, ratcheted timber or piece of steel. This framework is like a section of an ordinary flat car running on a regular railroad track. Two men stand on the moving carriage and at a signal from the head sawyer, who directs the cutting of the log, regulate the thickness of the plank or board by the levers of the carriage.

When the log has been adjusted, it rapidly advances to the saw, and in a very few seconds its water soaked sides have been trimmed by the sharp teeth. The carriage flies back to the starting place with the swiftness of the wind, and it is enough to make one shudder to see it go. You expect every instant that one of the men will be thrown off and terribly injured. They learn to balance themselves, however, though there are frequent accidents. One instant of inattention on the part of the head sawyer, who regulates the speed of the carriage by his lever, would send the carriage flying back to the end of the mill with tremendous force and probably kill both of the men. One of the men on the carriage, called the "setter," fixes the width of the board to be sawed on signal from the head sawyer; the other man is the second sawyer.

As I *stood one day in one of these* mills, watching the men flying forth and back on the narrow carriage, and almost expecting that one or both of them would be thrown off in the swiftness of their flight, I took out my watch and timed them, and I found that they traveled on an average on this little railroad not more than 20 feet long, 168,000 feet a day, or about 31 miles.

On Ships' Beds.

The Arundel Castle is the finest boat I have seen in these seas. She is thoroughly modern, and that statement covers a great deal of ground. She has the usual defect, the common defect, the universal defect, the defect that has never been missing from any ship that ever sailed—she has imperfect beds. Many ships have good beds, but no ship has very good ones. In the matter of beds all ships have been badly edited, ignorantly edited, from the beginning. The selection of the beds is given to some hearty, strong backed, self made man, when it ought to be given to a frail woman accustomed from girlhood to backaches and insomnia. Nothing is so rare on either side of the ocean as a perfect bed; nothing is so difficult to make. Some of the hotels on both sides provide it, but no ship ever does or ever did. In Noah's ark the beds were simply scandalous. Noah set the fashion, and it will endure in one degree of modification or another until the next flood. —"Following the Equator," by Mark Twain, in McClure's.

His Bluff.

When the young man called to ask for the old man's daughter, the latter naturally thought it was necessary to put up a good bluff, that being the usual method of procedure. Consequently he looked solemn, coughed once or twice as a sort of preliminary, communed with himself a minute or two, coughed again and asked:

"Can you support her in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"If I couldn't," returned the young man promptly, "I ought to be ashamed of myself."

The old man's bluff was called.—Chicago Post.

Smoking in Germany is not a pastime. It is an art, and an art that has grouped about it a respectable number of industries. Every smoker carries a cigar case, a cigar clipper, matchbox and usually a little leather box for the cigar tips. The tips are collected by a society organized for the purpose in each province and are sold to the manufacturer for the benefit of charitable institutions.

"Only nervous" is a sure indication that the blood is not pure. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures nervousness.

ABOUT THE WEATHER.

Mr. Wingleby Explains to Georgie About the Seasons.

"You see, Georgie," said Mr. Wingleby, whose youthful son had asked him how we came to have different kinds of weather, "the weather is put up in tin cans, a day's weather to a can, and usually they put up about a year's supply ahead, enough to last through a spring, summer, autumn and winter. In filling the cans they sort it all out as well as possible. Sometimes when they get a can full there may be a little left over, and whatever remains in this way they throw into one lot. When they've got pretty nearly all the cans full and the regular stock of weather has run out, they fill up from that lot of odds and ends. The cans so filled contain what is called variable weather, because it's mixed, but most of the weather they get pretty well sorted out according to the season.

"When they've got all the cans filled, they stack 'em up where they'll be handy to get at, and there's a man that does nothing but open them. Every day he cuts a can and pours out the weather for that day, and of course a great deal depends upon him. Sometimes this man gets careless and pulls down a lot of the wrong cans, getting them, say, from the July shelf in the month of April and likely as not getting down a week's supply at once, so as to have them handy on the opening table. Of course he discovers his mistake the first can he opens, but he is too lazy to put the rest back, and so he keeps on then until he has opened them all, and that's how it comes about, as it sometimes does, that we get a hot spell at a season when we ought to have nothing but cool weather.

"But of course those April cans are not lost. They must be around somewhere, and we get 'em later. Maybe the man will sprinkle them along with the hope that we won't notice them much, but as likely as not he opens them one after another together, maybe after some terribly hot spell in July or August, when they are sure to be a blessed relief, and if he does this we are pretty apt to forgive him his mistake in April."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 16.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with little change in prices. Straight rollers quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was firmer, with sales of red winter at 81c to 81½c, high freights. Spring is quoted at 82c on Midland, and goose at 76c to 77c Midland. No. 1 Manitoba, hard sold at 90c, Fort William, and at 91c, Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 sold at 25c west.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 24c to 23½c west, and at 24c on Midland; mixed, 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44½c north and west, and at 45c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 33c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is steady, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c to 43½c, high freights, and at 44c to 44½c, middle freights.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 25c west for new, and at 28c for old.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3 to $3.15 for cars on track.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7½c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8½c to 9½c. Mess pork, $13.75 to $14; do. short cut, $13 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $12.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6⅝c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 13c to 14c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

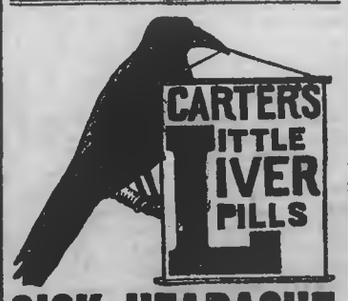
WOOL—There is very little doing. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 15.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8½d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 23s 3d; bacon, heavy, fc., 31s 0d; do., light, 30s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat on passage quiet and steady. English country markets quiet and steady. Maize on passage dull for American and firm for Danube.

Paris—Wheat 20f 15c for Jan. Flour 61f 5c for Jan. French country markets quiet.



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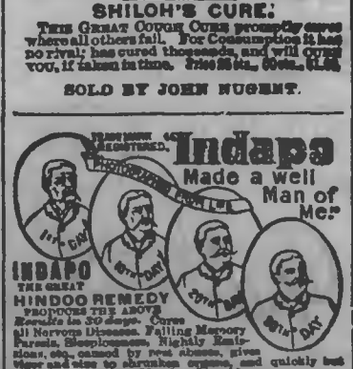
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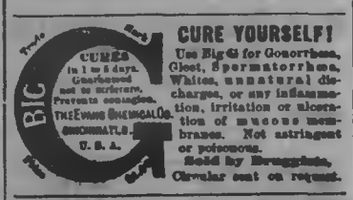

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Cures Constipation, Sick Headache Indigestion and Dyspepsia; clears the skin and insures a beautiful Complexion.

Mrs. J. W. Beaven, of Hespeler, says;

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Mrs. Margaret McIntyre, of Wallacetown, says;

I have had a bottle of Sloan's Indian Tonic and believe it has cured my liver. I have not yet used one bottle, and I have now no pain or ache so far, so I consider it my duty to recommend it to all whom I know need it. You can use my name if you wish in recommending it. I was ailing over thirty years, and my age is 73.

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He won't use it, because its "shine" lasts too long, and seems too simple. 'Pays him better to use a wax pore-filler, and polish up a previous polish. Paid by the week, instead of by the pair, he'd shine the actual leather, hard and smooth surfaced, with

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Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

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AT A MODERATE PRICE.

The element of permanence which attaches to the erection of any memorial to the dead renders it highly desirable that no mistake be made in the selection either of design or of material.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a QUARTERLY DIVIDEND for the three (3) months ending 31st December, 1897, at the rate of SIX PER CENT (6%) PER ANNUM, has this day been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Monday, 3rd Day of January 1898. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to to the 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

E. R. WOOD, MANAGER.

Toronto, 6th December, 1897.

Peterborough Light and Power COMPANY, Limited.

Gas at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.

Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum.

Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at 2 cents per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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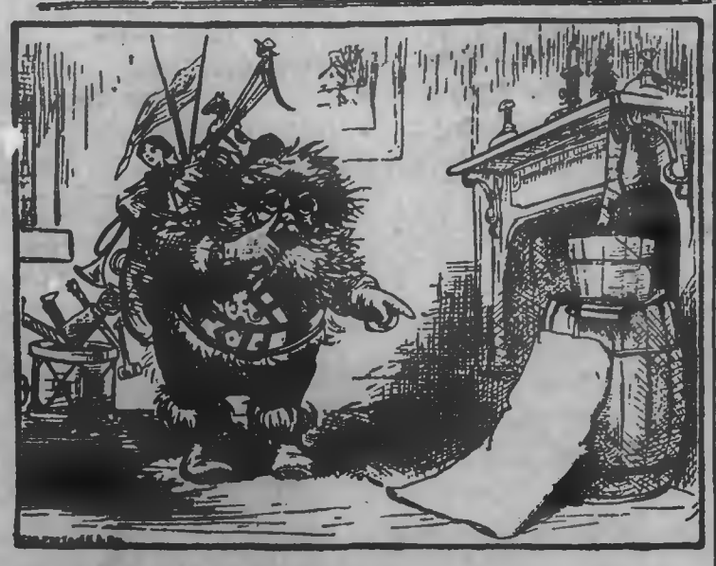

A TALE OF CHIMNEYS AND ST. NICK

Chimneys narrow, chimneys crooked, chimneys covered and small and smoky and tall—everyone has puzzled old Santa Claus until he reached the right one—the easy chimney that's square and wide and low—down which he comes. The moral of all this is that buyers are apt to be bewildered until they reach our store when the buying of Seasonable Gifts is made easy with goods that are "square," with assortment that is "wide" and with prices that are "low."

Furs Are Never Out of Fashion

Styles may come and styles may go, as the poet remarks, but Furs are good forever—practically speaking—if you buy them from a reliable Fur Store.

Nothing equals Furs for a Xmas Present—an article of Fur is the the most satisfying thing that can be given.

Ours is the Place to Get Furs... For out of our large stock you will satisfy yourself in **Gauntlets, Neck Ruffs, Muffs, Caperines, Cloaks, Wraps, Jackets,** etc.—in any style, and really at about any price—the variety is so large.

Give Furs for Xmas

and visit our store for their purchhse—it will surprise you what your $1.00 or $3.00 will buy.

FAIRWEATHER & Co

E.L. OF C.E. OFFICERS

Of the Charlotte Street Church Branch Elected on Monday.

On Monday evening the Charlotte street Methodist E.L. of C.E. held their annual meeting and officers were elected for the following year as appended :—

Honorary President—Rev. D. O. Crossley.
President—Mr. G. J. Tovey.
1st Vice-President—Mr. H. Godwin.
2nd Vice-President—Miss M. Collins.
3rd Vice-President—Miss M. Sherlock.
4th Vice-President—Mr. P. Hamilton.
Treasurer—Miss E. Thomas.
Recording Secretary—Miss M. Stock.
Corresponding Secretary—Miss E. Goard.
Pianist—Miss N. Brisbin.
Leader of Choir—Mr. J. E. Steers.

All the members of the League are requested to be in attendance on Monday evening, as the Ashburnham Society is expected to be present and take full charge of the meeting.

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

Mr. Wm. Wand, who has been ailing for some time, was taken to the Nicholl's Hospital last Monday, where he is to undergo a surgical operation. We hope it may prove successful as Mr. Wand is one of our best citizens.

Mr. John Livick, Stewart Street, who has been laid up for for a few weeks, is still confined to his room, with very little change for the better. His friends are very much alarmed at his condition.

Matrimony is receiving its just and proper attention. Only wait until about Christmas for full developments. Two or three weddings are expected to come off about that time if every night in the week and all day Sunday will accomplish it.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Laveque, centre forward of the Winnipegs, is reported to be as fast as lightning and to be untrippable. He wears an iron mask over his eyes to protect them from injury. All the Winnipeggers have box toes on their hockey boots with a steel protection. The team will travel in a special car, and have been guaranteed games in Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, New York, Chicago and Minneapolis. Three matches will be played in New York.

The star performers who intend playing one night stands throughout Ontario are laying up a heap of trouble for themselves.

Coldwater and Waubaushene have entered into the junior series of the O. H. A. Orillia, Collingwood and Barrie have decided to go into the intermediate division.

The engineers of the O. H. A. mean business and many a "promising player," who had migrated for the sake of an easy job, will be called upon to show how it was done.

Ham. Baker, the goal keeper of the Winnipegs, is touted as a wonder. It is said that he can catch the puck on his stick and throw it the length of the rink lacrosse fashion.

Cut by a Scythe.

"I have used 'Quickcure' for many accidents this summer," writes Dr. S. J. Andres, of Montreal. One very bad cut from a scythe was healed in a wonderfully short time—in one week the cure was complete. For burns and sores, it is really far better than any other remedy I know of."

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

CHEESE FACTORY REPORTS.

The Annual Meetings of the Local Factories—Results of the Season's Operations.

Young's Point Cheese Factory.

The following is a report of the Young's Point cheese factory for the year, 1897:

Month.	No. lbs. of cheese.	No. lbs. Milk.	No. lbs. B. F.	Av. Price of Cheese.	Expense of manufacturing, etc.	Price per lb. B.F.	Value to Patrons.	Gross Value.
May	9,005	98,070	3,451.77					
June	13,161	136,891	4,630.51					
July	12,906	149,213	4,883.55					
August	12,782	127,345	4,639.38					
September	13,631	136,627	4,694.47					
October	11,3042	111,023	4,215.90					
Totals	71,573	763,369	26,645.08	8.6	$1,050 27	$113 96	$2,292 31	$3,456 54
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—AT—

The Golden Lion

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Marvellous Assortment—Economical Prices

FOR HOLIDAY DRESS GOODS BUYING.

The most we can say for this extraordinary offering is that it comprises the richest Novelties possible for mercantile skill to bring before a public at such trifling prices. The Great Reduction Sale of High-Class Black and Coloured Dress Goods and Costumes are alone sufficient to attract enormous crowds:—

Economical Cloak Prices for Holiday Trading.

Values that need but to be compared to set the mind at ease.

Millinery Mid-Winter Productions.

Both Evening and Street Bonnets have occupied the attention of our Milliner for the exhibit.

The Prices at which the beautiful collection will be sold are not as Millinery Prices go, but on the close margin plan.

It's Fair's Way.

The Holiday and Novelty Departments

Grow more interesting each succeeding day. There are two reasons for this—First, the line comprises the most complete assortment we have ever shown. Second, importing them direct enables us to create a vast saving for

FOR $3.00 A lot of Ladies' Fancy Tweed Coats, very special, formerly sold at $7.50.

FOR $5 00 A lot of Ladies' German Tweed Coats, perfect fitting garments, formerly sold as $8.50.

FOR $6 25 A lot of Tailor-made German Coats, well finished, formerly sold at $10.

FOR $8 50 Ladies' Stylish Rough Frieze Cloth Coats, formerly sold as $12.50.

FOR $4.00 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, formerly sold at $6.50.

FOR $8.50 Ladies' Black Golf Capes, Lined with black and white checks, formerly sold for $12.50.

FOR $7.50 Ladies Coloured Golf Capes, formerly sold at $9.50.

The stream of buyers, and that news of economy is rapidly spreading. Where can you find other Holiday Novelties equal to those of this store.

Initialed Hem-stitched Silk Handkerchiefs, 20c, 35c and 50c.

Hem-stitched Lawn and Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c.

Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, up to 75c.

Black and Coloured French Kid Gloves, worth $1.00 and $1.25, only 50c per pair.

Feather Ruffs and Boas, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Jewel Boxes, 15c, 20c and 25c.

Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, leather covered, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 per set.

Bouquet Holders, 10c and 15c the piece.

Toilet Sets, worth $1.50 for 75c.

Lovely Toilet Mirrors, 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c each.

Triple Plate Silver Drinking Cup, worth 40c, selling at 25c.

New Evening Silks, just imported, worth $1 00 selling at 75c.

Table Cloths, $1.00 and $1.25.

Table Napkins, ¾ size, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 per dozen.

Uncovered Tea Cozies, 50c and 65c.

Doylies, Pillow Shams, Cushions, Comfortables, are all included in this Holiday offering.

In the Carpet and Housefurnishings Dep't.

Are shown many articles suitable for Xmas Gifts, embracing Rugs, Mats, Squares, Curtains, Portieres, Draping Silks.

Gentlemen's Furnishings Department

Is teeming with very special and attractive assortments of Ties, Suspenders, Scarfs, Collars, Cuffs, Dress Shirts, Hosiery and Gloves.

A special offering in these lines is a lot of Gentlemen's English Leather Gloves, worth $1.25, for 75c the pair.

Before deciding what to buy before Xmas, come and interview us. We can be of help to you in suggesting even if not in our line.

These Bargains are not for town folks only. Those living at a distance can buy with equal advantage. Our Mail Order Department gives prompt and careful attention to all requests or orders.

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FOR

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A 'XMAS SALE

With Every Price Lowered During the Holidays.

Dress Lengths,
Silks for Waists,
Evening Dress Goods,
Shoulder Shawls,
Fascinators,
Kid Gloves, special.
Silk Handkerchiefs,
Irish Linen Handkerchiefs,
Chiffon Neckwear,
Scarfs and Cuffs,
Gentlemen's Furnishings,
Underwear and Hosiery,
Fancy Novelties.

An irresistable selection of Handkerchief Cases, Neckwear Cases, Shaving Cases, Fancy Mirrors, Photo Frames and many other Fancy Articles for Santa Claus shoppers.

Millinery,
Trimmed Hats,
Children's Wear, &c.

With our many attractions we can satisfy the most varied demands.

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A Man's Wife

Could not get a more acceptable Xmas Present than a Cosy Home of her own. We have them in great variety in all parts of Town and Ashburnham, and our long experience enables us to make VERY Easy Terms for our patrons. It will pay you to come in and talk matters over—no cost, and yet may be very valuable. We solicit calls from all who want to sell as well as from those who want to buy.

OFFICE HOURS 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. T. HURLEY & CO. Near Post OFFICE.

HOLIDAY SALE

—OF—

Millinery and Mantles

During the month of December while thoughts are being turned towards Christmas, we will hold a Special Reduction Sale of every line of goods in our store. Every day of the week we will offer Bargain inducements to the Ladies to get what they want before Christmas at very low prices, as we must effect a clearance of our stock before the New Year:—

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats
Latest Pattern Bonnets
Millinery Trimmings
Stylish Mantles
Fancy Dress Goods
Dress Trimmings
Corsets, Hosiery and Vellings
Chiffons, Laces, Collars, Cuffs
Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.

REDUCED MUCH BELOW THEIR VALUE. This store always satisfies regular customers and this Sale will bring new customers, who have seen what others bought and appreciate our store.

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The Holiday Dream

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It occupies the mind of every Hearty Giver. This store is proving its advantages every day as a Mecca for Elite Holiday Gifts.

When you are planning your purchases remember that CLARKE & GIBSON has an exhaustless stock of the very choicest of—

Xmas and New Year's Gifts

For Grown People and for Young People

More goods to choose from than in all the years past; and, better still: We link ECONOMY with our vast collection.

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What Will You Have

Fancy Clocks
Watches
Diamonds
Rings
Bracelets
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Silver Belts
Silver Sets
Silverware
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GOOD ACCOMMODATION—A LARGE warm bedroom, suitable for one or two gentlemen or married couple, with first class board. Apply to 215 Park street. 6d17

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PIANO FOR SALE—NEWCOMBE CABINET Grand, rosewood case; little used; full compass. Cost $450, will be sold for half. Apply at JACKSON'S PIANO STORE, Aylmer street. d12

ROOMS TO LET—FURNISHED BED Room and Parlour; and one Bed Room; with or without board. Good airy rooms, healthy locality, good lawn. Particulars on application to MRS. HARRY ROBINSON, 267 Reid Street. tf

TO LET—NO. 12 CROSS STREET HAS been re-painted and papered throughout; is warm and comfortable. Can be had at moderate rent. Apply to STRATTON & HALL. d12

TO RENT—39 AYLMER STREET—HOT Air Furnace and also bath. Apply to STRATTON & HALL. d12

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THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Andrew Douglas, situated on the north side of Gilmour Street, upon which is erected a Solid Brick Dwelling, with Frame Sheds and other conveniences. This Lot has a frontage of 70 feet on Gilmour street, and a depth of 186 feet.

Also the Lot adjoining on the west, containing 66 feet more or less, a depth of 186 feet; upon this Lot is a frame barn and workshop combined, with stone foundation.

This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

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SEWER ARBITRATION.

The Township's Motion to be Dismissed With Costs Unless Action is Brought.

At Osgoode Hall yesterday, re Township of North Monaghan and Town of Peterborough—Watson, Q.C., for the township, moved for order enforcing an award between the township and town by directing payments of costs. E. B. Edwards, (Peterborough), for the town, contra. The question between the parties was whether certain costs which the town agreed to pay included the costs of an action and injunction motion. The learned judge was of the opinion that the facts being in dispute, and a considerable sum of money involved, the question could not be properly disposed of upon a summary application, upon conflicting affidavits, and therefore directed that unless an action should be brought in one month, the motion should be dismissed with costs. If action so brought, costs of this motion to be disposed of by the learned judge himself after the final determination of such action.

"HISTORIC DAYS" OF CANADA.

A Beautiful Sequel to the Cabot Calendar.

The Cabot Calendar compiled by Miss Sara Mickle and Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgibbon was a new departure in the way of calendars and in originality of conception, beauty of artistic design, completeness of historical data, and revelation of the wealth of historic interest in the annals of Canada, was well worthy of the wide-spread interest and admiration it elicited. The sequel, so to speak, of this beautiful calendar is another by the same collaborators, for the year 1898, at hand through the kindness of Miss Fitzgibbon, which fully equals if it does not surpass, its prototype. An historical fact is given for every day in the year, and all the diurnal incidents are new as compared with last year, with the most important incidents red lettered.

Every page is an artistic gem in arrangement and illumination — crimson, blue and gold, and several subordinate tones. The beaver, associated with the Canadian coat of arms, is prominent, and the calendar compartments are flanked on the left by scrolls of the maple leaf in printemps green, interwoven with fleurs de lis. Every page of the twelve is also enriched with historic buildings and objects, like the quaint "Abitasion du Port Royal," the first permanent French settlement, Fort Garry, old Fort Niagara, first Parliament buildings in Toronto—1797, Chateau de Longueuil, etc. Among the page illustrations of special interest is that of the Drapeau de Carillon, the consecrated banner borne by Montcalm's army when Abercromby was defeated at Ticonderoga (Carillon). It was of this flag that Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke in France last summer as "The flag of the old monarchy, which his countrymen preserved as the apple of their eye, beloved by the French and respected by the English." The flag is now in Laval University and is paralled only once a year, at the feast of St. John, June 24th. Another notable page illustration is a sketch of a portion of a map of the world illuminated by Juan de la Cosa, and is the earliest map extant which shows the discoveries of John Cabot. This map bears the inscription in Spanish: "Juan de Cosa made it in the Port of Santa Maria in the year 1500." The calendar reproduction of this map was traced by Miss Fitzgibbon from a fac simile in the British Museum, the original being in Madrid.

Altogether the "Historic Days" of Canada is a most beautiful production, beautiful to behold and as useful and instructive as beautiful. It is a credit to the clever compilers, to the draughtsmen, Messrs. J. D. and Percy Kelly, the executants, the Toronto Lithographic Company and the publisher, Mr. William Briggs, all of Toronto. Price 75 cents—a small sum for a work of so much artistic beauty and wealth of concise historical information.

THE BAZAAR CONCERT.

Which was held in the Opera House Last Evening.

The Bazaar Concert, which was held last evening in the opera house, attracted even a larger crowd than usual to the sale of work for the benefit of St. Joseph's Hospital and the House of Providence.

Mr. D. O'Connell occupied the chair, and the programme was presented as follows:

Song.....Convent pupils
Recitation.....Little Carrie White
Vocal duet.....Miss L Jackson and Mr J Brown
Vocal solo, (comic).....Miss Levita Halliban
Recitation.....Miss Lily Simons
Vocal solo.....Jas Brown
Drill.....Convent pupils
Vocal solo.....Miss Annie Simons
Instrumental duet.....The Misses Doris
Vocal solo.....Miss Jennie Riley
Vocal solo.....Miss Lily Jackson
Tableau.....Vision of Joan of Arc

One of the most interesting numbers on the programme was the rendition by little six-year-old Carrie White, daughter of Mr. Elerio White. The wee tot quite carried the audience away with her in her cute recitation, in which she related the troubles of her dollies.

The Bazaar is to be continued this evening, when a number of prizes will be awarded.

SANTA CLAUS AT KUTZBACH'S TWO STORES.

The Enormous Drawing Powers of Small Wares—Many Little Magnets Crowd These Two Stores.

If you or your children want to see Toyland, make a visit to Mr. C. F. Kutzbach's store on George street, or his branch store on the corner of Water and Hunter street. It will cost nothing to bring the children and will enable the little ones to pass a pleasant hour.

Never before has such a collection of toys and holiday goods been displayed in Peterborough, marked at such low prices. Mr. Kutzback believes that he is wise in keeping the little items of the toy and notion department to act as trade stimulators and crowd distributors. These, when sold at prices that would bankrupt any ordinary toy store, catch the crowds. While using the toys department in this way a sacrifice of profit is entailed for that department, but the store sustains no loss considering all interests. The idea is now pretty well abroad that toys of all kinds can be bought at Kutzbach's two stores cheaper than at regular toy stores, and when a merchant gets a reputation for selling the little every day purchases cheap he has scored a good point. Cutting the heart out of prices, of course, is not advisable, although this seems to be about what is being done in the toy line by Mr. Kutzbach. He states that he could just as well have larger profits, but having bought his large stock by the wholesale, he can well afford to make toys cheap to the little ones during Xmas times.

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GOLDEN WEDDING BELLS.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beavis Have Been Fifty Years Married.

On Wednesday, Dec. 15th, 1847, at the home of William Nelson, in the fourth concession of Otonabee, Adam Beavis and Janet Nelson were united in the bonds of matrimony by Rev. John Sanderson, of the then extensive Norwood circuit.

In the providence of God they have been allowed to enjoy fifty years of happy married life. Wednesday, December 15th, 1897, being the occasion of their golden wedding, their children and grandchildren, immediate relatives and several acquaintances were called to the homestead in Asphodel to celebrate an event which comes but once in a lifetime, and which but few married people are allowed to enjoy.

Of the seven sons and three daughters now living, all were present except Wm., of Vancouver, B.C. Of the eighteen grandchildren now living, all were present except Arthur Beavis, of Vancouver, B.C., and Wilford A. Beavis, of Beresford, South Dakota. Of the immediative relatives, Wm. Nelson, of Otonabee, and Mrs. S. Nelson, of Lakefield, brother and sister of the bride, and Mr. Jas. Carter, half brother of the groom, responded to the call. Rev. J. A. Jewell and wife, of the Methodist church, Hastings, and Rev. A. Campbell, former pastor at Hastings, and Mrs. Campbell were also present.

In the afternoon an interesting ceremony was performed, when Rev. R. B. Beavis, of Beresford, of South Dakota, baptised Mabel Holmes, infant daughter of William and Ida Christie, Peterborough, only great grandchild of the bride and groom, and Adam Stanley Laing, infant son of Eben and Annie Laing, of Norwood. The Rev. A. R. Campbell and Rev. J. A. Jewell assisted in the ceremony, baptising Earl Beavis and Mabel Elizabeth the two eldest children of Eben and Anne Laing. After the youngest daughter had read a beautifully worded address, signed by John W. Beavis, in which the love and esteem of the family were expressed, the guests sat down to a sumptuous repast. After an hour of social enjoyment R. B. Beavis was called to the chair and impromptu songs, recitations and speeches made the evening a pleasant one. Rev. A. R. Campbell, on being called on, said that the event we celebrated was one that could only be enjoyed once by a married couple, expressed his great pleasure at being present, said that he had been intimately associated with the worthy couple as their pastor, had mingled with them in their joys and sorrow, and in the great affliction that visited their home he had found them firm and true in their faith in God. In the more humble days of pioneer life their home was a welcome place for the itinerant minister—by industry and an unimpeachable character they had attained to some prosperity. They had always been true to their church, and as far as he knew had always stood by their minister. Mr. Campbell said if he and his wife were spared to celebrate their golden wedding it would give him great joy to see Brother and Sister Beavis there.

Mrs. Campbell spoke of the high esteem in which she held the bride and groom—referred in beautifully chosen and feeling words to loving remembrances of Melford and Mabel, and spoke of them as attentive and lovable scholars in Sabbath school. She had been with them in the last moments and would always cherish loving remembrances of their lives and character.

In responding, the bride and groom spoke of their gratitude to God in being permitted to live so long. Only three of those who were at the wedding fifty years ago were present to-night. Regrets were expressed at the absence of Will in British Columbia.

The hymn "Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love" was sung, after which the Rev. A. R. Campbell led in appropriate words of prayer.

The Rev. J. A. Jewell was compelled to leave shortly after dinner to attend a wedding.

The bride and groom were the recipients of numerous valuable and appropriate presents.

GOOD FLOUR AND HOW TO USE IT.

A Talk on Bread, Breakfast, Cakes, Pastry, Pudding, etc.

Every good housekeeper will admit that to eat good bread, pastry and cakes, to serve up a toothsome plum pudding, or to make a success of Christmas baking, good flour is essential.

The ladies owe a considerable debt of gratitude to our enterprising townsman, Mr. C. B. McAllister, of the McAllister Milling Co., for the very useful, practical and interesting book on "Good Flour and how to use it," which he has just published. Mr. McAllister treats the subject of how to produce good flour in a practical and skilful manner and explains very clearly how the best results are obtained by a careful manipulation of the important ingredients forming the different varieties of wheat. The hard spring wheat grown in Manitoba, the soft spring grown both in Manitoba and Ontario, and the red and white winter wheat grown in Ontario only, has afforded this enterprising Company an opportunity of selecting the very best for making their fine leading brands, namely:—"Pure Cream," best household flour for bread, cakes and buns; "Crown of Gold," another household patent for bread and cakes; "Mascot," a purely pastry patent; "Klondyke," a family flour for general use; "Arrow Patent," a Manitoba patent for bakers' use, bread only. In presenting his book, Mr. McAllister explains the constituents and uses of the different brands of flour, and the large number of recipes and formulas contained in its covers are of exceptional value and are known to be excellent, having passed the ordeal of practical trial and been endorsed by housekeepers of experience. Its pages give information as to the preparation of food in its plainer forms as well as in what may be termed the ornamental character. In all the recipes the proportion of ingredients is given and the instruction is so plain that even the most inexperienced may not err. The McAllister Company propose to make distribution of the books, and will be glad to supply copies to all who may wish to have them, gratis. The book is artistically printed and bound in crimson cloth covers, and a copy should be found in every home.

A LOCAL CONTRIBUTION

To Hon. Edward's Blake's Fund in Aid of Home Rule For Ireland.

The following letter, which appeared in the last issue of the Catholic Register, speaks for itself:

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 14th, 1897.

DEAR MR. BLAKE.—Herein I beg to enclose cheque, fifty dollars, being the amount of my own and sons' contributions to your Parliamentary Fund in aid of Home Rule for Ireland which may God hasten, and bless you for your devotion to the cause.

Wishing you God-speed, a successful mission, and safe return to home and Canada, I remain, dear Mr. Blake,

Yours respectfully,
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Very Severe Cough

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Blue Rain prophets assert that Ontario is on the verge of direct taxation. This would indicate that they really believe that Mr. Whitney and his friends are coming into power.

THE criticisms of the Mail and Empire upon the finances of the Government, are in the jugular vein—it gives it to Mr. Harcourt "in the neck" by saying that "as a juggler of figures, Hon. Mr. Harcourt is easily first." Large isn't it?

HEAVY Opposition election policies—Mr. Marter's egg and tomato sauce policy; Dr. Ryerson's calf-with-a-cough policy; and Mr. St. John's piggery policy. Thus we have fish, flesh and—fowl, and "red-herring" to cross the scent and draw public attention from real issues.

OUR local contemporary, the Review, remarks:—"No one will be surprised that the Patron wing of the Liberal party lined up with the Government in the first division." Why shouldn't the Patrons do this? The organ insinuates or at least the inference is deducible, that the Patron members in the House were influenced by unworthy motives. But the fact is that the representatives of a body that is moved by motives of interest in the welfare of the Province and not by party considerations, pay a high compliment to the Ontario Government whose course they are able to endorse. The Opposition's antipathy to the Ontario Agricultural College, the only educational institution maintained expressly for the benefit of the farmer, is not the only means they have of taking a fling at the farmers of the Province.

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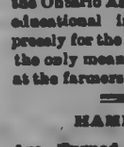

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HISTORY AS A SUBJECT CLEVERLY CONSIDERED.

AN ABLE PAPER BY MR J. McCAIG, OF THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

A Paper Read at the Town Teachers' Association—The Subject of History Intelligently and Intelligibly Dealt With—Highly Spoken of by our Best Educators.

At the recent meeting of the Town Teachers' Association, one of the subjects presented was that of History, in relation to both teaching and learning, by Mr. J. McCaig, M.A., LL.B., History and Junior English Master in the Collegiate. The subject was so cleverly and comprehensively handled as to win the praise not only of the teachers present, but some of our most able and intellectual citizens, one of whom said that it was the most able treatment of the subject that had come under his hearing. It is therefore desirable that it should be placed before the readers of the EXAMINER, as suggested by members of the Board of Education:

HISTORY.

The treatment of the subject of history herein proposed, takes account of it from two sides—the theoretical and the practical. The former division will be concerned with an examination of the nature, value and importance of history, and the latter with the scientific principles underlying it. It will be seen that these phases are complementary. A teacher, to be successful, must have a full appreciation of the value of his subject as well as a proper method of presenting it.

The word "value" as applied to a subject requires some explanation. Our Public and High School curriculums embrace a number of subjects. If these subjects were equal and similar in value as instruments to mental development, it would only be necessary to teach one of them, and it would not matter which one was taught; but this is not the case. The group of subjects which are the basis of instruction should, whether they do or not, exercise and develop the different functions of mind—the intellect, emotions and will in such a way as to produce a well balanced and harmonious mind—one that will

ENABLE THE POSSESSOR

of it to promote his own good as well as to discharge the duties of citizenship intelligently, efficiently and honourably. A man's education should help him to feel and know the relations in which he properly stands to other men, as well as help him to provide for himself.

In saying that a man's education should help him to provide for himself it is not to be understood that it is to furnish him with any specific knowledge of which his subsequent life is the application. There is a perennial howling for the practical. Short-sighted people say: "Give the pupils something that will be of direct assistance to them in after life." It is to be hoped that this fallacy will soon not require ventilation among either parents or teachers. As a matter of fact we remember only the parts of our education that we use every day, and we use very little of it. A person could in a few months learn as much of any of these subjects as is required to carry on business, and many

SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS MEN

have acquired all this knowledge out of school. Must we conclude from this that the greater part of education is useless? Not by any means. The effect of study is knowledge, but it is the study rather than the knowledge that is important from the standpoint of the educator. The knowledge is important in that it is through building the fabric of organized knowledge in the mind of the pupil that mental development is secured.

Besides, this is practical. It is practical in a higher, wider, larger and more liberal sense than that in which the word is customarily used. The subject might be made concrete by an example. Of two parents, one puts his son at a trade on leaving the Public School; the other, after at least two years in the High School or Collegiate Institute. The latter boy will learn as much about the trade in two years after leaving the High School, as the former will in the four years of his apprenticeship. He will have besides greater possibilities for

PROGRESS IN THE FUTURE.

The former will be an artisan, labouring mechanically; the latter an artist, who sees all he does in relation to a larger whole, of which his work is a part. The reason is obvious. The measure of any one's success, apart from differences in natural gifts, is the measure of that one's power of concentrated attention and this power of attention can be acquired in no way so well as in study. The mastery of ideas calls forth the highest exercise of power on the part of the individual. The first lesson a student has to learn is isolation and self dependence and this calls for an exercise of the will. Another reason for the success of the student is that his traffic in ideas has given him a susceptibility to new ideas. In common phraseology he is quick to learn. This capacity is a quality of mind rather than a matter of content of mind. It is to be carefully remembered then that in speaking of the value of a subject we mean its use as an instrument to mental development.

This is essentially and peculiarly the attitude of the educator to a subject. It must still be remembered that mental discipline is secured by means of organized knowledge,

AND THAT THIS KNOWLEDGE

is valuable for its own sake. It is due to the subject of history, on account of the high place it holds in this respect, to investigate its knowledge value as well as its descriptive value.

To be able to make a just estimate of the value of history, we must have a clear understanding of what history is.

History, in its broadest sense, is an account of man—of his progress within the time during which records have been preserved—in government, religion, art, science and mind. History may be universal or special as to scope. A universal history would give an account of man's progress and activity over the whole world; a special history would apply to his progress in a single country. Another way in which specialization has taken place in recent years is in treating of single phases of man's progress. We have his progress in government set forth in what are called constitutional histories; his progress in religion, in ecclesiastical histories, and his progress in art, science, literature and commerce in works devoted wholly to each. For school purposes we have text books that aim to be general in that they take account, more or less particularly, of the sum of the activities of man in the countries to which the histories pertain.

EARLY HISTORIANS

devoted a large measure of attention to wars, battles and conquests, and naturally enough, as the business of nations in early times was war to a greater extent than is the case now. Apart from the military duties which the acceptance of a feud or fief imposed on a baron under the feudal system, such vassals were practically monarchs within their own domain and we find them constantly at war with one another and even with the kings. This was particularly the case in the later middle ages. Out of this internecine strife, modern monarchies were evolved; feudalism was shattered and a centralized authority built upon its ruins. The case of Henry VII. of England will readily suggest itself. This centralization of

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authority made for peace within the realm itself, at least, and hence gave opportunities for the pursuit of the peaceful arts and for mental improvement. National and personal ideals have changed, with this change. We now have a commercial age—an age in which the

WEALTH AND PRODUCTIVITY

of a nation, rather than its cannons, constitute its chief strength. This, on the other hand, has been fatal to the power to which it owes its existence. The heightening of the intelligence, the spread of education and the growth of the sense of the responsibility of citizenship have left monarchy nothing but a name.

In sympathy with these changes history has widened. It has become more democratic. Green, who is perhaps the most representative general historian of the nineteenth century in England, prefaces his work by saying its aim is defined by its title—that it is a history not of the English kings nor the English conquests, but of the English people; hence he proposes to dwell on the constitutional, intellectual and social advance in which we read the history of the nation itself. But from whatever side a historian approaches his subject, it is still concerned with the

ACTIVITIES OF MAN.

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humani nihil a me alienum puto," or Pope's modified version: "The proper study of mankind is man." In this light history should be of deep interest to men.

Besides indicating the interest of the subject, the investigation of the nature of history should enable us to understand its specific use as an instrument to education, that is, to see what part it will play in informing the intellect, affecting the sensibilities and in giving energy to the will power of the pupil.

The most indifferent teaching of the subject, as for example, making it simply a cramming of facts or events, will train the memory to some extent. The subject has the highest value for this purpose when properly organized and related. Another of the intellectual faculties which it exercises is the reasoning power. The study of every event in history involves the two essential functions of thinking, viz: analysis and synthesis. An event never exists independent of others before and after it, but is as necessary to these and to the whole current of history as

A LINK IN THE MIDDLE

of a chain is to the whole chain. A third faculty cultivated by history is the imagination. Its value in this respect resembles that of geography. The study of geography may bring before you the whole of a city or country; the reading of history may make the whole past of a country or the life of a single individual almost as real as actual experience. In one case you may be transported to the shores of the Bosphorus, to the city of the Sultan, with its domes and crescents, and sunny streets and lazy men with their pipes and red fezes, History may carry you back in time to the Saxon Harold, the good son of the good father. It can show you his shipwreck, and the wily Norman swearing him over the bones of the saints, the witan placing the crown on his deserving temples, while his treacherous brother is landing his big fair-haired Danes in the north; it can take you to the feast of the hard-eating, hard-drinking, hard-fighting Englishmen after Stamford Bridge, and to the Saxon mother, craving the body of her son after Senlac field. Or it can take you back to the

BRILLIANT AND PROFLIGATE

Prince John, the selfish and perverse King John, to Runnymede, to the desperate flight across the Wash, and to the final debauch and fever in Swineshead Abbey.

In the next place history appeals to the feelings, particularly the moral feelings. What boy in going over the story of Harold does not register inwardly the conviction: "Here was the stuff that men are made of," and what would he say of John? Throughout the whole of history the pupil is consciously or unconsciously deciding questions of right and wrong. It is not surprising to hear Bishop Stubbs saying that history is a great teacher of religion.

It will be evident that the will also, as well as the intellect and sensibility, is trained, and, indeed, chiefly as a result of the training of these two. There can be no doubt as to the influence of history in determining and encouraging right choice when we consider the fine examples of right action

THAT HISTORY FURNISHES,

together with the lessons of the triumph of right that the current of history illustrates.

The specific value of history as an instrument of mental discipline has been shown by reference to the faculties to which it appeals. It is seen to have an important place as a discipline subject. It has in addition to this a value which is possessed by no other subject to the same extent and this is its value as a guide to the proper discharge of the duties of citizenship. This assertion of the high value of the subject might leave the asserter open to the impeachment of being over-fond of the subject were it not possible to substantiate the statement from a just analysis of the subject matter of history. It might be observed that in crediting it with this species of utilitarian value, that the subject is not utilitarian in a narrow sense. Its utility in assisting man in the

DISCHARGE OF FUNCTIONS

the reverse of narrow—in his duty to the state and to his fellow-man. It is altruistic, not individualistic. It is not a means of making selfishness more efficient, but of obliterating self to the advantage of the whole of society. This side of education cannot be too strongly emphasized. The greed of a commercial age has deadened the sense of responsibility that is appropriate to a member of human society. The greed of a commercial age has begotten the problem of the present—the problem of social reform, but social reform is with us and is the centre about which all modern thought is accumulating. The era of brotherhood is upon us. Buckle says that in the history of reforms the church last yields to innovation—that changes are forced upon it rather than it leads. Is it not possible that education and educators may remain too long in old grooves and not keep pace with society, aiding and answering its essential feelings? To be definite, is it not possible that the mathematical and scientific branches on one side overbalance the literary subjects on the other? To the latter group the name "humanities"

IS GENERALLY APPLIED.

Is it not an opportune time to emphasize the humanities or humanizing subjects when the great throbbing heart of Christendom swells for humanity? Is education going to assist or retard the progress of the idea of the solidarity of the world?

Leaving this larger question aside, we must remember that, politically speaking, this is a democratic age. It is an age in which the people are supreme. All men have votes and have equal voice in determining state policy, regardless of difference of intelligence. It were well that political education receive some attention.

With regard to the way in which the study of history helps the citizen in this respect, it might be said in the first place, that present political conditions are fully understood only in the light of the past. By the study of the past a man will fully appreciate the political institutions under which he lives. He will value them more highly if he knows of the struggles by which they have been secured and maintained, and will be nerved to resist

OPPRESSION AND WRONG

as his forefathers did. Secondly, history inspires patriotism and loyalty. Who does not understand and feel what a real thing patriotism is in thinking of the

"Scots wha hae wi' Wallace bled,
Scots wham Bruce has often led."

Does not the poet Burns have Bruce appeal to his men on their history? Was the story of the struggle for Scottish independence known to the men who sang: "Wha wadna fecht for Charlie?" Did the Gordons at Dargai know anything of the siege of Lucknow? Did they ever hear of the Light Brigade, think you?

Besides inspiring man, a knowledge of history will sober and liberalise them. It should be impossible for a good student of history to be either a hide-bound conservative or a hair-brained radical. Consciously or unconsciously he stands for moderation. The students of history sees that in following ideas man sways between extremes. The good that is in an idea is

LOST BY EXCESS

and immoderation. All action is reaction If a pendulum swing too far to one side, it will likely go too far to the other side on the rebound. The civil strife of the time of the Roses was opposed to the national good. The turbulence of the governed was followed by a corresponding assertion of strength by the governors. Henry VIII was a hero in more respects than one, and the Stuarts were divinely instituted and divinely irresponsible sovereigns. The absolutism of the Stuarts called forth an Eliot, a Hampden, a Pym and finally a Cromwell. And lo! the greatest tyrant of them all. At the moment of his success he ceases to be the servant of the

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Lakefield, on Monday, December 20th, 1897

Commencing at 10.30 o'clock a.m., in the Town Hall, continuing during the afternoon and evening.

Peterborough, Tuesday, December 21st, 1897

Commencing at 1.30 o'clock p.m., in the Council Chamber.

North Monaghan, Tuesday December 21st, 1897

Commencing at 7.30 p.m., in the Town Hall

LAKEFIELD MEETINGS.

10.30 A.M.

1. President's Address.
2. Subject "Care of Milk for Creamery and Cheese Factory," Prof. H. H. DEAN, of the Ontario Agricultural College.
3. "Hog Feeding," JOHN MCMILLAN, M.P., of Strathforth.
4. "Poultry," a paper, by GERALD HAYWARD.

Afternoon at 1.30 o'clock.

1. Subject "The Dairy Cow, How to Know Her; How to Get Her," PROF. DEAN.
2. "Rotation of Crops," MR. MCMILLAN.
3. Paper; "The Best Hogs for the Export Bacon Trade," GEO. MATTHEWS of the Geo. Matthews Co., Peterborough and Ottawa.
4. Paper "Breeding and Care of Sheep," R. H. BIRDSALL.

Evening at 7.30 o'clock.

1. "Canada Our Home" PROF. DEAN.
2. "Our Boys and Farm Life," MR. MCMILLAN. At this Meeting a Musical Programme will be rendered.

PETERBOROUGH MEETING

1.30 P.M.

1. Subject: "Feed and Care of Dairy Herd," PROF. DEAN.
2. Subject: "Cultivation of the Soil," MR. MCMILLAN.
3. An Essay on "The Poultry Business," R. COCKBURN.
4. "Hereditary Unsoundness, and Breeding Horses for the British Market," B. H. POOLE, V.S.

NORTH MONAGHAN MEETING

7.30 P.M.

1. Subject: "Some of the Needs of the Dairy Market and How to Fill Them," PROF. DEAN
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GUNNERY PRACTICE.

An Occasion When Quickness of Action Prevented a Fearful Disaster.

An officer of the United States navy relates the following as illustrating some of the perils of gunnery at sea:

"I came very near going up into the air in small bits on this last squadron cruise. We were at heavy gun practice at sea and but for the quickness of a gunner's mate would never have returned. As you probably know, the heavy guns in the turrets are fired by electricity, the gun being discharged simply by pressing a button. The officer in command of the forward turret on our ship during rapid firing practice was just about to press the button to fire one of our big guns when a gunner's mate was seen to grab at something on the wall of the turret and then fall in a heap on the floor. The officer pressed the button, but the gun was not discharged. When the mate came to, he was asked what had happened, and he informed the officer that the breech of the gun had not been locked and that what he grabbed at on the wall was the wires forming the electric firing circuit.

"When he saw that the officer was preparing to fire the gun and at the same time observed that the breech of the gun was not locked, the only thing that occurred to him to prevent the gun being discharged was to destroy the circuit, which he did promptly and effectively. When all this occurred, there was a charge of 250 pounds of powder in the gun, another charge of the same size in the turret ready to be served, and the passageway leading to the powder magazine was wide open. But for the quickness of the gunner's mate the gun would have been blown out inside the turret, the gases from the burning powder would probably have ignited the charge lying in the turret, this explosion would have ignited the powder in the magazine, and the chances are that the whole ship, crew and all, would have gone up in the air. A thought that has occurred to me is this: Suppose the accident had occurred, what do you imagine the verdict of a board of inquiry as to the cause of the loss of the ship would have been? Since his experience the department has adopted electrical means to prevent the discharge of any of the large guns until the breech is locked."—San Francisco Chronicle.

WOULDN'T BURN HIS BOOTS.

Though He Didn't Mind the Effect on His Stomach.

After he had sold his load of wood and had received $4.25 for it he strolled over to the little combination billiard parlor and barroom on the other side of the square. His faded old eyes lighted up and his new cowhide boots, larded generously in grease, squeaked exultantly as he thought of that drink he had been planning to get ever since he left the farm at daybreak.

"Jest one old snifter
Of that good old lifter,"

he cooed to himself, "and I'll be primed ter start fer home.

"About one finger of that old red eye will do the bizness, I calculate," he confided to the bartender, as he pulled a feverish red mitten from his right hand and jammed it down in his "pants" pocket. "I ain't a drinkin man—never was—but when it's so cold outside yer breath freezes ter s'waggin wheels ye's got ter resort ter some powerful remedy ter thaw it out."

The bartender agreed with him. For months he had watched the old farmers come in, order just one finger of whisky and drink a whole handful of fingers for the manifestly unfair expenditure of 10 cents. He had decided to put a stop to it, and the farmer with the new cowhide boots was the first victim.

The remedy he placed before him was powerful enough to thaw the Yukon. The old man poured his glass full—just as the bartender knew he would—and gulped it down in one big swallow. The effect was instantaneous. The victim gave one convulsive shudder, looked reproachfully at the bartender and whirled around four times. Then he sat down and hastily began to pull off his cowhide boots.

"What the mischief are you doing that for?" inquired the astonished bartender.

"Can't ye see them's brand new boots?" gasped the victim. "D'ye think I'm goin ter let them burn up tew?"—New York Press.

Sick Fish.

When a fish in an aquarium is ailing or injured, it is put into a reserve tank, out of sight of the visitors, and where it can be looked after at any time. The circulation of the tank is adjusted with great nicety to give the fish the greatest possible amount of water, and with the constant renewal of water the greatest possible amount of fresh air. A fresh water fish may be treated with salt water baths. The fish is fed on the food best suited to its condition or most likely to suit its fancy.

It may lie on the bottom of the tank motionless for hours, like a sick person in a bed. It may sometimes seem to be dead, but a closer inspection will show a feeble movement of the gill covers, which marks the fish's respiration. After all, the fish may die; oftener, under treatment, it recovers, and then it goes back to its place in the display tanks.—New York Sun.

How They Looked to Her.

I was visiting a friend's house with my little girl of 5 years. On being shown a photograph of English choir boys with their surplices on she exclaimed, "Oh, mamma, look at all these gentlemen waiting to be shaved."—People's Friend.

Welsh mothers put a pair of tongs or a knife in the cradle to insure the safety of their children. The knife is also used for the same purpose in some parts of England.

An adult perspires 28 ounces in 24 hours.

THE MODERN MANGLE.

Ironing Machines With a Daily Capacity of Many Thousands of Pieces.

Mangles in one form and another have been used for hundreds of years, but the steam mangle of the present day is essentially a modern machine. Steam mangles are made of various sizes, with rolls ranging in length from 48 inches to 120 inches. One of the rolls is of hollow steel and heated with steam. The auxiliary rolls are of iron, covered with cotton cloth and blankets or felting. Steam mangles are made also with two hot rolls. In ironing such things as sheets and tablecloths by hand, it is customary to iron one side only. Steam mangles with a single hot roll iron in that manner. With two hot rolls the steam mangle irons with a smooth finish on both sides.

Mangles are used only for flat articles; for things without buttons or buckles; for sheets and pillow cases, tablecloths and napkins, towels and handkerchiefs, and so on. Mangles of the largest size will iron of a hotel's washing, taken just as it comes, 14,000 pieces in a day; of small pieces, such as napkins, they will iron four times as many pieces in a day.

From the washing machine the things go to an extractor to be dried. The extractor revolves at a high speed, and the moisture is whirled out by centrifugal action. From the extractor, just damp enough to work well, the things go to the mangle. Such things as sheets are fed into the great ironing machine by two men, each holding a corner. There is a fixed table, as long as the rolls, attached to the machine on the other side. Two men receive the sheet there and fold it. In ironing small pieces like napkins and towels on such a machine they would be fed in by a row of girls standing on one side and be received by another row of girls on the other side. On the largest machines there would be six or eight girls on each side. American steam mangles are used not only in this country, but they are sold in all the countries of Europe as well.

A great many mangles are made with wood rolls of polished maple. Such mangles are sometimes operated by power, but commonly by hand. They are used in hotels and laundries and restaurants and for household work. Mangles with wood rolls are exported to the various countries of Spanish America and to South Africa and Australia.—New York Sun.

HE COULD KICK.

How a Mountaineer Convinced a Traveler of a Mule's Accomplishment.

At rare intervals along the mountain roads of West Virginia and Kentucky the traveler may come upon a blacksmith shop, but he is much safer in the shoeing of his horse if he will carry a few nails and tools in the bottom of his buggy. On a trip by Pound Gap on one occasion I found a blacksmith shop at the forks of the road and, as usual, a half dozen or more men sitting around it in the shade. My turnout needed some repairs, and as the smith was puttering about it inside I made talk with the men outside. One of them wanted to sell me a mule which he had hung up on the fence, and I started in for a dicker. After we had been talking for perhaps a quarter of an hour the smith asked me to step inside and show him something about the work he was doing. As soon as he got me away from the crowd he came close and grew confidential.

"You ain't thinkin uv buyin that critter, air you?" he asked in all sincerity.

"Well, I don't know. I want a mule, and that one looks all right," I said.

"You can't tell a mule by his looks, mister. Mules is fer all the world like women."

"What's the matter with him?" I inquired, quite ignoring the comparison.

"He ain't safe. Course I ain't got nothin ag'in the mule ner the owner, and I'd be glad enough fer him ter git the money fer him, fer he owes me fer the shoein uv him, but I don't like ter see a stranger tuck in an done up like he's tryin ter do you."

"But you haven't told me what's the matter with the mule," I insisted. "Will he kick?"

"That's his weakness, mister," responded the smith, letting his voice fall to a whisper. "You won't believe me, p'raps, but I'm tellin you he's the kickinest critter in the mountains. He shore is, mister, and I hope I may die right here of he can't kick the sody outen a biscuit and never crack the crust. He kin, mister, or I'm a brother ter him." Washington Star.

Tired of Quarreling With Conductors.

Much amusement was afforded the passengers on a Union station trolley car in Portland by a businesslike passenger, who demanded a receipt for his fare. "Do you think I'm dishonest?" asked the conductor. "I don't know," replied the eccentric man. "I've never been on your car when it was crowded." After making many sarcastic remarks the conductor signed his name to the piece of paper handed him by the passenger. The receipt was worded as follows: "Received 5 cents for fare from passenger riding from Elm street to Union station." On being asked why he wanted a receipt, the man said he was getting tired quarreling with absentminded conductors, who frequently asked for the necessary nickel after it had been paid. He also said that a few nights ago in Boston he had to get two passengers to prove that he had paid his fare. As the man was always placed in an embarrassing position on such occasions, he adopted the receipt method in order to save further trouble in the future.—Kennebec (Me.) Journal.

A woman with a new dress that is very becoming isn't satisfied until the man she likes best and the woman she likes least have seen it.

When a fine ruby is found in Burma, a procession of elephants, grandees and soldiers escorts it to the king's palace.

A Vanishing Type.

Only lately have Philadelphians begun to realize and reflect upon the disappearance of the Quakers as we knew them; only lately has it been brought home to us that a gradual obliteration of the old uncompromising orthodoxy has set in which means the ultimate absorption of the sect. Even now, rare as is the old garb on the streets where it was such a common sight not so many years ago, the assertion that the society is diminishing would meet with doubt and hesitation. We are so familiar with the Quaker, he is so necessary and potent a type in Philadelphia, that we would not accept the warrant even of statistics, yet, now that the visible limit has been reached, what can we do but awake to the change? We see few broad brimmed hats and drab bonnets where we once saw many. Of those who wear them, the most are old and trembling.

If there are young Quakers, how are we to recognize them? Not by their dress, at any rate, except in so far as plainness of cut and sobriety of color still rule the taste of Friends, whether wealthy or in moderate circumstances. The distinctive costume is being laid aside, with many of the distinctive customs. And why? Because the society is losing its control over its younger members? Because its rigid rules no longer suffice to hold in check the human spirit, with its unconquerable love of freedom? This is the common explanation, and the one desired by those who love romance.—Thomas Wharton in Lippincott's.

A Neat Compliment.

When the Prince and Princess of Wales were visiting an exhibition in London recently, on reaching the dairy department the princess remarked to the manager: "I have always heard that the best butter in England comes from Denmark. Is it true?" The manager hesitated a moment and then said, 'No, your highness; Denmark sends us the best princesses, but Devonshire the best butter."

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From the sweet protecting skies
Follow her with tender eyes,
Look as lovingly that she
Cannot choose but think of me.
Watch her kindly, stars!

Soothe her sweetly, night.
On her eyes, o'erwearied, press
The tired lids with light caress.
Let that shadowy hand of thine
Ever in her dreams seem mine.
Soothe her sweetly, night!

Wake her gently, morn.
Let the notes of early birds
Seem like love's melodious words.
Every pleasant sound my deed,
When she stirs from sleep, should bear.
Wake her gently, morn!

Kiss her softly, winds.
Softly that she may not miss
Any sweet, accustomed bliss.
On her lips, her eyes, her face,
Till I come to take your place,
Kiss and kiss her, winds!

—Phoebe Cary.

ENGLAND WANTED WAR.

Held Back From Fighting France In 1893 by the German Emperor.

The Gaulois, in Paris, recently related in considerable detail that during the Siamese imbroglio of 1893 England was on the verge of declaring war against France. The power that opposed the war most vigorously was Germany. In fact, said the Gaulois, the war was prevented by the German emperor.

"At that time," said the Gaulois, "Emperor William was at Cowes with his yacht. He had won a regatta prize from Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie and the Prince of Wales' Britannia. He appeared, literally as well as figuratively, to swim in English waters. It was as he sat at dinner in the house of the Royal Yacht squadron that he received from Count Hatzfeldt the news that the English government intended to declare war against France. The emperor rose from the table, laid aside his napkin and sent a dispatch empowering his embassador in London to protest against Lord Rosebery's programme. Moreover, he betook himself at once to Osborne House to announce to his grandmother that he never could approve such a course as regards Siam."

Sometimes Paris newspapers publish articles on European politics that lack all foundation in fact, and the amazing story told by the Gaulois might have been dismissed as one of them had it not been confirmed at once by the Koelnische Zeitung, probably the most trustworthy journal on the European continent. The Koelnische Zeitung's Paris correspondent was at Cowes with the emperor in 1893. As soon as the Gaulois had made its statement he corroborated it. Among the influential Englishmen at Cowes, he said, it was then common talk that the German emperor was England's ally against Siam and France. Lord Dufferin, then English embassador in Paris, had come to Cowes to conclude the negotiations for an alliance, but had been met with the emperor's blunt refusal to take the active part that England wished to assign him. The Koelnische Zeitung's correspondent asserts that the correctness of this statement is absolute and beyond question among the initiated who were at Cowes during the German emperor's sojourn there.

A BEE'S RESTLESS LIFE.

It Begins Work When Three Days Old and Dies at Forty-five.

G. W. Reynolds of Los Angeles, one of the oldest traveling men in the United States, has a ranch of which he enjoys telling even more than he does of the experiences through which he has passed during his half century upon the road. The ranch is near San Diego, Cal. The chief product is honey. This product is gained from two apiaries, which Mr. Reynolds visits every time his business permits him to go to southern California.

"In my apiaries, which are cared for by my son," said he, "there are 140 stand of bees. The honey season lasts from April to July. Last season my bees yielded 40,000 pounds of honey, which sells in that country in bulk lots at 4 cents a pound. Two of the hives gave over 500 pounds each. For ten years I have been interested in bees in a small way, and I take greater interest in them every year. A hive or stand of bees is worth $2.50. In it are the queen, the drones and the workers, a total population of from 20,000 to 25,000 bees.

"This very good sized colony," he continued, "resides in a hive or wooden box. In the hive are a dozen frames 12 by 7 inches. In these the bees make or deposit the honey, a foundation of wax having been first placed in each frame by the beekeeper, so that the bees may have something to build upon. The honey is taken out of the frames every other week during the honey season. While doing so there is little need of protecting the hands. The bees seem to be most inclined to sting one in the face. So, as a precaution, the man who is removing the honey from the hives wears a straw hat, from the brim of which is hung a silk veil, like they have to do up in the Klondike country to ward off the summer mosquitoes.

"The queen is an absolute monarch within her dominions. She is the undisputed boss of the job. An ordinary bee lives during the working season only 45 days. Young ones are being hatched out all the time. A bee goes to work at the tender age of 3 days and hustles like a veteran for 42 days. Then it is just naturally all tired out, I suppose, for it dies. The queen lives longer, and when a young queen comes into existence in the hive she drives the old queen out. Her loyal subjects follow her in her banishment, and that is what makes the swarms.

"In southern California the bees make water white honey when the black sage is in blossom. When the white sage is flowering, the honey has an amber tinge. In winter the bees make no honey. Seventy-five carloads of the article are shipped out of San Diego county in good years."—Denver Republican.

GREATEST OF COLONIZERS.

Much of the Earth Owes Its Settlement to the Finding of Gold.

It has been well said that gold is the greatest of colonizers, and this has proved especially true in the last half of the present century. To what lone regions the footsteps of man were attracted in the earliest times by the discovery of gold we may not know, but within the memory of living men great regions of the earth's surface have owed their settlement and occupation solely to the finding by search or accident of a few shining particles in the earth.

California was a remote and outlying province of Mexico, inhabited by Indians, gathered in missions or scattered abroad, and cattle barons and their dependents, visited by a few ships each year in search of a freight of hides, when the picking up of a few grains of gold in the banks of a mill race called the gold seekers from the four quarters of the earth and transformed a wilderness into a populous empire.

Australia was a corner of the earth selected on account of its remoteness from their former home as a place of banishment for British criminals when the gleam of gold illuminated it and filled the distant harbors with sails and their shores with cities.

South Africa might have remained forever a grassy waste, the home of savages contending with the Boers and the British for the possession of illimitable pastures, had not gold called the miner and those who follow him to build Johannesburg.—Kansas City Times.

SCHOOLS AND POLITICS.

A Scheme With Real Estate Trimmings That Won In Oregon.

"Speaking of schools in relation to politics," said the ex-boomer from Oregon, "always reminds me of a campaign in which I was interested some years ago. The Douglas county representative in the Oregon state legislature, realizing that his popularity was not exceedingly great, had been talking of building a new state normal school, presumably at Roseburg, the county seat and his own home. This caused great consternation among the 350 inhabitants of the little city of Drain, who had been profiting by the courtesy title of 'Drain Academy and Oregon State Normal school,' under which the school there had been run since 1885. The postmaster, who kept a drug store and sold school supplies, took counsel with his sister-in-law, who dealt in millinery and ran a boarding house for students, and she sought the mayor, at whose general merchandise emporium she was the principal customer.

"The mayor was a man who thought slowly, but to a purpose, and, having set himself the task of devising some way of circumventing the member from Roseburg, he passed the next three days in profound cogitation. He conceived a scheme whose various elaborations and ramifications were too diversified for him to handle alone, and he came to me for help. I had just gained considerable influence in the county through backing a projected railroad to the coast, and also as a real estate dealer and sawmill owner. With my business methods and the mayor's knowledge of the conditions confronting us our plans were soon put into operation. First, we suggested the candidacy of an ambitious young Drainite, a dealer in leather goods and hardware, for member of the legislature, taking all the wind out of his opponent's sails by heartily indorsing the talk in favor of a new normal school. Meantime we had a large grain field of the mayor's, which had begun to lose its fertility on account of overcultivation, surveyed into city lots, and as soon as our candidate had received the regular party nomination we put the town site of East Drain, with its streets named after conspicuous men of the state, on the market and gave one of its centrally located blocks for the new normal school.

"Well, everything came to pass exactly as we had planned. Our candidate was elected, and the building of the new normal school on the site we gave was authorized. We sold a sufficient number of East Drain lots to more than pay for the land and all expenses. The contractors on the new school were men who had aided the legislation authorizing it, and they got their supplies from the mayor, their hardware from the member and their lumber from me. My mill also supplied lumber for other buildings in East Drain, including a new boarding house for the milliner, who has prospered ever since. The postmaster's increased business soon warranted his moving into one of the two brick buildings in the city of Drain, and the former dealer in leather goods and hardware is still member of the Oregon legislature."—New York Sun.

The Bacon Folly.

It was inevitable that the Bacon folly should proceed to commit suicide by piling up extravagances. By some methods one can prove anything, and accordingly we find writers busy in tracing Bacon's hand in the writings of Greene, Marlowe, Shirley, Marston, Massinger, Middleton and Webster. They are sure that he was the author of Montaigne's essays, which were afterward translated into what we have always supposed to be the French original. Mr. Donnelly believes that Bacon also wrote Burton's "Anatomy of Melancholy." Next comes Dr. Orville Owen with a new cipher which proves that Bacon was the son of Queen Elizabeth by Robert Dudley, and that he was the author of the "Faerie Queene" and other poems attributed to Edmund Spenser.

Finally we have Mr. J. E. Roe, who does not mean to be outdone. He asks us what we are to think of the notion that an ignorant tinker like John Bunyan could have written the most perfect allegory in any language. Perish the thought! Nobody but Bacon could have done it. Of course Bacon had been more than 50 years in his grave when "Pilgrim's Progress" was published as Bunyan's, but your true Baconizer is never stopped by trifles. Mr. Roe assures us that Bacon wrote that heavenly book, as well as "Robinson Crusoe" and the "Tale of a Tub," which surely begins to make him seem ubiquitous and everlasting. If things go on at this rate, we shall presently have a religious sect holding as its first article of faith that Francis Bacon created the heavens and the earth in six days and rested on the seventh day.—John Fiske in Atlantic.

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The nest which is made into soup and eaten by the Chinese is that of a bird closely allied to the swift. The nests are made of gelatinous secretion from the mouth of the bird.

All lovers are alike, and that is why they correspond.—New Orleans Picayune.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you man, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 93, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

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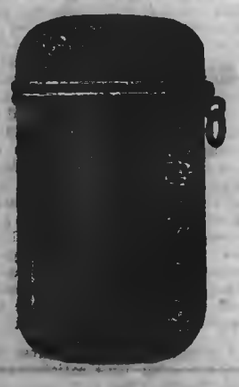

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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170	
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115	
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18 825	
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700	
Great West	122.595	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	852.574	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263	
Totals	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441	

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—A few Choice Sable and Persian Lamb Collarettes at $20.00, $25 00 and $30 00.

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THE LEGISLATURE

After a Midnight Session the Budget Debate Closes.

BUT A DIVISION WAS NOT TAKEN

The House Then Went Into Committee of Supply—Speeches by Opposition Leader Whitney, Patron Leader Maycock, and an Effective Reply By the Premier.

The budget debate has closed and the House gone into Committee of Supply without a vote. The leader of the Opposition and his followers fired all their guns and then gave up the fight in disgust, after the speech of the Premier, who handled Mr. Whitney without gloves until he forced him to admit that the trust funds held at Ottawa were available assets belonging to the province.

Mr. Whitney's Charges.

He said he cared not whether the Macdonald Government was lavish in their expenditure or not, the matter of importance to-day was whether the Hardy Government was conducting the affairs of the province in a careful business-like manner. He contended they were not. This statement was cheered by the Opposition. He stated that Mr. Garrow had spoken against the policy of the Governmens upon several occasions. This Mr. Garrow gave an unqualified denial and assured the House he was in entire accord with the Government. Mr. Whitney denied that he had repudiated Tupper, Thompson and Bowell as his political leaders. He was willing to admit he had been a willing follower of all these men. He then turned to the surplus and charged that the Premier at one of his political meetings had recently stated that the $5,000,000 surplus was all in cash.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "I said nothing of the kind, I can assure my honorable friend."

Mr. Whitney continuing, said he was not prepared to prove it then, but he would return to the subject later. (Laughter.) He referred to Mr. Harcourt's statement that the cost of maintenance per head for patients in Ontario's public institutions was much less than that of similar institutions in the United States. He thought this proved nothing, since the cost of living generally in the United States was much greater than in Ontario. He denied that direct taxation was his policy. He said his policy was anything that would put a stop to direct taxation, which was sure to follow if the Government was permitted much longer to govern the province. Several of the gentlemen on the Government side had asked if the Opposition thought the people were taking them and their arguments seriously. Why had the session been called so soon then, if not because the Government was on the gallop to an election and wished to keep the Opposition off the stump, so that the people might not be fully informed as to the issues of the day. (Laughter.) He denied he had ever cast the Tastes of the province were "unreal, intangible and delusive." He said the Opposition agreed with the Government so far as the assets of the province were concerned. He contended strongly that every year of late the Government was spending more money than they received and that it was useless for them to longer contend they had a surplus. Before closing he desired to refer to the Simpson affair. He said Simpson had in March, 1893, appeared before the Public Accounts Committee and had gone home to get his books. Nothing was heard of him again until the following April, when a doctor's certificate was sent to say he could not return because of ill health. Neither Simpson or his books had been seen or heard from since.

He wished again to state that the province was practically at the end of its timber resources. This he believed to be true. He denied he had ever said the most of the good legislation of Ontario had been placed upon the books by Meredith and himself. If the Mail said so, the Mail was wrong. (Hear, hear.) He blamed the Government for having allowed Hon. Mr. Ross to remind the Opposition of the stand they had taken upon the Separate school question. He thought this subject, which was dead and in its grave, should not be called up again. He assured the House the reason he had advocated the separation of Toronto university from Government control was that the heads of that institution themselves had urged this course upon him. He had been told upon good authority that the heads of the university had expressed these views themselves to the Minister of Education.

Hon. Mr. Ross: "No such representation was ever made to me." (Cheers.)

Mr. Whitney continuing, said it was none of his concern. (Laughter.) He disclaimed any present connection with Sir Charle Tupper, Messrs. Montague, Haggart or Clarke Wallace, and said they had nothing to do with the coming Conservative campaign. He closed by calling upon the Government to bring down their timber policy as quickly as possible.

The Patron Leader.

Mr. Haycock followed, and again complained of the method of keeping the public accounts.

The Premier's Reply.

Hon. Mr. Hardy arose to reply at eleven o'clock and pointed out how ridiculous it was for Mr. Whitney to say the House had been called together because the Government feared to have the members of the Opposition upon the stump. If Mr. Whitney could hurt the Government by his speeches he would have a better opportunity of doing so in the House where the press would more freely report him than in the country. What had he gone all over the country charging, and what had he charged in the House? He had talked about poor old sick Simpson; he had charged the Government with having purchased a $12 field glass; and had made a scandal out of a $40 purchase. This was the class of argument the Government had to fight. (cheers) and he did not think such arguments were dangerous. As to the Simpson scandal, he read from the sworn evidence of Simpson before the Public Accounts Committee, to show Simpson had simply been called upon to send his books, which he had done. This was one of the great scandals the Government was responsible for. (Laughter.) Mr. Whitney had stated everywhere that the provincial audit was a farce. He had said the Dominion Auditor could not be dismissed except by the House, not by the Government, and gave the impression that the Provincial Auditor was a minion of the Government. This was a falsehood. The Provincial Auditor, who had started his duties under Sandfield Macdonald's Government, was subject to dismissal in exactly the same manner as the Dominion Auditor. (Cheers.) He pointed out the course of the Opposition regarding the boundary question, how Mr. Whitney and his friends had stood by Sir John Macdonald when he had passed a bill in the Dominion House handing over to the Manitoba Government the land in dispute, and which was afterwards awarded by the Privy Council to Ontario. The people of the province owed the Conservatives a debt in reference to this matter which they had at all elections since tried to pay back, and which they would again try to pay back at the coming elections. (Cheers.) What was all the trouble about? It seemed the Opposition made all the row because of the words "assets" and "surplus," the Opposition contending the "assets" were not "surplus," although they could not deny there was something there which had to be called either assets or surplus. (Cheers.) Then another cry was, "Oh, the Sandfield Macdonald surplus is expended." Who, but an idiot, did not know this fact? In a progressive province such as Ontario what else would be done with this money but expend it in needed improvements? As a matter of fact, it all went to pay for debts contracted by the Macdonald Government. He then read the Acts passed granting money by Macdonald's Government, showing that not one dollar of the Macdonald surplus had gone to the Mowat Government that had not been pledged. (Cheers.) The Macdonald surplus amounted to some three millions. It had gone, with millions more, granted by the Mowat Government, to railways, prisons, asylums, roads, etc. (Cheers.) Twenty-five years ago the Conservatives were crying "blue ruin," as they were to-day. They said the people could not "stagger" along much longer under the burdens of the Mowat Government without direct taxation. Yes, the Government was going right along with plenty of money for all legitimate purposes and direct taxation was as far off as it was twenty-five years ago. (Cheers.) The Opposition claimed that for the three years, 1894, 1895 and 1896, there were deficits amounting to one and a quarter millions. Now, the human ingenuity of man could not possibly make this statement agree with truth. (Cheers.) The Government had nothing to hide. In 1894 there was a surplus of receipts over expenditures of $50,559. In 1895 there was a deficit of $111,397, and in 1896 the deficit amounted to $153,845, but in all they did not amount to anything like what the Opposition claimed. This was but a sample of the way the Opposition misrepresented the facts and thereby hoped to gain power. Since Mr. Whitney had at last admitted that the four millions of trust funds at Ottawa were available for the purposes of the Provincial Government he had nothing further to say, and sat down amid storms of applause. The House then went into supply without division.

First Readings.

The following bills were introduced and received their first reading:—

Mr. Garrow, respecting the estate of the late Richard Stubbs.

Mr. Flatt, respecting the city of St. Thomas and the St. Thomas Street Railway Co.

Mr. Crawford, respecting the City of Toronto.

Mr. McKay, to confirm by-law 479 of the town of Ingersoll.

Mr. Middleton, respecting the village of Huntsville.

Mr. Kidd, to amend the Municipal Act.

Mr. McKee, respecting Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

Mr. Caven, to amend the Municipal Act.

Hon. Mr. Dryden, to prevent gambling and games of chance at exhibitions.

Mr. Stratton, to confirm an agreement between the G. T. R. Co. and the town of Sarnia.

Mr. Stratton, respecting the town of Midland.

Mr. Stratton, respecting the town of Trenton.

Mr. Hobbs, respecting the city of London.

Mr. Dana, to confirm a by-law of the town of Collingwood.

Hon. Mr. Davis, to amend the acts relating to the Victoria university.

Hon. Mr. Gibson, respecting water powers.

Mr. Gibson (Huron), respecting certain by-laws concerning drainage in the townships of Grey, Elma and McKillop.

No More Gambling.

Hon. John Dryden's bill to prevent gambling provides that no game of chance shall be permitted at any agricultural or horticultural fair, or within half a mile of such. Upon conviction for such offense the lowest penalty shall be $20 and costs, the highest $100 and costs.

The Holiday Term.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, answering Mr. Whitney, said he would not be able to say until Monday next when the holidays would begin or end. It was quite possible the House would sit between Christmas day and New Year, but not open either of those days. He could not say at present this would be done, but at latest would inform the House on Tuesday. He announced that the new revised statutes would be distributed next Monday.

Deer Killed in Water.

Mr. Kidd yesterday introduced a bill to amend the Fish and Game Act. The bill provides that as long as dogs are allowed to run on land deer may be killed in the water.

Paint Your Cheek.

Not with paint on outside that is easily washed off. Put the color on from within. Scott's Emulsion fills the cheeks with rich red blood. It is a color that stays too.

Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults.

Skates and Hockey Sticks

FAVOURITE STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLUB SKATES for Skating,
HOCKEY SKATES for Hockey.
FAMOUS ROCK ELM HOCKEY STICKS.

Sleigh Bells

SILVER PLATED BELLS—various chimes.
BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

JUST RECEIVED BY

R. H. FORTYE & CO.

Hardware Merchants, 302 George Street.

Home Needlework!

Special New Designs for Tea Cloths, Centrepieces, Doilies, Photograph Frames, &c.

All the needed material for Fancy Needlework, Wool Work, Braided Work, etc., can be bought at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store. Plain and Fancy Wools and Silks for Knitting Netting, Crocheting and Art Needle Work; Art Linen, Art Silks and Satins, Slipper Patterns. Embroidered Frames, Linen Lawn for Handkerchiefs, Table Centers, Five o'clocks, Stamped Goods and other Novelties.

A fine display of INFANTS' WEAR and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

A Revelation

In Millinery and Xmas Gifts

.....AT.....

Miss Delaney's.

The tendency to select Articles for Gift Purposes possessing Practical Features is very pronounced—judging by our Sales this month. There is no lull in business with us—the holiday campaign and the demand for mid-winter productions keeping us quite busy.

We have many Beautiful Goods suitable for Holiday Presents, which we are offering at nominal prices. Those enumerated below will be sold on the close-margin plan :—

—Stylishly Trimmed Evening and Street Bonnets.
—Fashionably Trimmed Hats in the new shapes.
—Dotted and Variously Patterned Veilings.
—Ruchings and Ruffings for evening wear.
—Ready-Made Bows and Scarf Veils.
—Children's Eiderdown Jackets, Hoods and Ruffs.
—Fancy Handkerchiefs in all grades and widths of hem.
—High Novelties, in French Kid Gloves, with fancy backs.
—Satin Lined Handkerchief Cases, artistically decorated.

At "The White Store," George Street.

P.B.C.

B. C.

This Institution promises every advantage for young men and women who wish to prepare themselves as

BOOKKEEPERS or STENOGRAPHERS.

A most favourable time to enter for a course in either department is NOW.
NIGHT SCHOOL, 3 evenings a week.

PRINGLE & McCREA,
Opposite Post Office. Peterborough, Ont.

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Notice

Waller & Co's Christmas price list in another column.

Sermons to Young Men.

Rev. Dr. Torrance and Rev. S. J. Shorey will exchange pulpits to-morrow evening and preach special sermons to young men.

10 a. m. Probabilities.

Westerly winds; fair weather; decidedly cold. Fine and decidedly cold on Sunday.

Sun rises at 7.46, and sets at 4.42.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

"Evolution of the Bible."

Rev. H. Symonds will speak on the "Evolution of the Bible" at the men's meeting in St. John's church to-morrow afternoon at half-past four o'clock.

Fresh Nuts—No. 1 Goods.

Until further notice—new Grenoble walnuts and soft shelled almonds 12 cents a pounds, or two for 23 cents. Sicily filberts 10 cents a pound. Why pay fancy prices to some town groceries for the same goods. WALLER & Co.

English Holly

Just arrived at Long Bros., for the Xmas holiday season. Also a special importation of moss wreathing, very nice for drawing room decorations, keeps ever fresh and green, is very clean and does not drop on carpets. For sale by the yard at LONG BROS.

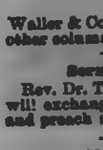
Calcutt's Brewery.

Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 60c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 98. Call us up. 11d12

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

If You've Got the Blues,



Come and get a glimpse of Toyland in the Peterborough Bookstore. Toys, Dolls and Games, are only a few of the many things in our grand Xmas exposition, but there's a feast of fun for the children, and of gladness for parents and of pleasure for all, to drive away the blues. This is the greatest toy store in town. It is a veritable wonderland for the children, and as interesting to the big folks as to the little ones. Dolls the big folks as to the little ones. Dolls from base ball size—the finest quality of dress doll—to suit everyone, and all so cheap! Never can such a display of goods and such low prices be seen. It's good and worth while and pays to look. We [illegible] and quality any two stores in [illegible] and the prices will be [illegible] our cash stronger. A. H. [illegible] & Co.

Bazaar Open till 10 O'clock To-night.

THE LIQUOR CASE.

The Ministers of the Town Hold a Meeting and Discuss it.

The ministers of the town met this morning at 10 a. m. in the Y. M. C. A. parlour to discuss matters in connection with the recent attack made on the Chief of Police in the discharge of his duty.

There were present Rev. Messrs. J. C. Davidson, Dr. Torrance, E. Vicars Stevenson, A. T. Dykeman, Wm. Bennett, Herbert Symonds, W. L. Armitage, J. E. Moore, S. J. Shorey, W. G. Clarke, O. C. Elliott and J. G. Potter. The Rev. A. T. Dykeman took the chair.

The Rev. Dr. Torrance thought that a resolution strengthening the hands of the officers of the law should be passed.

Rev. E. V. Stevenson said there could only be one opinion with regard to our position in the matter. We should strengthen and not weaken the hands of those whose duty it was to carry out the law. He was anxious to know, however, if it would not be well to wait to see what would be done at the meeting on Monday night, and then greater influence might be used by the different clergymen.

In an interview with Bishop O'Connor it was his Lordship's opinion that much more would be effected by watching the action of the council in this matter and then if any injustice were done all would have to do their duty.

Rev. Mr. Armitage said that if Mr. Hessel was faithful in the discharge of his duty, it was the duty of the ministers and all citizens to give him hearty support.

Rev. Mr. Shorey thought that the hands of the chief should be supported in his effort to enforce the law. In this special case he said that the hotel in question had had other convictions against it.

Rev. Mr. Davidson said that while he felt everything should be done to stand by the enforcement of the law, yet there might be another side to the question under discussion, and he felt that the ministers might put themselves on record as being ready to oppose the infraction of law, and then, if it were found that injustice were done, the ministers could then be called and make representations to the council.

The Rev. Messrs. Potter, Moore, Clarke, Symonds and Elliott were of the opinion that now was the time for the ministers to take action.

The following resolution, duly moved and seconded, was carried unanimously:

"We, the ministers of the town of Peterborough, believe it is the wish of most, in the best interests of all citizens, that the law against the illegal sale of liquor should be fearlessly and impartially enforced; and we hereby declare that those charged with the enforcement of said law shall have our strong and united support in the proper discharge of their duties."

DAUGHTERS OF ENGLAND.

Officers of the Local Lodge Elected on Thursday Night.

On Thursday night Lady Lansdowne Lodge, No. 22, D.O.E., elected the following officers for 1898:

Sister M Stock	P P
" L Harris	W P
" L Tovey	W V P
" R Taylor	F C
" R Walstenholme	T
" E Coveney	C
Dr Young	Lodge Surgeon
Sister Booth	1st Com
" Irvine	2nd Com
" McGill	3rd Com
" Oliver	4th Com
" Reme	Inner Guard
Bro W Taylor	Outer Guard
Sister E Louise	Organist
Trustees	Sister Kingscote and Sinclair
Auditors	Sisters Stock, Rose and Waram

Installation will take place on Old Christmas, January 6th, 1897.

Lady Lansdowne Lodge seems to be in a prosperous condition. Twelve propositions were presented Thursday night for membership.

IS IT TRUE?

Mr. Thomas S. Cole, Travelling Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will give a special address on "Personal Purity" to men in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Sunday at 4 15 p. m. Subject, "Is it True?"

To-night at 8 o'clock Mr. F. Briscoe will lead the meeting. Subject, "Nicodemus."

General Secretary's Bible on Sunday at three o'clock.

DIAMOND DYES.

Have Revolutioned the Work of Home Dyeing.

The days of old fashioned home dyeing work passed away when the Diamond Dyes were given to the world. To-day the operation of colouring—making old things look like new—is easy and quick work when the Diamond Dyes are used. All over this American continent the Diamond Dyes are known as money and time savers. They lead all other dyes on the market, being first in power, depth of colour, fastness and brilliancy.

The cheaply made imitation and soap grease dyes are brought by some to experiment with, but they are never asked for a second time, as they prove defective and worthless. Diamond Dyes are fully warranted, never to fail when the simple directions are followed.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Whatever may have been the impression upon the public mind, it has been quite evident for weeks past that there would pretty certainly be a contest for the mayoralty. Mayor Yelland made no secret of his intentions of again entering the field and his published utterances of a few weeks ago seemed to imply a challenge to opposition, which, though it may not have been intended as such, yet it had the effect of arousing a feeling in the minds of some that the position of the mayoralty should not go by default. Different names have been spoken of as being probable candidates, but no definite announcement was made till Tuesday last, when Mr. A. L. Davis councillor for No. 2 Ward in the council of 1897, declared his intention of becoming a candidate for the mayoralty. While there appeared on the surface a public indifference in the matter of a mayor for 1898, yet the expressions of many citizens made it evident that there was a more or less of a determination that Mr. Yelland should not be elected by acclamation. Such opposition seemed to be inevitable in view of the warmth of feeling excited during the two last campaigns for the mayoralty. Mr. A. L. Davis, who has announced himself as a candidate, is a well-known citizen, enjoying the respect of the public to a very high degree. He has had a considerable business training and experience, having been for several years in mercantile business before entering the insurance firm of Cox & Davis. In his business transaction Mr. Davis has been found reliable and honourable and perhaps no one in Peterborough has had a larger individual business experience with Mr. Davis than has the publisher of the EXAMINER and in every transaction, whether verbal or written, he has been found to be the soul of honour—the event proving that the employment of written documents was an unnecessary formality. Mr. Davis entered the council for 1897 as the representative of No. 2 ward, polling the largest vote in the ward for that year and he has shown commendable attention to his duties in that position. Probably no person who has occupied the mayor's chair for many years has been more attentive to the routine of duty than Mayor Yelland, he being always come-at-able, when it was necessary to consult him on the town's business. His record as a citizen has been for many years before the people of Peterborough and as such he is held in the highest esteem and respect. He was for many years councillor for No. 3 Ward, and as every one knows, has occupied the Mayor's chair for the past two years. As between the two candidates, the people have an opportunity of deciding which will make the best mayor of Peterborough for 1898; which will best promote the town's interests, maintain, and, if possible, better its standing, and most actively and successfully promote its material interests. A council is wanted that will co-operate and assist the mayor in carrying out an aggressive campaign in the direction of upbuilding the town, enlarging the number of its labour-employing establishments, and keeping Peterborough in the place it now holds—that of the leading and most progressive town in Ontario. Peterborough has a past and present of which its citizens are justly proud. Now we must look to the future and what that future will be very largely depends upon the character of the mayors and councillors we put in charge of our affairs. Peterborough will have an opportunity of giving expression to its opinions on these matters and will have an opportunity of selecting from the candidates already named, and others who will doubtless in due time come out as candidates, a council that will meet the conditions demanded in the interests of the town.

Bazaar Open till 10 O'clock To-night.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	.....	14° above zero
Yesterday	30°	24°

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—This is genuine old-time Christmas weather.

—The Christmas market is to be held on Friday next.

—The market this morning was one of the largest of the year. All of the farmers came in with sleighs.

—The Mark street Methodist Sunday school will have their Xmas tree and entertainment in the new town hall on Xmas night.

—And now the cautious juvenile can be seen anxiously surveying the chimney of the house and meditating whether the opening is large enough for the descent of Santa.

—Hear the 'Varsity Glee and Banjo Club at the Opera House Wednesday evening, Dec. 22nd. Seats are now on sale at Ormond & Walsh's Drug store. Prices, 35, 25 and 50 cents.

—Complaint is made of a vicious spaniel dog on Bethune street, which is said to be a "terrer," especially to ladies and children. Those complaining would like the owner to take the hint.

One Source of Pain and Suffering Under Human Control.

The remedy known as South American Kidney Cure never fails to give relief in six hours in all derangements of the kidneys or bladder. Bright's disease, diabetes, inflammation or ulceration of the kidneys, neuralgia, consumption, hemorrhage and catarrh of the kidneys, inflammation of the bladder, etc. It purifies and regulates the urine, removes sediment in urine and prevents scalding. It is worth a thousand times its cost for prostatic troubles in the old, such as enlargement, inflammation and ulceration of the prostrate gland. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, worn tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silt stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4 00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety, music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

Santa Claus Latest Telephone

—— TO THE ——

Peterborough Bookstore.

Santa Claus has just been heard from. For the information of the Old Folks as well as the Young Folks, we are at liberty to publish the following:—

DEAR MESSRS. STRATTON & CO.

Just a line by telephone to say that I expect to be at the Peterborough Bookstore next week. Isn't it too bad after getting within a 100 miles of Peterborough to find the snow all gone and no sleighing. I've had to hitch up my reindeers to my bicycle and shall drive straight to the Grotto 417 and 419 George Street. Tell the policemen to have the streets all clear for me, as the deer are very frisky after doing so little work during the journey. Won't it be jolly to meet all the dear children in the Grotto again? Put this in the newspapers and let the children know about my reception in the Peterborough Bookstore all next week. "So long" till I see you and all the dear children. So long, so long.

Your faithful old friend,
SANTA.

Superb Novelties.
Pencils and Pencil Cases in Gold and Pens with beautiful handles
Fountain Pens
Handpainted Necktie Cases
Handpainted Toilet Cases
Toilet Bottles
Opera Glasses
Evening Fans, handpainted
Feather Fans, elegant
Book Marks and Paper Cutters
Stamp Cases
Handpainted Cuff Boxes
Ladies' Companions
Dressing Cases
Manicure Sets
Shaving Cases
Plaques and Vases, handpainted

Christmas Cards, Calendars, Booklets.

A beautiful line of the choicest, freshest, most artistic productions every design this year's, fitted in envelope and enclosed in larger envelope, suitable and ready for mailing abroad if desired.

Illustrated Papers.

All the beautiful Christmas Illustrated Editions. Everyone should have one either for home or sending away.

Japanese Goods.
Match Boxes
Ash Trays
Cigar Trays
Vases
Pin Trays
Ink Stands
Photo Holders
Brass and Metal Novelties

Sleighs, etc.
Boy's and Girl's Hand Sleighs.
Children's Coasters
Infant's Cutters
Rocking Horses
Adjustable Sleigh Runners

Fancy Stationery.

Fine Note Paper and Envelopes in fancy boxes containing any desired quantity, richly embossed tinted, cream and white.

Exposition of Dolls.

Selling space has been arranged with good light and with room enough for easy seeing.
20 and 24 inch Dolls
Dolls with Lace Dresses
Unbreakable Jointed Dolls
Musical Dolls
Rubber Dolls
Dolls with Moveable Eyes
All kinds of Wax Dolls

Leather Goods.
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases
Ladies' Pocket Books and Purses
Ladies' Visiting Lists and Memorandum Books
Gentlemen's Memorandum and Pocket Diaries
Writing Desks
Writing Portfolios and Blotters
Travelling Companions
Pocket Diaries
Fancy Papeteries

Evening Games.
Our list of Evening Games for 1897 and 1898 is a big one:—
Cricicle
Parchesi
Keno
Nations
Logomachy
Dominoes
Chequers
Go Bang
Hold the Fort
Parlour Croquet
Solitaire
Authors
Old Maid
Mother Goose
Combination Game
Cookoo
Cribbage
Chess
Nine Pins
Ouija
Bobby—the newest out

Bibles, etc.
Teacher's Bibles, Morocco bound limped edges, $1.25.
Old Folk's Bibles, large print, strongly bound, good paper, $1
Prayer Books and Hymnals

Holiday Books.
Gilt edge, cloth bound Books
Classical and Poetical Works
Children's Colored Picture Books
Scripture Picture Books
Christmas Picture Books
Fancy, Ruby, Miniature Books
The Annuals, etc

Fancy Cases.
Shaving Cases
Jewel Cases
Toilet Cases
Card Cases
Glove Cases
Whisk Holders
Collar and Cuff Boxes

Albums, etc.
Photograph Albums
Autograph Albums
Scrap Albums
Hand Mirrors
Photo Holders
Pocket Knives
Fancy Baskets
Thermometers, etc

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RICHARD HALL & SON

OUR HOLIDAY LIST

Every article mentioned is just what will make a desirable Christmas Gift—because they are useful and serviceable. Nothing adds more to the value of a gift than the certainty that it will be prized, and in making our special preparations for the Holiday Trade we have selected goods of merit, goods that will create a lasting impression of their high quality and good value.

Jackets

One of our Fine Jackets at our reduced prices, in some cases less than Half the Original Price, will make a desirable present.
Our $14.00 Jacket cut to $10 00.
Our $12.00 Jacket cut to $9.00.
Our $12.00 Cape for old ladies for $6.00.
Some $7.50 Jackets cut to $4.00.
Just the chance for a Christmas Present.

Kid Gloves for Ladies

and Gloves that we can guarantee to give satisfaction.
Perrin's Dome Clasp, Heavystitching, Fancy Points and Welts, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Perrin's Lacing in Black, Tan and all the latest colours, guaranteed, $1.00 per pr.
Jamarets, 3 Dome fasteners, in Black, Red Blue and Green, very elegant, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Jamarets, 7 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, best quality guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Pewny's, 5 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, all sizes, 75c a pair.
Ringwood Gloves, in White and Fancy, 25c and 35c a pair.

Handsome Silks for Dresses and Blouses

Black Peau de Soie, very special, does not cut. $1.00 per yd.
Black Gros Grain, very special at $1.00.
Black Gros Grain, (Pearson's) famous rich gros grain, $1.50.
Shot Taffetias, latest popular shades, 75c.
Coloured Poplins, all the latest shades, $1.00 per yd.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies White Lawn hemstitched, extra value, 5c, 8c and 10c.
Ladies' White Linen, hemstitched, extra value, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
Ladies' White Lawn embroidered and hemstitched, very special, 12½c each.
Ladies' White Linen Lawn, lace insertion and embroidery, 15c, 20c and 25c each.
Gents White Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c, 15c, 20c, and 25c each.
White Japanese Silk Initial, good size, special at 25c and 50c.
Cream Brocht Silk Handkerchiefs, special at 40c to $1.00.

Handsome House-furnishings for the House

Chenille, Damask, Tapestry and Lace Curtains. Quilts, Table Covers, &c., all at special prices.

Fine Linens

The present that the mother or wife appreciates: Table Linens, Table Napkins, Five o'clock Cloths, Doylies, Pillow Shams, &c., at special prices.

Natty things for men at our George Street Store. Silk Handkerchiefs, Nobby Ties, Kid Gloves, Buckskin Gloves, Mufflers, Umbrellas, &c., at special prices.

Kindly shop early, you get first choice. A perfect assortment. You can shop comfortably, and have careful attention, and thus avoid the rush and crush that always occurs on the last few days.

RICHARD HALL & SON

Direct Importers, 130-134 Simcoe Street. Clothing and Gents' Furnishings Department, 396 George Street.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Those Who Will Fill the Chairs of Court Peterborough, C. O. F., next Year.

Court Peterborough, Canadian Order of Foresters, held a largely attended and most enthusiastic meeting last evening in their hall on Simcoe street.

The occasion was the annual election of officers and almost every member turned out. Nearly every chair was contested and consequently the excitement ran high in some of the close contests. The result was as follows:

George Dredge	P C R
J J Hardwick	C R
Bert Hillier	V C R
A D Russell	Rec-Sec
H Newbolt	Fin Sec
Frank Adams	Treasurer
R H Sheppard	Chaplain
Geo Dawson	S Woodward
Chas Crowe	J Woodward
Chris Greenwood	S Beadle
Jas Moore	J Beadle
Dr Brown	Physician
Wm Madill	Auditor

Hall Trustees—J R Motherall, D S Harvie Geo Stanton.

Representatives to High Court—H Nesbitt, J R Motherall, D S Harvie, A Macfarlane, W H Robinson, A McNeil, A Comstock, W Bates, Dr Rose C Curtis.

The Manly Art.

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A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store. Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

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Succeeding **MR. ALEX. ELLIOTT** at No. 353 George Street, so long and favourably known in the Town and District as the **PALACE GROCERY.**

MESSRS. BLEWETT & MARTIN have pleasure in stating that they have purchased the Grocery Stock of MR. ALEX. ELLIOTT, and on **SATURDAY, DEC. 18th** begin their business connection with the public.

In addition to a first-class stock of General Groceries, we will carry a select stock of Foreign and Domestic Fruits, and Oysters, and everything for the table.

The firm respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage accorded to Mr. Elliott in the past, and cordially invite all others, to whom our methods of doing business will appeal, as being to their interests to trade at the SPOT CASH GROCERY.

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Y.M.C.A. DEBATING CLUB.

Debate on Resolved—"That Surroundings Have More to do With Success Than Ability.

The regular weekly meeting of the club was held last evening and was well attended.

The President, Mr. A. E. Dixon, occupied the chair for the first time.

The principal feature of the evening was the debate, Resolved "That surroundings have more to do with success than ability." Affirmative, Messrs. J. W. Bennet and G. S. Bell; negative, Messrs. W. H. Hill and C. H. Bradburn. Both sides were well sustained. Decision was given in favour of the negative.

The programme on New Year's night will be in charge of the club. The Programme Committee is arranging a debate on the subject, Resolved "That the prevalent bicycle craze is detrimental to the business interests of the country." Affirmative, Messrs. —— —— and T. H. Martin; negative, F. H. Dobbin and A. C. McCallum.

A Banker's Experience.

"I tried a bottle of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine for a troublesome affection" of the throat," writes Manager Thomas Hawson of the Standard Bank, now of 14 Melbourne Avenue, Toronto, "It proved effective. I regard the remedy as simple, cheap and exceedingly good. It has hitherto been my habit to consult a physician in troubles of this nature. Hereafter, however, I intend to be my own family doctor."

New Novelties in Neckwear at LeBrun's

If you want to see the newest things out in nobby silk neckwear, fresh from Paris and New York this week, come to H. LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store. They were personally selected by Mr. LeBrun for Christmas and New Year's gifts: and are something entirely new in the line of ties, bows, puffs, four-in-hands, knots, scarfs, etc. Particular attention is directed to the new and natty styles brought over from Paris by Mr. Brias, of the firm of Glover & Brias, Montreal, the leading high-class gentlemen's furnishing house of Canada. These ties are swell effects, and are all the rage, being the latest models out in neckwear. See also our large stock of mufflers in silk and Cashmere, also fine silk and linen handkerchiefs in pretty boxes. Select stock of gloves of all kinds, lined and unlined, and the latest novelties in silk braces in boxes, just the thing for holiday gifts. H. LeBrun & Co.

Toronto University Glee and Banjo Club.

Following is the programme for the concert to be given on Wednesday, Dec. 22nd, by the above organization in the Opera House. Those who appreciate good music should not fail to attend.

PROGRAMME.

The Maple Leaf Forever.

1 Chorus, Wanderer's Song.....*Schumann*
GLEE CLUB.

2 Quickstep, Blue and White.....*Armstrong*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

3 Song, Queen of the Earth.....*Pinsuti*
MR. BRUCE BRADLEY '98.

4 Chorus, A Maid on the Shore of the Mediterranean.....*Jensen*
GLEE CLUB.

5 March, Stars and Stripes Forever....*Sousa*
MANDOLIN CLUB.

6 Song, Friar's Song from "Ivanhoe"....*Bizet*
MR. W. FLAVELLE FRASER '99.

7 Mandolin Solos
(a) Duo for one Mandolin.....*O F Smedley*
(b) Valse Brilliante.....*Godard*
MR G F SMEDLEY.

8 Chorus
(a) Chorus of Departing Pilgrims } *Wagner*
(b) Chorus of Returning Pilgrims }
GLEE CLUB.

9 March, Royal Courier.....*Wagner*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

10 Song, Jolly Jack.....*Lloyd*
MR JACKSON '98.

11 Selections, The Geisha.....*Sidney Jones*
MANDOLIN CLUB.

12 Chorus, (a) Elegy.....*Cornelius*
(b) Lullaby.....*Brahms*
GLEE CLUB.

13 Selection, Kentucky Babe.....*Giebel*
GLEE, BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

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Accompanist.....MR W A SADLER '99

AN OTONABEE WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Maggie Kindred and Mr. Thomas S. Brackenridge.

"Braeton Farm," Otonabee, the home of Mr. Charles Kindred, was the scene of an exceedingly pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, Dec. 15th, when his daughter, Miss Maggie, was united in marriage to Mr. Thos. S. Brackenridge, a prosperous young farmer of Westwood, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Liddy of Keene.

At 6 o'clock, to the peals of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Lizzie Kindred, the bride entered the dining room on the arm of her father. She was prettily gowned in fawn satin cloth, with coral trimmings to match, and wore the usual bridal flowers. The duties of bridesmaid were most acceptably performed by Miss Etta Kindred of Peterborough, who was gowned in Nile green and pink, trimmed with silk and chiffon.

The groom was assisted by his youngest brother Hugh, (a graduate of the Ontario Business College, Belleville.)

At the conclusion of the ceremony, and after the young couple had received the congratulations of their relatives and friends, who were present in large numbers, all repaired to the dining hall, where a sumptuous fowl supper was served.

The bride, who was one of the most popular young ladies in Otonabee township, was the recipient of many valuable and useful wedding gifts.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome beaver cap, and he also presented the bridesmaid with a very pretty opera scarf.

Mr. and Mrs. Brackenridge will reside in Westwood, and their hosts of friends join in extending to them their best wishes for a happy wedded life.

New Footing and Edgings arrived at Mrs. Appleby's 426 Water street.

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To Her Husband or Gentleman Friend

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Fancy Silk Suspenders, in fancy boxes	.75 to 3.00
Fancy Vests, Brown and Drab Corduroy, lined with scarlet flannel (made in London, England)	2.75
Travelling Rugs from	4.50 to 9.00
Dressing Jackets, House Jackets	English manufacture.
Waterproof Coats	6.00 to 18.00
Gloves, fine kid, unlined, also silk lined, and Gloves lined with fine fur and wool	.50 to 2.75
New Pyjamas and Flannel Night Robes.	
Silk Umbrellas, special line with gloria tips	1.25
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PERSONAL.

Rev. S. J. Shorey will preach at Salem to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Wm. Griffin, of F. Simons & Co., left this morning for his home in Perth.

Mr. F. Ponce has gone to Cobourg, where he will spend a few days visiting friends.

Mr. R. B. Beavis of Bercaford, South Dakota, formerly of town, is spending Christmas in this county with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Beavis. He is accompanied by his son Max.

Mr. D. O'Connell left last night for Smith's Falls, where he will defend Arthur Burns, of Peterborough, in a case where the latter has been charged with obtaining goods under false pretences.

M. H. H. Dean, Professor of Dairying, with Mr. John MacMillan, M.P., passed through town to-day to attend the Farmers' Institute meeting at Keene. They will return to spend Sunday in town.

CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Peter's Cathedral.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Roman Catholic, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

St. John's Church.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Fourth Sunday in Advent, December 19th. Services:—8.30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 6.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

All Saints' Church, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Fourth Sunday in Advent—December 19th. Services: 11 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p.m., Even-song and sermon—Subject "The Ends of the Ages;" (The Millenium.)

Charlotte Street Methodist Church.—Rev. D. O. Cromley, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19th. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by the Rev. W. G. Clarke, B.A.; 7 p. m., conducted by Rev. D. O. Cromley. Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

George Street Methodist Church.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19th. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by the pastor, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. Dr. Torrance. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

St. Paul's Church—Rev. R. F. Torrance, B.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 19th. Services at 11 a. m., conducted by pastor, and 7 p.m. by Rev. S. J. Shorey. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

Mark Street Methodist Church.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. The pastor will preach in the morning on "A Few Worthy Names;" evening subject, "Elijah and the Prophets of Baal." Class meetings as usual. The E. L. of C. E. will take the topic at the Charlotte street League on Monday evening next, and return a fraternal visit.

Park Street Baptist Church.—Rev. O. C. Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19, services at 11 a. m and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening.

St. Andrew's Church, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 19 h. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. Monday 8 p.m.

Baptist Church (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor, Sunday, Dec. 19th. Services at 11 a.m., and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p. m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

Church of Christ Scientist.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artizans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

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Fancy Goods Our stock of Fancy China and Glassware is very complete and includes Cocoa and Chocolate Sets, Five o'clock Tea Sets, Salad, Berry and Butter Sets, Salad Dishes, Water Jugs, Flower Pots, Ornaments, Cups and Saucers, Fruit Plates, Porridge Sets, etc., etc.

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1 lb. No. 1 Shelled Walnuts	.25	1 lb. No. 1 Table Raisins	.12
1 lb. No. 1 Soft Shell Almond Nuts	.12	1 lb. Blue Bells Currants 8c. or 3½ for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Filbert Nuts	.12	1 lb. Filiabras, 4 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Lemon Peel	.15	1 lb. Cooking Figs 6c. or 5 lbs. for	.25
1 lb. No. 1 Cross & Blackwell's Peel	.20	1 lb. Table Figs	.12
1 lb. No. 1 Seeded California Raisins	.12	1 doz. No. 1 Oranges	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins, large	.10	1 doz. No. 1 Lemons	.20
1 lb. No. 1 Blue Raisins 8c. or 3½ for	.25		

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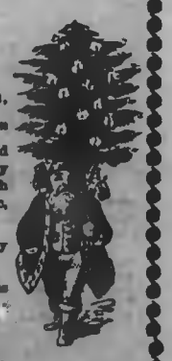

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Mrs. Jas. A. Rose, Geddes St., Belleville, Ont., says, "To me life has been made a misery for the last six or seven years because of heart trouble and nervousness, from which I have suffered all this time.

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"This would be followed by dizziness, my eyesight would become blurred and dim, so that many a time I knew not what to do. Gradually I grew weak, my blood became poor, and my entire system run down. My nerves were so unstrung that I could not sleep.

"All the medicine I used and all the doctoring I did was without effect, when providentially I heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and started using them. The results were so wonderful that I cannot refrain from speaking about them.

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A DARKY'S PRIZE MENU.

But His Friends Weren't Betting Against a Sure Thing.

Three negroes not long ago made a bet among themselves that each could name a supper that would be better than the others could name. They put up $1 apiece, and the one that named the dishes that would constitute the best supper should take the $3. They drew straws as to which ones should be the first and the last to make up the menu for the imaginary meal. The first man said he couldn't think of anything better than greens boiled with hog jowl. For side dishes he would take corn bread, souse, black eyed peas, and wash them down with buttermilk. The other two smacked their lips.

"Well, for me," said No. 2, "I'd take fried chicken, hot biscuits, buttered 'n spread over with preserves—'n den, 'n den—let's see—yes, 'n 'simmon beer 'n ginger cakes."

The mouths of the other two spilled water, and it was apparent that they were hungry. It came No. 3's time.

"W'y, youse niggers don't know what's good," said he. "Tell me, fools, what's better'n possum baked wid sweet 'taters scattered all roun' it, swimmin in de gravy? Hey? 'N den after youse done nibbled at de bones tell they ain't no more meat on 'em dere set de water millyon starin you in de face lik'. Hey?" And with that he started to pick up the money.

"You leave dat money alone," the other two yelled in chorus. "We warn't bettin ag'in no sure thing."—Chicago Times-Herald.

The two most critical times in a woman's life are the times which make the girl a woman, and the woman a mother. At these times, Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription is of incalculable value. It strengthens and invigorates the organs distinctly feminine, promotes regularity of the functions, allays irritation and inflammation, checks unnatural exhausting drains, and puts the whole delicate organism into perfect condition. Almost all the ills of womankind are traceable to some form of what is known as "female" complaint. There are not three cases in a hundred of woman's peculiar diseases that Dr. Pierce's Favourite Prescription will not cure.

Left In the Lurch.

Simultaneously a young Cornish lady had three suitors, representing the church, the army and the navy. The reverend gentleman had a great advantage over his rivals, being always "on the spot." Referring to his rivals in conversation with the lady on one occasion, he made the highly interesting observation that there were "land rats and water rats."

"And cu-rats," retorted the lady.

Needless to say the parson had to look elsewhere for a wife.—London News.

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SIX BURNED TO DEATH.

Patrick Leahy of Ottawa and His Five Young Children Cremated in Their Burning House.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 18.—One of the most heart-rending catastrophies that ever visited Ottawa took place yesterday morning on Friel street, near Clarence. Fire caused the death of Patrick T. Leahy and his five young children, Thomas, aged 8, Mamie, 7, Katie, 6, Maggie, 4, and Patrick, 2. Frank, aged 5, was saved. The fire bell rang at 3.15, and in spite of a prompt response from the reels and hose wagon, it was evident that the house was doomed. It was not, however, until the arrival of Chief Provost that it was learned the family, or the best part of them, were in the doomed building. The chief at once ordered the door burst open and himself made a rush into the house.

A terrible scene met his gaze. The stairway was burned down, and lying at the foot was the body of an apparently ten-year-old girl, burned to a crisp.

Mrs. Leahy tried to quench the fire, exhausting her efforts in this direction and had barely time to escape from the house with one child.

Story of an Eye-Witness.

The account as told by Joseph Boulez, who rescued Mrs. Leahy and her child from the kitchen roof of the burning building, is as follows:—

Mr. Boulez lives in the house opposite, and shortly after 3 o'clock was awakened by a woman's screams. Getting up he saw that Mr. Leahy's house was on fire. On reaching the fire a few other men were there. He obtained a ladder and saved Mrs. Leahy from the roof of the kitchen of the building and carried her to his own house. While taking her there Mrs. Leahy told him what she knew about the fire. She said she had been awakened by Mr. Leahy, who told her it was getting daylight and that she should get up at once. She did so, and, seeing the house full of smoke and the light of the fire, at once took in the situation. She could not descend by the stairway, and with one child, climbed out on the roof of the kitchen. Her screams also awakened Mrs. Clark and Mr. Anderson, living at 67 Friel street. Mr. Anderson tried to enter the burning house by way of the kitchen, but the fire was so severe in the front part that he was unable to do so, and devoted his energies to saving his own house.

A Horrible Suspicion.

The suspicion entertained by some, that Leahy stole the key of the fire alarm box and set the house on fire while temporarily out of his mind, was greatly strengthened later on in the day, when the startling discovery was made that the keyhole of the box had been plugged with a small stone. Even had the key been found it would have been impossible under the circumstances to open the box.

A MIGHTY CHANCE.

Made Well and Active After Years of Suffering.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND WAS THE GREAT LIFE-GIVER.

New life, health, vim, energy and activity are some of the blessings Paine's Celery Compound bestows on those who are now helpless, weary and half dead.

If you are a martyr to rheumatism, tortured with neuralgia, distressed with dyspepsia, or laid low with kidney trouble, that infallible life-giver, Paine's Celery Compound, will restore you to perfect health and give you a long lease of life. Mrs. Page, of Arnprior, Ont., after years of suffering, experienced the happy and mighty change that Paine's Celery Compound alone can give to the afflicted. She says:

"I have been for many years a great sufferer from rheumatism and a complication of other troubles. About a year ago I was prevailed upon to try a course of Paine's Celery Compound, with a result so marvellous that my most intimate friends and neighbours could scarcely believe me to be the same woman. Formerly I could only move about with the greatest caution; now I am well and active and my general health is good. I believe Paine's Celery Compound will do all that is claimed for it."

Telegraphic Anomalies.

At a recent meeting of the British chamber of commerce in Paris M. J. Hemebryk, one of the vice presidents of the Liverpool chamber of commerce, made an interesting statement and sought the support of the Paris chamber in his endeavors to obtain acceleration in the delivery of telegrams in France. He said that telegraphing from Liverpool he could obtain a reply from his New York house in three minutes, while from his house in Paris it took five hours. There were countries, like Austria, which were even worse, the time for a reply being sometimes as much as six or seven hours. There could be no greater condemnation of the present system than the practice which was commonly followed by Liverpool merchants. When they wanted to obtain a reply quickly from, say Havre, they would telegraph to Havre through their New York office, and they could thus obtain through New York a reply in half an hour which it would take them four or five hours to obtain direct. The blame could not be attached to the English postoffice, for he had ascertained that, as a rule, a telegram handed in at any English office left the United Kingdom within 15 minutes of being handed in.

The Paris chamber agreed to give the subject its most earnest consideration, with a view to taking steps to obtain reform.—Paris Messenger.

Practice Economy

In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy and yet efficient.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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Here is an Interesting Collection of solid worth, suitable for all Ranks and Conditions of the People, at the Wonderful Cheap Men's CHEAPEST "Cuts." SANTA CLAUS SHOPPERS come with Great Expectations, and they will be more than realized:—

New Neckwear
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Silk Underwear
Silk Socks
Ladies' Fancy Slippers
Men's Fancy Slippers
Ladies' Rubbers
Men's Rubbers
Felt Rubbers
Children's Rubbers

Kid Gloves, Unlined
Kid Gloves, Fur-lined
Kid Gloves, Wool-lined
White Dress Shirts
Linen Collars and Cuffs
Scotch Underwear
Cardigan Jackets
Fine French Hosiery
Gentleman's Jewelry
Irish Linen Handkerchiefs
Lawn Handkerchiefs
In Fancy Boxes
Arctic Overshoes
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Wool Foot Warmers
Grandma's Gaiters
Children's Bootees
Baby Shoes

Fancy Silk Vests
Spotted Corduroy Vests
Smoking Jackets
Fibre Chamois Vests
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Fur Caps
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The Profits of Monte Carlo.

The merchant whose losses are the result of untoward and unforeseen changes in the market receives sympathy and help, but what bank or private friend will advance money to a gambler? The betting man who has staked his last shilling and lost it is pronounced a fool and has put himself beyond the reach of practical compassion. The sharper who has fleeced him has neither gratitude nor pity. He uses his victim as the butt of his ridicule. And the victim himself, who has risked his money on mere chance, or on baseless information, or on fraudulent representations, freely pronounces himself a fool, judging himself in the light of the issue. To fancy that we shall be exceptions and win where others have lost, that we shall be the solitary lucky ones among the thousands unlucky, is a folly to which we are all liable, but it is none the less a folly.

It is stated that the winnings of the table or bank at Monte Carlo last year amounted to £800,000—that is to say, this was the net sum lost by those who played. Yet each gambler who stakes his little pile fancies he will be the one to win. There are some thousands of bookmakers in our own country. Out of whose pockets do they pick so comfortable a living? Out of the pockets of their dupes, who so bountifully contribute to the maintenance of their worst enemies.—Good Words.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes all phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

Impossible In His Case.

Hungry Higgins—I see the paper says we oughtn't to never begin a journey before breakfast.

Weary Watkins—Does it have any advice for us blokes that has to make a journey to find the breakfast?—Indianapolis Journal.

The most scientific forester in Europe says that the oldest trees in northern Europe are the pines of Norway and Sweden, and that these are not known to live more than 570 years. Germany's oldest oaks lived only a little more than 300 years.

THE DEAF HEAR.

DR. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE

Working Wonders in Toronto.

Gave MRS. BINDON her hearing when Specialists failed.

About 3 years ago, Mrs. Bindon, of 11 Maitland St., Toronto, was attacked with la Grippe, which affected her hearing to such an extent that she was completely deaf. It was a serious affliction and she tried many remedies and consulted a prominent specialist on ear diseases, but derived no benefit. By a happy circumstance she was led to use Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and before she had completed 3 boxes her hearing had partially returned.

She persisted in the application of the remedy, so confident was she of ultimate cure, and by the time 12 boxes had been used her hearing was completely restored. For 8 months now she has been free from deafness, and no emancipated sufferer was ever more delighted than Mrs. Bindon. On Sunday she goes to church and enjoys the service, a thing she was unable to do before Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure gave her back her hearing.

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Sizes, 25cts. and $1.00 Bottle. One cent a dose.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures when all others fail. Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough and Asthma. For Consumptive it has no rival and saved thousands, and will cure you if taken in time. Sold by Druggists on a guarantee. For a Lame Back or Chest, use SHILOH'S BELLADONNA PLASTER. 25c.

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They talked of travel, art and books,
Gave politics some rubs,
Of music spoke and drifted last
To the theme of woman's clubs.
"I've joined my sixth," she said, with pride.
"Each seemed so good a choice."
And on the word he courage took
His treasured hope to voice.

"Oh, Phyllis, dear—forgive the name—
But will you make it seven
And join a club I know about?
Its charter comes from heaven,
Its fee is drafts on Cupid's bank,
Its dues are kisses sweet,
Its membership is limited,
But not its times to meet.

"Already half the number's got.
A single smile from you
Will fill the list and found for aye
This happy club of two.
Nay, sweet, look up! You think you'll join!
Oh, bliss that crowns my life!
You shall be all the officers
And be, besides—my wife!"

—Harper's Bazar.

Eczema Relieved in a Day.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment will cure this disgusting skin disease without fail. It will also cure Barber's Itch, Tetter, Salt Rheum and all skin eruptions. In from three to six nights it will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. One application brings comfort to the most irritating cases. 35 cents. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

An Undeveloped Idea.

Some years ago, according to the Boston Transcript, an inventor who had devised a new sleeping car took his plans to Mr. Pullman. The latter, after looking over them, said: "There is an idea there. I will give you $100,000 cash for your patents." The inventor was a poor man, and he would not accept the terms. He said that if the idea was worth $100,000 to Pullman it was worth millions to him. The car was built and proved a financial failure, and it is believed that even to this day the inventor does not know where the "idea" was whose presence Mr. Pullman discerned in the working plans.

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"I have been troubled with sick headache for over a year. Lately I have used Laxa Liver Pills, and find that they help me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. They are an excellent pill, causing no pain or griping, and leaving no after ill effects."

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—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
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—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
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Tailoring Department. Suits and Overcoats made to order during the Holidays, from 20 to 30 per cent. lower than regular prices.

The more you know about our Clothing, our Furnishings and our Prices the better you will be satisfied. During all December, DOWN GOES THE PRICES. The substantial test of time has proved our reliability, and WHAT WE SAY WE MEAN. Our trade during the year has been satisfactory, and we can afford to give our customers a BENEFIT during the Merry Holiday Time.

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HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.		FLANNELETTE GOWNS.	
Heavy Cashmere Seamless Hose, with Double Heel and Toe, fast blacks, only	30c	Flannelette Gowns, full size with pointed yoke and back, Bishop sleeves, frilled front	58c
Our unmatchable line of Ladies' Winter Undervests—a fast seller and leader	25c	Extra Heavy Flannelette Gowns, double yoke, back and front, Bishop sleeves, frilled Collar Front and Sleeves	69c
All Wool Undervests (Shetland) with long sleeves, full fashioned, guaranteed not to shrink, in whites and grays, only	65c	Special line of English Pink Flannelette Gowns, extra large size, made same as above	85c

Same line of Goods in Children's sizes.

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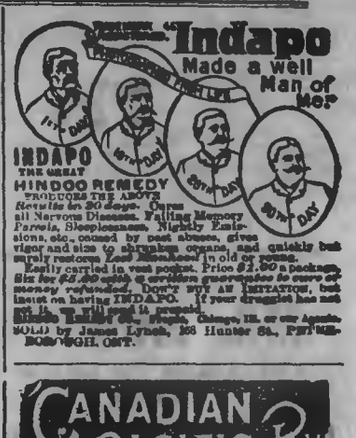

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Return Tickets will be issued as below;

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Single First Class Fare

Good going Dec. 24 and 25; good returning until Dec. 27. Good going on Dec. 31 and Jan 1; good returning until Jan. 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste Marie, Fort William and east, and to and and Detroit, Mich., and to, but not from, Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and Buffalo N. Y.

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CHARCOAL FOR STARTING YOUR ...COAL STOVES....

One-Half Bushel Bag	10c
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The Best 4-foot Maple	$4.00
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The Master Key.

A doctor who prescribes a dozen different remedies for the *symptoms* of one disease is like an old-time turnkey lugging about a ponderous bunch of keys, each one to open a different door. When anyone's blood is thin and watery and poisoned with bilious impurities this condition will show itself in every part of the body and the average doctor gives one medicine for the stomach, another for the head, a third for the lungs and so on; as if each particular *symptom* was a separate dungeon of misery to be unlocked with its own particular key; but the scientific, experienced physician looks deeper and seeks the one master-key which unlocks them all.

Thirty years ago Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., found the wonderful "Golden Medical Discovery" which has since made him famous: It is the perfect master-key which unlocks every torture chamber of weakness and pain caused by faulty action of the digestive system. It gives the stomach and blood-making glands power to produce the healthy blood which drives out all impure disease germs and waste products, and builds up healthy tissue, solid muscular flesh and nerve energy.

Mr. J. W. Brittin, of Clinton, Dewitt Co., Ill., (P. O. Box 475), writes: "For over a year I was troubled with 'liver complaint,' had no appetite, could keep nothing on my stomach and had severe pains in my stomach and bowels. I doctored with home doctors but did not obtain relief until a friend advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. After taking four bottles I think myself cured, as I can eat anything I want and my food never hurts me. Thanks for your medicines. I cannot say too much in favor of them."

For constipated conditions Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the best simple, comfortable laxative. They never gripe. Accept no substitutes or imitations.

A CRUEL OPERATION.

THE PROCESS BY WHICH TORTOISE SHELL IS PROCURED.

Fires Set on the Living Turtle to Separate the Bony Layers of the House In Which He Lives — A Business That Struck an Observer as Heartless.

There are many articles of daily and hourly use constantly passing before our eyes and through our hands about the production of which we know comparatively little or nothing. An interesting example of this is tortoise shell, from which combs and hairpins are made, besides a multitude of trinkets for the dressing table, the desk and the pocket. Fierce crusades have been instituted in recent years against the slaughter of birds for the procurement of their plumage for hat trimmings, and yet I venture to say that the process of procuring tortoise shell is a cruelty to animal life which far exceeds that to which birds are subjected.

In the eighties I happened to be down in Bluefields, on that awful Mosquito coast, and at the invitation of one Manuel Latona, who was the owner and captain of a small schooner, went with him to the cay El Roncador for tortoise shell. This cay gets its name (which in English would be the Snorer) from the exceedingly angry surf, which can be heard for a long distance breaking over the reefs. This is the cay on which a couple of years back the historic old ship Kearsarge was wrecked and battered to pieces. El Roncador is nothing more or less than a typical coral island, such as is found throughout the southern seas, three-quarters of a mile long, perhaps, and not more than a quarter of a mile across its widest part. Surrounding the island is a reef, inside of which the water is smooth and rather shallow, and at the bottom of this shallow water there grows a peculiar kind of sea grass which is a dainty food for the turtle tribes. There is also found on the top of the water inside the reef a sort of small blubber fish, called in Spanish dedalos, or thimble fish, which is perhaps the greatest delicacy of the entire turtle menu.

The turtle whose shell is valued in commerce is a small species known as the hawk bill. There are other varieties which come to El Roncador to spawn, but they are not molested. During the night the turtles crawl up on the shore to lay their eggs, each female depositing on an average about 70. To do this they dig holes in the sand about two feet deep and after laying the eggs cover them over so deftly that it is almost impossible for a novice to find them. These eggs are really delicious when roasted, but the turtle fishers are careful not to destroy those they do not take for food, so as to promote as much as possible the increase of this valuable sea reptile. At night the fishers conceal themselves along the shore as well as possible, and when the turtles come up out of the water on the beach they rush forth and turn them over on their backs with iron hooks, leaving them secure in this position until morning.

The tortoise shell of commerce is not, as is generally believed, the horny covering or shell proper of the turtle; it is the scales which cover the shield. These scales are 13 in number, 8 of them being flat and the other 5 somewhat curved. Four of those that are flat are quite large, sometimes being as much as 12 inches long and 7 inches broad, nearly transparent and beautifully variegated in color with red, yellow, white and dark brown clouds, which give the effects so fully brought out when the shell is properly polished. A turtle of average size will furnish about eight pounds of these laminæ, or scales, each piece being from an eighth to a quarter of an inch in thickness.

It is the method by which these scales are loosened which is the repulsive part of the business. The turtles are not killed, as that would lead to their extermination in a very few years. After capturing them the fishers wait for daylight to complete the work. The turtles are turned over again in their natural position and fastened firmly to the ground by means of pegs. Then a bunch of dried leaves or sea grass is spread evenly over the back of the turtle and set afire. The heat is not great enough to injure the shell, merely causing it to separate the joints. A large blade, very similar in shape to a chemist's spatula, is then inserted horizontally between the laminæ, which are gently pried from the back. Great care must be taken not to injure the shell by too much heat, and yet it is not forced off until it is fully prepared for separation by a sufficient amount of warmth.

The operation, as one may readily imagine, is the extreme of cruelty, and many turtles do not survive it. Most of them do live, however, and thrive, and in time grow a new covering, just as a man will grow a new finger nail in place of one he might lose. The peculiarity of the second growth of shell, though, is that instead of reproducing the original number of 13 segments it is restored in one solid piece.

To see the operation of taking the shell from the living turtle once is about all a man of northern breeding wants of it, and if the helpless reptiles had the power of voicing their sufferings under it their cries would tell of as heartless a business as man has yet engaged in.—New York Post.

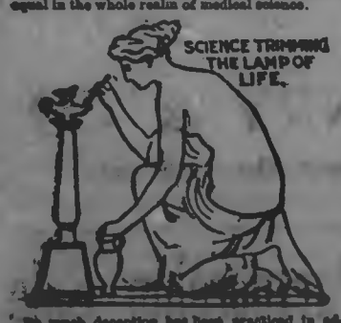
Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED. HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world to-day—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. Y.

This is due to the fact that the company controls some inventions and discoveries which have no equal in the whole realm of medical science.



So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this grand old company now for the first time makes this startling offer:—

They will send their costly and magically effective nerve-vitalizer and a whole month's course of restorative remedies, positively on trial without expense to any honest and reliable man!

Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

The Erie Medical Company's appliance and remedies have been talked about and written about all over the world, till every man has heard of them.

They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy tissue and new life.

They quickly stop drains on the system that sap the energy.

They cure nervousness, despondency and all the effects of evil habits, excesses, overwork, etc.

They give full strength, development and tone to every portion and organ of the body.

Failure is impossible and age is no barrier.

This "Trial without Expense" offer is limited by the company to a short time, and application must be made at once.

No C. O. D. scheme, no bogus philanthropy nor deception, no exposure—a clean business proposition by a company of high financial and professional standing.

Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N. Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

Duration of Human Life.

That the human being was intended for greater length of life than is usually attained in our artificial existence is probable from the fact that he does not reach his full and complete development until his twenty-fifth year. The life of most of the low animals is reckoned to be about five times their maturity in a natural condition, and, although disturbing causes interfere with human life in the present day, yet within certain limits man is subject to the same laws as every other type of existence in either the animal or the vegetable kingdom.

Nature has assigned to him a certain period during which he should attain to a sound physical and mental maturity, and any attempt to curtail that period by early forcing is and must be necessarily productive of lamentable results. The boy or girl may be developed under a system of steady "cramming" into a highly accomplished man or woman, long before full age has been reached, but it may be accepted as an axiom in almost all instances that the earlier the development the earlier the decay. The lesson to be learned from the records of those who have lived to advanced years is that moderation in all things, whether physical or intellectual, is the secret of long life, and that it is easy by systematically violating this rule to produce an artificial old age.—Nineteenth Century

The Bloody Meadow.

Tewkesbury, where a famous battle was fought during the war of the roses, is in Gloucestershire, at the confluence of the Avon and the Severn and 180 miles from London. The battle was fought on the Bloody meadow, just outside the modern town, and, according to local tradition, one knight in every year on the anniversary of the conflict the adherents of the white and red roses meet and fight the battle over again.

Among the Vosges peasant children born at the new moon are supposed to have tongues better hung than others, while those born at the last quarter have better reasoning powers. A daughter born during the waxing moon is always precocious.

(ASSESSMENT SYSTEM).

Sturdy as an Oak.

An Oak lives long after the man that planted it dies. Just so insurance; it lives after you die, and those that follow you get the benefit of its protection. When you plant an oak be sure you plant a good one. When you plant insurance be sure you plant good insurance in a good place. The Canadian Order of Foresters gives good insurance at a low price. There are 10 reasons why you should place your insurance with them. Here they are:

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 17.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with the feeling a little firmer. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was firmer, with sales of red winter at 81½c to 82c high freights. Spring is quoted at 82c to 83c Midland, and goose at 76c to 77c Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 91c to 92c Fort William and at 97½c Midland and Owen Sound.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market is unchanged, with sales of white at 23½c west, and at 24c on Midland; mixed, 22½c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44½c north and west, and at 45c to 45½c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is firm, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with sales of Canadian at 25c west for new, and at 26c for old.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices firm at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 16.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 3½d to 7s 0d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 0½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8½d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 23s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 31s 0d; do., light, 30s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast and on passage nominally unchanged. English country markets quiet. Maize on passage firm.

Paris—Wheat 20f 10c for Jan. Flour 61f 5c for Jan. French country markets quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 4¾d for Dec., 7s 4⅝d for March and 7s 3½d for May. Maize steady at 3s 2⅝d for Dec. and 3s 1¾d for Jan., Feb. and March. Flour 25s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 4¾d for Dec., 7s 4⅝d for March and 7s 3½d for May. Maize firm at 3s 2½d for Dec., 3s 1¾d for Jan. and March and 3s 1⅝d for Feb. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat 20f 15c for Jan. Flour steady at 61f 15c for Jan. Weather in France cloudy.

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Don't sleep in the same flannels that you wear during the day.

Don't wear thin stockings or light soled shoes in cold or in wet weather.

Don't neglect personal cleanliness, but use the bath with moderation and in accordance with your general health. The daily cold bath is all right for the rugged, but it is a great tax upon the vitality of weak persons and should not be indulged in if the results are at all doubtful. Tepid water is always better for those that are not in robust health. Judge for yourself.

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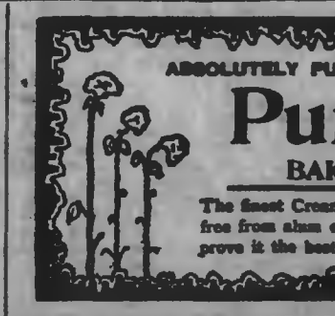

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HISTORY AS A SUBJECT CLEVERLY CONSIDERED.

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state deputed to readjust the constitutional balance and he becomes the special agent of the Almighty. He goes to Ireland to assist the righteous judgment of Heaven; he goes to Scotland to scatter the enemies of God; he returns to England to tell the only fragment of constitutional government left in the realm that the Lord has done with them. The

LICENSE OF THE BARONS

was bad; the irresponsibility of the Stuarts was bad; the theocratic absolutism of Cromwell was no better. And so on adown the ages, man's progress towards an ultimate good is much retarded by departure from his path on either side in pursuit of half goods. It would be hard to understand why the recognition of this principle alone is not an effective way of giving a man political experience—of teaching him to receive warily and slowly the latest political doctrine—of teaching him to look into the intent of things before following head down in the wake of any political party.

The study of history again should give one a sympathy for what is good and a hatred of what is base or false whether in the action of states or of individuals. According to Froude "history is a voice for ever sounding across the centuries the laws of right and wrong. Opinions alter, manners change, creeds rise and fall, but

THE MORAL LAW

is written on the tablets of eternity. For every false word or unrighteous deed, for cruelty and oppression, for lust or vanity, the price has to be paid at last; not always by the chief offenders, but paid by some one. Justice and truth alone endure and live."

Another thing that history makes for is religious toleration. If one looks at his own history, to go no farther back, he is forced to the conclusion that he is what he is in religious leaning by reason of ancestry and training. A man is perfectly sincere—because his leaning is the result of training—when he professes strong attachment for the denomination to which he belongs, just as he is sincere in expressing his thankfulness for being an Englishman, Irishman, or Scotchman. A little reflection will show him that he deserves neither blame nor credit, for his choice has

NOT BEEN EXERCISED.

To go farther back it would appear that circumstances, chiefly political, and of no significance from a religious standpoint, have either set rolling or greatly strengthened new religious movements. Religious cosmopolitanism and toleration contribute to the solidarity and stability of any nation. A Scotch minister is reported to have said that "it wad be nae use o' the French to pray for the Lord wadna understan' their gibberish ony way." It would be hard for such a man to understand what the universal brotherhood of man means.

This perhaps sums up what can be said for history both on the side of discipline and on the side of knowledge. For purposes of discipline alone it is perhaps inferior to classics, mathematics or physical science, but it still develops memory, thinking, the imagination, the moral and religious feelings, and the will; while for guidance value in the performance of the duties of citizenship it transcends all other subjects. In this age of

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too much attention cannot be paid to subjects which develop and heighten the intelligence of the citizen. It is a question with many people whether universal suffrage is the unmixed good that blatant demagogues are so fond of representing it to be. The number of voters who can neither read nor write is alarmingly large at every election. This number must become steadily smaller with compulsory education. It is true on the other hand that among people pretty well educated the interest in public questions is not as great as it should be. Hence the value of history will always be great. It is impossible to pay too much attention to a subject that makes the young man old in political experience and in his regard for justice and right—that makes him politic, wise, tolerant and sober-minded. Its importance is being more and more recognized. It is being given greater emphasis in our High and Public schools. There is room for more of it in the Public schools. It should be begun earlier as it is a study peculiarly adapted to the early years of

A PUPIL'S LIFE

With regard to the teaching of history it may be said that until comparatively recent years it has not been scientifically treated. On account of its being a record of facts more or less patent to all and more or less easily comprehended by the ordinary reader, it does not offer to the student of methods the same chances for investigation as are afforded by such subjects as mathematics or science which involve greater exercise of the logical faculty. Mathematics and classics are traditionally the basis of education in the universities of the old land. The application of physical science to the industrial arts has given to this study an overbalancing importance in an industrial age while the subjects of English literature and history have but recently struggled into a place. It is not many years since English literature was a kind of optional subject on the curriculum of the University of Toronto. Later it became connected with the French and German department. It is now

CONNECTED WITH HISTORY.

The subject of history has run a similar course. It was a short time ago connected with economics, and is now coupled with English literature but has besides attained to the dignity of a separate honor department of itself which is a significant tribute to its importance. The course includes ancient and modern history. It takes account of the constitutional, ethical, social and economic progress of Europe generally and of England particularly. It seems a natural arrangement to study these phases in their relation to other phases and to have the light of general history on them. Economic theory for example can be most clearly understood in the light of

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

and the interest of history will give life to an otherwise abstract and uninteresting subject. It is evident that the subject is winning its way though it has been somewhat neglected and rather poorly taught. Teachers have gone about their work in a perfunctory way. Want of knowledge explains want of interest, and want of interest want of success. Its teaching, however, can be put on a scientific basis and it is time that this should be recognized and made known.

History being a record of facts is essentially a memory subject. Memory is controlled by the laws of association. The establishment of a scientific method will therefore be the discovery of the associating principles in history. It is scarcely necessary to say that the loading of the mind with disconnected facts is not giving a child a knowledge of history as no fact exists alone in history. Neither need it be said that disconnected facts are not knowledge in the true sense. The

PROSPECTIVE PURCHASER

refused to buy the Irishman's house until he had seen more than the sample of brick which Pat carried in his coat tail pocket. The knowledge of a particular fact is no test of of the pupil's knowledge of history. Both for knowledge and for mental discipline it is necessary to have the great diversity of the facts of history organized, related and unified and it is the work of the teacher to build up this fabric of organized knowledge in the mind of the pupil.

A great deal is said and written in modern times about evolution. There is no subject to which the theory of evolution is not being applied—man, animals, the world, institutions, etc. History is an evolution. Every fact is related to an antecedent fact or event and is basal to a subsequent one. *History* is dynamic not static; it represents progress, not rest.

This being so the idea of time or succession is essential to history, for progress cannot be conceived of apart from the idea of time. Each event is either *before* or *after* another. Hence

THE IDEA OF CHRONOLOGY

is indissociably joined to the idea of progress in history. The question of the importance of teaching chronology in connection with the facts of history has been much discussed. It has been claimed that too much attention has been paid to dates. It is probable that we are swinging too far the other way now by paying too little attention to them. Only general principles can be laid down for guidance. It would be impossible, and unwise if possible, to

TEACH ALL DATES.

How then are we to select the important ones? The importance must be determined in the light of the content of history. History is divisible into movements or periods, the rise and fall and climax of which should be marked by dates. Even in such cases as these we must remember that the time at which a movement began or ended is not absolute. The dates 1066 and 1492 are more or less absolute; the former marking the beginning of important political and social changes in England, the latter the beginning of relations between the old and new worlds. A revolution is said to have taken place in England in 1688. It would be truer to say that there was a revolution taking place in England from the time the Stuarts gave forth the theory of divine right. The departure of James II was an incident of the revolution and an evidence of the strength of it.

Another thing that might be said about dates is that they are more important in earlier than in later teaching. The more important relation of

CAUSE AND EFFECT

that belongs to history is somewhat difficult for young children. It is suited to the later development of the pupil. On the other hand the memory may be strongly appealed to in young pupils and the time relation be made to take the place to some degree of the causal relation. This does not mean that the causal relation should not be used or the logic exercise of history neglected at any stage in the teaching of it. It is a mistake on the other hand not to train the memory of young pupils as this faculty is strong in early years; it is indeed imperative to store the mind in early youth to furnish food for generalization and reflection in later years. Generalization is a mature function; it is useless to talk broad generalities to children and a mistake to expect them to make perfect causal relations. The time relation is of more importance in teaching the history of our own country than in the teaching of English or ancient history. A second

RELATING ACTIVITY

is that of place. An event must have a local habitation, so to speak. An essential to the full realization of an event is to know where it took place. When a man undertakes to tell you a story he will always be at considerable pains to tell you exactly where the facts related occurred. A second man in telling you the same story will likewise confide to you the exact locality or theatre of action—a different one of course—which practice goes to show that a narrator feels that vividness is promoted by telling the place. The place relation is no less essential than useful. With regard to the place relation it might be noticed that, as in the case of dates, it is not of as great importance at one time as another. A place may be simply,

A THEATRE OF ACTION,

not having any influence in determing th outcome of the action. On the other hand it may be of great importance, as in difficult military operations, in deciding the fate of armies or the question of political supremacy. Such places as Quebec and Gibraltar will readily suggest themselves in this connection. The minute geography of such places should be gone into. A teacher with a gift for map drawing and a lively imagination can create great interest in events connected with such places. In the third place the character of a country may determine the character, occupations, political divisions and political institutions of a people. In such cases the geography should be made an intimate part of the history. Geography should be more particularly attended to in connection with the history of our own country than in that of foreign countries. A third relating principle in history, and one that is

MORE IMPORTANT,

that either time or place, is the principle of cause and effect. This is the logic exercise of the study; it is organic, intimate and wholly internal. This relation and that of time and of place constitute the activities by which the facts of history are unified. All that can be asked about an event is, when was it? where was it? and why was it? and the answer to these questions is all that can be known of it. It is on the skilful manipulation of these activities that the success of the teacher depends. It is by them that the chain of history is to be welded with no link missing.

To make the causal relation calls forth the highest exercise of the powers of the pupils. It is not alone the best activity for discipline but it is the best for knowledge. The pupil learns to expect that like causes will produce like effects, and that men or nations reap what they sow. A nation declines through opulence, slavery or sloth, and grows strong through industry, independence and boldness.

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are the outcome of the character and conditions of a race and public men are more or less the product of their age, reflecting its strength and weakness. With regard to the teaching of causal relations to younger pupils it may be said that they are not interested in movements but are intensely fond of studying men and action. Where the mature student sees movements and tendencies with certain men associated with them the child sees men acting and shaping movements. The mature student sees men in movements; the young pupil sees movements in men. It would be well then to exalt the biographical aspects in early teaching. The nature of the child is dramatic. The teacher strongly felt the need of being dramatic who, in teaching the discovery of America, represented the following conversation as having taken place between Columbus and the Indians:—

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THE LEGISLATURE

Resume of the Proceedings of the Week Just Past.

WILL MR. MARTER AGAIN LEAD?

The Best Speech of His Life Made in the Legislature Last Week Has Set His Old-Time Followers Thinking—The Mistakes and Blunders of the Opposition.

Whatever hope may have animated the Conservatives in the Legislature of their obtaining power in the near future was utterly shattered last week, as much by internal strife and jealousies as by the crushing exposure at the hands of the Premier and Hon. Mr. Ross. It seems Mr. Marter is again anxious to take the reins of leadership and it is said upon good authority he has a fairly strong backing from Conservative members, though if it came to a vote Mr. Whitney would carry the day. Yet there is trouble. Mr. Marter, when forced to resign his leadership, felt he had not been given sufficient opportunity to display his ability. He had made no telling speech in the House, but gave it as his reason he had not had time to prepare one, what with organization, etc. He determined some months ago to show his fellow-Conservative members they had made a great mistake in removing him and placing Mr. Whitney in the post of honor. He spent days, weeks, months, at preparing a speech. That speech he delivered in the Legislature early last week. It took him over three hours to say all he had prepared and it is not going too far to say it was the best speech he ever delivered in or out of the House. Many, in fact most, of the Conservative members, Mr. Whitney excepted, thought the speech very powerful, and several, in congratulating Mr. Marter afterwards, remarked that perhaps they really had made a mistake in asking him to resign. Between Mr. Marter's speech and the terrible mess Mr. Whitney has made of it during the week the Conservatives may, as predicted before, go to the country with some other leader than Mr. Whitney yet.

The Opposition for years have denied strenuously that the four million dollars held as trust funds by the Dominion Government at Ottawa for the Province of Ontario were to be considered as assets of the province. Year after year for nearly a quarter of a century the financial critic of the Opposition in delivering his remarks upon the budget would protest that the capital held and debts due by the Dominion Government to Ontario, bearing interest, and the collections by Ontario paid over to the Dominion Government in 1889 and 1890 on common school fund account should not in any sense be considered as part of the assets of the province. Upon the contrary, by some remarkable method of reasoning, they contended that there were debts which should be charged up against the Provincial Government. What was the consternation in the ranks then may be imagined when Mr. Whitney innocently and candidly admitted during the course of the debate that these funds were properly considered assets and unknowingly knocked the largest plank in its party platform from under his own feet. The leader was not the only one upon the Opposition side who seemed anxious to put his foot into it. They all seemed to get rattled after Mr. Whitney's break and between admissions, trivial and false statements and harsh words, succeeded as never before in making themselves and the party appear most ridiculous. First came Mr. Matheson, who got into hot water over the "prison labor" question. He did not want to have any of the products of prison labor placed upon the open market, but when asked what he would do with prisoners he advised such a brutal course of treatment that his own followers frowned him down. Then Mr. St. John cropped up again with his piggery and made his bosom friend Mr. H. Clarke Wallace ridiculous by describing the pig inspector in such terms as to leave the House under the impression that this official was none other than his friend. When the House opened Mr. Whitney boasted he was going to kick up a great row and make himself heard all over the country before the session closed. He was going to talk when he liked and say what he liked. He was not going to allow the Premier to dictate to him in anything. He was a free man and was bound to have his say. He intimated he would have something important to say, something which would make the Government tremble, and when the time arrived for him to formulate his grave charges they simmered down to a complaint that one of the Government inspectors had purchased a $12 marine glass and presented it to the captain of one of the lake steamers who had rendered valuable services to the Government, and who might have sent in a bill for a much larger amount with perfect propriety. When the Premier found that the mountain had produced so small a mouse he refused on Friday night to continue the debate and so crushed the Opposition with the few remarks he did make they permitted the Speaker to leave the chair and the first item of the yearly estimates to pass without a kick or even a whimper. The Opposition, so loudly brave and belligerent upon the stump, crawled into their holes at the end of the second week in the House and prayed the Premier to let them have a long Christmas holiday.

COLEMAN'S CASE.

Progress of the Trial on Saturday—The Crown Closes Its Case—Will Not Be Finished Till To-day.

Brampton, Dec. 20.—There was no prospect of the evidence in the Coleman trial going to the jury Saturday. Coleman, in his evidence at Orangeville in June, testified that James Small and James Dick were present in Hamilton's office at Shelburne on the evening of November 23, 1896, when he saw Mrs. Stevenson sign the famous order. The Crown evidence was to show that neither Dick nor Small could have been in Hamilton's office on this date, because they were at auction sales in the country, too far removed from Shelburne to make Coleman's statement possible.

W. J. Robinson, Sam McDowell, Frank Mulligan and D. A. Thompson were at George Robinson's sale, nine miles from Shelburne, on November 23, and all remembered seeing Small, who is a one-armed man, there as late as 4 p.m.

Robinson also saw Small in Dundalk as late as 6 p.m. A. J. Calhoun, a Dundalk store clerk, remembered seeing Small in Dundalk between 6 and 7 p.m. on the 23rd. On the same date there was an auction sale at Mrs. George Tate's in Mulmur.

George MacAllister, the auctioneer, saw James Dick there, so did George Lanting, the sale clerk, up to as late as lamplighting, and Robert Erskine, a hired man with James Dick, was at the sale with his employer and drove home with him, arriving there between 7 and 8 p.m. To witness' knowledge Dick was at home until 10 or 11 p.m. Dick's home is 15 miles from Shelburne.

Erskine admitted that Dick might have had time to drive to Shelburne before 8 o'clock.

This closed the case for the Crown.

The Defence.

Mr. Hugh White, of Shelburne, was the first witness called for the defense. He said that he was accustomed to call at Hamilton's office, that he called on the evening of Nov. 23, and noticed several people in the office, among whom were Mrs. Stevenson, William Stewart, Mr. Small and Mr. Coleman, and as he was going out he met Dick coming in. He called in on this particular occasion to see about an engine and he was only in a few moments.

Adam Loudon, one of the accused, was the next witness called. He said that he went into Mr. Hamilton's office on the night in question, that he saw Mrs. Stevenson, Billy Stewart, Mr. Small, Mr. Coleman and Mr. Sammons in the office, that he recognized Sammons and spoke to him. Mrs. Stevenson was talking to Mr. Hamilton when he went in. When he came out these parties were still there.

Thomas Gallagher, Hamilton's clerk, was the next witness called. He said he made out a statement of Mrs. Stevenson's account about a week before Nov. 23, and that it came to $158.78. He also said that Mrs. Stevenson objected to this, as she did not want a $66 note in which was included a mortgage held by Hamilton. He gave evidence as to the account in the book and said it was not all entered by him. Mrs. Stevenson might have been in after Nov. 23 objecting to the account.

James Small, another of the accused, gave evidence to being in Hamilton's office. He said that he went to Hamilton to borrow $5, and while he was there Mrs. Stevenson came in; that he might have been at Robinson's sale, but did not know it by that name; said that he was in Shelburne the evening of the 23rd, but he went from there to Shelburne, where he saw Hamilton in his office, and Mrs. Stevenson and her brother, Billy, were also there. While he was there the order was drawn up and signed.

Mr. Johnston again asked for bail for the prisoner Coleman, as he wanted to go home. The Crown declined, so the prisoner went back to jail. The case will likely go to the jury Monday.

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CAUSE OF THE CRISIS

Organized Attack on the Dominion Government.

EDGE OF THE CURTAIN RAISED.

A Bad Element Coming to the Surface With Demands for Railway Subsidies—The Point of Divergence Was a Refusal to Recognize Mr. C. N. Armstrong—Expulsion of Jobbers.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—(Globe Special.)—Though Mr. Tarte made light of it at Levis on Friday, there is a crisis in the Liberal party with which all lovers of good government should be made acquainted. Loyalty to the party has kept silent many Liberals who knew what was believed the Langelier episode, but their loyalty has been abused to such an extent that it is time to raise the edge of the curtain. The fact is that some of the worst elements of the Mercier regime are coming to the surface, and there is now at Quebec a struggle for mastery in which the whole country is interested. The notorious Baie des Chaleurs Railway, or its more high-sounding successor, the Atlantic & Lake Superior Railway, is again the centre of one phase of the fight. The Montreal correspondent of Le Evenement, a Conservative paper of Quebec, hit the nail on the head when he wrote: "The point of divergence, probably, was the refusal of Sir Wilfrid and Hon. Mr. Tarte to have anything to do with Mr. C. N. Armstrong, whose name was mixed up with the Baie des Chaleurs Railway matter. Mr. Tarte took such a firm stand against subsidizing Mr. Armstrong's railways that dissatisfaction, at first concealed, became public, and matters were embittered." When the bye-election in Nicolet came on the company tried to hold up the Dominion Government and obtain a subsidy by force. Mr. Prefontaine, who is a director, played a curious role for a Liberal member of Parliament. It looked as if there might be no contest. Mr. Prefontaine offered his support to the candidate who might be chosen by the Conservative convention, and afterwards intimated that this candidate would withdraw if the Government would give a subsidy. Sir Wilfrid refused to make any such promise. The Quebec end was carefully fanned by Mr. Pacaud of Le Soleil, and all the blame for Mr. Langelier's dissatisfaction laid at the door of Mr. Tarte. If Mr. Tarte were driven out of the Government, then the Atlantic & Lake Superior Railway might get a subsidy. Mr. Pacaud, Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Prefontaine, M.P., are a strong trio, but so far have been unable to force the hand of either Local or Federal Government. One of the first acts of the Marchand Government was to cancel the guarantee for $3,000,000 which Mr. Flynn gave the company, but the most desperate efforts have since been made to compel Mr. Marchand to restore a guarantee which would ruin the province. This railway grab is an example of the sinister motives which impel most of the attacks upon Mr. Tarte. The crisis has many ramifications, but if the other phases are sifted some sort of a job will be found at the bottom of many of them.

REV. MICHAEL FAWCETT DEAD.

Career of One of the Old Stalwarts of Canadian Methodism.

Guelph, Dec. 20.—The Methodist church of Canada has lost one of its pioneer ministers in the person of Rev. Michael Fawcett, who died here on Saturday. He was in his 83nd year, and was ordained 57 years ago. He was in active work for 45 years, and since his superannuation, 12 years ago, has been connected, more or less actively, with St. Paul's Methodist church in this city. During his long ministry he filled some important pulpits, such as Brampton, St. George, Markham, Oakville, Grimsby, Yonge Street Centre and number of other city churches. In 1872 he was a traveling missionary in the Northwest, where he spent four years. He was a landmark in Canadian Methodism, possessing great force of character, and was one of the best preachers of his day. His kindly sympathy and cheerfulness made him universally esteemed. Deceased leaves two sons and a daughter—Dr. William Fawcett, of Chicago, Rev. Joseph, of Magnolia, Ill., and Mrs. Young, of Winnipeg.

NEW JUDGES.

Barristers of Victoria, Ont., and Victoria, B.C., Appointed to the Bench.

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—Mr. Irving, of Victoria, B.C., has been appointed to the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the place of Justice McCreight, who recently sent in his resignation.

Just as soon as His Excellency the Governor-General gives his approval to the Order-in-Council, J. A. Barron, ex-M.P.P. for North Victoria, will be made judge of the County of Perth.

Had His Leg Smashed.

Hespeler, Ont., Dec. 20.—Allen Groff, a farm hand employed by Absolin Snyder, about three miles north of here, on Saturday morning was engaged in felling a tree, which toppled towards him, instead of falling the other way, and in trying to get out of its way, he slipped and fell, the tree falling across his right leg, resulting in a compound comminuted fracture. He was removed to the Galt Hospital Sunday by Dr. Lockhart, of this place, who has charge of the case.

Tennyson's "In Memoriam."

London, Dec. 20.—The widow of Sir John Simeon has presented to the library of Trinity college, Cambridge, the first manuscript of "In Memoriam," subject to Lord Tennyson's wish that the variations in it from the published text never shall be published.

English Cockroach Must Go.

London, Dec. 20.—Miss Eleanor Ormerod declares in the papers to-day that the English cockroach is in danger of extermination before the hordes of imported German black beetles.

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—How Relieved.

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Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURNISS.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1897.

THE LUMBER QUESTION.

Considerable interest has been aroused in Ontario over the lumber question, and information as to the nature of the legislation proposed by the Government to meet the conditions that exist with a view of meeting the new conditions connected with the lumbering interests of Ontario, is anxiously awaited. It is known that the conditions to be met, arise out of the action of the United States in imposing a duty on lumber, with a retaliatory rider, and these conditions are sufficiently grave, the lumbermen of the Georgian Bay district, especially, think, to warrant them in asking the Ontario Government to prevent by every means the exportation of saw logs cut on Crown lands. The reason why this request is made is because the retaliatory clause of the Dingley Bill makes it impossible to ask the Dominion Government to again impose the old export duty, inasmuch as the retaliatory duty mentioned adds to the present duty, $2 per thousand on sawn lumber, an addition duty equal to the export duty imposed upon logs sent out of Canada. Under present circumstances, that is with Ontario logs admitted free to the United States and a duty of $2.00 per thousand on lumber, it seems plain that the sawing of lumber, in the Georgian Bay districts especially, will not be continued to the same extent as heretofore, since, it must be remembered, that American capitalists owning mills across the border, have purchased limits from the original owners. An export duty or its equivalent seems to be necessary to equalise conditions and to relieve the Canadian lumber operator from a competition which it seems at present impossible to meet; and it need last only so long as the retaliatory clause remains in the United States tariff law. In the event of the retaliatory clause being eliminated, it would seem to be the proper thing to suggest the cancelling of the prohibition to export logs and then to urge the Dominion Government with which the power only rests, to put an export duty on Canadian logs of the same amount as the United States export duty on lumber.

The object to be aimed at is to place the American and Canadian holder of timber limits on a footing of equality. This is due, not only to Canadian owners, but to Americans, who have transferred their saw mills to Canada, and who are, like Canadians, placed at the great disadvantage of $2.00 per thousand.

Canadians cannot effectively complain of the $2.00 duty imposed by the Dingley Bill, for they have no right, as foreigners, to do so, but they have very just reason to complain of the retaliatory clause, since that precious piece of tariff-mongering imposes a penalty upon Canadians for the exercise of our rights, for we have, without doubt, as much right to impose an export duty, or its equivalent on logs as the Americans had to place a duty of $2.00 per thousand upon lumber. However, so long as this unneighbourly retaliatory power remains a part of the United States tariff law, it would not be a wise nor fair policy for this province to continue to permit the raw material of logs to enter the United States market free and at the same time leave Canadian manufacturers of the same raw material at the disadvantage of competing in the same market, burdened with a tax of $2.00 upon every thousand feet of sawn lumber. It is not to be supposed that Canadians wish more than to be dealt fairly with, and there is, perhaps, little sympathy with a demand for absolutely and for all time forbidding the export of logs. The question of exporting logs is largely geographical, inasmuch as logs cannot be profitably exported from any part of Ontario except the Georgian Bay district. Though we cannot speak with any authority as to the feelings of lumbermen upon this subject, yet there is no doubt that what they most want, is free entry of forest products to the United States market, and they would regard this as so great a double return, as to make them willing to agree to the free exportation of logs. It is evident that this course would be more to the interest of both limit holders and workmen. Free entry of forest products to the United States, would also be in the interest of farmers and settlers, as it would provide a large market for an enormous quantity of forest products other than pine such as hemlock, spruce, tamarac, cedar, poles, posts, ties, etc., etc., and would increase the value of our forests and provide work to an extent considerably greater in importance than the sawing of any logs that could possibly be exported.

The policy of preventing, under present conditions, the exportation of logs, would not interfere with the settlers selling anything off their farms. As a matter of fact, that being a Dominion affair, the Ontario Government would not have jurisdiction.

In any action we take, we should avoid making any offer to the United States. If they find to be onerous any conditions we may impose, to maintain our timber and provincial interests, let them do the offering. If the exportation of logs on Crown lands is prohibited, and we are relieved from competition in the Lake Erie markets with lumber from our logs sawn in Michigan, Canadians can pay the $2.00.

In any legislation, providing for the sawing in Canada of all logs cut on Crown lands, it has been suggested that provision should be made that the power to alter the regulation by Order-in-Council should not be interfered with, so that in case the "retaliatory clause" is dropped by the United States, or in case of Sir Wilfrid Laurier succeeding in getting a reciprocity treaty, including logs and lumber, the new regulations could be abolished.

It is pretty certain that the adoption of a policy like that indicated would send all Michigan mill and planing mill owners and all handlers of pine on the northern tier of States, in hot haste to Washington to get a change in the legislation in regard to Canadian lumber.

The Ontario Government, in passing an order in council, compelling all lumbermen to employ only Canadians and to purchase all supplies in Canada, have taken a step in the right direction and one that should have been taken by the Dominion Government long ago and we do not doubt that the attention and deliberation given by the Government to the subject will merit the approval of all thoughtful citizens, when definite action is taken. There is reason to believe that when the legislation on the subject is brought down in the House it will be such as will merit not only the approval of the public but of the interests concerned.

Comparatively few persons have an intelligent knowledge of the nature of the order in council of the Ontario Government, issued on September 15th, 1897, amending the Crown timber regulations in respect to the employment of Canadian labour in lumbering operations. The following are the essential provisions of the order:

No licensee or holder of a permit, engaged in cutting and removing logs or timber on Crown lands or driving the same in Canadian waters, or no person employed by such licensee, shall employ in any such operations any person who is not a resident of, and domiciled in Canada, excepting the manager of such lumbering operations and the head bookkeeper or accountant.

In case any such licensee or limit holder, or any person employed by him, gives employment in such lumbering operations to any person who is not a resident of Canada, such licensee shall have his license suspended and held in abeyance, and it shall not be again issued except by order-in-council and then subject to such conditions as the Lieutenant-Governor in council may impose; and all timber or logs cut on territory included in the license, shall be deemed to have been cut in trespass, and shall be liable to seizure and to such penalties as trespass calls for.

All horses, cattle, sleighs, all provisions, tools, hardware, such as chains, axes, saws, etc., and supplies or materials of any kind whatsoever, required or used in connection with taking out sawlogs or timber from Crown lands, shall be purchased in Canada, and all timber or logs cut contrary to the provisions of this clause of the order, shall be liable to seizure, and the license shall be suspended, and not restored except by Order-in-Council, and then only on such conditions as the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may approve.

So far as it goes, this Order-in-Council is in the right direction, and indicates a desire on the part of the Government to do what lies in their power to maintain the interests of our Province in regard to our timber resources, which are of the greatest importance and can only be dealt with after fullest consideration, and with all the information obtainable.

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St. John, N.B., Dec. 18.—Hon. James Mitchell, ex-Premier of New Brunswicks, and Solicitor-General in the present Cabinet, died at his residence at St. Stephen at midnight of cancer of the throat after a long illness.

Hon. James Mitchell was born in 1837 in Inverkip, Scotland, came to Canada, graduated from University of New Brunswick in 1867, called to the bar in 1870, first returned to House of Assembly in 1883, was appointed Surveyor-General in 1883, and afterwards held office of Provincial Secretary, Receiver-General and Commissioner for Agriculture. He became Premier of the province on the resignation of Hon. A. G. Blair in July, 1896, and afterwards resigned.

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—A few Choice Sable and Persian Lamb Collarettes at $20.00, $25.00 and $30.00.

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—Then Caps are always very givable, showing good judgment in the purchaser and giving comfort to the wearer; $1.50, $2.00, $2.75, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.50 buys beauties in Baltic Seal, Nutria, Wombat, Astrachan, Grey Lamb, Beaver, German Otter and Persian Lamb.

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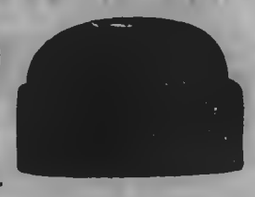

RUSSIA IN THE EAST.

The Great Power Takes Quiet Possession of Port Arthur.

CHINA DID NOT RAISE A PROTEST

The Czar's Navy Simply Needed a Winter Station in the East—No Demonstrations Intended Against Germany, Japan or Any Other Power—Sir Frank Lockwood Dead—Cable News.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 20.—It is announced that a Russian squadron under Rear Admiral Reounow has entered Port Arthur, on the Chinese coast, with the entire acquiescence of the Chinese Government. The squadron intends to remain at Port Arthur throughout the winter. This is due solely to the need of a temporary winter station and involves no question of forcible occupation or hostile demonstration, or any intention against China, Germany, Japan or any other power.

Various Ideas About It.

London, Dec. 20.—The correspondent of the Times at Pekin says: "China approves of the Russian fleet wintering at Port Arthur, being persuaded that this action is taken in the interest of China and necessitated by the German occupation of Kiao-Chou."

A despatch to the Times from Shanghai says the occupation of Port Arthur (by Russia) cannot fail to provoke popular indignation in Japan, where public opinion is already excited over the Kiao-Chou affair.

According to a despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai, the high officials of the Chinese Court have advised the Emperor, in view of the further complications, to remove the court to Nanking (the "southern capital"). The despatch says it is reported there that overtures have been made to England to exercise protection over the Yang-Tse Valley and the West River, and that numerous rumors are current regarding the activity of the British squadron in Chinese waters.

Telegrams from all the continental capitals show that Russia's step at Port Arthur is regarded as tantamount to a permanent occupation and a reply to Germany's action.

The Novoe Vremya pretends that Japan has no cause for complaint, since China is only giving the same shelter to Russian ships as Japan had hitherto so kindly afforded. This view is not held in Berlin, where the papers are already taking of the possibility of Prince Henry having to shake his mailed fist at Japan. That is supposed to be secretly backed up by England. Some of the Berlin papers express anxiety, but most of them welcome the news from Port Arthur as justifying the German position at Kiao-Chou, if not as actual evidence that Russia and Germany are acting together. Curiously enough, Emperor William visited the Russian Ambassador on Friday night on his return from Kiel, ostensibly to congratulate him on the name day of Emperor Nicholas. The visit lasted an hour. There is no doubt now that the Emperor and the Ambassador discussed current affairs.

The Paris papers, without pretending to be deceived by Russia's innocent explanations, are pleased with the action of the ally of France.

The burden of Viennese comment is, What will England do?

The British fleet now in Chinese waters consists of one ironclad, nine cruisers and 18 smaller vessels.

The Times, commenting editorially this morning on the situation in China, says: "Instead of the Kaiser's mailed fist, we have Russia's velvet glove, but the grasp is not less vigorous and unyielding. Great Britain ought now courteously to invite China to extend the same privilege to the British fleet at Chusan."

IS THE KAISER MAD?

The Saturday Review Says the Name "William the Witless" is Not Strong Enough to Represent the Truth.

London, Dec. 20.—The general opinion of Kiel is voiced by a diplomat's remark: "It is a great pity that Germany, having an easy, safe and simple, though slightly piratical piece of work on hand, should not be able to perform it without setting the whole world laughing."

The papers are full of comment on the subject. The Times says: "The august utterances are worthy of heroes of melodrama, and would seem high flown to modern ideas if uttered by Philip II. as he despatched the Armada; or, by Columbus, as he started to carry the dominion of Spain over the oceans. The Kaiser evoked memories of Metz and Sedan to encourage Prince Henry to keep a stout heart as he faces the perils of the Suez Canal, and the terrors of the China Sea. Prince Henry's peroration was closed by a specimen of almost Byzantine self-abasement, unique in the annals of modern Europe."

The Saturday Review thinks the nickname of "William the Witless" is no longer adequate, adding that he is "stark, staring mad."

Continuing, the Saturday Review remarks: "In spite of the ominous fact that he has alienated the newspapers and professors, insulted the greatest nobles, when they ventured to disagree with his extraordinary activity, until the court is deserted, and known throughout Germany as the court of parvenus, the poor creature continues to take himself seriously, as a sort of drill-sergeant of providence."

THE PHILIPPINES SUBDUED.

Spain Supposed to Have Conquered One Set of Rebellious Subjects.

Madrid, Dec. 20.—At the meeting of the Cabinet Saturday Prime Minister Sagasta read despatches from Manilla announcing the surrender of the remaining insurgent leaders and the complete pacification of the Philippine Islands. The chiefs of the insurgent Government have agreed to make personal submission to the Queen Regent, and will sail for that purpose on Dec. 27. A fitting escort will accompany them to Spain.

When the news of the end of the Philippine rebellion became generally known the public were delighted. Enthusiastic crowds thronged the streets, and many of the residents illuminated and bedagged their houses. The Government ordered that all the public buildings be decorated in honor of the occasion.

Several of the warships that are now at the Philippines will be ordered to proceed to Cuba.

THE GRAECO-TURKISH WAR.

King George of Greece a Traitor—He Made a Bargain With Russia and Fulfilled It.

London, Dec. 20.—Henry Labouchere is the author of a sensational article in Truth, the authority for which is a well-known foreign diplomat. The article says: "Greece was involved in the war with Turkey owing to the endeavor of King George to bluff the Czar into hurrying the marriage of Princess Marie. The Czar declined to interfere and King George, knowing that Russia was most desirous that there should be no disturbances in the south of Europe, played with the war party until it got beyond his control. The Czar then warned King George that the Turks would occupy Athens and that his dynasty would cease to reign. King George finally entered into an arrangement with Russia, the latter promising that the Turks should not go beyond Thessaly, provided no real stand was made against them, that the Greek forces in Epirus would not seriously operate against Janina and that the Greek fleet would remain inactive. All these agreement were carried out, the Crown Prince, Prince George and Colonel Vassos all having secret orders from the King."

The Daily Chronicle, which continues to champion the cause of the Greek royal family, professes to know that the story is untrue; but it is generally believed.

The Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Greece, otherwise the Duke and Duchess of Sparta, will soon leave Athens to be absent for a year. Prince Constantine is suffering from severe nervous depression, and he and his wife, the Princess Sophia of Prussia, will go to the Riviera, and then to Germany and England.

PHOTOGRAPHING COLORS.

The Long-Looked For Result Said to Have Been Attained.

London, Dec. 20.—Prof. Lippman, of Paris, has given an interesting lecture before the Photographic Society in London on the process of photographing objects in natural colors. He declares that he has solved the problem of directly fixing colors with a single exposure.

After the sensitive side of the plate or film has been rendered grainless transparent it is brought into contact with a metallic mirror. The contact is effected by a falling slide from behind with mercury, which, after the exposure, is let down into a reservoir, the plate being taken out for development, which is managed in the ordinary way. The result is a negative upon which, as the process of drying goes on, the colors appear true and bright in proportion as the exposure and development have been correct. Several specimens were shown, and the effect obtained was excellent.

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THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

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No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

For Catarrh in any form use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

CHRISTMAS IS AT HAND!

THE PRINCE OF PRESENTS

...IS A...

EVANS PIANO

The BEST Pianos ever offered.
Fully guaranteed for SEVEN years.
Clear Tone, full Volume, superior action,
No extravagance in the Case—
Neat but not gaudy.
We neither spare the case nor spoil the music
With or without Mandolin attachment.

If You Prefer A First-Class ORGAN

I handle the best Organs in the Dominion—The Karn and the Goderich—Take your choice. You'll save in buying either

I sell on the Cash or Instalment plan. A good Cash Discount allowed from now until New Years. Come in and we talk it over.

Thirty cents a day will buy an Evans Piano or it will buy three cigars. At the end of a given time you have the Piano, where are the Cigars? Just think it over.

W. L. TAYLOR

PIANO AND ORGAN DEALER.

WAREROOMS—Water St., Opposite the Market

CURE YOURSELF!

Use Big G for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Spermatorrhœa, Whites, unnatural discharges, or any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Not astringent or poisonous.

Sold by Druggists, Circular sent on request.

Home Needlework!

Special New Designs for Tea cloths, Centrepieces, Doilies, Photograph Frames, &c.

All the needed material for Fancy Needlework, Wool Work, Braided Work, etc., can be bought at Mrs Appleby's Fancy Goods Store. Plain and Fancy Wools and Silks for Knitting Netting, Crocheting and Art Needle Work; Art Linen, Art Silks and Satins, Slipper Patterns, Embroidered Frames, Linen Lawn for Handkerchiefs, Table Centres, Five o'clocks, Stamped Goods and other Novelties.

A fine display of INFANTS' WEAR and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Mrs. Appleby's

Fancy Goods Store, 426 Water Street.

A Revelation

In Millinery and Xmas Gifts

.....AT.....

Miss Delaney's.

The tendency to select Articles for Gift Purposes possessing Practical Features is very pronounced—judging by our Sales this month. There is no lull in business with us—the holiday campaign and the demand for mid-winter productions keeping us quite busy.

We have many Beautiful Goods suitable for Holiday Presents, which we are offering at nominal prices. Those enumerated below will be sold on the close-margin plan :—

—Stylishly Trimmed Evening and Street Bonnets.
—Fashionably Trimmed Hats in the new shapes.
—Dotted and Variously Patterned Veilings.
—Ruchings and Rufflings for evening wear.
—Ready-Made Bows and Scarf Veils.
—Children's Elderdown Jackets, Hoods and Ruffs.
—Fancy Handkerchiefs in all grades and widths of hem.
—High Novelties, in French Kid Gloves, with fancy backs.
—Satin Lined Handkerchief Cases, artistically decorated.

At "The White Store," George Street.

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This Institution promises every advantage for young men and women who wish to prepare themselves as

BOOKKEEPERS or STENOGRAPHERS.

A most favourable time to enter for a course in either department is NOW.
NIGHT SCHOOL, 3 evenings a week.

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Opposite Post Office. Peterborough, Ont.

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Xmas Perfumes.

The place to buy your Xmas perfumes is at J. D. Tully's. He has the goods, the quality and the prices. Handsome styles, fragrant and lasting odor. Call and see them. 51

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

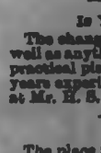
Calcutt's Brewery.

Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 60c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 96. Call us up. 11d142

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

If You've Got the Blues.



Come and get a glimpse of Toyland in the Peterborough Bookstore. Toys, Dolls and Games, are only a few of the many things in our grand Xmas exposition, but there's a feast of fun for the children, and of gladness for parents and of pleasure for all, to drive away the blues. This is the greatest toy store in town. It is a veritable wonderland for the children, and as interesting to the big folks as to the little ones. Dolldom has full swing—the finest family of dolls to be found anywhere, and all so cheap! Nowhere can such a display of good and useful dolls and toys be seen. It equals in variety and quality any two stores in town, and the prices will be found 10 to 15 per cent. cheaper. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Varsity Glee Club Concert.

The Varsity Glee Club, which is booked to appear in the Opera House on Wednesday night, is entering upon its annual tour better equipped in ability and musical resources than ever before. About five years ago the club appeared in Peterborough and the music-loving people have very pleasant recollections of the pleasure they gave. The club opened their season in Lindsay on Friday night in a brilliantly successful manner. One of the many Peterborough ladies interested in the club, Mrs. W. H. Moore, was in Lindsay on Friday and speaks very highly of the splendid entertainment given by the Varsity boys. There is no doubt that the entertainment the club will present on Wednesday night will be in every way worthy of the liberal patronage it is hoped it will receive.

OBITUARY.

Demise of Mr. Robert Emmerson, of Otonabee, on Saturday.

The death of one of the oldest, if not the oldest, resident of Otonabee occurred on Saturday last, when Robert Emmerson passed away at the age of 73 years and three months.

The deceased was born at Newcastle-on-Tyne, Cumberland county, England, and came to Canada with his parents when four years of age, consequently being a resident of Canada for 69 years. For the first three years the family resided in Smith township and then moved to Otonabee, where land was taken up. Six years later the family removed to lot 14, con. 13, which was constituted the homestead and where deceased has resided ever since.

Only two months ago his wife was laid at rest. Six children survive, viz.: Mary, who lives at home, Mrs. M. Brackenridge, of Westwood, David, Wm. and Lucy, of the homestead, and Charles, of Assiniboia, N.W.T.

Of his brothers and sisters the survivors are Edward, of Alameda, N.W.T.; Thos., of Ashburnham, Mrs. D. D. Henderson and Mrs. Jas. Bennett, of Otonabee.

The cause of death was consumption, from which the deceased had been a sufferer for the past two years.

Mr. Emmerson had been a consistent Reformer all his life, and was a member of L.O.L. No. 49.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, the services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Liddy, of Keene.

THIRD CLASS TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Results of Examinations at the Norwood Model School.

The following is the results of the recent examinations in the Norwood Model School:

Passed with honours—Misses Brodigan, Jewell and O'Connell, and Messrs. Cragg, Elliott and Hammond.

Passed—Misses Bogan, Brown, Buchanan, Clarke A., Clarke E., Coveney, Crabe, Doris, Erskine, Fitzgerald, Fraser, Lynch, Martin, Middleton, O'Reilly, Reid, Primeau, Rosebrough, Thompson, Tighe, Twomey, Weir and Wigmore, and Messrs. Bennett, Clarke, Forde, Hendren, Leahy, Smithson, Walsh and Wildman.

The four who failed will be allowed to write on the papers of 1898, without attending the Model School during the term.

Eight received extensions for six or twelve months, chiefly on account of inability to gain admission to either Normal School. This was done in accordance with the recommendation of the Education Department.

PERSONAL.

Miss Eva Deane has been quite ill in Kingston. She is now convalescing.

Mr. Lionel King is home for his Christmas holidays from Trinity University, Toronto.

We are sorry to say that T. S. A. Matchett, of Hunter street, is ill at his home with an attack of pleurisy of the lungs. We hope to see him out again soon.

Mr. Wm. Kelly, of the Chicago Tribune, son of Mr. John Kelly, Rubidge street, arrived home on Sunday to spend a few week's holidays with his parents, after a three years' absence.

Mr. Wm. Warne, of town, who has spent the past term at the Model School, Cobourg, has successfully passed the third class professional examination. He has returned for the holidays, and will assume control of a school in Otonabee at the beginning of the year.

Mr. Robert Renwick, of Harvey, will remove with his family, next week, to the county of Kent, where his son removed three years ago. Mr. Renwick has resided in Harvey for a great many years, being one of the oldest settlers, and in his removal one of the old landmarks of the county will disappear. His many friends in Peterborough and Harvey regret his departure and hope that his new home in the more thickly settled West may be fully up to his expectations.

A Microbe's Work.

A microbe is about the smallest thing one meets in a day's journey, but it can do more harm for its size than anything known. Boils, pimples, etc., are simply microbes in the skin, which cause irritating blood disorders, if not stopped at once; and it is they that prevent wounds healing also. "Quickcure" kills the microbe immediately after application, and any sore heals rapidly where "Quickcure" is used.

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

P. CONNAL & CO.
W. H HAMILTON.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Arthur Burns Taken to Smith's Falls on a Charge of "False Pretences."

Mr. D. O'Connell returned on Saturday night from Smith's Falls, where went to defend Arthur Burns, who was taken there for trial on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretences.

As the result of the preliminary hearing Burns was committed for trial and will be brought before the county Judge at Perth on Thursday, when Mr. O'Connell will again appear for him.

THE PETRIFIED MAN.

The Greatest Marvel of the Age now on Exhibition in Peterborough.

The immense number of people who viewed the petrified remains of the half-breed guide, now on exhibition at 348 George street, testified in strong terms to its power as an attraction. The many expressions of praise and admiration heard on all sides was deservedly gratifying to the management. Those who may have had doubts in the beginning as to its genuineness, were at the conclusion of their inspection, the loudest in praise of the subject.

Owing to the great cost of transportation and the excessive custom charges, $280, and the warmth of the specimen's welcome here, the management has decided to continue the exhibition three days longer, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st and 22nd of Dec. This will positively be the last appearance of the petrified man in town, and those who have not yet seen it should avail themselves of this opportunity.

THE T. DUNN COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT

The following is the excellent programme that will be presented at the complimentary concert to Mr. T. Dunn, in the Opera House, Tuesday night:

PART I.

Piano duet, "Morning, Noon and Night".....*Franz*
The Misses Burley.
Song, "Creole Lovers' Song".....*Dudley Buck*
Mrs W A Sanderson.
"Juliet's Soliloquy".....*Shakspere*
Miss L Simons.
Mandolin solo, "Intermezzo".....*Mascagni*
Mr Bert D Jones.
Song, "The Bandoleer".....
Mr T Dunn.
Violin solo, "Cavatina".....*Raff*
Miss Lottie Bell.

PART II.

Piano solo, "Minuet".....*Paderewski*
Mr Percy Owens.
Song, "When the Heart is Young".....
Mrs Sanderson.
Mandolin solo, "The Spanish Gallopade".....
Mr Bert D Jones. *Romero*
Song, "The Gay Hussar".....*Watson*
Mr T Dunn.
"Miss Spitzer Tries the Toboggan".....
Miss L Simons.
Vocal duet, "After the Fray".....*Bonheur*
Mrs Sanderson and Mr Dunn.
Accompanists, Mrs Dunn and Miss McCabe.
God Save the Queen.

Tickets 25 and 35 cents. Plan at Salisbury's.

THEIR ANNUAL TREAT.

St. Paul's Choir Spend an Evening with Rev. Dr. Torrance.

The members of St. Paul's choir at this season of the year always look forward with pleasure to a special event in the nature of a very pleasant evening spent at the residence of the pastor, Rev. Dr. Torrance, annually.

On Thursday evening last the members, accompanied by their organist, Mr. John Crane, responded to an invitation to the manse, and spent several hours very enjoyably indeed. Parlour games were introduced and specially prepared music was sung during the evening, at the close of which refreshments were served.

BAZAAR PRIZES.

They have been Awarded in the Order Appended.

The following numbers have drawn the prizes, in the order named, at the Bazaar, which was held in aid of St. Joseph's Hospital last week in the Opera House:—2143, 243, 1960, 998, 1235, 914, 995, 671, 2426, 2472, 223, 3018, 925, 2035, 1871, 2230, 340, 1038, 938, 2497, 2094, 2455, 234, 110.

NOVEL LICENSE CASE.

Opinions of the License Department Asked by Magistrates.

Colborne, Dec. 16—On the 8th of Dec. inst, Wm. Gilliland, an employee of T. Burns, a licensed shopkeeper, of the town of Cobourg, was tried before Magistrate Algar and Male for selling liquor without license.

It appears from the evidence that Burns sent Gilliland to Colborne to take orders for ale and other liquors; these orders were sent or taken, to Burns at his licensed premises, where the liquor was put up and assorted in different parcels and labelled with the names of the different customers and sent to Colborne, and there delivered, payment being made on or after delivery.

It was contended by Mr. Hunter, who appeared for the prosecution, that the sale took place in Colborne, and that Burns' license would not justify a sale in that village. Mr. Haverson, solicitor for the Licensed Holders' Association, defended Gilliland, and argued that the sale was completed at the licensed premises in Cobourg, where the liquor was appropriated to the various purchasers, and that what took place was not an offence under the License Act. He cited an English case of Platts vs. Beattie, decided by the Queen's Bench Division in 1890, upholding this contention. The magistrates, with the consent of both counsel, referred the matter to the License Department. The department advised that no offence had been committed. The magistrates, therefore, dismissed the charge.

CHURCH CHIMES.

GEORGE STREET CHURCH.

The musical features of the service was very good in the George street Methodist church yesterday. In the morning the anthem "O, Worship the King" was sung with fine effect, the tenors taking the solo in unison.

In the evening the anthem entitled "The Billows Swell" was sung with taste and expression, the shading being particularly well done, Miss Clara Ballegbem taking the solo in her usual finished manner.

During the offertoy the sixteen male members of the choir rendered a chorus entitled "Heavenly Missions." The splendid manner in which they acquitted themselves reflects the greatest credit on themselves, as well as on Mr. Schneider's ability as a trainer.

ST. ANDREW' CHURCH.

Christian Endeavour to-night.

Tuesday, 3 p.m.—Annual meeting of Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Congregational meeting for election of elders.

Thursday, 3 p.m.—Pound social; provisions, articles or cash received for distribution to the poor as Christmas gifts.

Tuesday, 28th—Primary Christmas tree from 4.30 till 8 p.m.

Wednesday, 29th—Senior Christmas concert.

January 1st—New Years and preparatory service.

January 2nd—Ordination of elders and communion.

The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Salisbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

Santa Claus Latest Telephone

—— TO THE ——

Peterborough Bookstore.

Santa Claus has just been heard from. For the information of the Old Folks as well as the Young Folks, we at liberty to publish the following :—

DEAR MESSRS. STRATTON & Co.

Just a line by telephone to say that I expect to be at the Peterborough Bookstore next week. Isn't it too bad after getting within a 100 miles of Peterborough to find the snow all gone and no sleighing. I've had to hitch up my reindeers to my bicycle and shall drive straight to the Grocers 317 and 319 George Street. Tell the policemen to have the streets all clear for me, as the deer are very frisky after doing so little work during the journey. Won't it be jolly to meet all the dear children in the Grotto again? Put this in the newspapers and let the children know about my reception in the Peterborough Bookstore all next week. "So long" till I see you and all the dear children. So long, so long.

Your faithful old friend,
SANTA.

Superb Novelties.

Pencils and Pencil Cases in Gold
Gold Pens with beautiful handles
Fountain Pens
Handpainted Necktie Cases
Handpainted Toilet Cases
Toilet Bottles
Opera Glasses
Evening Fans, handpainted
Feather Fans, elegant
Book Marks and Paper Cutters
Stamp Cases
Handpainted Cuff Boxes
Ladies' Companions
Dressing Cases
Manicure Sets
Shaving Cases
Plaques and Vases, handpainted

Christmas Cards, Calendars, Booklets.

A beautiful line of the choicest, freshest, most artistic productions every design this year's, fitted in envelope and enclosed in larger envelope, suitable and ready for mailing abroad if desired.

Illustrated Papers.

All the beautiful Christmas Illustrated Editions. Everyone should have one either for home or sending away.

Japanese Goods.

Match Boxes
Ash Trays
Cigar Trays
Vases
Pin Trays
Ink Stands
Photo Holders
Brass and Metal Novelties

Sleighs, etc.

Boy's and Girl's Hand Sleighs.
Children's Coasters
Infant's Cutters
Rocking Horses
Adjustable Sleigh Runners

Fancy Stationery.

Fine Note Paper and Envelopes in fancy boxes containing any desired quantity, richly embossed tinted, cream and white.

Exposition of Dolls.

Selling space has been arranged with good light and with room enough for easy seeing.

20 and 26 inch Dolls
Dolls with Lace Dresses
Unbreakable Jointed Dolls
Musical Dolls
Rubber Dolls
Dolls with Moveable Eyes
All kinds of Wax Dolls

Leather Goods

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases
Ladies' Pocket Books and Purses
Ladies' Writing Lists and Memorandum Books
Gentleman's Memorandum and Pocket Diaries
Writing Desks
Writing Portfolios and Blotters
Travelling Companions
Pocket Diaries
Fancy Paperies

Evening Games.

Our list of Evening Games for 1897 and 1898 is a big one:—

Cribbage
Parchesi
Kenzo
Nations
Logomachy
Doublecross
Checkers
Go Bang
Hold the Fort
Parlour Croquet
Solitaire
Authors
Old Maid
Mother Goose
Combination Game
Cuckoo
Cribbage
Chess
Nine Pins
Ouija
Bobby—the newest out

Bibles, etc

Teachers' Bibles, Morocco bound lapped edges, $1.25.
Old Folk's Bibles, large print, strongly bound, good paper, 35
Prayer Books and Hymnals

Holiday Books.

Gilt edge, cloth bound Books
Christmas and Postcard Books
Children's Colored Picture Books
Scripture Picture Books
Christmas Picture Books
Penny, Half, Plate, Booklet Books
The Annuals, etc

Fancy Cases.

Shaving Cases
Jewel Cases
Toilet Cases
Card Cases
Cigar Cases
Whisk Holders
Collar and Cuff Boxes

Albums, etc.

Photograph Albums
Autograph Albums
Scrap Albums
Hand Mirrors
Photo Holders
Pocket Knives
Fancy Baskets
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Jackets

One of our Fine Jackets at our reduced prices, in some cases less than Half the Original Price, will make a desirable present.

Our $14.00 Jacket cut to $10.00.
Our $12.00 Jacket cut to $9.00.
Our $12.00 Cape for old ladies for $8.00.
Some $7.50 Jackets cut to $4.00.
Just the chance for a Christmas Present.

Kid Gloves for Ladies

and Gloves that we can guarantee to give satisfaction.

Perrin's Dome Clasp, Heavystitching Fancy Points and Welts, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Perrin's Lacing in Black, Tan and all the latest colours, guaranteed, $1.00 per pr.
Jamurets, 3 Dome fasteners, in Black, Red Blue and Green, very elegant, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Jamurets, 7 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, best quality guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Pewny's, 5 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, all sizes, 75c a pair.
Ringwood Gloves, in White and Fancy, 25c and 35c a pair.

Handsome Silks for Dresses and Blouses

Black Peau de Soie, very special, does not cut. $1.00 per yd.
Black Gros Grain, very special at $1.00.
Black Gros Grain, (Ponson's) famous rich gros grain, $1.50.
Shot Taffettas, latest popular shades, 75c.
Coloured Poplins, all the latest shades, $1.00 per yd.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies White Lawn hemstitched, extra value, 5c, 8c and 10c.
Ladies' White Linen, hemstitched, extra value, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
Ladies' White Lawn embroidered and hemstitched, very special, 12½c each.
Ladies' White Linen Lawn, lace insertion and embroidery, 15c, 20c and 25c each.
Gents White Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c, 15c, 20c, and 25c each.
White Japanese Silk Initial, good size, special at 25c and 50c.
Cream Brochi Silk Handkerchiefs, special at 40c to $1.00.

Handsome Housefurnishings for the House

Chenille, Damask, Tapestry and Lace Curtains. Quilts, Table Covers, &c., all at special prices.

Fine Linens

The present that the mother or wife appreciate: Table Linens, Table Napkins, Five o'clock Cloths, Doylies, Pillow Shams, &c., at special prices.

Natty things for men at our George Street Store. Silk Handkerchiefs, Nobby Ties, Kid Gloves, Buckskin Gloves, Mufflers, Umbrellas, &c, at special prices.

Kindly shop early, you get first choice. A perfect assortment. You can shop comfortably, and have careful attention, and thus avoid the rush and crush that always occurs on the last few days.

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The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread.
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No. 2 Nut.....$4.00 "
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The Holiday Smoke

A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store. Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

Pipe Tastes Vary

No two men want exactly the same kind of pipe and tobacco. There are a thousand "mixtures" and many smokers mix two mixtures to get just the right flavour, even; then it tastes wrong unless its burned in the right pipe.

We have in stock all the good mixtures and all the good kinds of pipes—Meerschaum and Briar in Plush Cases, the Genuine Own R.B.B. Morrell Mackenzie Pipes, etc., all to be sold at about Half the Regular Price, as our stock is too large and must be reduced.

SPOT CASH GROCERY.

Succeeding Mr. Alex. Elliott at No. 353 George Street, so long and well known as THE PALACE GROCERY.

MESSRS. BLEWETT & MARTIN have pleasure in stating that they have purchased the Grocery Stock of Mr. Alex. Elliott, and on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18th, began their business connection with the public.

The new firm respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage accorded to Mr. Elliott in the past and cordially invite all others to whom our methods of doing business will appeal as being to their interest to trade at THE SPOT CASH GROCERY.

WE BUY FOR CASH AND SELL FOR CASH and we shall give our patrons all the benefits of the Power of Cash.

We call attention to the line we shall carry of all FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS and OYSTERS.

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SORE THROAT,
COUGHS,
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Or any Bronchial or Throat Irritation,

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

At a meeting of the O.H.A. Executive Friday night at the T.A.C., after a long drawn-out session, the schedules in the different series were arranged for the coming season, and are printed herewith.

There were present:—President A. F. R. Martin, in the chair; Past President J. A. McFadden, Secretary Alex. H. Beaton, and Messrs. A. Cressman, E. P. Brown, F. J. McLennan, W. A. Boys, Lionel King, F. W. Tiffin, and A. A. Macdonald.

A pleasant little presentation to Past President McFadden took place before the meeting, when he was made the recipient of a handsome pair of Persian Lamb gauntlets, and a cap to match, in appreciation of services rendered to the association.

The sub-committee was appointed, who for this year will be Secretary Beaton, A. F. R. Martin and E. P. Brown, and these gentlemen will have the bulk of the business to attend to, but the work has been left in competent hands.

The privilege of printing the new rule and regulation books was granted to the Griffiths Corporation, who will be the only firm handling the hockey rules this season. The rules, as amended, have been properly copyrighted, meanwhile the interim copyright protects the association and the publishers.

The schedules are of course subject to revision, but it is probable that the matches will be played according to the plans and dates formulated last night, and which are as follows:

SENIOR SERIES.

Preliminary Round.

"A."

Osgoode Hall v Varsity, on or before Jan 14.
Varsity v Osgoode Hall, on or before Jan 21.

"B."

Peterborough v T A C, on or before Jan 14.
T A C v Peterborough, on or before Jan 24.

Round I.

Trinity University v Stratford, on or before Jan 24.
Stratford v Trinity University, on or before Feb 1.

Round II.

Cornwall v Brockville, on or before Jan 25.
Brockville v Cornwall, on or before Feb 1.

Round III.

Queen's v R M C, on or before Jan 26.
R M C v Queen's, on or before Feb 1.

Round IV.

Winners of "A" v winners of "B," on or before Feb 1.
Winners of "B" v winners of "A," on or before Feb 8.

Semi-Finals.

Round V.

Winners of II v Winners of III, on or before Feb 8.
Winners of III vs winners of II on or before Feb 15.

Round VI.

Winners of I v Winners of IV on or before Feb 15.
Winners of IV v winners of I on or before Feb 21.

Finals.

Winners of V v winners of VI, time and place to be arranged by the executive.

INTERMEDIATE SERIES.

First Round.

1—T A C v Garrison, Jan 15.
Varsity v T A C, Jan 21.
Garrison v Varsity, Jan 21.
2—Wellington vs Osgoode, Jan 20.
Osgoode v Wellington, Jan 27.
3—Frontenac a bye.
4—Berlin v Waterloo, Jan 6.
Waterloo v Ayr, Jan 12.
Ayr v Berlin, Jan 17.
Waterloo v Berlin, Jan 22.
Ayr v Waterloo Jan 26.
Berlin v Ayr, Feb 2.
5—(a) Brampton v Orangeville, Jan 6.
Orangeville v Brampton, Jan 12.
(b) Hamilton v Hamilton Vics, Jan 8.
Hamilton Vics v Hamilton, Jan 15.
Winners of (a) v winners of (b).
Winners of (a) v winners of (b) Jan 22.
Winners of (b) v winners of (a), Jan 31.
6—Listowel v Renforth, Jan 13.
Renforth v Listowel, Jan 22.
7—Berlin v Windsor, Jan 6.
Windsor v London, Jan 12.
London v Barrie, Jan 17.
Windsor v Barrie, Jan 21.
London v Windsor, Jan 26.
Barrie v London, Feb 2
8—(a)—Collingwood v Barrie, Jan 6.
Orillia v Barrie, Jan 12.
Barrie v Collingwood, Jan 17.
Orillia v Collingwood, Jan 22.
Collingwood v Orillia, Jan 28.
Bar. ie v Orillia, Feb 2.
(b) Coldwater v Waubaushene, Jan 12.
Waubaushene v Coldwater, Jan 22.
Winners of (a) v winners of (b), before Feb 7, on ice to be named by Executive.

Second Round.

9—Winners of 6 v winners, before Feb 12.
10—Winners of 2 v winners of 3, before Feb 12.
11—Winners of 4 v winners of 5, before Feb 12.
12—Winners of 1 v winners of 8, before Feb 12.

Semi-finals.

13—Winners of 10 v winners of 11, before Feb 20.
14—Winners of 9 v winners of 12, before Feb 20.

Final.

15—Winners of 13 v winners of 14, before Feb 26.

JUNIOR SERIES.

First Round.

I—Frontenac II v Queen's II, Jan 13 17.
Queen's II v Frontenac II, Jan 17-24.
II (a)—Peterborough II v Norwood, Jan 10-14.
Norwood v Peterborough, Jan 14-18.
(b) Millbrook v Lakefield, Jan 10-14.
Lakefield v Millbrook, Jan 14-18.
Winners of (a) v winners of (b), Jan 19-24, on ice to be decided by Executive.
III—(a) St George's v Wellingtons, Jan 14-18.
(b) U C C v Toronto University III, Jan 14-18.
Winners of (a) v winners of (b), Jan 18-24, on ice to be decided by the Executive.
IV—Hamilton Victorias a bye.
V—Newmarket v Barrie Jan 10-14.
Barrie v Newmarket, Jan 18-20.
VI—Brampton v Guelph Victorias, Jan 10-12.
Guelph Nationals v Brampton, Jan 14-18.
Guelph Vics v Guelph Nationals, Jan 18 24.
VII—Waterloo II v Berlin II, Jan 10-12.
Preston v Waterloo II, Jan 14-18.
Berlin II v Preston, Jan 18-24.
VIII—Stratford II v London II, Jan 12-15.
London II v Stratford II, Jan 18 24.
The games in first round to be played on the ice of the first-named club; in the other rounds ice to be decided by Executive.

Second Round.

IX—Winners of I v winners of II, Jan 24-30.
X—Winners of III v winners of IV, Jan 24-31.
XI—Winners of V v winners of VI, Jan 24-30.
XII—Winners of VII v winners of VIII, Jan 24-30.

Semi-final.

XIII—Winners of IX v winners of X, Feb 1-5.
XIV—Winners of XI v. winners of XII, Feb 1-5.

Final.

XV—Winners of XIII v winners of XIV., Feb 7-12.

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Silk Umbrellas, special line with gloria tips	1.25
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EAST PETERBOROUGH LIBERAL CONVENTION.

A convention of the Liberals of East Peterborough to nominate a candidate to contest the East Riding in the approaching Provincial elections will be held in Norwood to-morrow (Tuesday), Dec. 21st. Hon. John Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, will address the convention on behalf of the candidate, and the present representative of the East riding, the candidate selected and others will also give addresses. It was expected that Mr. Stratton, of West Peterborough, would have addressed the meeting, but having made an important engagement in Toronto before the date of the convention was fixed he will be unable, much to his regret, to be present. However, he arranged that Hon. Mr. Dryden should take his place at the convention.

It is expected that there will be a large attendance of the Liberal electors of the riding.

BRYCE'S CHRISTMAS PUBLICATIONS.

"Young Canada," "Child's Magazine," "Scallywag" and "Windsor Magazine."

Mr. Wm. Bryce, publisher, Toronto, always has something bright in the way of Christmas books for the youngsters, and this year his supply is worthy of special attention.

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MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful; active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

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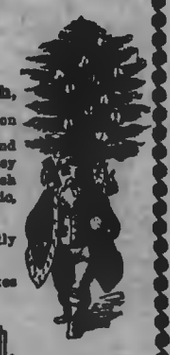

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SEALING QUESTION

The Correspondence Between Ottawa and Washington.

SIR WILIFRED LAURIER'S LETTER

The Proposals Made—The Government's Position—Compensation for Suspending Pelagic Sealing—The Canadian Proposal for a Commission to Take Up All Subjects of Dispute.

Washington, Dec. 18.—After the return of the Canadian Premier and the Minister of Fisheries from Washington last month an authorized statement was given out from Ottawa of the contents of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reply to the proposition of ex-Secretary Foster, the American negotiator in the seal conference. This was confirmed by Sir Louis Davies in a public address at Toronto, in which it was added that in return for a settlement of the fur seal question satisfactory to the United States Canada would expect among other concessions a reciprocity arrangement which would admit into the United States, free of duty, lumber, coal, fish, barley, eggs, potatoes and other farm products. The communications exchanged between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Foster are now for the first time published, and are as follows:—

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Letter.

"Privy Council, Canada, Ottawa, Nov. 24th, 1897:—

"Dear Mr. Foster—Your memorandum embracing the substance of proposals made by you at a conference held between you and myself, Sir Louis Davies and Mr. Adam of the British Embassy, has been submitted by me since my return to Ottawa to my colleagues. Your second proposition practically embodies the suggestions made by myself and my colleagues, and meets, I need hardly say, with the full approval of the Canadian Government. Though the regulations prepared by the Paris tribunal for the killing of seals in Behring Sea and in the Pacific Ocean have been made revisable only at the end of five years, we are quite willing to enter at once, and without waiting for the end of the period fixed, into an agreement to review the whole seal question, for the object of settling by treaty stipulation, not that question alone, but of all others in which at present the relations between the two countries are not as satisfactory as they ought to be, viz.: the protection of the fish in the waters of rivers and lakes contiguous to the United States and Canada, the subject of reciprocal immigration, commercial reciprocity, or any other unsettled question between the United States and Canada which either Government may see proper to bring forward. This proposition, however, is made by you contingent upon and subject to the conditions contained in the first: 'That the Governments of Great Britain and the United States agree at once to a modus vivendi providing for a complete suspension of the killing of seals in all the waters of the Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea for one year from December, 1897, and for a suspension of all killing of seals on the Pribyloff Island for the same period.' There are difficulties in agreeing to that proposition which I fear will be found insuperable. Immediately on my return I requested my colleague, Sir Louis Davies, to obtain information as to the number of sealers who are fitted out for the coming year's operations, and the approximate compensation it would be expected to be paid to them in case pelagic sealing was prohibited for a year. The information furnished is to the effect that the fleet is preparing, as usual; that the prohibition of pelagic sealing for a year would practically destroy the business for several years, because the masters, the mates and the crews, for the larger part belonging to other parts of Canada, would leave British Columbia. The sum which would likely be demanded as compensation is far beyond what it would be possible for us to induce Parliament to vote, even if we could recommend it. Under these circumstances, and in view of the finding of the experts at the late conference, that 'in the greater reduction of the pelagic catch of late years, compared with the gradual decrease of the herd, there is a tendency towards equilibrium, or a stage at which the numbers of the breeding herd would neither increase nor decrease,' and, further, that 'the diminution of the herd is yet far from a stage which involves or threatens the actual extermination of the species, so long as it is protected in its haunts on land.' I am in hope that you will agree to the proposition submitted at our verbal conference by Sir Louis Davies and myself, and not press for the immediate suspension of pelagic sealing.

The Last Year's Catch.

"The coast catch during the months of January, February, March and April as gauged by the catches of the past few years is very small. Last year the catch of the Canadian sealing fleet amounted to only six thousand and one hundred (6,100), and in the year before eight thousand three hundred and fifty (8,350). If the fleet, therefore, are permitted to prosecute pelagic sealing for these four months but little comparative harm would be done to the herd. Following these months is the close season, embracing May, June and July, during which, of course, no pelagic sealing can be carried on except on the Asiatic coast. It appears to me, therefore, highly probable that the joint commission suggested could finally conclude its labors before the time when, under the Paris regulation, pelagic sealing could begin in Behring Sea. If that commission reached a satisfactory conclusion, and the Congress of the United States approved of it, there would be no difficulty in obtaining the necessary Imperial legislation to carry out whatever recommendations might be agreed to with respect to the suspension or cessation of pelagic sealing in time to prevent prosecution of the business in Behring Sea next year. It is obvious, however, that any conclusion which might be reached by the joint committee must, to be effective, be ratified by Congress as well as by Imperial legislation, and unless the session of Congress, which opens in the coming month of December, and closes, I understand, about the 4th of March, ratifies any treaty which might be agreed to before its termination it would necessarily lie over for another year. This would involve the renewal of a suspension for a second year, with a further claim for compensation on the part of the sealers. I would also more strongly urge upon you the view here presented because pelagic sealing being at present a legitimate business, carried on under the sanction of the Paris regulations, cannot be stopped until the Imperial Parliament has enacted the necessary legislation prohibiting it, and as that Parliament will not meet until early in February next, it seems obvious that such legislation could not be hoped for until, at any rate, late in the month of February. At that date the result of the labors of the joint commission, if it was constituted at an early date, would be known and could be submitted for approval at the coming session of Congress. Under all these circumstances, therefore, we do not see how it is possible to agree to the suggested suspension, but we see no reason to doubt, if the appointment of a joint commission results in the submission of a treaty which Congress would ratify, the necessary Imperial legislation could be procured in time to carry out its recommendation with regard to Behring Sea sealing before the close season ends and pelagic sealing begins, and so attain the object you have in view. Yours respectfully,

"Wilfrid Laurier."

Mr. Foster's Reply.

To this communication Mr. Foster replied as follows:—

"Department of State, Washington, Dec. 2, 1897:—

"Dear Sir Wilfrid,—I received on the 30th ultimo, through the British Embassy, your letter of the 24th instant, in which you kindly communicate your answer to the proposition which I submitted in the conference which I had the pleasure to hold with you, your colleague and Mr. Adam of the British Embassy, on the 15th ultimo. Your answer is in effect a declination of my proposition and a renewal of the proposal made in the conference by Sir Louis Davies, and which at the time I stated my Government could not accept. The considerations in support of your colleague's proposal, re-stated by you, have been submitted to the President, and he directs me to express his regret that they are not of such a nature as to justify him in reversing the position taken by me in our conference. You intimate that if pelagic sealing is continued during the earlier months of the year the catch would not exceed 6,000, which, you think, would do little harm to the herd. This might be the case if it was in its normal condition. But such a catch now would be approximately equal to 30,000 in normal times, and in its present depleted condition would create a serious inroad on the herd. The state of 'equilibrium' contemplated by the experts, to which you refer, was at a still more depleted stage than even now exists. It is admitted that the industry is at present unprofitable for both the lessees and the pelagic sealers. Should the herd reach the equilibrium pointed out by you, it will have passed the period when negotiations will be of any avail. But in addition to the injury that a continuance of early pelagic sealing will do to the herd it will also entail on the United States the heavy expense of patrol during the entire summer, even though a settlement should be reached, as you think possible, before August, as the Victoria fleet will be at sea; an expense which for the past four years has averaged about $150,000 annually.

Time Could Be Arranged.

"In view of your statement that the Imperial Parliament will not convene till February, we would be quite willing to have the proposed suspension of sealing take effect at such a date in February as would enable the necessary legislation to be passed, provided a modus vivendi could be signed at once. Such an arrangement would, it is believed, obviate the legal difficulty to which you refer. There is no disposition on our part to embarrass the Dominion Government by asking impossible or unreasonable conditions. This is the more apparent when I recall the fact that four years ago, when the Paris tribunal rendered its award, that body 'in view of the critical condition' to which the herd was then reduced, recommended the two Governments to suspend the killing of seals for a period of two or three years. If such a measure was called for then, how much more reasonable is the request for a single season's suspension now, after four more years of disastrous slaughter of female seals during which period the experts agree that the herd has steadily declined."

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HOT FROM THE WIRES.

John Brown, ex-Mayor of Stratford, has been chosen as the Liberal candidate for North Perth, in the coming provincial election.

Mr. John Tolmie, M.P., of Kincardine, made a misstep on his verandah at Kincardine Thursday night, fell and broke his left arm. He is doing well.

The Minister of Agriculture intends sending about 1,000 samples of Canadian wheat to British millers, so that they may see for themselves the excellence of Canadian grain.

James Bronson is in custody at Belleville, Ont., charged with manslaughter. It is charged that at a bee in Rawdon in 1895 a young man named Barter was fatally injured in a row. Bronson was arrested, but escaped, and was captured only a few days ago.

A provision in the bill to prevent pelagic sealing, which has passed the United States Congress, shuts out sealskins, no matter where they come from. This will hit both British and Canadian dealers in the skins, as both sold largely to the United States.

The directors of the Commercial Bank of Newfoundland have been acquitted. They were James Goodfellow, Edwin Duder, James Hitts, Frederick Goodridge, George Hutchings and Henry Cooke. They were charged with bad management, which resulted in wrecking the bank

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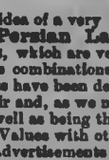

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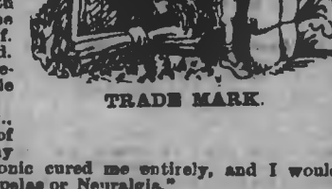

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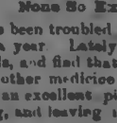

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The old time plantation songs of the slavery days have about passed away, and the negroes now cut the original melodies into scrappy discords and minor notes. A negro had rather strike a minor note than to rub the waistband of his pants against a well filled table and eat. It seems that the peculiar tone holds a fascination for him which cannot be overcome. There is always something to interest you when you can hear a genuine old time plantation song as sung by the aged slave negroes, when heart and soul are united in the song.

I have spent many a pleasant hour listening to the quaint songs of an old gray headed negro on my grandfather's farm as he would rasp the screeching chords in accompaniment on his banjo. When he would sing, he would get a humming start with the chords, and begin with a long drawn out note, rear way back, pat his feet and shake his old gray head. He enjoyed singing, and I enjoyed listening. I would take him little pieces of colored paper and all the colored glass I could find to get him to sing for me and to repeat the farfamed verse of alliteration, "Did you ever see a possum in a papaw patch a-pickin up papaws and a-puttin 'em in his pocket to make a papaw pie for his papa?" This is the joy of his life, and it never grew old or tiresome to him to repeat it.

Mose was his name, and not long since I concluded to pay him a visit and to hear again the songs I had so enjoyed when a child. I found his cabin and he was at home, being unable to get about much. I shook hands with the honest old negro and sat down. The light which came into his face showed how welcome I was, and we had a long talk.

Finally I asked him to take the dusty banjo from the wall and give me a few strains of "Nigger Foot In Ashes" at a lively clip. He did as I asked, and the old time vigor came upon him again. After playing awhile I asked him to sing me the corn shucking song the "niggers" used to sing while they danced the "rabbit dance," after the corn was all husked and the white folks had gone to bed. He was in fine spirits, and, with his head way back on his chair and his feet extended to keep time with the banjo, he sang:

"Early one mornin on my massa's farm—
Cut dat pigeon wing, Lizy Jane!—
I heard dem chickens a-givin de alarm.
Shake yo' feet, Miss Lizy Jane!
Shake yo' feet, niggers; it'll soon be day.
Shoot along lively, Miss Lizy Jane!
Massa ketch us dancin, there'll —— to pay!
We got to dig taters and hoe dat corn.
Hit dat dubble shuffle, Lizy Jane!
You'd better be a-humpin, cos it soon be morn.
Shake dat balmoral, Lizy Jane!"

After Mose finished singing this song an eight inch grin played across his face from ear to ear, his eyes sparkled and the old negro was happy again as if the young folks had gone through their dancing while he sang. He said, "Massa Will, de best days ob de old nigger's life am done gone, but when I think ob de good old times we had befo' de wah dese bones ob mine gits young, and I want to git *right* up and hit de jig step ag'in like I use to do."

I told him I was something of a dancer myself, and that if he would cut down lively on the old "barnyard cackle" I would show him a few steps in jig dancing. This tickled the wrinkled faced coon, and he sang and played in earnest:

"Rooster in de chicken coop crowin fo' day,
Horses in de stable go nay, nay, nay,
Ducks in de yard go quack, quack, quack, quack,
And de goose goes filley-I-fee!

"Pigs in de pen keep a-squealin fo' slop,
Big dogs barkin like dey never will stop,
Guineas in de tree go pot-rack, pot-rack,
And de goose goes filley-I-fee!"

I stopped him because I was out of breath, and he laid back in his chair and laughed till his sides were aching. I pulled out a rabbit's foot and tossed it to him, and the effect was magical. He jumped "three feet on a rise and six feet on the stretch," and gave a whoop which was equal to a Comanche chief's. After his fright was over he told me, whatever I did, not to put any more of those hoodoos on him. I did not intend to frighten him, but wished to see if the superstition he had possessed in his young days had departed from him. I gave him a shining dollar for scaring him so, and 'Rastus was himself again. We had had a fine time in the few hours I had staid with him, and I asked him to pick up his banjo again and play and sing the tune he used to call "Mr. Kimble." His bony fingers raked across the strings again, and he sang the quaint song I had enjoyed often when a child:

"You can't guess what we had fo' supper—
Cum a rop-strop-bottle, Mr. Kimble!—
Black eyed peas and bread and butter.
Cum a rop-strop-bottle, Mr. Kimble!

"Beefsteak, ham and mutton chop—
Cum a rop-strop-bottle, Mr. Kimble!—
Make a nigger's lips go flippity-flop.
Cum a rop-strop-bottle, Mr. Kimble!"

And after each verse he sang the chorus:

"Keemo, kimo, kilgo, kayro,
Fleero, filro, flavoray!
Rop-strop eriwinkle, little yaller booger!
Cum a rop-strop-bottle, Mr. Kimble!"

Though age had left its telling mark on the person of Mose, his rich voice was as clear as a bell, and the minstrel of today cannot equal it for genuine melody. I was not anxious to leave him, but the day was far spent, and I had several miles to go, so I bade him goodby and left the faithful old servant with tears streaming down his husky face. He laid his rough hands on my head and blessed me, saying, "Masse Will, I'll soon be over dere in de land ob Canyan, but I'll remember dis visit to my dyin day."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

NAPOLEON'S LAST WORDS.

The Dying Thoughts of the Man Whom Europe Feared.

On his deathbed Napoleon expressed his conviction that England would end like the proud republic of Venice.

With perfect composure he gave his last directions: "I desire that you will take my heart, put it in spirits of wine and carry it to Parma to my dear Marie Louise. You will tell her that I never ceased to love her and relate to her every particular respecting my death upon this miserable and dreary rock. You will tell my mother and family that the great Napoleon expired in the most deplorable state, deprived of everything, abandoned to himself and to his glory, and that he bequeathed with his dying breath to all the reigning families of Europe the horror and opprobrium of his death."

The second codicil of his will contained the direction, which was afterward complied with, "It is my wish that my ashes may repose on the banks of the Seine, in the midst of the French people, whom I love so well."

On the 5th of May, 1821, he who had for years kept all Europe in a state of feverish excitement terminated his earthly career.

After lying in state two days the body was deposited in a coffin composed first of tin lined with white satin, which, having been soldered, was inclosed in another of mahogany, a third of lead, and the whole in a fourth of mahogany secured with iron screws. After the ceremony an enormous stone was lowered over the body, resting on a stone wall so as to escape the coffin.

On the 12th of May Louis Philippe commanded that the ashes of Napoleon be conveyed to France. In his communication he said: "Henceforth France alone will possess all that remains of Napoleon. His tomb, like his fame, will belong to none but his country."

At 11 o'clock, Dec. 15, the first cannon was heard announcing that the remains of the emperor had reached French ground. Amid the vast assemblage the body was borne by 24 seamen to its last resting place in the Hotel des Invalides.

So closed the eventful career of the great Napoleon, whose memory can only perish with the records of the world. —Detroit Free Press.

ATHLETE AND SCULPTOR.

A Tale of James E. Kelly's Powers, as Related by a Friend.

Although he is not large physically, several good stories are told about the prowess of James E. Kelly, the sculptor whose bronze statues of Molly Pitcher, General Buford at Gettysburg, "The Battle of Harlem Heights" and "Sheridan's Ride" have brought him fame. A friend of his said of him:

"He has more courage to the square inch than any man of his size I know, and on several occasions he has been called upon to show it unexpectedly.

"One day an expressman, six feet high and strong in proportion, invaded his studio. The expressman had overcharged the sculptor, and the latter desired to refer the matter to the main office. When the irate expressman entered, it happened that a tall friend of the artist was visiting the studio. With an oath the expressman said that he had come for satisfaction.

"'I intend to smash you to smithereens,' he ejaculated, shaking his fist and advancing toward the sculptor.

"'Do not wait a moment,' answered Kelly.

"The big man sprang at the artist, and at this critical moment the tall form of the latter's friend vanished through the back door. Quick as a flash the sculptor jumped behind the enraged expressman, seized him by the back of the neck, and with all the strength he could summon pushed the burly fellow to the front door and kicked him into the street. It was all done so quickly that the bellicose intruder hardly knew how it happened. He fell on the sidewalk, and his face was bruised. He got up and ran away. The sculptor returned to his work, and after a few minutes his vanishing friend entered timidly from the rear.

"'What have you done with that Goliath?' he asked. 'You know I have heart trouble and cannot stand scenes, and so I went out to keep calm.'

"'Oh, there was no scene,' replied the sculptor. 'It was an act in three kicks and a push.' His heart trouble friend to this day thinks the sculptor is a piece of surcharged dynamite."—New York Commercial.

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A GREAT PROBLEM.

The Missing Link Between Inorganic and Organic Life.

One great life problem remains which the doctrine of evolution does not touch. The origin of species, genera, orders and classes of beings through endless transmutations is in a sense explained, but what of the first term of this long series? Whence came that primordial organism whose transmuted descendants make up the existing faunas and floras of the globe?

There was a time, soon after the doctrine of evolution gained a hearing, when the answer to that question seemed to some scientists of authority to have been given by experiment. Recurring to a former belief and repeating some earlier experiments, the director of the museum of natural history Rouen, M. F. A. Pouchet, reached the conclusion that organic beings are spontaneously generated about us constantly in the familiar processes of putrefaction, which were known to be due to the agency of microscopic bacteria. But in 1862 Louis Pasteur proved that this seeming spontaneous generation is in reality due to the existence of germs in the air. Notwithstanding the conclusiveness of these experiments, the claims of Ponchet were revived in England ten years later by Professor Bastian, but then the experiments of John Tyndall, fully corroborating the results of Pasteur, gave a final quietus to the claim of "spontaneous generation" as hitherto formulated.

There for the moment the matter rests. But the end is not yet. Fauna and flora are here, and, thanks to Lamarck and Wallace and Darwin, their development, through the operation of those "secondary causes" which we call laws of nature, has been proximally explained. The lowest forms of life have been linked with the highest in unbroken chains of descent. Meantime, through the efforts of chemists and biologists, the gap between the inorganic and the organic worlds, which once seemed almost infinite, has been constantly narrowed. Already philosophy can throw a bridge across that gap. But inductive science, which builds its own bridges, has not yet spanned the chasm, small though it appear. Until it shall have done so the bridge of organic evolution is not quite complete, yet even as it stands today it is the most stupendous scientific structure of our century. —Henry Smith Williams, M D., in Harper's Magazine.

Copper Tempered by Mound Builders.

Ed A. Schloth has received from a friend in Savannah, Ills., a long and small spearhead, a small knife, an awl and a needle taken from one of the prehistoric mounds near that city. The tools are all of tempered copper, and when suspended by a thread ring like steel. They have been hammered out and tempered, and after having been buried in a mound for no one knows how long still retain their temper. The mound builders, who had disappeared from the face of the earth before Columbus discovered this country, knew how to temper copper, an art which no man on earth has now, although many have endeavored for years to discover the process. Such specimens are found in but few of the mounds opened, the implements found being generally of stone. Mr. Schloth has a fine collection of relics of mound builders and of the aborigines of this coast and values these tempered copper articles above them all.—Portland Oregonian.

Struck the Right Man.

During a visit to Massachusetts a distinguished author was invited by a friend to a meeting of an agricultural society, then holding its annual session in the town.

The invitation was accepted, and author and friend took seats near the door.

Nearly every farmer in the house had something to say. Finally the president, pointing toward the author, said:

"Everybody's given us a talk tonight, except the farmer down there by the door—I mean the brother with the hazel beard, the boots and the slouch hat. I can tell by his looks that he's a farmer, and nothing but a farmer, and I call upon him to take the floor and tell us how crops are in his neighborhood."

The man referred to was Hamlin Garland, but he was equal to the occasion, and rising he said:

"Yes, I'm a farmer, and I'm proud of it, but just now I'm doing a little literary work in order to get money enough to pay off my hands."—Atlanta Constitution.

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THE YANKEE DRUMMER'S STRAIGHT TALK ABOUT EUROPE.

Information About London, Paris and Germany From a Big, Red Haired Man—He Says He Kept His Eyes Open—Do You Think He Did?

"Greater New York is going to be bigger than London," remarked the little man in the cross seat with an air of wisdom.

"No, sirve, it isn't!" said the big red haired man who sat alongside of him as he dusted an invisible speck from his new coat. "It won't be a marker to London. I've been there."

"What—to London?"

"Sure, I have. It was three years ago, and I know what I'm talking about. Now, it's a strange fact that there are some fellows in our business that'll travel all around and never see anything. I always keep my eyes open in strange towns. It gives a man things to talk about and it broadens him."

The little man began to eye his companion with new interest. He pondered his sage words for a minute and said:

"How'd it happen?"

"Why, it came about just after I left you at St. Louis. I returned to New York and brought back with me $60,000 worth of orders. That pleased the firm, I can tell you, for no one was doing any business in those days. Our foreign buyer was ill and as I was pretty well posted on what the trade wanted the firm said to me:

"'Here, Jones, you go over to the continent and do our buying this winter.' Did I go? Well, does a duck swim?"

"Where did you go?" asked the little man.

"London, Paris and Germ'ny."

"Say, what kind of a town is London anyway? I've always wanted to know."

"Well, I'll tell you on the level. It's a bum, two for a cent place. It's no good, and that's straight. I've been there. Don't you let anybody fool you about it. You can read all of this jubilee stuff you want, and if any one tells you London is any good you just tell him that Jones said it was on the bum."

The little man's face brightened up, evidently from the delight of getting authoritative statements first hand, and, with the air of a man who wanted to improve each shining hour and add to his stock of knowledge, he said:

"Tell me about London. Is it anything like New York?"

"Not a bit. I know all about the town. It's 25 years behind the times. It's like New York was before the war. Why, honest, now, there are whole rows of houses that look like they were falling down. The streets are dirty and crooked, and all houses are built flush with the street. I couldn't do any business there at all. They are a saving lot, those English."

"Did you see any fine buildings?"

"Not one, except a church or two. Now what I'm telling you is honest. There isn't a building in the whole town worth seeing, and if there was you couldn't see it half the time. It's a dirty, foggy place and not fit to live in. It's an old apple woman of a town. Everybody in London drinks ale or gin. I'm telling you straight, it's on the bum."

"Paris is bigger, isn't it?"

"Well—er—no. Not exactly bigger. London is a whaling big place and don't you make any mistake. I rode right straight ahead one day from 7 in the morning until 2 in the afternoon, and I was in London all the time. Paris is different. I got some great bargains there."

"Did you take your wife with you to Paris?"

"No; she staid in New York because I was going on business. I can tell you all about Paris, and you can rely on it, for I've been there."

The little man's eyes brightened in anticipation, and he said:

"Tell me all about it—everything."

"Paris," said the big man in the tone of a platform orator, "is all right, and you can say that I said so. You can live there and see the town on 16 francs a day—that is $3—good living too. Sleeping costs you 40 cents a night, and you get a room that would cost you $1.50 in New York. Interpreter? Now, that's nonsense that you've read. There were four of us in the party, and when we started out we hired an interpreter. When we'd taken about two of them French drinks—cognacks they call 'em, sort of brandies they are—we gave the interpreter the grand bounce and we didn't see him again. Three of those cognacks will make you talk French like a native. Fact, because I tried it. Four of them will make you feel as if you had taken a $10,000 order for goods that the firm wanted to get rid of."

"Did you see any interesting buildings or places?"

"Saw the whole outfit, and it's no great shakes. The Paris boulevards are pretty fine, though."

The little man looked disappointed at his friend's meagerness of detail. Then he remembered Germany, and he asked his friend what he had seen there.

"Now you are getting right into my stamping ground," said the big man. "Germany beats them all. I went to Berlin, and, say, I bought a line of satinets there that netted the firm $70,000. Now, what do you think of that? Was not that a good stroke? Oh, I tell you Germany is my stamping ground!"

"What interested you there?"

"Why, I saw everything, and how the Germans drink beer! If I hadn't been afraid that those satinets would go out of fashion, I'd have made a bigger stroke on them. Now, don't you let any one fool you about those places. Just come to me and I'll put you straight. I tell you I believe in traveling with my eyes open. What's the good of traveling if you don't learn something? I'll be out on the road in a month, and perhaps I'll run across you. Here's my station. Goodby, old man."—New York Sun.

AN EVERYDAY HEROINE.

The Country Maiden, the Wicked Stage Company and the Tailor Made Girl.

Four reckless persons had clambered into the stage, an old man, a middle aged woman, a young man and a tailor made girl. At Fiftieth street a dressmaker's little girl struggled in with a huge box. Town life was evidently new to her. Her rosy cheeks announced country air to the least observing. She held her money in her hand.

Looking dubiously about, she finally spied the money box and dropped in the coin. After this she waited expectantly. Nothing occurred, however, and she began flushing and paling with nervous indecision. At last she resolutely stood up, attracted the driver's attention and called to him:

"How do I get my change? I put a quarter in the box," she asked.

"Yese oughter a-handed it up," said the man. "Yese can't git it now."

"But it's all I have," protested the girl.

"Git it off the new passengers," yelled the driver and turned away.

It was all the money she had, but how could she "get it off the new passengers?" Every one in the stage had become interested, but no one volunteered any advice. Two tears rolled down the rosy cheeks.

The stage stopped, and an old lady scrambled in. As she took out her money, a 5 cent piece, the tailor made girl leaned over to her.

"Will you give me that for this little girl?" she asked. "She dropped in a quarter by mistake, and the driver said the new passengers might make it up to her."

The old lady beamingly handed over the nickel. She felt that the stage company was being rigidly but justly dealt with at last.

Then a man got in. This was harder for the tailor made girl, but she made the request again and handed a second fare to the grateful young person from the country. The whole stageful was now interested watching for a new passenger as a spider watches for a fly. A woman waved desperately from down a side street for the stage to wait for her, but the driver passed on unheeding and exclamations of disgust arose. Another corner, and another smartly dressed girl got in. The new arrival did not seem at first to understand the request, and, flushing, the tailor made girl repeated it and secured one more of the precious 5 cent pieces.

The little girl had reached her destination.

"I am so much obliged," she murmured to the heroic maiden who had been taking up fares in her behalf. "I ought to get out here, so I guess I'll let the other go."

"No, no, you must not," said the fair conductor, opening her purse. "Take this and I can get it from the next one who gets in."

"You are awfully good," murmured the unsuspicious little one with new tears in her eyes, and one of the men took the big box and handed it down to her when she had stepped out.

The stage rattled on and the tailor made girl looked unconcernedly out of the window. The next passenger was allowed to drop his fare unmolested into the box, unconscious of the little comedy that had brought the others together in a common interest for a moment, and the stage company was still ahead of the game.—New York Sun.

AN EVENING WITH DICKENS.

How the Great Author and His People Can Be Studied by Literary Clubs.

"For an evening with Dickens," advises Fannie Mack Lothrop, writing of "Evenings For Literary Clubs" in The Ladies' Home Journal, "one of the items of the programme might be a sketch of his life condensed into about 200 words. The Dickens drawings by Charles Dana Gibson might be cut from The Journal and hung up before the audience and the story of each character and incident illustrated told. The trial from 'Pickwick' could be arranged for individual reading or for a number to take part in it. A bright paper may be written on 'The People of Dickens' World.' In Dickens' works there are 1,550 separate characters, enough to people a whole village.

"Some of Dickens' poems have been set to music—notably 'The Ivy Green'—and would make a pleasant feature. Anecdotes of Dickens might be given by ten or a dozen members, each giving one. These might be interspersed through the programme. A member with any cleverness in photography might make a series of Dickens' lantern slides from pictures in standard editions of the novelist's works and give a magic lantern entertainment. The death of Paul Dombey would make a pathetic reading from 'Dombey and Son.' Mrs. Jarley's waxworks, as described in 'The Old Curiosity Shop,' could be given with some of the members grouped as characters in the famous show and designated, as Little Nell did, with a pointer."

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NAMES OF PEARLS.

About Five Thousand Small Ones Can Be Bought For Nine Dollars.

Pearls are named according to their size. The very large are called paragon pearls; when the size of a cherry, cherry pearls; medium are called pieza pearls; smallest, dust pearls. The oval and long are termed pear pearls, while badly formed specimens are known as baroques. The value of pearls varies, of course, with the quality and general colors, but the piece, seed and dust pearls always have a market price.

The cherry and paragon are sold on an entirely different basis. If many fine ones are on the market at a time, they may be had at reasonable rates. Some years they bring almost any price. The last two years especially, the dealers say, there has been a great scarcity of fine pearls, although there is no falling off in the supply of the small stuff.

When a pearl exceeds one carat in weight, it is sold separately. Under that weight they are sold in parcels and become less valuable as they become smaller. The smallest dust pearls collected average about 5,000 to the troy ounce and are rated at about $9 per ounce. If, on the contrary, one paragon weighing an ounce (or 150 carats) was on sale, it would bring any amount from $30,000 to $200,000, according to quality.—Philadelphia Times.

How to Take Moonlight Photographs.

Moonlight effects in photographs have long been admired by the uninitiated and fully appreciated by both amateur and professional photographers for their beauty, and many plates, too, have been spoiled by snap shotters who have accepted moonlight as the real illuminator of these views and accordingly focused directly on this beautiful orb of night. Moonlights with the moon herself in evidence are really sun photographs—that is, pictures taken with a rapid exposure, the camera pointed toward the sun generally in the late afternoon or early morning and with clouds between the lens and the direct rays.

Many charming so called night pictures are taken by making two exposures, a short one in the rapidly diminishing afternoon sunlight, to get an impression of buildings and other dark objects and another longer one after dark to print in the gas and electric lights that line the long street or mark out the roads and winding pathways of a city park.—James B. Carrington in Scribner's.

An Old Catechism.

At a meeting of the Worcester Antiquarian society Senator Hoar said that when he was a boy in Worcester a catechism was in use of which the following is a sample:

Where is hell?
Under the earth—a place of darkness.
Who live in hell?
The devil, his angels and bad men.
What do they do in hell?
They curse God and sin continually.
Do you deserve to go to hell?
I do.

For any one to assert that petroleum oil possesses no therapeutic power is simply to make an assertion of ignorance, for petroleum, or rock oil, as it is sometimes called, is, it is well known to those who have paid any attention to the subject, used with the most beneficial results in all chronic bronchial and pulmonary disorders.

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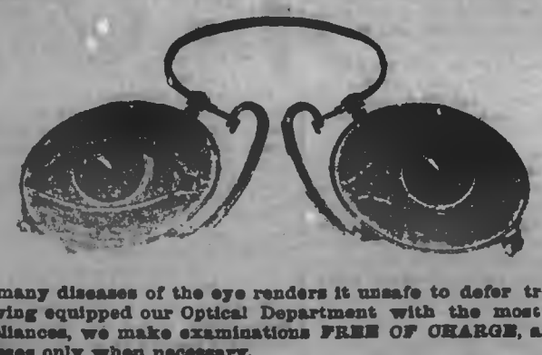

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Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure constipation.

TOM NULTY'S TRIAL.

Case to Come Up in January - Crown Asked to Pay the Defence Witnesses.

Joliette, Que., Dec. 18.—Tom Nulty, of Rawdon, was arraigned yesterday morning, and pleaded not guilty to the charge of murdering his three sisters and brother. He was remanded for trial on the 10th January next. He did not ask for a mixed jury. Rene De Salberry, counsel for Nulty, made a request, asking that the Crown be made to pay the expenses of the witnesses of the defence. The petition will be taken into consideration.

WORD FROM WALSH.

No Doubt That He Has Reached Fort Selkirk in Safety.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—A letter was received at the Interior Department yesterday from Major Walsh, who said that he and his party got over White Horse Rapids safely, and were starting to go across Lake Laborge, which he expected to do without any trouble.

No doubt but he is now safe at Fort Selkirk is entertained.

U. S. Consuls to Canada.

Washington, Dec. 18.—The President to-day appointed Harlan W. Brush, of New York, as Consul at Clifton, Ont.; Charles W. Morriman, of Wisconsin, as Consul at Brockville, Ont.

Things Look Blue Again.

London, Dec. 18.—The sub-committee of the engineers conference on the proposition to settle the great strike have failed to agree on the report to be submitted to the full conference, thus indicating a failure of the conference itself.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 18.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was quiet, with sales of red winter at 81½c to 82c high freights. Spring is quoted at 82c to 83c Midland, and goose at 76c to 77c Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 91c Fort William and at 96c to 97c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 23½c to 24c west, and at 24½c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44½c north and west, and at 45½c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is firm, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with a limited movement; nothing coming forward.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $11 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 17.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 3½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 5½d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 42s 9d for fine western; lard, 28s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 28s 0d; do., light, 28s 6d; do., short cut, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 5¼d for Dec., 7s 5d for March and 7s 4d for May. Maize steady at 3s 2½d for Dec., 3s 2d for Jan. and 3s 1½d for Feb. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast and on passage 2d higher. English country markets quiet, Maize on passage rather firmer.

Paris—Wheat 20f 35c for Jan. Flour 61f 25c for Jan. French country markets firm.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 4¾d for Dec., 7s 4½d for March, 7s 3½d for May and 7s 0½d for July. Maize firm at 3s 2½d for Dec., 3s 1½d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 3s 2¼d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage more country. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 20f 30c for Jan. Flour firm at 61f 60c for Jan. Weather in France cloudy.

A Canadian 118 Years Old.

Galveston, Texas, Dec. 18. — Louis Goule, a French-Canadian, who for 90 years had lived in a tent in the mountains near Buffalo Gap, in Taylor County, died on Monday. He was 118 years old, and was born near Montreal. He lived in Texas for nearly 40 years.

After a Severe Cold.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of scrofula. I was weak and debilitated and Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well. After a severe cold I had catarrhal fever. I again resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla which accomplished a complete cure." SARAH E. DEVAY, Annapolis, N va Scotia.

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JNO. COLEMAN'S TRIAL

The Shelburne Perjury and Conspiracy Case.

TEST OF VALIDITY OF THE OATH

The Judge Grants a Reserve Case on the Point - The Prisoner's Movement on the Day in Question - Twibble Admits Conspiracy - Mrs. Stevenson's Story.

Brampton, Dec. 18.—When the court opened yesterday morning Judge McGibbon gave his ruling on the point raised the day before by Mr. Johnston, Coleman's lawyer. It was that the manner of swearing witnesses at Orangeville court was irregular, that Coleman had never been on oath, and could not have committed perjury. His Honor held that in the interests of justice the case should go on.

Mr. McLaren, of Orangeville, who administered the oaths at the forgery case, was heard as to how he had performed that office. The power had been delegated to him verbally by the clerk of the peace. Mrs. Stephenson, the private prosecutor in the perjury case, was in the box the greater part of the forenoon. She was clear and decided that Coleman was not present in Hamilton's office when she signed the order. She was also positive in her evidence detailing what Coleman had sworn to about being present in the forgery trial.

The first witness called in the afternoon was John McLaren, the Local Registrar of Dufferin. He said that he was called up by Mr. McKay over the telephone, and asked by him to assist him in his work at the Sessions, and he administered the oath to the witnesses on the day in question.

Mrs. Catharine Stevenson, the woman who laid the charge of forgery against John Hamilton, was the next witness. She gave evidence as to what the prisoners said at the trial in Orangeville. She spoke of Dick Small, Mrs. Strafson, Mr. Stewart and Mr. Hamilton as being present when the order was signed, and that Small said to put the figures up on the corner, where there was no blot. Mrs. Stevenson swore positively these men were not present, but under a severe cross-examination she admitted that she could not say it was impossible for any person to come in without her knowing it, but said it was improbable.

George Synott and Thomas Hand, the latter a tax collector of Everett, gave evidence to the effect that John Coleman was at home on the afternoon and evening in question.

The principal witness of the afternoon was Robert Twibble, one of the perjured witnesses at the trial of John Hamilton, but who made a statement to Crown Attorney McKay on receiving the promise that he would not be prosecuted if he turned Queen's evidence, and admitted in court to-day he had sworn falsely and perjured himself. He said that John Coleman and John Hamilton both met him at Booth's Hotel in Orangeville, and Coleman said: "You are to identify me, that I was in Hamilton's office, and I will identify you." Witness said that Hamilton told him to say that he was present in the office when the order was signed, and he would not forget him; said that he had not received any cash consideration from Hamilton for doing so, and admitted to Mr. Johnston that he had perjured himself for nothing. He went to Mr. McKay and made a clean statement of the whole thing.

Court adjourned till 9.30 to-day.

"MAD ARCHER."

Actor Terriss' Assailant Arraigned in the Bow Street Police Court.

London, Dec. 18.—Richard Arthur Prince, known as "Mad Archer," the super who last evening stabbed and killed William Terriss, the well-known actor, as the latter was open the point of entering the stage door of the Adelphi theatre, was arraigned at Bow street police court to-day charged with the crime, and was remanded until Wednesday next.

A surveyor named Graves, who accompanied Mr. Terriss to the theatre, told the story of the stabbing, substantially as cabled to the Associated Press last night. A policeman named Bragg testified that the prisoner had remarked that he had stabbed Mr. Terriss for revenge, as the actor had debarred him from employment for ten years past, and had forced him either to die in the street or be revenged upon him. The prisoner also accused Mr. Terriss of blacklisting him in connection with the theatrical fund. As the prisoner left the dock he was loudly hissed by those present in and about the court room. Prince was deadly pale.

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LONDON, Dec. 18th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulcerations, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

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ROYALTY READY TO FLIT.

Spaniards Are Angry—Murmuring of Revolt in Madrid.

London, Dec. 18.—According to the St. James' Gazette, private letters received here from Madrid say that General Weyler's reception there was most significant and that the Government is so alarmed by the menacing attitude of the populace that artillery has been stationed at concealed points commanding the main thoroughfares. The gunners, however, cannot be relied upon. The wildest rumors are current, with reports that preparations are making for the flight of the members of the royal family to France at the first sign of revolution.

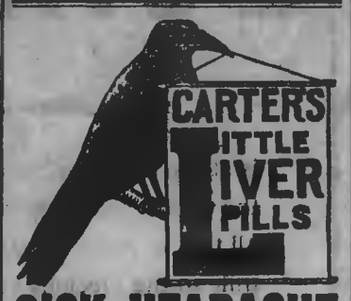
FAILED TO KILL WEYLER.

That Was the Reason a Spaniard Was Dressed in Female Attire and Bound.

Madrid, Dec. 18.—The man who was found the other day in a ditch near Saragossa with hands and feet tied and dressed as a woman and who had travelled on the same train with General Weyler has confessed that he was tied and dressed in woman's clothing by three members of a secret society because he failed to assassinate General Weyler. The latter says he was warned of the plot and was conscious throughout the journey that he was being followed by an assassin.

Gave Peary a Vessel.

London, Dec. 18.—Mr. Alfred Harmsworth has presented the Windward to Lieut. Peary. He will bear the expense of overhauling her and sending her to the United States.



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—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
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—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests.
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
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Robson Brown, of Veletta, July 28th, 1891, says:—

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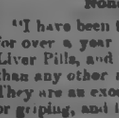

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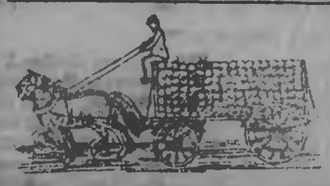

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They Exchanged Pulpits Last Evening And Addressed Themselves Particularly to the Rising Generation.

Rev. S. J. Shorey from the pulpit of St. Paul's church spoke from the text:—"And sent a messenger unto them, saying, I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down; why should the work cease, whilst I leave it and come down to you."—Nehemiah vi. chapter, 3rd verse. Nehemiah had undoubtedly a great work in hand but not, said Mr. Shorey, any greater or more important than any other man—the upbuilding of self to fulfil the divine destiny for which we were created. It is a serious thing to live and a serious thing to die, although the latter is but the meeting of the sea of time and the ocean of eternity. When an endeavour is made to impress the seriousness of life on young men they are liable to say that life is being taken too much in earnest and that all the sweetness and freshness of life is being squeezed out—that it is an aspect of affairs originated by the churches.

This is not the case, as the seriousness of life arises out of the dignity and grandeur of human nature and because man is made in the Divine image.

There are reasons why we are called upon to live a serious and responsible life. Young men must have a strong definite aim in life to be preserved from evil. Rules cannot be made to meet all conditions of life. Guard yourself against the things that will be hurtful, but it is vastly better if your ideal of life is so high that you will not be brought into contact with such things as doubtful amusements. So many questions are asked about these amusements. They may not be wrong in themselves, and yet may not be the best thing do. If not sinful, they are at least silly.

The whole remedy is to get young people to understand the grandeur and dignity of life, and have them say in the words of the text, "I am doing a great work." This conviction will make a man strong and fearless and in a position to say with Nehemiah that he would not come down from the high walls.

The remedy for the evils of this world is to keep men upon the high walls of endurance. The conception that he is doing a great work gives him courage.

Many young people start out in life without a clear sense of the responsibility, hoping to get through without making an utter wreck and ruin of it. Character may be lost, property may slip away and a man may lose his position, yet there is hope; but the wreck is past retrieving when the man goes down. The Divine purpose is to lift the man up and save him. Keep ye therefore on the high walls. Make this the superior consideration of your life and make everything else subordinate to it.

God created us for some serious purpose in life and the life of many young people have possibilities great and far-reaching. Plant your feet therefore on the walls of this Divine conception.

There is only one remedy for the many opportunities afforded the young people to come down from the walls to the plains of faults and follies.

Turn their their thoughts to something higher and better.

Be poor, if need be; be without place or power if need be, and if in such a course you have grown gray with unblemished honour, bless God and die. Turn your eyes upward to the sun and the shadows of life will fall behind you.

REV. DR. TORRANCE,

in the George street Methodist church, spoke from Psalms, cxix chapter, 9th verse:—"Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed thereto according to the word."

It is not easy, said Dr. Torrance, to determine to what extent those solemn questions which relate to human life and human destiny, force themselves upon the minds of the great majority of young men. It must be admitted, of course, that the great majority act as though they did not concern themselves in the least about those solemn questions, but this by no means proves that there are not periods in the lives of all young men, when they ask themselves as to their positions in the present world and as to their prospect for the world to come. For even to the most superficial observer, this life of ours wears a strange and stern aspect. Its avenues are wreathed in darkness and its forms and courses are no less fantastic than they are spectral and obscure.

It would seem probable that those solemn questions which earth's great thinkers have spent their lives in considering—questions as to the meaning of this awful thing called human life—do to some extent force themselves upon the minds of the great majority of young men.

The words of the text contain a question—"Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way?" and an answer to that question—"by taking heed thereto according to thy word." The question of the text is simply the query, "By what means shall a young man make life worth living—by what means shall he fulfil the divine idea of his creation?" and the answer is—"by obedience to the word of God."

There are multitudes of young men who think that in order to make life worth living, they must indulge in sinful pleasures. Those young men who think that in order to make life worth living they must indulge in sinful pleasure, are much mistaken in the judgment which they form. Leaving out all those higher considerations which have reference to their relations to God and to the world to come, and viewing their conduct only with reference to the present life, they are much mistaken in the judgment which they form.

Early manhood is intended to be a preparation for mature years, and indulgence in sinful pleasures is certainly not a preparation, as the gratification of unhallowed passions deprives men of that self-restraint which is an important factor of success in life.

The text says that it is by obedience to the word of God that a young man makes life word living. It is religion then that is to enable a young man to fulfil the divine ideal of of his creation.

This statement will not be accepted by the majority of young men, whatever they may think about religion—however suitable for the old or for the sick or for those who are weak intellectually, they do not desire it for themselves. They despise piety as weak, or scan it as dull, or postpone it as unsuited for their time of life.

It is the religion of the Lord Jesus that produces the highest type of character which it is possible to attain. The Lord Jesus reproduces His character in those who come under His influence. There is much about the Lord Jesus which is calculated to recommend Him to young men and to lead them to put their case into His hands. He was Himself a young man. Alone of all young men on earth He passed stainless through the stormy time, which leaves in most of us many stains. Young men may come to Him with boldness. When young men come to Him and put their case into His hands He begins to mould their character like unto His own. He enables them to subdue passion. He brings them under a sense of their obligation to God and inspires them with high and noble aims.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Court Chemong, I. O. F., meets tonight to elect officers and delegates for the ensuing year.

—Don't miss hearing the 'Varsity Glee and Banjo Club at the Opera House Wednesday evening. This concert will be the musical event of the season. Prices 25, 35 and 50c. Seats are now on sale at Ormond & Walsh's drug store.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.		6° above zero
Yesterday	5°	5° below

Sunday morning's temperature of 5 below zero is the lowest for this winter, as yet. During last night 4 degrees below zero was reached, but towards morning the cold moderated, and at 7 o'clock the thermometer marked 6 above zero, a rise of ten degrees.

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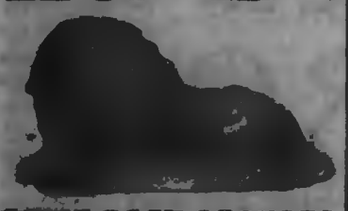

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THE LEGISLATURE

Logs Must Be Sawn in the Dominion of Canada.

THE GOVERNMENT'S TIMBER BIL

All Future Licenses to Cut Timber or Ontario Limits Will Contain a Manufacturing Clause and Thus Preserve Forest Wealth, Promote Home Manufacture and Employ Canadians.

Toronto, Dec. 21.—The Government announced its timber policy in the Legislature yesterday afternoon through Hon. Mr. Gibson, Commissioner of Crown Lands, who delivered an able speech covering the whole subject and giving fully the Government's reason for the course adopted. It is needless to say the speech was listened to by all the members of the House present with the greatest interest, and it was most noticeable that Mr. Whitney and others prominent in the Opposition were anything but pleased to find the Government adopting a course which would appeal to every fair-minded man in Canada.

Hon. Mr. Gibson said the members were familiar with the subject with which the bill he was about to introduce dealt, namely, the exportation of logs and the timber question generally. It should be held in mind that the exportation of logs had not become important until within recent years. Until the last three years exportation had not taken place upon a large scale. For the information of the House and country he would give the actual export of pine from 1880 to 1896 inclusive:

Year.	Feet exported.	Value.
1880	72,000	$ 784
1881	200,200	13,206
1882	2,082,000	20,280
1883	1,243,000	13,323
1884	1,641,000	11,397
1885	964,000	7,906
1886	378,000	2,284
1887	2,954,000	24,429
1888	6,349,000	49,000
1889	383,000	3,270
1890	10,834,000	94,254
1891	32,116,000	261,475
1892	36,699,000	312,281
1893	73,887,000	651,122
1894	125,837,000	1,050,550
1895	277,837,000	2,359,478
1896	211,745,000	1,859,360

In all the number of feet of pine exported since 1880 had been 787,481,000. It was an important fact that but little of this timber had gone from sales made by the Mowat Government. All the timber that had been exported as the result of sales by the Mowat Government had been 5,000,000 feet. No logs had been exported from the sales of timber lands during the years 1880 and 1896. The great bulk of timber exported had been taken from limits sold prior to Confederation, or by the Sandfield Macdonald Government, or by the Blake Government of 1872. All the logs exported under the Mowat Administration had been less than one-fiftieth of the total export. Until recently the subject of export of logs had been but of little importance to the province of Ontario; it had always been considered a Dominion Government affair and treated as a matter of trade and commerce. The country had agreed the matter should properly belong to the Dominion Government because international questions and treaties were involved. In 1866 the Dominion Parliament had fixed an export duty of $1 per thousand board measure and continued it until 1886, when the duty was increased to $2 per thousand. In 1888 the Dominion Government was authorized by Parliament to remove all duty on logs. These facts went to prove that the Dominion Government seemed to charge itself with the duty of dealing with timber and logs. There had been a measure of reciprocity in the past between Canada and the United States in the matter of timber. The policy of the Conservatives had been to remove the export duty on logs when the United States Government removed their import duty on lumber. This was the state of affairs until the passage of the Dingley bill, which imposed a duty of $2 per thousand upon lumber going into the United States. This was a reversal of policy of the previous Administration. The feature of this legislation which had caused irritation in Ontario, however, was the "automatic attachment" to the Dingley bill, namely, that should Canadians impose an export duty upon logs ipso facto the United States import duty should be increased on lumber to $4. The effect of this was that even should Canada impose an export duty on logs, the American lumberman would still have a great advantage dealing in lumber as against the Canadian. The Georgian Bay lumbermen were practically cut out of business by the American lumberman who own timber limits in Canada. The Dingley bill shut down the Georgian Bay mills whether they were owned by Canadians or Americans. The people of Ontario seemed to believe that it was all important the logs should be reduced to lumber upon Canadian soil, and yet it might not matter so much. It was surprising what a small amount was expended in proportion in reducing the log to lumber. Four-fifths of the total cost was employed in cutting down the timber, hauling it to the water and placing it in rafts, and but one-fifth was expended in reducing it to umber. Under present conditions the ntire four-fifths of the cost was expended in Canada, the money going for supplies and labor. The transfer of Ontario's lumber mill industry to Michigan was most distasteful to Canadians, and the question arose, "In how far were Michigan lumbermen themselves responsible for this?" It was well known most of them were opposed to this course and had exerted themselves to their utmost against having a greater duty than $1 per thousand imposed upon lumber going into the United States. They were all opposed to the "automatic" arrangement of the Dingley bill. This led him to speak of the so-called "secret" meeting the American lumbermen had had with the Government. Deputations were in the habit of waiting upon the Governments upon all subjects daily and the Government had never considered it its duty to inquire whether the press was represented or not. As a matter of fact, the Government had known nothing as to whether the press was represented at that meeting or not, but in order the proceedings might be used in future as a reference a shorthand reporter had been called in who had taken down word for word what had been said. His report would be laid before the House with others papers in connection with the matter. (Cheers.) The present holders of licenses had strongly urged that the Government had no right to impose new restrictions after they had purchased and paid for their limits. Before sales of timber had been made the conditions of the sales were printed and those who purchased could not see the justice of changing the conditions after the purchase. He thought there was a great difference between licenses already issued and those to be issued in future. (Cheers.) The Government had granted the right to cut this year and had been paid for that right. He considered it would be an outrage amounting to confiscation to impose restrictions upon those licenses. (Hear, hear.) Such a course would not be honorable (hear, hear); it would not be just. The Georgian Bay lumbermen were the people most injured and yet they themselves did not desire any such course. (Cheers.) Had such conditions been imposed no logs would have been taken out this year, which would have meant absolute starvation to many Canadian settlers and lumbermen laborers who depended upon the winter's work in the woods for their living. (Cheers.) Considering the whole question, coolly and dispassionately, the Government had concluded it would have amounted to confiscation to interfere with the present licenses, but as regards the future their course was reasonably clear. There was no doubt as to the sentiment in the country that there should be restrictions in favor of manufacturing in Canada. The Government should act in sober judgment in such a manner that in all future time they could defend their action. There were two sides to this, as to all other questions, for instance, while the present conditions injured the Georgian Bay lumbermen they did not seriously affect those of Ottawa district, but should an export duty be placed upon our logs the Americans might prohibit Canadian lumber and ruin the Ottawa lumbermen. The Government was therefore against anything resembling measures of retaliation. No one could complain, however, if the Government decided to have Canadian logs manufactured by Canadians in Canada. (Loud cheers.) The Government had already provided against Americans working in Canadian woods; the inspector had already deported a number of them (hear, hear), and the result was a great increase in the wages for Canadian woodsmen. (Cheers.) He then read the clauses of the bill, which provides that in all future sales of timber the Government should make it a condition that the timber should be manufactured in Canada. The Act to come into force April 29 next.

Mr. Reid asked if there were to be any restrictions imposed this year as to the cut.

Hon. Mr. Gibson said the Government had inquired into that matter, and since the cut would not be so large as within some years past they had not thought such action necessary. They had decided, however, to restrict the cut in future, but had not as yet decided upon the exact amount. The bill was then read a first time and House adjourned to give the members time to look over the bill.

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PARTITION OF CHINA.

Germany, Russia and Japan All Hold a Share.

FRANCE TO FOLLOW BRITAIN

China Protested Against the British Warship Daphne Entering the Harbor of Port Arthur and Russia Was, It is Said, Inspired by the Incident—London Press Opinions.

London, Dec. 21.—An unconfirmed report is current here that part of the British far-Eastern squadron will be stationed at Wei-Hai-Wei this winter. If true, this indicates that Great Britain is working with Japan. The latter still occupies Wei-Hai-Wei, pending payment of the Chinese war indemnity.

The evening papers are much disturbed over the situation.

"What do we get?" is the burden of their complaint, and they all insist on the necessity for immediate action.

Advices received here from Paris show France is awaiting Great Britain's action. If Great Britain follows the lead of Russia and Germany and occupies a seaport France will follow suit.

The officials of the Chinese Embassy here do not conceal the belief that the powers are intending to seize Chinese ports, and they discredit the report that Great Britain has been requested to assume a protectorate over the Yang-Tse Valley and the West River, saying they have no information on the subject, and would know if the rumor was true.

Sir Halliday Macartney, the English secretary of the Chinese Embassy, was asked if Russia's possession of Port Arthur would be temporary, and he replied that this plea was usually made a pretext for occupation.

The British Ship Daphne's Work.

Berlin, Dec. 21.—The Paris correspondent of the Cologne Gazette telegraphs his paper that he learns on reliable authority that the Russian occupation of Port Arthur was connected with the visit there of the British ship Daphne a week ago, when, in spite of the protest of the Chinese, the Daphne entered the inner harbor, allegedly to ascertain whether there were Russian ships there. China complained of the incident to the representatives of the powers at Pekin.

The British far-Eastern squadron is said to be at Talienwan, and, according to the correspondent mentioned, shortly expected at Port Arthur.

Newspapers Discussing It.

London, Dec. 21.—The newspapers are still busily discussing the "partition of China." The Daily Mail's despatch from Shanghai denying that Russia has seized Port Arthur probably means that the Russians have not yet actually landed.

The reports concerning the Daphne and the British fleet wintering at Wei-Hai-Wei are officially denied; but it is alleged, with some show of authority, that the Government knew of Russia's occupation of Port Arthur last Friday and that the Cabinet sat three hours discussing the situation.

Nothing Political, Russia Says.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—The Novosti declares the occupation of Port Arthur has nothing political behind it, adding: "It must be a matter of indifference to the powers who are not planning seizures of Chinese territory, as to which point the Russian squadron chooses for its winter station."

Japanese Squadron En Route.

Yokohama, Dec. 21.—Russia has notified Japan of the temporary occupation of Port Arthur, and a large Japanese squadron has left Nagasaki.

What Britain is Doing.

Berlin, Dec 21.—The rumor is current here that the British East Asiatic squadron has been ordered to sail for Quelpaert Island at the entrance of the Yellow Sea, presumably to occupy it. The tone of the German press is favorable to some such action on the part of Great Britain.

Quelpaert Island, which is 60 miles south of Corea, is 45 miles long and 19 miles broad. It is subordinate to Corea, and has been used as a penal settlement.

Barr is Back in London

London, Dec. 21.—Robert Barr, the novelist, who with four fellow-travelers was arrested at Suodiah, a port of Asiatic Turkey, in November, and detained in prison for twenty-four hours, has returned to London and has placed the facts of the case before the Foreign Office. He is still suffering from malaria, contracted in the Syrian swamps.

Prisoner of the Sipah Afridis.

Calcutta, Dec. 21.—According to advices from the front, Sergt. Walker, of the Scots Fusiliers, is a prisoner in the hands of the Sipah Afridis. Efforts are being made to obtain his release.

Pulling the Pension Fund.

New York, Dec. 20.—The Sun prints to-day, under scare headlines, unqualified charges of the grossest pension frauds. Statistics are given to show that not only are the pension rolls padded beyond belief, but with a pension roll aggregating the enormous total of 976,014, there are still 587,099 clamoring for pensions or increases in pensions already being paid and the crowd was increasing at the rate of 9,000 a week at the time of the last report of the Commissioner of Pensions. Last year, 32 years after the close of the war, 54,072 of these claimants gained admission.

Two Prospectors Devoured by Wolves.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 21.—The recent severe cold and heavy snowstorms have driven wolves and other animals from the interior to the coast. At Knight's Inlet, two prospectors, D. A. Peters and J. Craig, were devoured by wolves and cougars.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETINGS IN NORWOOD.

BAD ROADS CAUSE A SMALL ATTENDANCE.

Papers Read by Well-Known Local Men as well as Experts from a Distance—Dairying Discussed.

Norwood, Dec. 17, 1897.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Institute was held in the town hall, Norwood, on the afternoon of Dec. 17th, but owing to the bad roads and the stormy weather the attendance was not large.

At the appointed hour Mr. F. Birdsall opened the meeting by explaining the value of Farmers' Institutes, urging that every farmer should be a member, so that he would receive all the annual reports. He put forward the necessity of having more butter factories, and also advised every farmer to go into sheep breeding.

Moved by J. B. Brown, seconded by Jas. Moore, that the County Council be spoken to in regard to a dog tax.—Carried.

Mr. R. S. Payne, Warsaw, read a paper on "How to Secure More Profit in Dairying," which took the form of an allegory, in which he showed that a great deal was lost in not feeding and caring for the cattle properly.

In discussing Mr. Payne's paper, Mr. E. Hawthorne said he thought that the trouble with a great many farmers was that they kept more cows than they can properly feed. He also advised that the farmer take more care in choosing their cattle.

Mr. N. H. Dean, B. S. A., was then called on, his subject being "How to Divide Money Among Patrons of Creameries and Cheese Factories." He said every farmer must study his work and see that he makes use of everything in connection with the dairy cow. He spoke of the great quantity of pork shipped, and said that the dairy was one of the principal factors in producing good bacon. Skim milk was one of the best things for raising the dairy cow. When calves are raised in the ordinary method they have not the constitution for a good dairy cow. Skim milk had a feeding value of from 20 to 25 per 100 lbs., whey from 5 to 6c per 100 lbs. Calves want to be kept in a nice thriving condition, and skim milk, with very little else, will do it. In order to understand how to divide the money among patrons of a creamery factory it is necessary to remember that the only thing taken out of milk is the butter fat. Every patron of a cheese factory should know something about the process. There are three systems of dividing the money, which are:

1. According to weight of milk.
2. According to weight of butter fat.
3. According to weight of butter fat and casein or curd.

The first system says that all milk is of equal value. Is this true? By a number of experiments made it is shown that some milk produced much more cheese than other milk, but by paying so much per hundred pounds all get the same. Therefore the first system is very wrong. Much money is spent in paying inspectors who go around watching if men are watering their milk. Much better results would be obtained if they spent the time in telling how to raise dairy cows. The abominable system of bringing people up in court should be done away with.

The second system at first seemed the proper one, but it was afterwards found not correct. The underlying principal of milk for cheese-making lay in the amount of butter fat in it, but experiment showed that the yield of cheese was not in proportion to amount of butter fat, but the amount of butter fat and casein. The casein varies very little, so that by adding two per cent to the amount of butter fat in milk a basis is reached which is approximately correct. In testing milk the cheesemaker should take a sample of each farmers milk every morning and test every two weeks or once a month. In that way the average amount of butter fat in each farmer's milk is obtained.

In sections where there are fifteen or twenty factories it would pay to hire a man for the season to spend his time going around testing the milk at each factory once a month at a salary of $250 or $300 per annum.

Mr. Jas. O'Reilly, of Percy, then read a paper on "Planting fruit trees." There are a few important points to be observed in planting an orchard—1st, the place; 2nd, the kind of trees planted; 3rd, care of trees after planting. In selecting a place care should be taken to select spot protected from the south and southwest west winds.

In selecting trees we want to be careful to choose hardy, healthy and productive ones, for we have to look out for the future. We have to compete in the English markets, as a result we want good shippers and good keepers.

As to planting, do not put nearer than 20 feet. Lay out plot regularly. If the soil is poor, dig deep holes, and fill in with good surface soil. Cut back your trees well, as much failure is caused by neglecting this. Mr. O'Reilly closed his paper by urging the use of mulches.

Mr. John McMillan, M.P., Seaforth, then took up the subject of "Breeding and Feeding Cattle." He said a farmer should first find out what he likes best, and be enthusiastic. We have to compete with all nations in the English markets. In keeping cattle, he does not need to do away with his common Canadian cattle, but let him secure a thoroughbred bull and never use anything else. A pure bred bull will often produce a better grade than some thoroughbred. Have the calves come from January to April, and never keep more than two or two and a half years. Take the calf from the cow as soon as dropped, and put on milk. Feed a little meal, composed of two bushel of oats, one of peas, ground. When about three weeks old, give a little linseed; also all the meal they will eat. As soon as it will eat clover hay, give it some. Do not let your steers out. During the winter feed on ensilage with meal on it. Never change quickly from one feed to another. In securing a male, select an animal with a nice mellow skin, as he will be a good feeder. It takes as much feed to put one pound on a scrub as it does to put three pounds on a good grade. Show kindness to animals. There is no pleasure on a farm for a man with a hard temper. The great law of kindness must prevail. A first class man will feed seven cattle with what a poor one feeds six.

All the horns should be taken off, as cattle hurt each other and cause more suffering in a few weeks than is endured in taking the horns off, which is only for a moment.

Changing a herdman is as bad as wasting a week's feed. Cattle should be fed regularly and at the same time each day, as the animals become restless. Feed them in same order. Animals want all the water they can drink and should have it before them all the time. For food I give 25 lbs. of ensilage, 10 lbs cut straw and 2 lbs. of meal. Watch the cattle and see that no animal can get more than it can utilize. Before shipping to English markets cattle should be let out every day for a short time to give them muscle so they can stand while going to Montreal and across the ocean.

The farmer who is going to make money is the man who sells all the grain and hay he can grow and only sells it in the shape of beef, mutton or horseflesh.

Mr. J. L. Squire, who was to discuss Feeding and Marketing of Hogs, wrote stating that owing to the misfortune which had befallen him he would not be able to take the part for which he was billed, but wished the Institute every success.

In the evening the hall was crowded to the doors, but unfortunately too many small boys were admitted and the order was not good. The President, Mr. F. Birdsall, opened the meeting and asked for a selection by the orchestra, but as the members of it were not present, the quartette by Messrs. Sherry, Pettigrew, McMillan and Roxburgh was called for.

An address was then given by Mr. John McMillan on "Our Boys and Farm Life." This, he said, is a very critical period in Canada's life. Our young men are very apt to get erroneous ideas of foreign countries. Our farmers should have a few ornamental trees, a well kept lawn and flowers to make home pleasant. All young men should not be kept on the farm, as many of our best men came from the farm. It must not be understood that a farmer does not need a good education, because he needs one of the best. A farmer is not doing his duty to his family unless he has two or three first-class journals. Let me say to young men, value education. Train your boys to do everything in a business manner. So that they will be independent then. More wealth will come out of independence in the Province of Ontario than all the gold of the Klondike. To-day we have the Agricultural College at Guelph, where our young men can go and get an education to fit them to occupy any public position. In conclusion he told the young men how to get settled on the farm.

Mr. Jas. T. Richardson then favoured the audience with a recitation which was well rendered and much appreciated.

Mr. H. H. Dean, B.S.A., was then called on, his subject been "Dairying in Europe." In his address he took the audience for a trip through Europe, visiting all the principal dairying countries, and related many interesting stories.

Miss L. Clancy then sang a solo very sweetly, which was much appreciated.

Miss L. Robson followed with a short but appropriate recitation.

Miss M. Pengelly rendered a solo in her usually pleasing manner.

Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., who was present, gave a short address of a general character, which was very interesting as well as instructive.

The meeting closed with "God Save the Queen."

OTONABEE CHEESE FACTORY.

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the members and patrons of the Otonabee Union Cheese Company, was held at the factory on Monday evening, the 6th Dec., 1897. Mr. Robert Hanbidge was called to the chair and Mr. George Stewart acted as secretary.

The chairman, after having delivered his address called upon the secretary to read the minutes of the last annual meeting, which were by motion confirmed.

A most satisfactory summary of the business of the past season was presented by the secretary, as follows:—

Total milk delivered 861,144 pounds, from which was manufactured 78,259 pounds of cheese, showing an average of 11 pounds of milk to the pound of cheese. The amount received for cheese was $6,675 49, being an average of .0853 cents per pound. The cost of manufacturing cheese was $1,370 66, and the net amount to patrons $5 304 83.

The following officers were then elected: President, Salesman and Secretary-Treasurer—Mr. George Stewart.

Board of Directors—Messrs. Robert Hanbidge, Sandy Matchett and the president.

Auditors—Messrs. Ormiston Stewart and Ernest Deyell.

Mr. E. Deyell then gave a few practical hints on the home care of milk, which called up a lively and profitable discussion, in which many of the patrons present took part, after which the meeting adjourned, well satisfied with the season's operations.

A School Missionary.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Hon. A. C. Lariviere, M.P. for Provencher, Man., is in town on a private mission respecting the Manitoba School question. He will visit the various Catholic prelates of the Province of Quebec, to urge the necessity of keeping up the agitation for the restoration of Catholic separate schools. Mr. Lariviere contented himself with declaring that the rights of the minority would be eventually restored.

Funeral of Fire Victims.

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—The funeral of Patrick Leahy and five children, who lost their lives in the fire on Friel street, took place Sunday afternoon from St. Bridget's church to the Catholic Cemetery. The church was crowded and a large crowd followed the remains to the grave.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

FURTHER 20% DISCOUNT

HAS BEEN DECLARED DURING THE CONTINUANCE OF

The... Great **McKenna = Thomson Sale**

OF FIRST-CLASS WINTER CLOTHING, AT

GOUGH :-: BROS.

Matchless as have been the Decimated Prices which have ruled during our Extraordinary Sale of our Fortunate Purchase from the Mc-Kenna-Thompson Company, of Montreal, this additional saving of TWENTY PER CENT. should appeal to everybody during this Holiday month, coming as it does at a season when everyone wants to give Presents at a Little Cost. This makes the Buying about ALL YOUR OWN WAY. You have a "Corner" now in Clothing buying, if you want to take advantage of it. Not even Cost is to be asked in many cases. No matter how hard it freezes or how much thicker the ice gets, you have nothing to fear in the way of Higher Prices—so long as this sale lasts at GOUGH BROS.

Our Reason!

We have a Special Reason for offering this Extra Reduction. Yo umay guess, however, that part of the reason is to sell off as much Winter Goods as possible. One partner says: "Sell at Cost." The other says, "Go ahead, make it 20 Per Cent better, and trust to your past record for results."

Anyway, you have our offer in Black and White. You'll find us a regular Unincorporated Society for the Clothing of Men, Youths, Boys and Children who want the most for their money, and want it right away.

BE AN EARLY BIRD. The time of all times to buy for future use is now, and the place of all places is—

HOW CASH IS KING!

In nowadays storekeeping ready cash is a powerful factor, commanding important concessions from makers and markets. Price advantages the world over lean toward ready money. Cash in hand we enter the best markets and cull and pick the best goods, and offer them to our patrons at prices that ready cash alone gives. Under our constantly growing organization CASH becomes an important factor in Buying as well as in Selling. In future, therefore, SPOT CASH will be our invariable rule. Your money back if not satisfied.

Gough Bros.

The Wonderful Cheap Men, - - - - Peterborough and Toronto

OAK HALL

Booming Trade!

OAK HALL

Owing to the unseasonable weather, we have not been able to clear out our stock of heavy goods, so have decided to make Sweeping Reductions on certain lines in order to move them.

2 English Worsted Overcoats, large Astrachan Collar, heavy Italian Body Lining, Mohair Sleeve Lining, regular price $12.00, to clear at $8.88

1 ack Worsted Overcoats, stylishly cut, well trimmed and finished, regular price $10.00, to clear at 5.48

3 Blue Black Chinchella Overcoats, Velvet Collars, Tubular Corded Edge, Most Stylish Coat in the market, regular price $11.00, to clear at 5.98

4 Heavy Black Cheviot Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Light Serge Body Lining, very Warm and Stylish, regular $10.50 Overcoat, to clear at 5.68

4 Grey Melton Overcoats, Velvet Collar, were fast sellers at $8.00, to clear at 5.98

5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, to clear at 4 68

8 Grey Tweed Overcoats, Italian Linings, the price must sell them, worth $3.00, to clear at 1.00

3 Young Men's Tweed Overcoats, Double Breasted, in light Grey, good value at $7.00, to clear at 3.48

6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at 2.98

9 Boys' Overcoats, ages 12 to 16 years, in Blue Nap, good value at $5.50, to clear at 2.68

We invite your early inspection of these goods.

OAK HALL

YOUR CLOTHIERS.

W. J. WATTAM, Manager.

A Smoking Hot Time

—AT—

LeGROS' TOBACCO STORE.

The Holiday Smoke

A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store. Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

Pipe Tastes Vary

No two men want exactly the same kind of pipe and tobacco. There are a thousand "mixtures" and many smokers mix two mixtures to get just the right flavour, even; them it tastes wrong unless its burned in the right pipe.

We have in stock all the good mixtures and all the good kinds of pipes—Meerschaum and Briar in Plush Cases, the Genuine Own R.R.R. Morrell Mackenzie Pipes, etc., all to be sold at about Half the Regular Price, as our stock is too large and must be reduced.

Dissolution of Partnership Sale.

A Large Stock of Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves and Tinware

TO BE IMMEDIATELY CLOSED OUT. THE FIRM OF

MICKS & COX

Have decided to dissolve partnership, and in order to do so will offer for sale the whole stock at a sacrifice.

The Sale will continue until the stock is entirely cleared out. This will afford an excellent opportunity to buy regular lines at very much reduced prices

Remember the Clearing Sale at 187 HUNTER ST., PETERBORO'.

N. B. All Accounts due the firm must be settled by 1st Dec. next.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect Shop, 130 George St.

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Apply to

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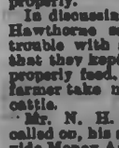

Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the *hour and time of need.*

Is prepared in two degrees of strength.

No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.

No. 2 for special cases—10 degrees stronger—sold by druggists. One box, Three Dollars; two boxes, Five Dollars.

No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company, Windsor, Ontario.

NO. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Nugent, Druggist.

Skates and Hockey Sticks

FAVOURITE STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLUB SKATES for Skating.
HOCKEY SKATES for Hockey.
FAMOUS ROCK ELM HOCKEY STICKS.

Sleigh Bells

SILVER PLATED BELLS—various chimes.
BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

JUST RECEIVED BY

R. H. FORTYE & CO.

Hardware Merchants, 392 George Street.

MR. TARTE EXPLAINS

How Mr. Piche Got Possession of the Chapleau Letter.

IN AN UNENVIABLE POSITION

Men in the Liberal Party Who Would Go Far to Injure Mr. Tarte—The Minister, However, Concealed Nothing From the Leader—Liberal Members' Firm Support.

Montreal, Dec. 21. There are some men in the Liberal party who would go far in order to make a point against Mr. Tarte. Mr. Camille Piche, who is President of the Club Nationale, is one of them. During the past few days the Conservative papers have devoted a good deal of black type and big headlines to his story that he had some private correspondence between Mr. Tarte and Sir J. A. Chapleau which would condemn the Minister of Public Works. Mr. Piche did not tell how he came into possession of this correspondence, but the statement made by Mr. Tarte to-day places the President of the Club Nationale in an unenviable position. "Some time in the month of May or June last, if I remember aright," said Mr. Tarte, "I heard that Mr. Camille Piche was boasting of having in his hands a letter written to me by Sir J. A. Chapleau, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. My secretary, Mr. Gelinas, handles all my private correspondence, as I have entire confidence in him. After I heard this I asked him for the letter, and he, looking for it, could not find it. Mr. Gelinas told me at the same time that Mr. Camille Piche had been his guest at his house in Ottawa a few days before, dining and spending the evening there. As you will remember, the West Block had been destroyed by fire, and this explains why it was that Mr. Gelinas had taken some of my private correspondence to his house and kept it there. It explains everything; could anything be clearer?"

"But what is there in the letter that it should be considered so valuable by your enemies?" the reporter asked.

"You will pardon me," said Mr. Tarte, "for not making public the contents of a letter which was addressed to me by a gentleman in the position of Sir J. A. Chapleau. All I can say is that if this letter had been of a compromising nature it would have been published long ago. One thing I may say, though, is that since I entered the Liberal ranks I have never had any relations with Mr. Chapleau which were not with the full knowledge and had not the entire approval of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and several of my colleagues; and that these relations (and Sir Wilfrid Laurier had many relations himself with Sir Adolphe Chapleau) were of a nature to promote peace and harmony among the citizens of this country. Men of all shades of opinion will agree with me in saying that such broad-minded politicians as Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir J. A. Chapleau might very well agree as to the best means of promoting civil and religious liberty and settling irritating questions."

"Was there anything in the letter bearing on a coalition between Sir Wilfrid and the Lieutenant-Governor?"

"Of course neither I nor anyone else would have been able to arrange a coalition between Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Chapleau without Sir Wilfrid's consent, but nothing of the kind has been contemplated. I am prepared to take before the Liberal party and before the country the full responsibility of my intercourse with Sir J. A. Chapleau, intercourse which, I say it again, has taken place with the full consent and knowledge of the Prime Minister and of several of my colleagues. And after all we can show the results of our policy. The Liberal party is in power in Quebec, and we have been able to re-establish peace and confidence everywhere."

Under the heading: "The true situation," the Patrie, Mr. Tarte's paper, says to-night: "So far not a single member of the House of Commons has approved of the attitude of Mr. Langelier. In spite of what the Soleil says, there is not a Ministerial member from the district of Quebec who does not continue as in the past his support of the Cabinet as at present constituted. Messrs. Savard, Rinfret, Godbout, Guay, Carroll, Ross Gauvreau, who were at Quebec on Friday and Saturday, have expressed their entire confidence in Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues. The provincial members elected for the affairs of the Province of Quebec do not seem to us to have the least desire to lay aside their role in order to conduct the affairs of the Dominion in place of Sir Wilfrid and the members of the Canadian Parliament."

Boils, pimples, and eruptions, scrofula, salt rheum and all other manifestations of impure blood, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

Anxious Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Lewis Leland, one of the family of famous hotel men of that name, died in New York city yesterday.

One person fatally hurt and six badly injured is the record of a Philadelphia electric line trolley accident.

Another heavy snowstorm prevailed in Nebraska yesterday. Live stock is in good shape, however, and wheat growers say it is a good thing for them.

William Backus and John Thomas, Lehigh Valley firemen, were struck by the engine of a passenger train at Wende. Backus was killed, while Thomas was fatally injured.

The Ward liner City of Washington, from Vera Cruz Dec. 1, was robbed of $3,000 on the voyage to New York. The safe was found open on arrival at the latter port. No clue.

The father of Theodore Durrant has not yet given up hope of saving his son from the gallows. He says all they need is the money, which he hopes to raise, though impoverished by litigation.

Adolph L. Luetgert, the alleged wife murderer, of Chicago, is now charged with having forged the name of Paul H. Jaeschke, a plumber and real estate owner, to notes on which he secured $1,000.

Charles Beatty, who wrote in jail "Life Experience of a Smart Fool," has been taken to jail again at Stroudsburg, Pa., for forgery. This time the former Supreme Secretary of the A.P.A. gets 18 months.

On Saturday Dr. Robert A. Smyth died at Evans' Mills, N.Y., from diabetes. He was 45 years of age, a graduate of Queen's university, Kingston, and a native of North Williamsburg, Ont. His sisters reside at Winchester and North Williamsburg.

William Newman, aged 19; Miss Rose Newman, aged 16, and Michael Coleman, aged 20, were drowned in Ellicott Creek at North Tonawanda, N.Y., while skating. Miss Lizzie Coleman, the other member of the party, was rescued.

A freight train of 31 loaded cars traveled 12 miles in 12 minutes from Gallitin to Altoona, where it crashed into another freight train and completely wrecked 50 cars. Only one trainman is said to be fatally injured, but a brakesman named Corbin is thought to be under the wreck.

Dr. James W. Putnam, of Trinity church, New York, has refused a donation of $50 from Tammany for the poor of his church. The doctor quotes in reply: "O, full of all subtlety and all mischief, thou child of the devil, thou enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord?" Acts xiii, 10. "Thy money perish with thee," Acts viii, 20. With that he sends the cheque back.

W. A. Heline, of the Canadian Pacific at Lindsay, is dead.

Mrs. Wm. Peters, who was so severely burned at Walkerville, has died at the Windsor hospital.

The Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier delivered a lecture before the Quebec section of the Provincial Bar at the Court House, Quebec, last night.

The large brick block at Wheatley, Ont., owned by Lewis Wigle, was completely destroyed by fire. Loss, $3,000 to $4,000; insurance $800.

Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Solicitor-General for the Dominion, was elected Batonier-General of Quebec at a meeting of the Provincial Bar.

At Victoria, B.C., despatch says that thirteen of the missing men from the steamer Cleveland were found by the Quadra, having been blown north.

A Kingston despatch says: A team crossed on the ice from Amherst Island, the earliest date of crossing the Bay of Quinte in many years. Kingston harbor is not yet frozen.

The two-masted steamer Marguerite, from St. John, N.B., to New York, with a cargo of 787,000 laths, was burned at Salem, Mass., harbor. The value of the vessel and cargo was $80,000.

Robert Wilson, a Silver Lake farmer, near Bobcaygeon, was robbed and so badly beaten that the doctors for two days failed to bring him back to consciousness, and still have grave doubts of his recovery.

A fallen tree knocked away all but one support of the C.P.R. bridge at Green Creek, between Ottawa and Montreal. Fortunately this held and the engineers were enabled to repair damages before any trains passed over it.

The schooner L. T. Whitmore, from St. John, N.B., for New York, with a cargo of lumber, struck solidly on Catumb, an isolated rock about half way between the easterly end of Fisher's Island and Watch Hill. The crew were saved.

A terrible gale swept Newfoundland and did immense damage to fishing establishments and vessels at all the coast settlements. Twelve schooners went ashore in Green Bay and became total wrecks and several others were badly damaged.

The Cunarder Eutruria was detained 24 hours in her departure from Liverpool by fog, having remained over at Queenstown until Monday morning.

The coroner's jury has rendered a verdict of wilful murder against "Mad Archer," the man who killed Actor William Terriss in London last Thursday night.

Mr. Dynes Again in the Field.

Shelburne, Ont., Dec. 21.—The Patrons of Industry held a convention here yesterday. Mr. Haycock addressed the meeting, and Mr. William Dynes, M.P.P., was the unanimous choice of the convention to oppose all others in the coming election. His opposition so far will be Dr. Barr, the Conservative nominee.

Died Before His Trial.

Toronto, Dec. 21.—At the General Hospital yesterday morning young Alexander Shaw died. He had been a prisoner at the jail for some time, being held for trial on a charge of shooting at a bailiff in the Ontario Chambers about two months ago. He seemed to be suffering from consumption, and had to be removed to the General Hospital.

Cotton Workers' Wages Cut.

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 21.—Notices of a ten per cent. reduction in wages on Jan. 1 have been posted in the Amory, Stark & Jefferson Cotton Mills in this city. The Amoskeag Mills, employing 9,000 people, posted similar notices last week. The Amory, Stark & Jefferson Mills employ 11,000 operatives.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

Doan's Kidney Pills are the ones that cure. Remember the name, DOAN'S.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

Use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure

YE MERRIE YULETIDE

IS UPON US!

TIME IS PRECIOUS!

Ye Gifts of **Gold Jewelry, Watches, Ornamental Clocks, Diamond Rings, Gold Chains, Silver Ware, Silver Mounted Goods, Souvenir Designs, Silver Novelties,** or anything else you can think of in ye Jewelry line are surely among ye most pleasurable to look upon.

Schneider's

JEWELRY STORE

is stocked to overflowing with Christmas Gifts at Prices as attractive as the goods. So many inexpensive things you won't find in any other store. All that is worthy in Jewelry, from the simple to the elaborate, from the trifle to the precious stone, will be found in our elegant display of special Holiday Jewellery.

F. S. SCHNEIDER,

THE JEWELER, 391 George Street.

Pope Leo's Wonderful Vitality.

New York, Dec. 21.—Bishop Emard, of Valleyfield, Province of Quebec, arrived here yesterday on the steamer La Normandie. Bishop Emard, speaking of an audience he had with the Pope, said that the Pontiff exhibited wonderful vitality and seemed in splendid health. He declined to state whether or not the school question was mentioned. The Bishop left for Montreal later in the day.

Shot in the Thigh.

Arva, Ont., Dec. 21.—A shooting accident occurred near this village yesterday afternoon, when Edward Talbot was shot in the thigh by Charles Powell. Young Powell was out shooting rabbits and had sent a ferret under Talbot's granary. Just as the rabbit emerged from beneath the building Talbot stepped up and received part of the contents of one barrel of the gun in his left leg.

Charged With an Outrageous Crime.

Petrolea, Ont., Dec. 21.—A young man giving his name as Fred Connors, from Port Huron, was arrested here about 8 o'clock last night by Chief Jackson, and locked up at the Central Police Station, pending the arrival of the chief of police from Port Huron, who charges Connors with criminally assaulting his own niece.

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

DAMAGE CLAIM SETTLED.

Asked $50,000 From the C.P.R. and Took $3,600 and a Yearly Pass in Settlement—Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—First settlement on account of the fatality on C.P.R. at Stittsville some weeks ago, has been made. Among the four unfortunates who met death was Engineer Larondeau, of the Cannon Ball Express, and his widow claims $50,000. She had already issued a writ, along with others against the company. The company's solicitor has seen Mrs. Larondeau and effected a settlement at $3,600. The widow will, in addition, be given free transportation for a year to and from Montreal. It is understood the action instituted by Mrs. Peden, widow of the mail clerk who was killed in the same wreck, will go to the courts.

The Yukon Mails.

Postmaster-General the Hon. Wm. Mulock has authorized the despatch of a mail from Victoria to the several places, on the Stickeen route to the Yukon from Wrangel to Lake Teslin. The courier will leave Victoria about January 5. The mail will be confined to letters, the nature of the route precluding the conveyance of bulkier matter. Glenora, Telegraph Creek and Teslin Lake are the chief places on this route.

Increase of Mounted Police.

It has been decided to increase the force of police in the Yukon from 90, as at present, to 250, of which probably 100 will be stationed at Dawson. The balance will be stationed at Selkirk, Tagish, the Dalton Trail, the Stickeen and Hootalinqua route, and at one or two other points in the territory. The first detachment of thirty will be sent up at New Year's, sailing probably on January 5th.

New Money Order System.

Canada will adopt the postal note system in vogue in the United Kingdom. Mr. Mulock has been studying the question for some months, and is now considering the details, with a view of bringing the system into operation on July 1, 1898. Paper notes about the size of a bank bill will be printed on thin linen paper of the following denominations: 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, and 90 cents, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $3, $4 and $5. The cost of obtaining these notes will be one cent each up to 40 cents, two cents between that figure and $2.50, and three cents each for all above that. These postal notes will replace the postoffice money orders for the transmission of all small sums through the post. The present money order system is a cumbersome and indirect method, and wastes much time. Is will be continued, however, with some improvements, for the transmission of sums up to $100. These postal notes will serve a great public convenience, doing away with the payment of accounts in postage stamps, the postal notes being payable at any money order office without the identification of the payee or any condition other than the presentation of the note. It is expected that the rates, low as they are fixed, will give a small profit. The system is very popular in England. The number of notes issued in 1881-2, a year after the system was established, was a little over 4,000,000, which had increased in 1896-7 to 67,000,000 notes.

Major Walsh Lost Some Supplies.

Confirmation was received at the headquarters of the Northwest Mounted Police yesterday of Major Walsh's having lost some of his supplies, but not enough to cause him any serious inconvenience. He lost two boats, one packed, and some supplies near Big Salmon river. On November 17, at Skaguay, it had been raining for several days and everybody was knee-deep in mud.

Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults

The Sale That Eclipses and Overtops All Others

—IS WITHOUT DOUBT—

C. F. Kutzbach's

DOUBLE STORE CHRISTMAS SALE.

More customers every day. Crowds all eager to buy. Fathers, Mothers, Daughters and Sons, now realize that this Sale means what we advertise—A BIG SAVING ON THEIR PURCHASES.

Our 'Xmas Goods are all opened up this week. They had all come to hand before I decided to open a second store, and now that I have made the preparations, out the goods must go. No stock in town equal as to variety and newness of goods. Help yourself by saving money and you will help me.

THOUSANDS OF PRESENTS too numerous to mention. We guarantee freedom from misrepresentation, and no Old-Time goods.

Two Stores Full to the Doors

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 379 George Street.

2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

CHRISTMAS

IS AT HAND!

THE PRINCE OF PRESENTS

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EVANS PIANO

The BEST Pianos ever offered.
Fully guaranteed for SEVEN years.
Clear Tone, full Volume, superior action.
No extravagance in the Case—
Neat but not gaudy.
We neither spare the case nor spoil the music
With or without Mandolin attachment.

If You Prefer A First-Class ORGAN

I handle the best Organs in the Dominion—The Karn and the Goderich—Take your choice. You'll save in buying either

I sell on the Cash or Instalment plan. A good Cash Discount allowed from now until New Years. Come in and let us talk it over.

Thirty cents a day will buy an Evans Piano or it will buy three cigars. At the end of a given time you have the Piano, where are the Cigars? Just think it over.

W. L. TAYLOR

PIANO AND ORGAN DEALER.

WAREROOMS—Water St., Opposite the Market

MRS. G. VINETTE'S HAIR PREPARATION

Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the East Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Warsaw, with the name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly

J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P.O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

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GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

A Revelation

In Millinery and Xmas Gifts

.....AT.....

Miss Delaney's.

The tendency to select Articles for Gift Purposes possessing Practical Features is very pronounced—judging by our Sales this month. There is no lull in business with us—the holiday campaign and the demand for mid-winter productions keeping us quite busy.

We have many Beautiful Goods suitable for Holiday Presents, which we are offering at nominal prices. Those enumerated below will be sold on the close-margin plan :—

—Stylishly Trimmed Evening and Street Bonnets.
—Fashionably Trimmed Hats in the new shapes.
—Dotted and Variously Patterned Veilings.
—Ruchings and Ruffings for evening wear.
—Ready-Made Bows and Scarf Veils.
—Children's Elderdown Jackets, Hoods and Ruffs.
—Fancy Handkerchiefs in all grades and widths of hem.
—High Novelties, in French Kid Gloves, with fancy backs.
—Satin Lined Handkerchief Cases, artistically decorated.

At "The White Store," George Street.

P.B.C.

B. This Institution promises every advantage for young men and women who wish to prepare themselves as *BOOKKEEPERS or STENOGRAPHERS.*

C. A most favourable time to enter for a course in either department is NOW. NIGHT SCHOOL, 3 evenings a week.

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DENTIST

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Manly Art.

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Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Xmas Perfumes.

The place to buy your Xmas perfumes is at J. D. Tully's. He has the goods, the quality and the prices. Handsome styles, fragrant and lasting odor. Call and see them. 51

Splendid Programme To-night at the Opera House. Complimentary Concert to Mr. and Mrs. Dunn. Admission 25c and 35c.

Flower Social New Year's Eve.

Another of those popular socials will be held on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, in the rooms over the Great Northwestern Telegraph office, Cox's Block. A first class orchestra will furnish music, and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Admission, tickets 50c. 51

A Showy Calendar.

Mr. John J. Howden, butcher, is greeting his customers with a very appropriately designed illustrated calendar for 1898. The rural scene, showing some fine fat specimens of Christmas cattle, depicted in the foreground is "right in line," while the other scenes are characteristic of the meat merchant, and are drawn to nature.

A Strong Reminder.

Opera party fans in silk, plain and hand-painted, beautiful feather Fans, plain, hand-painted and the prices were never lower for such lovely goods. Annuals just about sold out. If you have not ordered, telephone at once. Xmas Illustrated papers, only a few left. The pictures accompanying the Xmas numbers this year are alone worth the price. Store open and ready for business at 8 a. m. Shop early.—A. H. STRATTON & Co., 417 George street.

What to Buy for "Him."

One of the best things to buy for a man for a Christmas gift is something he would buy himself. A half-dozen of those small Parisian ties just received at LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store, would suit him "down to the ground," as the saying goes. The fair sex have been buyers of these bright beauties of swell ties during the past week in considerable numbers. A silk muffler or a fine woollen neck scarf in bright or plain checks, will also be acceptable gifts, and LeBrun & Co. have a very nobby line full of them at close prices. 52

The Great Secret

of happiness is making others happy. If you don't believe it try some of the following on your friends this Christmas. If you do believe it you will secure a supply :

Oranges from 20c to 40c per doz.
Table Raisins, 15, 20, 25, 30c per lb.
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Fresh Walnuts, Grenoble, 12½c.
Fresh Filberts, Oblong, 12½c.
Figs for table, 10, 15 and 18c.
Dates (Hollowee), 10c.
Crystal Fruits, assorted, 65c.

If you have not already secured your supplies for Mincemeat and the 'Xmas Pudding see the Mixed Fruit and Peels we are showing—all P. Mason & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Probable Candidates at the Coming Elections.

Interest in the municipal election increases as the date of the nomination, next Monday, approaches and new names will no doubt crop up during the week.

At present the names mentioned with any degree of certainty are as follows :—

No. 1 Ward—Messrs. Henry Best, Chas. Robertson and N. T. Leplante, members of the present council, and Mr. Wm. White, an ex-member. Mr. Wm. Redgis's name is also brought forward, but he is at present undecided as to whether he will allow his name to be placed in nomination or not.

No. 2 Ward—Mr. T. H. G. Deane is the only one of last year's members for No. 2 who will again go to the people. He was anxious to remain out this year but a deputation persuaded him to again take the field. Mr. Neill is positive in his desire not to run again, and Mr. A. L. Davis is out for the mayoralty. Mr. R. M. Roy was waited on by a deputation, but says he has no ambition to seek municipal honours. Mr. C. W. Sawers states that in response to being urged to come out he will do so. Ex-Councillor Harry Phelan has had enough of municipal politics, although strongly pressed to allow his name to be submitted to the ratepayers. Mr. H. Carveth is undecided, as yet, on the subject, as is ex-Councillor Hughes.

Ward No. 3.—Councillor Dawson announced decidedly that he is out of the running this year. Councillor Cobb is anxious to spend his evenings at home instead of at committee meetings, but on being pressed by his friends he will again go to the polls. Councillor McWilliams states that there is to be a great deal of money expended on the streets next year, and as he looked after this expenditure so well this year, and taken such an interest in the outlay, he would like to see the streets put in perfect condition, so he will again run. Ex-Councillor Sawers' name has been mentioned but he says he will not come out again. Ex Councillor Weir will again be in the field.

No. 4 Ward—Councillor Graham is the only one of this year's representatives who is positive about retiring. Councillor White's interest in the fire alarm system will again bring him to the front and Councillor Meldrum will announce his decision in a few days. Amongst the other candidates whose names are mentioned and who prefer giving no decided answer as yet are Messrs. Jas. Bogue and Thomas Moore, who has recently moved from Ward No. 1 to the North Ward. Ex-Councillor Mason has not the time to give and will not re-enter municipal politics.

VARSITY CLUB CONCERT.

Below is the programme for to-morrow night's Musical Entertainment by the Varsity Glee and Banjo Club. This will be the musical event of the season. Prices—25, 35 and 50c.

PROGRAMME.

The Maple Leaf Forever.

1 CHORUS, Wanderer's Song.....*Schumann*
GLEE CLUB.

2 QUICKSTEP, Blue and White.....*Armstrong*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

3 SONG, Queen of the Earth.....*Pinsuti*
MR. BRUCE BRADLEY '98.

4 CHORUS. A Maid on the Shore of the Manzanares.....*Jonson*
GLEE CLUB.

5 MARCH, Stars and Stripes Forever....*Sousa*
MANDOLIN CLUB.

6 SONG, Friar's Song from "Ivanhoe"....*Bizet*
MR. W. FLAVILLE PRIDER '98.

7 MANDOLIN SOLOS
(a) Duo for one Mandolin.....*C F Smedley*
(b) Valse Brilliante.....*Godard*
MR C F SMEDLEY.

8 CHORUS
(a) Chorus of Departing Pilgrims } *Wagner*
(b) Chorus of Returning Pilgrims }
GLEE CLUB.

9 MARCH, Royal Courier.....*Wagner*
BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

10 SONG, Jolly Jack.....*Lloyd*
MR JACKSON '98.

11 SELECTIONS, The Geisha.....*Sidney Jones*
MANDOLIN CLUB.

12 CHORUS, (a) Elegy.....*Cornelius*
(b) Lullaby.....*Brahms*
GLEE CLUB.

13 SELECTION, Kentucky Babe.....*Giebel*
GLEE, BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLIN CLUB.

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POLICE INVESTIGATION TO BE HELD TO-NIGHT.

NO EVIDENCE WAS TAKEN LAST EVENING.

The Council Will Hear Witnesses Under Oath at Seven O'Clock To-Night and Decide on the Charges.

There was a big crowd in the council chamber last evening when the members of the council filed in and took their seats to hear and consider the charges against the chief of police, which Councillor McWilliams had stated would be laid.

Town Clerk Armstrong read the resolution which was passed at the last meeting of the council, whereby the members were called to meet in committee of the whole for the purpose stated.

Mr. R. M. Dennistoun, who was present with Chief Roussel, rose and asked the permission of the council to be present in the interests of the chief and also at any subsequent meeting when the charges were to be considered.

On motion of Councillor Meldrum and Neill his request was granted.

Councillor McWilliams asked the opinion as the mayor as to whether the council had the power to take evidence under oath.

Councillor Dawson—I move that the mayor do not give his decision until the charges have been laid in writing.

Councillor Neill—I move that we hear the charges.

Councillor McWilliams at this juncture handed in a list of the charges and the mayor asked the town solicitor about the point which Councillor McWilliams had raised.

The charges, as preferred through Messrs. Stratton & Hall for their client, Mr. Wm. McNairn, were then read as follows :—

To the Mayor of the Town of Peterborough.

I charge the Chief of Police with having committed the following among other offences:

1. I say that through undue anxiety to obtain convictions he has committed perjury.

2. I further say that through undue anxiety to obtain convictions he has prostituted the honour of young and irresponsible children by giving them money to incite them to crime and that in doing so he has degraded such children and himself has become a lawbreaker.

3. I further say that in order to unduly obtain convictions he has given weak and debased men money to incite them to commit crime and that in so doing he should reasonably know that he was hanging out inducements to them to commit perjury and that such persons in his employ did commit perjury.

4. I further say that he has introduced into the police office the sneak spy, or Yankee system of detecting possible offences and that such a system practised in a town comparatively so small as Peterborough breeds evils more pernicious than the offences aimed at.

5. I further say that when called upon to discharge his duty he has acted in a cowardly manner.

6 I further say that he has connived at the escape from justice of all ged criminals.

WM. MCNAIRN.

Peterborough, Dec. 20th, 1897.

Town Solicitor Edwards then stated that the Municipal Act was not positively clear on the point as to whether councils had the power to take evidence under oath. The council, however, had the power to appoint Police Commissioners, and they in turn could take evidence under oath, so that the intent and meaning of the Act was evidently that if there were no Police Commissioners, the council could act in their place and take the evidence.

Mr. Dennistoun asked the Town solicitor if he had consulted Section 477 of the Municipal Act before arriving at his conclusion, and at the same time handed him the statute book.

Councillor McWilliams stated that he had been called upon by two gentlemen who had made very serious charges against the Chief. If the council was to proceed with the investigation, evidence should be taken before the County Judge or County Magistrate. It could be said that the council showed partiality if the members were to take evidence themselves. This impression had been already conveyed to the citizens through the action which the clergy had taken in pronouncing upon the case before any evidence had been taken. They had created the impression that the council would be prejudiced in its dealings with the matter. He for one was not prepared to go into the matter as a councillor. If the charges were proven, however, it would be for the council to deal with the Chief afterwards. With regard to the prosecution of Mr. Graham, he wished to state that there were at present 27 licenses issued in Peterborough. In the last four years there had been 66 charges laid against the licensees, and of these nine were against the proprietor of the Oriental Hotel, and five of these had been dismissed —

Mr. Dennistoun—I take objection. It is not fair that the case be introduced in a speech, which ought to be a portion of the charge.

Councillor McWilliams—I am only giving my reasons for the stand I have taken in the matter. I am as strong a temperance man as there is in Peterborough, and perhaps the strongest. I do not know the taste of liquor, and would give every dollar I possess to prevent the sale of it. I am not here to protect the hotelkeepers, as has been said, and am prepared to stand by the police as long as they do their duty. I move to take the matter out of the hands of the council, as we might do an injustice to the Chief. I move that we take it before the County Judge.

The Mayor—"I think we are prepared to do justice here, and as I have been placed in my position to fulfil a duty, I am prepared to do it to the best of my ability."

Councillor McWilliams—The Judge is the proper party to weigh the evidence. He is accustomed to it, and others will say we are wrong, no matter what decision is arrived at.

The Mayor—"Well, I am prepared to take consequences, and act to the best of my judgment."

Councillor Dawson—I would like to ask Mr. McWilliams—

The Mayor—No, we have had quite enough discussion. You must not ask him anything.

Councillor Neill—I move that we go on.

Councillor Meldrum—I would like to know finally from the Town Solicitor, since he has read the section drawn to his attention by Mr. Dennistoun, whether we shall act legally in taking evidence under oath.

Mr. Edwards—I had no time to look into the matter after I was asked to be present, and I would prefer not to give an opinion on the matter at all, as my name has been dragged into the matter, although I was only doing my duty in conducting the investigation in the liquor cases. He would much prefer not having any part in advising the council what course to pursue, but there seemed to be no doubt that Mr. Dennistoun's reference was in vogue, and the hearing could take place before the County Judge. It could be gathered from inference, however, that the council could take evidence under oath.

Councillor Neill—I move for a vote on my motion. The council is prepared to do what is right.

Councillor Robertson—Wait until Mr. Dennistoun reads the section of the statute, which refers such matters to the County Judge.

Councillor Meldrum—The first thing we must thoroughly understand is whether it is legal for us to take this evidence. It would not look well if we made a misstep at the outset. The Chief has been here for many years and given eminent satisfaction and it would be unfortunate if we took a step which would hinder this investigation.

Mr. Dennistoun—The Chief instructed

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Santa Claus Latest Telephone

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The boilers reached nearly to the iron main deck of the vessel, and as the air above them and between the deck beams had no escape it became greatly heated and lay roasting in those spaces. It was impossible for a man to go on the gratings behind the upper parts of the boilers after they had been under steam a few hours, though the main and auxiliary stop valves were there. A board of officers that reported on temperatures in the vessel got at this place only by introducing a thermometer on the end of a long pole, and this thermometer, when fished out and taken to a place where it could be read, showed 202 degrees.

The superstructure containing the cabin and wardroom was directly above the engine and boiler rooms, with a light wooden floor laid over the iron main deck. At sea, with the doors closed, this habitation became exactly like a frying pan on a hot stove lid. The smoke pipe, partly uncovered for alleged ventilating purposes, passed through the center of the wardroom and by vigorous radiation contributed its full share to the general discomfort. The deck, in spite of its wooden sheathing, was so hot as to be painful, and I hesitate to say from memory the temperatures the board reported as being usual in the rooms, in bureau drawers, on the wardroom table and in other parts of the officers' quarters. It was as high as 112 degrees, and I think greater. Sleep was only a period of unconsciousness, induced by utter exhaustion, and was without restful quality.

The fireroom temperature was never below 150 degrees and often above 170, while the engine room ranged closely about 130 degrees. For the first 24 hours the men stood it well, but on the second day seven succumbed to the heat and were put on the sick list, one of them nearly dying. Before the voyage was ended 28 had been driven to seek medical attendance.

On the evening of the fourth day out our men had literally fought with fire to a finish and had been vanquished. The watch on duty broke down one by one and the engines, after lumbering along slower and slower, actually stopped for lack of steam. The ship was allowed to drift inshore on the tide and was finally brought to an anchor in St. Simon's sound. Though a warship of formidable characteristics and sent on this distant service, it is doubtful if the Amphitrite could have gone into action at that time or have steamed 100 miles farther to save herself.—F. M. Bennett, U. S. N., in Cassier's Magazine.

DOOLITTLE'S LITTLE JOKE.

How He Conferred an Honor Upon His Friend, Senator Fessenden.

The old senator was a great story teller and related many interesting and humorous accounts of what he had seen in public life. One of his favorite stories was at the expense of Senator Fessenden, a warm personal friend. The judge and Senator Fessenden had been appointed on a commission, with several others, to treat with the various chiefs of the Sioux Nation on an important Indian question of the day. It was long before railways had been introduced into the far west, and the members of the commission had to travel on horseback. Judge Doolittle was chairman of the commission, but at the conference shifted that duty to the shoulders of Senator Fessenden. The latter was highly pleased at the honor conferred on him and much "puffed up" in consequence. The judge had method in his madness, however, for he had heard of the peculiar reception tendered by the Indians to the spokesman of any party of visiting whites.

At the appointed time the two parties to the conference congregated. There were probably 200 Indian chiefs present, with their wives. Senator Fessenden advanced to do the honors for the commissioners, when, to his dismay, the whole body of Indians, squaws and all, advanced and, after embracing the chairman, gave him, according to their custom, a welcoming kiss. Judge Doolittle often said he thought that Fessenden never forgave him for the trick.—Boston Herald.

HE NEVER LOVED A LORD.

But His Five Girls Married Titles, All the Same.

It was evident that he was not only pretty well satisfied with himself, but that he didn't care who knew it.

"Five daughters," he said, "and every one of them married to a title. That's a pretty good record for a man who wouldn't be considered rich enough to buy more than one high grade title."

"I don't see how you did it," suggested the man who knew nothing except that the husband with a title was ordinarily quoted at a pretty stiff figure.

"Oh, it's easy when you know how," replied the self satisfied man. "So far as I am concerned I would have preferred to marry the girls to enterprising young Americans with no titles, but their mother insisted upon getting them something more fashionable, and when their mother insists I have to hump myself and see that things come the way she wants them. I confess it was something of a problem at first, but when I got it figured out in my mind and began playing the cards it was so easy that I was inclined to be ashamed of myself for not trying something harder."

The self satisfied man stopped long enough for the listener to suggest that he would be glad to hear the story, and then, in view of the fact that they were all married and publicity could do no harm, he told it.

"I took all my available assets," he explained, "and made them a dowry for my eldest daughter. Naturally there was a rush for her, and she was able to take her pick of five. I rushed matters as much as possible, got her married, gave up the dowry I had promised, and then steered her titled husband against the Stock Exchange, where I gave him some bad tips, took his trades myself through a broker and won back all the dowry and part of his ancestral estates. Then I gave the dowry to my second daughter, got her married and played the same game with her husband. I worked the scheme right through the family, until I finally married my youngest to a baronet yesterday. I got them to postpone their wedding trip for a few days, so as to give me a chance to win back the dowry before they had spent any of it, and by day after tomorrow I expect to be on Easy street again, without a care in the world. If girls must have titles, why, I am in favor of giving them to them, but I don't believe in contributing large fortunes to the support of the tottering monarchies of the old world, and, what's more, I don't intend to do it."—Chicago Post.

ARMORED PLANTS.

Thorns and Spines That Protect Plants From Their Enemies.

"Plants and Their Enemies" is the title of an article by Thomas H. Kearney, Jr., in St. Nicholas. Mr. Kearney says:

There are a thousand things that threaten the well being and even the life of every tree and shrub and lowly herb. Too much heat or too little works great harm to plants. Then there are all manner of wasting diseases caused by other tiny plants called fungi and bacteria. Many large animals, as horses and cows and sheep, live by grazing the herbage and grass or browsing the foliage of trees and shrubs. Of course they greatly injure the plants they feed upon and therefore many plants are in one way or another protected against such attacks.

Did you ever stop to think why thistles are so well armed with sharp prickles or why the ugly roadside nettles are furnished with stinging hairs? Notice cattle grazing in a field where thistles or nettles grow. See how careful they are to let those disagreeable plants alone. That is the reason for the stings and the spines. See this honey locust tree bristling with its horrid array of three pointed thorns. What animal is brave enough to try to rob it of its leaves or great pods? Hawthorns, too, and rosebushes and blackberry briers all have their sharp little swords and daggers to defend themselves against browsing animals.

Out on the wide, hot deserts of Arizona and New Mexico those odd plants, the cactuses, grow in great numbers. Some of them take strange shapes—tall, fluted columns, branching candelabra or mere round balls, like the melon cactus. They are almost the only plants that grow in some parts of that country, and there is always plenty of sap inside their tough skins. To the hungry and thirsty creatures that roam those dreary wastes in search of food and water they are very tempting. Were they not in some way protected these cactuses would soon be entirely destroyed, but nature has made them to be like strong forts or great armored battleships among plants. They are guarded by all sorts of sharp spines and prickles and fine hairs that burn when they get into the flesh.

Negation.

This was overheard on the Bangor boat:

First Woman—If I married a man what drinked and I knowed he drinked when I married him I wouldn't never say nothing about it.

Second Woman—I wouldn't neither. He's got so bad now that she don't never expect nothing different.—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

SHORT WORDS.

They Are the Best When the Thoughts Are Worth While.

A dozen or less newspaper men were collected together, when somebody said something about Rudyard Kipling.

"I notice in the papers," said another, "that he is the best paid writer in the world at present."

"The Pall Mall Gazette people say they paid him $750 a poem for all they printed of his," ventured a third.

"And why not?" put in a fourth. "He is the best writer of English prose or verse now writing. That one line of his, 'A rag and a bone and a hank of hair,' describing a vampire woman, couldn't be stronger, I think."

"Good and strong," commented a fifth, "but Kipling is not the only man who has chosen monosyllables to give emphatic expression to his thoughts. If you will remember, Pope in his essay on 'Criticism' remarked, 'And ten low words oft creep in one dull line,' and before and after him there were others, who, as he, were scarcely dull and seldom crept. Hymn writers are strong in this. Take Watts in that well known hymn, for instance:

"Are there no foes for me to face?
Must I not stem the flood?
Is this vile world a friend to grace
To help me on to God?

"Shakespeare found one syllabled words good enough for him, and you all know that passage of Young's:

"The bell strikes one. We take no note of time,
Save by its loss, etc.

"Bailey's 'Festus,' that makes its reader feel as if he had 'eaten of the insane root that takes the reason prisoner,' has many examples, and this one you will recall:

"We live in deeds, not years; in thoughts, not breaths.
We should count time by heart throbs. He most lives
Who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best.

"And the Bible, the greatest of books, is filled with the short words. Right at the beginning of things we find, 'And God said let there be light, and there was light,' and at the end of things, so to speak, 'For the great day of his wrath is come, and who shall be able to stand?' and still further along, 'And the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day, for there shall be no night there.'

"Oh, Kipling is all right! He knows he has plenty of authority for seeking short words when he wants strong ones."—Washington Star.

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And climbs the columned wall
To hide his face in the drifts of lace
That over your lattice fall.

The dead sweet scent of the woodbine
Some languid breeze hath stirred,
And out of the dark, dew haunted park
Floats the pipe of a restless bird,
And far and faint the gurgle and plaint
Of the wood brook sounds alone
As I listen and pine for some answering sign,
Some whisper of thine, my own!

I lie with the lilies, Nita,
Under thy lattice bars,
And the infinite night brims over
With the glory of moon and stars,
And the wooing woodbine's passionate spice
Out of the darkness blows
And faints and dies with the mingled sighs
Of perfumed lily and rose.

Yet rest thee, my beloved, since
No prayer of mine may win
The crystal walls of slumber
That shut thee softly in.
But, oh, that the mystic angel
Who keepeth the pearly key
Of sleep would open some door of dreams
And lead thee, sweet, to me!

—Emma Alice Brown in New York Ledger.

BUFFALO BILL'S START.

Mere Accident Made the Well Known Scout a Showman.

An old Nebraskan was speaking of Buffalo Bill recently, and incidentally he told how he came to engage in the show business.

"Cody was for years a government scout on the western plains," said the Nebraska man, "and it was when he conducted the buffalo exterminating expedition for the entertainment of the Grand Duke Alexis in 1870—I think it was—that he got his name. Cody at that time distinguished himself by the number of buffaloes he killed, and thereby earned his cognomen, which was given him by the duke. While he was well known as a scout, he would probably have never been widely known as a showman except for an accident.

"It was in 1881 that the people of North Platte, Neb., near which town was Cody's ranch, decided to celebrate the Fourth of July, and at the suggestion of John Kieth, who is a wealthy ranchman at Sutherland and North Platte and formerly claim adjuster of the Union Pacific, they selected a wild west show. Cody was one of the men most prominently interested in the scheme, and to him was left the work of securing the cowboys and Indians to help out the show. In North Platte at the time was an old stagecoach owned by Jim Stephenson of Omaha, who was the proprietor of the Deadwood-Sidney and other western stage lines. At the suggestion of Cody the Indians were to attack the coach and be repulsed by the cowboys and soldiers.

"That Fourth was the hottest celebration of American independence ever seen in Nebraska. The Omaha papers had men to cover it, and it attracted a crowd from all parts of the west. The programme which Cody and Kieth arranged included riding wild horses, shooting, rope throwing and all the other amusements and business proceedings of a western man.

"It was a few days after the entertainment, if such it may be called, that Matt Kieth, no relation of John, but an old time western man, told Cody that it was a big thing and ought to be repeated every Fourth of July. Cody at once said that it was something new in American entertainments, and he believed that by taking the aggregation east he could make money. The matter was discussed in North Platte, and finally Cody said that he would advance the money and start out. He did so, and his success is well known.

"When he first started, he had but a small show, but he has added to it. He got with him Major Burke, Sherm Canfield, Bill McCune, and last, but by no means least, Nate Salisbury. There was a quartet that cannot be beat, and with Cody boomed the business. Bill has made and spent a dozen fortunes and is today making money like a cranberry merchant."—New York Press.

THE KITTEN AND THE BEAR.

How Puss Frightened Bruin Up a Tree and Kept Him There.

Chris Burns, the veteran first sergeant of Troop D, had a kitten which, during the summer camping of the troop at the Lower Geyser basin, made her home within the sergeant's tent. Here, curled up on a pair of army blankets, she defied the world in general and dogs in particular. When the latter approached, she would elevate every bristle on her brave little back, her eyes would glow like live coals, and her tail would swell up threateningly. If dogs approached too near, she would hiss and exhibit the usual signs of hostility until the intruders had vanished from her neighborhood.

One day, when the camp was bathed in sunshine and every soldier in camp felt lazy, an inquisitive black bear came down the mountain side and, whether because he was in search of adventure or because attracted by a savory smell from the cook's fire, began to walk about among the white tents of the cavalry command.

Suddenly the kitten caught sight of him. Dogs by the score she had seen, but this particular "dog" was the largest and the hairiest dog she had ever seen. But she did not hesitate. It was enough for her that an enemy had invaded her special domain. Hissing forth her spite, while her little body quivered with rage, she darted forth at the bear. The onslaught was sudden, and one glance was enough for bruin. With a snort of fear, bruin made for the nearest tree, a short distance away, and did not pause until he was safely perched among the upper branches. Meanwhile the kitten stalked proudly about on the ground beneath, keeping close guard over her huge captive, her back still curved into a bow and her hair still bristling with righteous indignation, while her tail would now and then give a significant little wave, as if to say, "That's the way I settle impertinent bears."

The soldiers, who meanwhile had poured forth from their tents, could scarcely believe their eyes; but there was the bear in the tree and the kitten below, and there were those who had seen the affair from beginning to end.

And perhaps the strangest part of it all was that the bear would not stir from his safe position in the branches until the kitten had been persuaded to leave her huge enemy a clear means of retreat. Then he slid shamefacedly down from his perch and ambled hastily off toward the mountain.—Lieutenant Charles D. Rhodes, U. S. A., in St. Nicholas.

GUESTS FROM WAY BACK.

Some Amusing Stories of Their Blunders In Hotels of a Big City.

The clerks at several of the hotels tell amusing stories about some of the guests who come in from the rural districts. An aged couple came into the Moser and wanted a room. When informed that there was none, the woman turned to the man and snapped out:

"It serves us right. We will have to walk the streets tonight."

When asked for an explanation, the man said that they had arrived that morning and paid for a room at some house in advance for the week. He said they forgot to take the number and street and had looked for three hours for the house and then given it up. They had not the slightest idea where the place was.

A man [illegible] told the housekeeper at the Moser that he was going out and might not be back for supper, but she need not wait for him.

Another man came into the St. James and, seeing an advertisement on the blotter in the register headed, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," asked for the address.

"That's the man I've been looking for," he said. "I was robbed last night, and I want to borrow money to get home on."

A man at the Rosier apologized to the night clerk for keeping him up until 11 o'clock. He said he hadn't noticed how late it was.

A well dressed man at the St. Nicholas told the clerk that there was no oil in his lamp. It wouldn't light. A bellboy went up and turned on the incandescent and told the guest that he had forgotten to turn up the wick. He acknowledged that he had.

A man and woman were registering at the Moser when a hackman came and asked them for his money for hauling them up from the Union station.

"Why, you ain't going to charge us, are you?" asked the man.

"Sure," cried the hackman.

"Didn't you ask us if we wanted to ride?" demanded the man.

The hackman said he had.

"Well, then," exclaimed the man, "what do you want us to pay for?"

The clerk explained matters and the visitor to the city paid the bill. He remarked that that was the first time he had ever known of any one being invited to ride and then asked to pay for it.—St. Louis Republic.

Guarding Her Nerves.

A little east end maiden of 5 summers, whose clever sayings are the delight of her friends, recently dined with an aunt. At the beginning of the repast she gravely said to her relative:

"I'll take just one cup of tea, Aunt Lisa. I have to be so careful about my nerves. If I don't take care, I'll have nerves like a cat."

She got her tea, and it is scarcely necessary to add that when she had finished it she forgot all about her poor nerves and clamored for more.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Feeding a Baby Elephant.

In St. Nicholas F. Fitz Roy Dixon tells of a baby elephant that was captured by friends of his in Ceylon, after the death of its mother. Mr. Dixon says:

When Sidney was first brought over, virtually in order that she might be fed, the question naturally arose as to how she would take her nourishment. Of course the proper way for an adult elephant to take in water is by means of the trunk, which is furnished with two tubes running its whole length. But when a bowl of milk was placed before the baby elephant she did not know what to do with it. She dipped the tip of her trunk into it, and the lookers on thought that there would be no difficulty about her drinking at all, since she recognized the scent of the nourishment she had been accustomed to. But she was quite at a loss and set up a roar which seemed quite natural under the circumstances. Then some one suggested pouring it down her throat from a bottle, and this was accordingly tried, and after one or two ineffectual attempts she understood.

She was half starved when this was done, for she had had nothing to eat since the death of her mother, and her delight at being fed was most amusing. The only trouble was that it was difficult to satisfy her, and it was feared that the change of diet would disagree with her, but fortunately it had no ill effect.

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A DELEGATE'S REPORT

Of the Y.P.S.C.E. Convention Recently Held in Lakefield.

At the meeting of the George street church Christian Endeavour last evening, Miss Maud Datcher, who was one of the delegates to the district convention in Lakefield recently, read the following report on the proceedings:

The convention of the different societies of Peterborough District, which meet annually to discuss aims and methods of work, and to keep in touch with one another on the various departments of work, met in Lakefield on Dec. 9th, and consisted of three sessions. That of the morning was taken up by the executive committee, and the convention proper opened in the afternoon, the president, Mr. Watson, in the chair. After devotional exercises, reports from the various departments were read. Attention was drawn in every report to the neglect of the different societies in replying to the circulars respecting their work, sent out by the Vice Presidents. One league recommended a register for visitors to sign their names in. Another sustains itself financially by one cent per week per member, while several take as their motto for missions, "Penny a week and a prayer." Pledge against use of alcohol and Bible course of study were also recommended.

This was followed by "Ideal Young People's Society—its Aims and Methods," the former being taken by Mr. H. P. Kennedy, the latter by Mr. W. Williamson. An ideal society must have an ideal before it—Christ. It must also have a foundation—Christ. The next then is individual responsibility—members should be responsible for their own actions and for the nearness with which they live to Christ. The next essential in an ideal society is a prfect organization, then perfect harmony. Such a society will then be able to do personal work and will certainly achieve results.

Mr. Williamson's paper on "Methods" was very practical and helpful. He said an ideal society will not use methods upon which God's blessing cannot be asked. It will have ideal officers and leaders. A society seldom rises spiritually above the spiritual life of its officers. The *Lookout* Committee should have invitations sent to the hotels of the town. Divide the town into districts and make each member of the committee responsible for a section. Members should stand in the hall of of the church to greet strangers and invite them to the meetings. They should work in conjunction with the church ushers. Meetings should be arranged for only six months ahead. New members should be placed on the programmes and some of the active members be prepared to take the topic on the shortest notice. Secretary should send a bright attractive notice to the pulpit every Sunday, not a stereotype announcement. Have five and ten minutes prayer meeting before the regular announcement. Active members should keep the quiet hour, that is ten minutes with God after rising in the morning. Have a workers' training class to carry on evangelistic work. Also a reading circle and systematic study of God's word. Distribute temperance literature; ideal way of raising money by systematic giving. Have a junior society and league choir. What we need is not more methods, but more effort, more prayer, more life, more fire and baptism of Holy Ghost. Individual work brings success.

In the discussion which followed, it was decided to have officers elected annually; topic cards printed a year ahead but leaders arranged for only six months.

The address of the afternoon was "Thy Kingdom Come," by Rev. R. N. Burns. The kingdom of God is not earthly territory but reign of divine righteousness and love in our hearts. Church is for the kingdom and not the kingdom for the church. It is not to take the place of but to master and control all earthly kingdoms. How far has this kingdom come already, and what are the needs of heathendom, and how are we going to make this kingdom universal? are the questions we must study. What are some things we can do to make this kingdom universal?

1. Pray.

2. Study missionary problems. Facts are the fuel that feed the fire.

3. Go yourself, if you are called. In mission churches one of every 25 offer themselves; while in Christian countries the proportion is only one of of 4,000.

4 If you cannot go yourself send a substitute.

1. Give generously. Before one can give generously he must give justly. The Jew recognized one-fifth as a just proportion.

2 Give individually.

3 Vicariously and, lastly, earnestly.

The session closed with a talk by Mr. Harrison to the Juniors.

The evening session opened with Mr. Williamson, the newly elected president, in the chair.

After devotional exercises by Mr. Cragg, an excellent paper on Social Work was read by Miss Mason. We should endeavour to break the formality that exists in the church; much good may result from a hearty hand shake. Sociability may be a powerful instrument in drawing young people and winning them for Christ. Look especially after the individual. Best results are obtained in this way. Members of this committee should be the best, wide-awake young people, having ability and judgment. Have a social evening once a month. Avoid cliques and sets. Have special committees to look after the many matters connected with socials. Do not let these be the means of raising money. Let us join hand in hand with the church and be ready always to do the pastor's bidding. Mr. Burns then exhibited and explained some missionary charts. In Christian land there is one minister to every 700; in heathen countries one missionary has 2,000,000. Amount expended for missions in 80 years would pay United State tobacco bill for only 54 days.

This was followed by an exceptionally good paper on "Literary Work" by Miss E. Might. This department, by arousing the mental powers brings life and activity into the devotional meetings. It will also increase the membership and provide a field of work for members who might otherwise find themselves unemployed. Its aim is to stimulate thought, develop reasoning powers and cultivate love of good reading. Science, the poets, standard authors, biography, church history, an occasional lecture or debate, all furnish food for that. A reading circle is an important feature Reading by course has a definite purpose not attained by hasty or cursory reading.

The address of the evening was Christian Citizenship by Rev. Mr. Burns. A Christian citizen should make a study of municipal system and look more fully into the question of law and order. He should endeavour to prevent election of corrupt candidates and the passing of corrupt laws; to secure fidelity on the part of officers entrusted with execution of the laws; to exterminate everything antagonistic to Christ and home; to secure reign of whatsoever things are lovely, honest, pure and of good report. Christian citizen is one who is true to Christ in all his relations to man. Some of the qualities he should have are stainless integrity, inflexible courage, spirit of self-sacrifice, faith in human nature, and last of all, faith in God. His duties are to take deep interest in affairs of his community, a broad view of public questions in a public spirit, cultivate a spirit of independence; to maintain and see that it is properly observed. He ought to vote right; conscientiously and intelligently.

This was followed by the question drawer, conducted by Mr. Burns, in which it was advised to put members on two or three committees; to not allow convenors to choose their own committees. To the question whether the pastor should attend the league, the speaker said he could answer only for himself. It was his duty, and if the pastor did not take an interest in the society, the members should endeavor to gain his interest in the work.

The convention closed with a consecration service led by Mr. Fisher, who in a few remarks said consecration means a complete surrender of ourselves. It is only then we are ready to receive the Holy Spirit. One filled with the Holy Spirit will not need urging to do the work. He gave as a motto for coming year, "All for Christ."

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Owing to the great cost of transportation and the excessive custom charges, $200, and the warmth of the specimen's welcome here, the management has decided to continue the exhibition three days longer, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st and 22nd of Dec. This will positively be the last appearance of the petrified man in town, and those who have not yet seen it should avail themselves of this opportunity.

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MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful; active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

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OXFORD PROHIBITIONISTS.

They Denounce License Legislation—Preparing for the Plebiscite.

Woodstock, Ont., Dec. 20.—The Oxford Prohibition Association held its annual meeting Saturday afternoon in the Town Hall. Representatives from the various municipalities of the county were present and a good deal of enthusiasm was manifested regarding the Dominion plebiscite and also the approaching provincial elections. Rev. Dr. Mackay, President, opened the meeting, saying: "We will sing the grand old psalm that our forefathers so frequently sang when fighting against unjust laws." The 46th Psalm was then sung.

A resolution was passed characterizing the late license law legislation as not an honorable fulfilment of the Government's pledges or an adequate response to the people's demands. Another resolution called upon the friends of temperance to attend all meetings for the purpose of selecting representatives for municipal or parliamentary purposes, and to make their influence felt as Christian citizens.

A resolution was also passed committing the association to the selection of a candidate in the approaching provincial elections.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 20.

FLOUR—The tone of the market is a little steadier. Straight rollers quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was firmer, with sales of red winter at 82c to 82½c, high freights. Spring is quoted at 82c to 83c Midland, and goose at 76c to 77c Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 91c to 92c, Fort William, and at 97c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 23½c to 24c west, and at 24½c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44½c north and west, and at 45½c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is firm, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with a limited movement; prices are nominal at 25c to 26c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 8½c to 9½c. Dealers quote green at 8c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is very little doing. Wool in fleece is quoted at 20c to 21c. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS — Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 9¾c to 9½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do. short cut, $15.25 to $15.50; do. shoulder mess, $12.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 18.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 4d to 7s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 8d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 23s 6d; bacon, heavy, 1.c. 23s 0d; do., light, 23s 0d; do., short cut, 23s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 43s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat of coast and on passage quiet and steady. No. 1 Manitoba hard, Jan. and Feb., 28s. Maize on passage quiet and steady. Clipped oats, Jan., 21s 6d.

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Col. Joaquin Ruise, an A.D.C. of Marshal Blanco, Put to Death by Cuban Insurgents.

Havana, Dec. 20.—The killing of Lieut.-Col. Joaquin Ruise, an aide-de-camp of Marshal Blanco, the Captain-General of Cuba, by the insurgents under Col. Aranguerin, is confirmed. Ruise was recently sent to confer with the insurgents. He proceeded to the enemy's country on Monday last, having previously written a letter to Aranguerin announcing his coming. Last night a Consular employe, Senor Tosca, who had been commissioned by United States Consul-General Lee to make inquiries, returned from Campo Florido, three leagues distant from the insurgents' encampment at Tumba Cuatro. He says he met outposts of Aranguerin's force, and that the chief of the party confirmed the report that on his arrival Col. Ruise was met by Aranguerin and an escort of 19 men, who received him warmly. Ruise urged the party to accept autonomy, and congratulated himself that he would induce them to return with him to Havana.

The insurgents in camp had not been prepared for the visit by Aranguerin, and, seeing Ruise in his uniform, and learning the object of his visit, they demanded the application of the proclamation of Gomez and Rodriguez, which orders the inaction of the death penalty upon all persons what attempt to induce the chiefs of the rebellion to surrender.

In compliance with their demands a court-martial was formed and the sentence of death was passed upon Ruise.

Senor Tosca adds that Aranguerin stood aloof during the trial and allowed the death sentence to be carried out. Col. Ruise was executed with a machete.

The affair is the general topic of conversation in cafes, theatres and clubs. Col. Ruise was very popular here. It is understood that he offered his services to Marshal Blanco for the purpose of inducing Aranguerin to surrender, as the latter had been formerly employed by Ruise when he was constructing the Vento waterworks.

WOMAN HORRIBLY BURNED.

Mrs. Peters, in Saving Her Children, Received Fatal Injuries.

Walkerville, Ont., Dec. 20.—A sad accident occurred here Saturday morning, in which Mrs. Peters, of Lincoln avenue, was so badly burned that she will probably not recover. Her children also are badly burned, one seriously. No one knows exactly how it occurred, as Mr. Peters had left for work about fifteen minutes before, and Mrs. Peters has not been able to tell anything about it. It is supposed the children's clothing caught on fire from the stove, and in her efforts to extinguish the flames her own clothing caught fire. She ran out doors and rolled over and over in the snow and then ran into the house next door, occupied by James Chittlos, where the burning clothing was torn from her. Her hair was burned off and hardly a square inch of her body but is badly burnt. She was also burnt internally. She is now in the Hotel Dieu, Windsor.

ELLIOTT GETS FIVE YEARS.

Judge Masson Declines to Reserve a Case —Will Move for a New Trial.

Goderich, Dec. 20.—Saturday morning Judge Masson gave judgment in the charge of manslaughter against Frederick Elliott. Mr. Proudfoot, for the defence, offered a number of objections on which he asked the court to reserve a case for appeal, and presented two petitions, one by citizens of Bayfield and vicinity, and one by the jury which tried the case. His Honor declined to reserve a case, considering the objections scarcely arguable, but would give the petitions due weight. He then addressed the prisoner, pointing out the seriousness of the crime, and sentenced him to five years with hard labor in Kingston Penitentiary. Mr. Proudfoot gives notice that he will move for a new trial.

Ingram Was Badly Bruised.

London, Ont., Dec. 20.—Robert A. Ingram, brakeman on the Grand Trunk, Saturday afternoon stepped off one trolley car and was caught on the other track by a car coming in the opposite direction. He jumped on the fender and was shoved some distance before it could be stopped. He received some bad cuts about the head and also had his kneecap injured and will be unable to resume work for some weeks.

Her 90th Anniversary.

Toronto, Dec. 20.—To-day Mrs. Loudon, mother of President Loudon, of Toronto university, and of Mr. William Loudon, of the Post-Office, will celebrate the 94th anniversary of her birth. She is one of the oldest residents of Toronto. The old lady still enjoys the best of health, and promises well to become a centenarian.

Sunday Morning Blaze at Oshawa.

Oshawa, Dec. 20.—Early Sunday morning fire was discovered in the building occupied by William Weeks, butcher; J. D. Hunter, furniture repairer, and John Allen, brush maker. The firemen responded quickly, but too late to save the building. Insurance unknown.

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SIR FRANK LOCKWOOD, Q.C., M.P.

and became a J.C. in 1883 and a bencher in 1887. His knighthood was conferred in 1894. Sir Frank Lockwood accompanied Baron Russell of Killowen, Lord Chief Justice of England, when the latter came to the United States and Canada in the summer of 1896 to address the American Bar Association at Saratoga.

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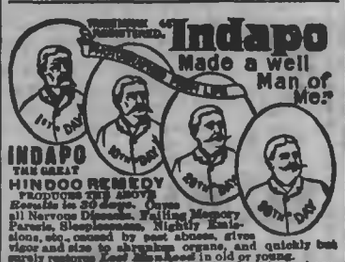

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In holy thought and holy musing learned,
Conceived the wondrous beauty of thy face.
What glow of sacred genius in him burned
Which left on thee of stain of earth no trace!
Was face of mortal ever seen so fair?
Was face of mortal ever seen so sweet?
Lies on thy neck, unbound the flowing hair,
Which dried with golden threads thy Master's feet.
Methinks those eyes that saw thy risen Lord
Have held the glory in them evermore,
And high above all earthly thoughts they soar
To dwell in heaven and see the things of God!

—Anna Olcott Commelin in "Poems."

MAN UNDER THE BED.

BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

When Colonel Northrop retired from the army, at the age of 50, and set up in bachelor apartments in town, he had several things to pride himself about. He had made an honorable record. No one in the Northrop family had ever disgraced the name. His windows were provided with burglar proof locks of his own invention, and he had a sang froid which nothing could startle him out of. The colonel was well satisfied with himself and the world at large, and those who knew him best said he ought to be.

At midnight one night Colonel Northrop came home from his club in his usual good humor, and, finding a couple of letters on his table, sat down to read them before going to bed. When finally ready to retire, he was half asleep, and he was no sooner between the sheets than he departed for the land of nod. Just one hour later by the clock he opened his eyes and sat up in bed, a thing which hadn't happened since his boyhood days.

Some sound had disturbed him, but just what it was he could not tell. The idea that any sound should thus influence him aroused his ire, and after a moment he sprang out of bed and lighted the gas. He meant to make a tour of his rooms and see if his celebrated burglar proof window locks were all right, but as he was ready to move he was jumped a foot high by the sound of a sneeze under his bed. It was a man's sneeze—a hearty, wholesome sneeze with a note of defiance in it. The colonel had boasted that nothing could startle him out of his everyday placidity, but a mere sneeze had done it, and he was furious about it. He dropped on his knees and looked under the bed, and what he saw was a man stretched at full length on the floor.

"Ha! You rascal, but I've got you!" exclaimed the warrior as he made out the form of the intruder.

"I guess not, colonel," was the cool reply.

An army revolver, endeared by old associations, reposed in a drawer not far away, and the colonel jumped for it and said:

"Now, then, you roll out here or I'll blow your head off."

"Go a little slow, colonel," replied the man under the bed. "I've also got a gun, and the instant you stoop down I'll send a bullet into you."

"You—you will?"

"I will for sure, and I guess I'll shoot at one of your legs as it is."

Acting on the impulse of the moment, the colonel sprang upon his bed, but 15 seconds later he was so mad to think he had jumped that he leaped to the floor with the exclamation:

"Come out here now or you are a dead man!"

"That's all bluff, colonel," said the intruder. "Pull on your trousers and sit down and take things easy."

The colonel obeyed. He obeyed because it suddenly struck him that he didn't look dignified without trousers and that he would need them anyway when he came to escort the man out doors and hand him over to the police. He sat down because his knees trembled under him and that very fact made him boil over with anger and chagrin. With the revolver pointed under the bed he queried:

"When did you get into this room?"

"About 11 o'clock, colonel."

"How did you get in?"

"Through that window to your left. You thought yourself smart when you put that wonderful catch on the sashes, but it did not bother me five minutes. I wish all windows were provided with such a soft snap."

"I say you never got in by that window!" shouted the colonel, who had repeatedly told his friends that he would give any burglar leave to work on his patent all night.

"Then I'm a liar and you are a gentleman! However, I don't blame you for feeling a bit sore. I heard of your patent and your boasting long ago, and I knew I could take you down a peg when I had a few minutes to spare. It was easy, colonel, dead easy."

"But what are you in here for?"

"Robbery, colonel. That's my trade, you know. I had a pal with me who took off a bag of stuff, while I staid behind to investigate further and was hidden under the bed when you came in. I was about to crawl out and go through your clothes when you awoke."

"Now, then, are you coming out?" thundered the colonel.

"Well, hardly—not just yet."

"Then I'll shoot you where you are."

"No, you won't. The minute I see your legs moving I shall open fire on them. From where you sit your bullets can't reach me, while I have a dead sure thing on your legs. Go slow, colonel."

The colonel was up on strategic positions, and he realized that the enemy had all the advantage. While furiously angry, he retained all his common sense and figured that he must temporize. If he was to capture instead of being captured, he must resort to diplomacy. He therefore controlled himself to say:

"You must see that you cannot escape, and it will be better if you quietly surrender."

"That's where we differ, colonel," calmly replied the man under the bed. "All I have to do is to shoot you through the legs and make my way out by the window. It depends on you, however. What's the use of being so peppery about trifles? A man of your age and habits should have perfect control over himself."

"You villain!" hissed the colonel between his clinched teeth.

"No use to call names. I might call you an old brag and blowhard, but that wouldn't help the case any. It's always better to argue a point. What is the exact time, colonel?"

"It's time I called in the police and had you out of this, and here goes"—

Click, click! It was the man under the bed getting ready to fire on the colonel's legs, and the colonel happily realized it and fell back into his chair.

"There won't be any police called in here before I'm gone," said the stranger in his cool, calm way. "After I'm out you can raise all the racket you want to, and no doubt you'll give it to the papers very strong. Make a hero of yourself if you can, but should you bear down on me too hard I might pay you another visit."

"You—you rob me, threaten me and would assassinate me!" groaned the colonel.

"Then don't threaten me. My desire is to treat you like a gentleman, but you make it impossible. When you get ready to talk like a reasonable man, I'll take my departure and you can finish your nap."

"But I'll call the police! Do you think I'll let you escape me?"

"I do, colonel. Let's reason a moment. You have done any amount of bragging about those window locks and you don't want your friends to call you down. People always guy a man who has been neatly done up, and you don't want to be guyed. The plunder is beyond reach of the police, and were I to be arrested and tried my identity might be revealed."

"Blast your identity!" howled the colonel.

"There you go again! You'd never do in my trade if you lost your head that way. About those window locks, colonel, the principle is all right, but not being a practical man you failed to apply it. I'll come around in a day or two and show you the defect and remedy it. And about your nerves, I've heard you spoken of as a man who wouldn't look surprised if the earth opened and took him in, but like all other clubmen you affect that. It's the proper caper, I've heard, but they ought to have seen you half an hour ago. Hold on, or I'll shoot."

The colonel had jumped up in his wrath to make a bolt for the door, but the man arrested him and he sat down with the muttered exclamation:

"Ye gods, but must I put up with this?"

"You must, colonel," said the man under the bed. "I've been ready to come out for ten minutes past, and you alone are to blame that I'm keeping you up. Why not hold on to that peppery temper of yours until we can come to a mutual understanding?"

"Let a robber go after he has plundered me?"

"That's what it must come to, colonel. As a soldier you see the situation. I can't get out on account of you, while you can't stir from that chair on account of me. We have got each other by the short hair, so to speak, but neither of us is happy over it."

"Should I let you go," said the colonel, after a moment's reflection, "I should always feel that I had disgraced my record. No, sir! I'll sit right here till doomsday but what I'll give you in charge."

"Still on the warpath, old man?" laughed the man under the bed. "There may be a question of honor involved, but I think you'd better waive it. The amount of stuff my pal took away won't fetch $200 at the outside figure. For such a sum as that are you going to have the police and the reporters overrun you with column after column in the papers and a caricature of yourself held up to the world? You are too sensible for that, old man. Never give yourself away for a cheap price. Besides"—

"Besides what?" snapped the colonel, who was rapidly taking the robber's view of the case.

"The family honor, you know."

"What do you know about my family, sir?"

"A great deal, colonel. You had a brother George."

"But he is dead."

"Well, hardly. He was supposed to have died several years ago, but as a matter of fact he is very much alive today."

"And you know him?"

"Like a book. He's the chap who carried off the swag just before you came in."

"You are lying, sir! I won't believe a word of it!" exclaimed the colonel.

"Off your base again! Your brother's middle name is Yates. He has light hair, blue eyes, small hands, a handsome mouth, and there is a scar on his right cheek from a wound received when a boy. The last you heard of him he was in Dakota. Am I right, colonel?"

"Yes, yes. Come out and tell me more," whispered the colonel.

"There's only this to say," said the man as he crept out and stood erect. "Your brother has gone to the dogs—that is, he is one of our gang. He didn't know that this was your den, of course, but he has helped to plunder it, and if I'm jugged he'll get the same dose, and the public will know his real name. Do you cotton to that, colonel?"

"And my brother George is a robber—belongs to a gang of robbers?"

"Straight goods, colonel. Sorry for you, but he's doing fairly well and may conclude to reform after he's made his stake. Can I go now?"

For answer the colonel pointed to the door leading into the hall.

"Thank you. I can find my way. Don't take it too hard, colonel. Of course I shall say nothing to George. Good night, old man."

At the door he halted to look back and say:

"Yes, sorry for you, but things do come about in a curious way. Good night."

But the colonel had his face in his hands and was weeping.

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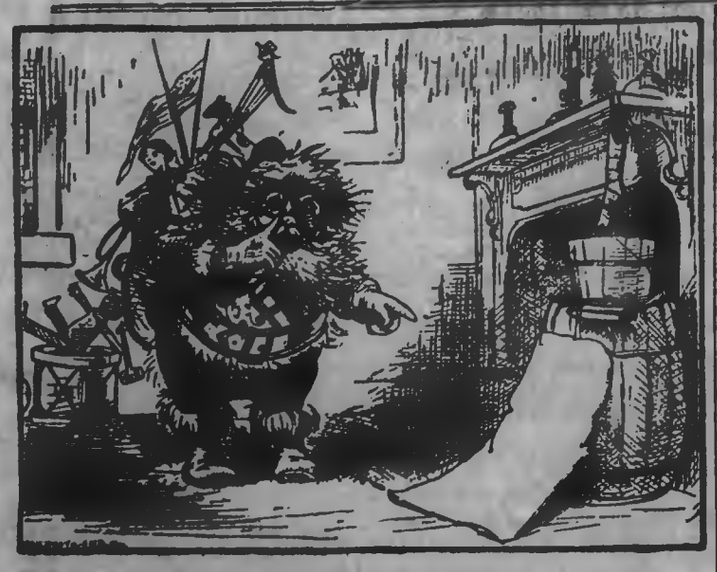

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POLICE INVESTIGATION TO BE HELD TO-NIGHT.

(Continued from Fourth Page.)

me to make the fullest investigation. He wants the charges investigated and disposed of. We had no idea what they were till we came here. Each of the charges requires evidence on it. Everyone should know that the council is unable to take evidence. The life of the council is almost at an end and many of the old councillors will not be back next year, therefore they should not attempt to go into the case. The Chief wants the case sifted. If evidence is to be taken, it must be done before the proper tribunal, where witnesses will be properly dealt with if there are any cases of perjury. The sections in the municipal act to which I have referred reads as follows :

477—(1). In case the council of any municipality at any time passes a resolution requesting the Judge of the County Court of the county in which the municipality is situate to investigate any matter to be mentioned in the resolution, and relating to a supposed malfeasance, breach of trust or other misconduct on the part of any members of the council or officers of the corporation, or of any persons having a contract therewith, in relation to the duties or obligations of the member, officer or other person, to the municipality, or in case the council of any municipality sees fit to cause inquiry to be made into or concerning any matter connected with the good government of the municipality, or the conduct of any part of the public business thereof, and if the council at any time passes a resolution requesting the Judge to make the inquiry, the Judge shall inquire into the same, and shall for that purpose have all the powers which may be conferred upon commissioners under the "Act respecting inquiries concerning public matters" and the Judge shall, with all convenient speed, report to the council the result of the inquiry and the evidence taken thereon.

So if evidence is to be taken under oath I respectfully submit that the County Judge is the proper person to take it. In no court in Canada would such charges as have been laid to-night be considered for a minute. I will illustrate if the clerk will read the first clause.

Mr. Armstrong did as requested and Mr. Dennistoun pointed out that neither name, time nor place was mentioned. So it was, he claimed, with the other clauses. This would have to be remedied before it came before a judge. Then his client would know what he had to meet. He was not trying to burke the investigation by pointing out these facts, but such charges should be made in the charges as to give full particulars. He was quite content to go before the judge on the understanding that Mr. McNairn, the prosecutor, would do this.

Councillor McWilliams—If Mr. Dennistoun will draft such a resolution I am prepared to move it.

Mr. Dennistoun—Such a proceeding would be most unusual. Let Stratton & Hall, the prosecutor's solicitors, do this.

Councillor Neill—Is there any expense attached to going before the judge?

Mr. Dennistoun—Certainly.

Councillor Neill—We had better hear the first charge then and know what there is in it, to see if we are justified in going before a judge.

Mr. Dennistoun—The Act provides that the judge be paid costs by the municipality, as a referee.

Councillor Dawson—How much?

Councillor Deane—Then we would be stuck for the costs whichever way the result went. I am not very anxious to see the council go to law, and hope we can settle the matter without taking evidence on oath.

Councillor Davis—We want our solicitor's opinion as to whether these charges are correctly laid.

Mr. Edwards—For the reasons which I have already stated I would prefer not being consulted in the case, but I might say that any person put on his defence has a right to have the particulars of the charges laid against him.

Councillor Davis—If we proceed illegally we may find that we are into law before we know it and have a big bill of costs to foot.

The Mayor—We will hear the evidence anyway, and settle the matter our own way.

Councillor Neil—Why couldn't we?

Mr. Edwards—There would be no harm in it.

Councillor Meldrum—We might ask the man who made the charges to put up the costs.

Councillor Best—In order to go before a Judge for the investigation we would have to rescind the motion which was passed by the Council authorizing a Committee of the Whole to deal with it.

Councillor Deane—We are in Committee now and can therefore only send a recommendation to the Council as to how to act.

Mr. Dennistoun—We will open up with the first charge anyway, and see if there is anything in it. We are entirely in the dark. Call Wm. McNairn.

Mr. McNairn was called and appeared. He stated that he did not come prepared to bring evidence before the Judge. He would not proceed at the present time.

Mr. Dendistoun—Give us an outline of your charges; we demand it to night.

Mr. McNairn—No.

Mr. Dennistoun—Perhaps you will go into the second charge?

Mr. McNairn—Not to-night.

Mr. Dennistoun—Do you know anything about these charges?

Mr. McNairn—I do.

Mr. Dennistoun—Any other than the first one?

Mr. McNairn—No.

Mr. Dennistoun—I know you don't.

Councillor Neill—There is nothing in these charges. There is no one here to explain them, and it is not for the Council to go another step in the matter.

Councillor Meldrum—I heartily concur. I think if these are the only charges we have nothing to investigate.

Mr. McNairn—I am not prepared to bring my witnesses here to-night, but I will do so any other evening that is named—to-morrow night, if necessary.

Mr. Dennistoun—The Police Magistrate took the evidence in the case in which you state the Chief committed perjury. Are you willing to have his testimony taken under oath.

Mr. McNairn—No, I would not believe him at all.

Mr. Dennistoun—Would you believe the Clerk of the Police Court—Mr. Armstrong

Mr. McNairn—Yes.

Mr. Dennistoun—Well, come on, then. He is here, and we will take up the case.

Councillor McWilliams—Mr. McNairn has a perfect right to bring his counsel here to conduct his case. It is not fair to put him up against a lawyer. It was understood that we could not go on with the case, and he did not bring his witnesses. Let them be subpoened for to-morrow evening, and then allow the case to go on.

Mr. McNairn—In the police court the Magistrate took the Chief's word against three of us on oath. I am not prepared to go on with this matter now, as I have no witnesses here.

It was moved by Councillors Meldrum and Neill and carried—"That we adjourn until to-morrow evening at seven o'clock, when Mr. McNairn is requested to be present with his witnesses."

Councillor Meldrum—I am at a loss still as to whether we can take evidence under oath.

Councillor McWilliams—I move that we ask the County Crown Attorney's opinion.

County Crown Attorney Wood—Mr. Edwards has given you his opinion that you have the power, only under the circumstances he does not wish to advise you as to what mode of procedure you should adopt.

Mr. Dennistoun—It would be a strange thing to take evidence on a charge of perjury without having it under oath. There is another tribunal where such charges should be investigated. Would this council try a man on a charge of perjury?

Councillor Best—No!

Councillor Neill—Yes; we would go so far as to see if there were any grounds for the charge.

Mr. Dennistoun—I ask you to do one of two things. Send the Chief to the County Judge for trial on these charges or else throw them out. I'll accept the list of charges as it stands and go before the Judge on it.

Councillor Best—Why should we do this? The charges are unsupported to-night.

Councillor Neill—We are bound to clear the Chief. We should hear evidence, if there is any we should let the case go to trial. We will hear it to-morrow night and if there is nothing it will be dropped and let the prosecutor take it to the Judge if he wants to.

Councillor LePlante—Why is Mr. McNairn in the case. His name was not mentioned in the original resolution calling this meeting.

Mr. Dennistoun—We don't want the case dismissed on such a technicality, as the Chief wants to clear himself.

Mr. Dennistoun—I would ask that the Chief be furnished with an amplified list of the charges before noon to-morrow.

The Mayor asked Mr. McNairn to see to this.

Councillor Davis—It would be well if our solicitor investigates to see, if we go on and take evidence under oath if the council will be liable for injury to anyone's character. We should know how to proceed in this matter.

Mr. Edwards—When the law gives the power to refer the matter to a judge surely the council is in a position to conduct a preliminary inquiry.

The council then adjourned until Tuesday evening.

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Or give him a silk muffler for his throat or a few of those pretty Roman stripped or plaid scarfs or ties, and get them at Gough's.

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THE SIXTH TIME A CANDIDATE.

The Unanimous Choice of the East Peterborough Liberals Yesterday —A Great Convention—Enthusiastic Nomination — Addresses by the Candidate, Hon. John Dryden and Mr. John Lang, M. P.

One of the most largely attended and enthusiastic nominating conventions ever held in East Peterborough assembled in the town hall, Norwood, on Tuesday to select a candidate to contest the riding at the approaching general provincial elections. The convention was remarkable for two things—one was the solid character of those in attendance, the best residents of the riding being largely in evidence in the gathering and the other was the representative character of the assemblage, every township in the riding, even the remotest, being represented, and the enthusiasm and confidence were in keeping with the other features of the meeting. The spirit of confidence and courage that animated those assembled struck the key-note of certain victory and there is no room for doubt that with the trusty, tried and true candidate selected, backed by a good cause that cannot be controverted, East Peterborough will again triumphantly return a supporter of the Liberal Government of Ontario.

Mr. J. M. Drummond, President of the East Riding Reform Association, called the meeting to order and and announced the first order of business, the election of officers. He spoke of the necessity of organizing thoroughly and at as early a moment as possible, and of not relying for success on the past record and large majorities in both the Provincial and Dominion elections—Mr. Blezard's majority of 400 and Mr. Lang's majority of 600. This was the first occasion on which the Liberals had had an opportunity of thanking Mr. Lang for the noble fight he had made, which was largely due to his energetic personal exertions.

OFFICERS.

The following officers were elected:
President—Mr. J. M. Drummond.
Vice-President—Mr. H. G. Buck.
Secretary—Dr. Moffatt.

The following township vice-presidents were elected as the nucleus of township executive committees:

Asphodel—Messrs Wm Buck, Wm Sharpe and Duncan Campbell.

Belmont — Messrs John Brown, Wm Johnston, and J F Purdy.

Burleigh—Messrs Alex Brown, William Hales, Wm Langford (South Burleigh).

Chandos—Messrs Jas Trotter, Wm Ratcliffe and Jas Mieorgan.

Douro—Messrs John Walsh, Wm Moher, Wm Lesson and John Allen.

Dummer—Jas Robb, E Hawthorne and Chas Nicholl.

Otonabee—Messrs Geo Stewart, Samuel Armstrong and Andrew Shearer.

Ashburnham—Messrs J C Sullivan, Jas Kylie and Wm Wright.

Havelock—Messrs Wm Mathieson, Jas Henry and Jas Bryne.

THE CANDIDATE NOMINATED.

Nominations were then called for a candidate.

Mr. John Brown proposed and Mr. Geo. Elliott seconded, Mr. Thomas Blezard, and there being no other nomination Mr. Blezard was declared selected by a unanimous standing vote, and when he came forward to address the convention he was received with a cyclone of hearty applause.

He began his remarks by stating that after the last election he had declared his desire to retire, as there were many others as well qualified, but he had been so urged by his friends that he was compelled so accede. He first became a candidate nineteen years ago and had then been assured that if he filled the breach then he would not be asked again; but he had been again and again urged into the field. He had been elected five times and he had every confidence that he would be elected again. (Cries of "You will" and loud cheers.) Mr. Blezard then referred to the various demands made upon the attention of a representative and pointed out that he had endeavored to watch over the interests of the riding and keep in touch with the people as well as their wants. He referred to his relations to the northern parts of the riding and of the expenditure that had been made upon colonisation roads. In that respect he had not been able to please everybody. In the expenditure on colonisation roads there was a great desire to be overseer and he had not always been able to meet the wishes of all who felt they had a claim to the position but he had tried to do what was right. At any rate he could say that the riding and the province got good value for the money expended upon colonisation roads. There had, during his representation, been expended in the northern part of East Peterborough the large sum of $55,000, and he had personally superintended the expenditure of a large portion of it. He had been on every road that had had Government money expended upon it and he again repeated that good value had been received for every cent of money spent.

Referring to the cry for a change raised by the Opposition, the speaker referred to the fact that there was evidently

NO DESIRE FOR A CHANGE

in his case, and he did not see why any different principle should apply to the Ontario Government. If he had given satisfaction as a representative, the electors saw in that good reasons why, after a service of nineteen years, he should again represent the riding. If, for the past twenty-five years, the Ontario Government had well and wisely ruled the province, there should be no change for the mere sake of change. He did not see anything to improve in the record and policy of the Ontario Government. Mr. Blezard referred to the results of a change, and questioned if the Opposition had the material to form a Government. They did not possess it in the present House, and if they got it, they would have to go to the country for it, and in the present humour of the country, if East Peterborough was any criterion, they had a poor chance of adding to either their numbers or of ability. Mr. Blezard paid an earnest tribute to the zeal and energy of the premier, and though the idea might seem disrespectful to the late leader, Sir Oliver Mowat he (Mr. Blezard) doubted if Ontario ever had a more capable, energetic and able premier than Hon. Mr. Hardy. He spoke of Mr. Hardy's promptitude and his anxiety to see both sides of a question that might be presented by the numerous deputations that waited upon the Government. Referring to the leader of the Opposition, Mr. Whitney, Mr. Blezard admitted that he was a clever man in a certain way. When Mr. Whitney spoke at Norwood he had a great deal of fault to find, but he took good care not to suggest any remedy. Mr. Whitney had made numerous statements at his sixty odd public meetings, but they were of such

A RECKLESS CHARACTER

that he found it expedient when faced by those who knew the facts, to deny them in the House. What sort of a man was that for the premier of a province like Ontario? Mr. Whitney had evidently made these wild statements, which he was unable to face in the House, in the hope that there would be no session before the elections. Thus he sought to deceive the people and he had thus lost prestige and weakened his claim to be considered in the running for a premier.

Mr. Blezard went on to say that he had an eye on the people of East Peterborough and kept their interests in view and he had had his reward in being loyally supported. He might say literally that he had grown gray in their service. There were only two members of the house, outside of some members of the Cabinet, who had been in the House as long as he (Mr. Blezard) had been. There were two dozen Liberals in this riding who were as capable as himself and had as good a right to the nomination and if he had been relieved of the nomination he would have been very happy, but it seemed that he had become public property and he had bowed to the people's will and would endeavour to serve them as faithfully in the future as in the past. Mr. Blezard concluded his address by again returning his thanks for the hearty nomination and said that he would have other opportunities to address the people, he would give way to Hon. Mr. Dryden, who, like himself, had to leave in time to catch the train for Toronto. On resuming his seat Mr. Blezard was greeted with enthusiastic cheers.

HON. MR. DRYDEN'S ADDRESS.

Hon. Mr. Dryden, Minister of Agriculture, was very heartily received. He began his remarks by pointing out that the audience was not apparently much struck with the cry "It is time for a change," or they would not have re-nominated Mr. Blezard, who had been their representative for nineteen years. This argument would apply to the Government as well as to Mr. Blezard, and the minister paid a tribute to Mr. Blezard's solid qualifications as a member. He seldom spoke in the House, but when he did speak he commanded as respectful and earnest attention as he did to-day. In the course of his nineteen years Mr. Blezard had made few enemies and retained his many friends, and no man could accomplish that without having a good record. By his past services Mr. Blezard had made himself "public property." That was what M.P.P. meant after a good member's name—"Made Public Property." Mr. Blezard had spoken last night to a Young Liberal Club in the City of Toronto, and he made a splendid speech, which was cheered to the echo. (Cheers.) Mr. Dryden said that he and Mr. Blezard had entered parliament at the same time and they had stood side by side both inside and outside the House. They had stood behind Sir Oliver Mowat in his fight for the territorial rights of the province and the revenues of the country were to-day benefitting by the results of the battles thus won. They had stood by Sir Oliver Mowat in the process of placing upon the statute book the best system of legislation enjoyed by any country in the world. Mr. Blezard

HAD FAITHFULLY HELPED

to do all this and it must be a great source of pride and pleasure to come back to his constituents after so many long years of service and receive so hearty a welcome and an unanimous demand for further services. (Loud applause.) After referring to the change of personell in the cabinet, Mr. Dryden pointed out that the same principle of Government for the whole people animated them. He, the speaker, was proud to be a cabinet minister, not for the glory of it but that he might uphold and promote the interests of the farmers. The principles that had animated the Government in the past were their guiding motive now and such a view had received repeated endorsements of the people, not of Liberals alone but of good thinking Conservatives.

One of the foremost principles that animated the Government was the Equality in Citizenship, which meant that every man of whatever, country, race, creed, colour or social condition, should have the same right as a citizen. This principle would attract the best men of all parties, and in this respect the Government had not held it merely in theory but had crystalised it in legislation. This was shown in the Franchise Act, giving the franchise in the most liberal degree in the shape of manhood suffrage. This was the principle adopted in the educational system of the province. It might have its faults, but it had been pronounced the best in the world. It was based upon equality of citizenship. Nobody was so poor or lowly that he had not through our educational system a

CHANCE TO CLIMB TO TO THE TOP

of the ladder. This was an exemplification of the equality of citizenship. The principle of equality of citizenship had been put into practice in the Factory Act, which protected employees in the matter of health and freedom from accident. These men are citizens, and deserve the protection of the state. Another application of the principle was the protection from long hours of girls employed in departmental stores. Another was the bakeshop bill, which was the bill of the speaker, that protected the journeymen bakers in their toil. These were evidences of the equality of citizenship, which the workingmen would appreciate.

The second principle is integrity in life—honesty in public matters as well as in private life. That was the animating principle of the present Government. Since Sandfield Macdonald's time the Government had expended nearly 100 million dollars, and there was no man who could point to any corruption in its expenditure. (Cheers.) The Opposition claimed that there were scandals, but they did not venture to attempt to fix one of them on a member of the Government or a member of the House; they pointed to trifling improper acts of subordinate officials. Reference was made to the Smith scandal in Ontario County, where he (Mr. Dryden) was charged falsely with selling an office, —a charge which the slanderer had to take back. The construction of the Parliament Buildings was an example of the application of integrity in public life and no grander monument could or had been raised to any public man than the Ontario Parliament buildings were to Hon. C. F. Fraser. (Cheers). Another principle that animated the Government from the beginning was what the speaker called true Canadianism—to develop the best resources of the country. The Opposition claimed that the Government was under the influence of American lumbermen, but last night in the House

THEY LOOKED VERY GLUM

when Hon. Mr. Gibson brought down his timber bill compelling the cutting of Canadian logs in Canada and this action was only another assertion of true Canadianism. The Opposition would say that the Government had been driven to this, but the fact was that the Government was in honour bound to live up to the conditions of the timber licenses—they had to keep faith with those who had purchased the limits and the moment they could act they had acted and shown that they were alive to the interests of this province, and were prepared to carry out the principle of true Canadianism. (Cheers).

Another feature of the Ontario Government was progressiveness—a policy of developing the resources of the country, and he instanced the the aid to railways, colonisation roads and mining roads, and aid in developing the mining industry, which had last year yield five millions of dollars, whereas another inexhaustible mine—the farm—had produced a grand total of perhaps one hundred millions of dollars. It was the policy of the Government to help develop the farming interests. Much had been done in improving the quality as well as the quantity of farm product. Farming must change with the times as well as other industries. He dealt with the efforts made by the Government to help the farming industry and paid a high tribute to the efficiency of the Ontario Agricultural College and the work it was doing. Referring to the nagging criticisms of the college by the Opposition, especially the charge that it did not pay, Mr. Dryden claimed it was not intended to pay dividends 'any more more than any other educational institution or school. But it would pay in teaching the farmers to

PRODUCE BETTER CROPS.

Reference was also made to the help given to the dairying industry by the dairy schools, travelling dairy, etc., the help in fruit growing, etc. He had stated these few principles to show that the country was governed by a Government that was animated by the principles of developing the resources of the country, and to show what sort of a Government their member (pointing to Mr. Blezard) they had delighted to honour had supported. (Cheers.)

Referring to the position taken by Canada in dairy products, Mr. Dryden claimed it was due to the encouragement given by the Government, and there was still room for expansion. He had been spoken to only on Monday by an American gentleman with reference to shipping Canadian fruit, grapes, peaches, etc., to the English markets, and with proper Government assistance, in co-operation with the cold storage facilities, provided by the Dominion Government, there was a great outlook for the development of the soil resources of Ontario.

The Opposition were referred to as adepts at the manipulation of figures, but their statements were in the main too ridiculous to deceive the farmers. He doubted if the people desired a change and a return to power of the party in alliance with Sir Charles Tupper. Mr. Whitney had repudiated Sir Charles, but a man was known by the company he kept. Scathing reference was made to the petty character of the issues raised by the Opposition. The man who had butchered the pigs slaughtered at the Humber piggery for cholera, had struck for higher pay and being refused, loaded up Mr. St. John with the great piggery issue which was used as a herring to be drawn across the trail. Mr. Dryden, after appealing to the electors to elect Mr. Blezard by a greater majority than ever, resumed his seat amidst loud applause.

He and Mr. Blezard departed to catch the train for Toronto and Mr. John Lang, M. P., who very heartily received, gave a brief address, approving heartily of Mr. Blezzard and endorsing the policy of the Hardy administration. The meeting closed with cheers for the Queen, the candidate and the Hardy Government.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1897.

MR. BLEZARD FOR EAST PETERBOROUGH.

Notwithstanding the desire of Mr. T. Blezard to retire from the representation of East Peterborough, he has again been compelled to yield to wishes urged by the Liberals of East Peterborough, and become a candidate at the approaching provincial elections. He was unanimously nominated at a great convention in Norwood yesterday. Mr. Blezard has continuously represented East Peterborough since the general elections of 1879, nearly nineteen years, and the people have had ample opportunity of becoming acquainted with his fitness for the position of representative, and the fact of his repeated re-election, as well as the fact that his services are still in demand, proves that in addition to his qualities as representative, he has many qualities of mind and heart, that give him an enviable degree of personal popularity. Mr. Blezard has always shown himself faithful to his representative trust. Few, if any, members of the House have given more constant attention to parliamentary duties, and, upon all committees of which he was a member, when the interests of the farmer were concerned, he was actively anxious to advance these interests and to give practical and intelligent advice. Mr. Blezard is a strong candidate, and has special claims to election by a large constituency. He has earned the good will of the electorate of East Peterborough in an exceedingly attractive manner. His own representative course, strengthened by the magnificent record of the Government he has so long supported, gives him claims upon the franchise of the electors of East Peterborough which will doubtless result in his triumphant election, whoever may be his opponent.

BENSFORT.

Mr. Geo. McLelland arrived home from the Northwest on Saturday last.

Mr. Geo. Smithson has rented the house formerly occupied by Mr. Daniels. He intends starting a repair shop in Bensfort.

Mr. James Wedlock gave a dance party at his house on Monday night, and, notwithstanding bad roads, dark night and other drawbacks, a large crowd of young people gathered and spent a most enjoyable time.

Mr. John Fletcher has again received the contract for carrying the mail between Bensfort and Centreville.

What is the matter with our reeve and councilmen? Why are they not making a move for the township election.?

Saturday night's frost was the most severe we have had this season. Rice lake and the Otonabee are both frozen over.

WESTWOOD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Merry Christmas to all.

Mrs. Matthew Breckenridge is visiting friends in the vicinity of Zion.

Mr. Alvina Dawson, Keene, has been visiting us this week.

Mr. John Nevens, Campbellford, and Mr. Wm. Cowan, Manitoba, were visiting at Mr. John Cook's Sunday.

Mr. Geo. McMillan and Miss Sarah Buck, Norwood, were the guests of Miss Maggie McMillen on Sunday.

Mr. Jos. Comstock, Calgary, has arrived home, looking hale and hearty.

We regret to learn of the increasing illness of Mr. Jas. McColl, who was removed to Nicholls Hospital, Saturday, and we look for his speedy recovery.

On Christmas eve the Methodist Sunday school of this village will have a Christmas tree. A good programme will be provided. Admission is only a trifle.

Happy New Year.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

HARVEY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

It seems as if winter had set in in earnest now. It snowed some on Saturday and again on Monday, which makes sleighing very fair.

There is not much lumbering being done here this winter as the Ratchun Co. are not taking out any timber, neither are they letting any jobs, but they will buy from the farmers and are offering fair prices from $3.50 to $4.00 per thousand for hemlock.

George Ray and wife, of Bridgenorth, returned home last week after making an extended visit to their friends here. It is reported that he has purchased a place here and intends to return and take up his residence here permanently.

Chas. Kemper has purchased the old Ray place and will move into it this week.

James Richmond has started to cut timber. He was rather late beginning, but has people with the goods and has on to take out twenty-three thousand pieces.

Mr. Mould is building a camp and will commence cutting this week on west half 25 on the 11th con. He bought it from his brother, James Ward.

Mrs. Charles McIlmoyle, sr., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. Lawrence, in Pension Falls for the past week.

Frank Arscott had a shooting match for ducks on last Thursday. Quite a number attended, but the majority were unsuccessful however. Charles and Bartlet Parker captured five, which was a very good showing among so many reputed good shots.

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY

The meeting on Thursday, 16th inst., was small on account of bad weather, but the few that were present came for literary work. After considerable business was transacted, the following programme was rendered:

Chorus	Glee Club
Speech	President
Recitation	Meddie Sawdon
Reading	J M Middleton
Instrumental music	Lorne Brooks
Recitation	Miss Downer
Instrumental music	Joe and Valley Tully
Reading	John Mahood
Reading	L Fr
Recitation	Valley Tully
Speech	Frank Vinette
National Anthem.	

SAMUEL CLEARY.

Killed in a Frightful Way at the Eddy Company's Paper Mill at Hull —Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—A sad accident occurred yesterday in E. B. Eddy & Co.'s paper mill, when Samuel Cleary was suddenly killed. He went up to feed the ventilating air fans, so as to cool the room and tried to pull the driving belt off the shaft with a hammer. He threw it off with his foot, the belt touching the counter shaft and creating a higher velocity than the heavy iron pulley could stand. According to George Millen, the velocity was 1,000 times greater. So it smashed to pieces, parts of it flying in all directions. Cleary fell to the floor, a distance of about 25 feet. His neck was broken, his right arm was horribly lacerated and there was a large hole under the left arm, near the heart. Cleary was 33 years of age and leaves a widow and family to mourn his loss.

Frank Pedley, Commissioner of Immigration, goes to the Crow's Nest Pass railway to look into the trouble between some of the workmen and contractors on that road.

Major Perry, of the Northwest Mounted Police, is to be sent to Skaguay. He will take with him a large supply of provisions and dogs, and after seeing them over the passes, will return to Victoria, where he will be stationed, to superintend Yukon parties starting out from that point.

Hon. W.S. Fielding leaves for Halifax, where he will spend Christmas with friends.

William Margach, Crown Timber Agent at Rat Portage, and T. R. Deacon, of the same place, where here yesterday to wait on the Dominion Government and urge the completion of certain measures which will assist in opening up that northern country. The Government will be asked to complete the canal locks on the Rainy River at Fort Frances, to remove various obstructions to vessels on the Rainy River and to provide better mail facilities for the district.

Sir Oliver Mowat said farewell to Ottawa yesterday and left with Miss Mowat for Toronto.

Police Constable McLaughlin, charged with shooting Daoust, who was stealing, was acquitted by Judge Musgrove yesterday.

It Heals the Lungs.

GENTLEMEN,—I was troubled for years with weak lungs and could not get relief, but on trying Norway Pine Syrup found it acted splendidly, healing and strengthening my lungs. E. J. FURLONG,
Lower Woodstock (Carleton Co.), N.B.

For Catarrh in any form use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

NICOLET ELECTION

Another Liberal Victory in Quebec Province.

STRONG TORY RIDING REDEEMED

One of the Worst Possible Combinations Against the Laurier Government Beaten—Local Interests Worked All in Vain Against the Popular Dominion Government —Montreal News.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—There was not much sign of a revolt against Tarte about the Nicolet election yesterday. Mr. Leduc, the Liberal candidate, was elected by a majority of about 175 over Mr. Beauchesne, the Conservative, and yet there was one of the worst possible combinations against the Laurier Government. In the first place, the county has always been overwhelmingly Conservative. Last May in the local general election, which carried Mr. Marchand into power by a sweeping majority, Mr. Ball, the Conservative, was elected by 256. It is true that Mr. Leduc was once before elected, in 1891, but there were two Conservative candidates, and he had a majority of only one. Mr. Boisvert, the late member, was elected by 138 in 1896, in spite of the Liberal landslide elsewhere. Local interests, especially the Drummond County Railway, were worked for all they were worth. For instance, when Mr. Beauchesne was definitely in the field it was intimated that he would withdraw and allow Mr. Leduc to be elected by acclamation provided the Government would subsidize the railway. But this bold attempt to take the Government by the throat on the eve of a doubtful election completely failed. On nomination day Sir Wilfrid referred to Mr. Prefontaine's "conspiracy," and distinctly refused to make any promise of a subsidy. Then it was considered a great political stroke to dub Mr. Leduc "Mr. Tarte's candidate," especially during the present family quarrel in Quebec, and so prejudice him in the eyes of the electors. That Mr. Leduc should have the handsome majority of 175 under the circumstances is remarkable. It shows clearly that the present "crisis" is not as serious as Conservative papers have led their readers to believe.

Montreal News.

It is now stated that Mgr. Bruchesi will confer with the other Quebec bishops on His Grace's arrival here, as it is supposed the Pope's decision on the school matter will then be known.

It is understood that Molsons Bank will establish a branch at Vancouver in the near future.

The six suspended pilots who refused to take ships down the river during the strike have now their case in the Superior Court, Judge Langelier having ordered the Harbor Commissioners to take them back. The case will go to appeal.

Robert Gentle, representing Syndachem, Fyffe & Co., the large Chicago firm, in Montreal, has mysteriously disappeared. He left his home several days ago and has not been seen since. An investigation is being held into his accounts.

It is now stated that Lieut.-Col. Strathy will be gazetted out of the command of the Royal Scots on Saturday, and that Major Ibbotson will be appointed to the command of the regiment.

A Running Sore Pronounced Incurable by Eight Doctors—Cured by Dr. Chase.

Mr. R. D. Robbins, 148 Cowan Ave., Toronto, says:—"I had a bad leg which was simply unsightly. From below the knee to the ankle was one great sore. Eight doctors treated me without benfit. I was induced to try Dr. Chase's Ointment which cured me, and all that is remains to be seen are the scars."

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely wastrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

Boy Instantly Killed.

Hamilton, Dec. 20.—Saturday Robert Marshall, a 15-year-old lad employed at the Hamilton Cotton Mills, was instantly killed in the mill. He leaned over the guard rail of the elevator shaft to see if the elevator was coming up. At that moment the lift descended and broke his neck. Coroner Griffin ordered an inquest, and at 4 o'clock a jury was empanelled by P. C. Hay. The jury viewed the elevator and the body and adjourned to meet this evening to hear testimony.

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SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

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Clear the Track for **SANTA CLAUS**

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Don't try to side-track the Merry Old Peach. Open your Purse strings and let your "Good Will" go for all it is worth. This is the Gift Giving Season, and as Christmas comes but once a year, give out of the fullnesss of your hearts.

WARNING!

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend making it warm for all persons wearing our All-Wool Underwear, Hosiery and Gloves on Christmas Day. Look at our assortment before buying elsewhere.

It is the greatest stock you ever had to pick out of, and we do as well for Boys and Youths as we do for Men.

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"MERRY XMAS TO ALL."

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Owing to the unseasonable weather, we have not been able to clear out our stock of heavy goods, so have decided to make Sweeping Reductions on certain lines in order to move them.

2 English Worsted Overcoats, large Astrachan Collar, heavy Italian Body Lining, Mohair Sleeve Lining, regular price $12.00, to clear at	$8.38
3 Black Worsted Overcoats, stylishly cut, well trimmed and finished, regular price $10.00, to clear at	5.48
3 Blue Black Chinchella Overcoats, Velvet Collars, Tubular Corded Edge, Most Stylish Coat in the market, regular price $11.00, to clear at	5.98
4 Heavy Black Cheviot Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Light Serge Body Lining, very Warm and Stylish, regular $10.50 Overcoat, to clear at	5.68
4 Grey Melton Overcoats, Velvet Collar, were fast sellers at $8.00, to clear at	5.98
5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, clear at	4.68
8 Grey Tweed Overcoats, Italian Linings, the price must sell them, worth $3.00, to clear at	1.00
3 Young Men's Tweed Overcoats, Double Breasted, in light Grey, good value at $7.00, to clear at	3.48
6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at	2.98
9 Boys' Overcoats, ages 12 to 16 years, in Blue Nap, good value at $5.50, to clear at	2.68

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What about a Nobby Walking Cane, Gold or Silver mounted? We have a catchy line of Swagger Sticks at moderate prices.

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK is replete with the very choicest and most up-to-date Smokers' Goods in the market, and as we are having a REDUCTION SALE prepatory to enlarging and improving the store, Prices will be Right.

"Shake!" Same to you and many of them!

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A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store. Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

Pipe Tastes Vary

No two men want exactly the same kind of pipe and tobacco. There are a thousand "mixtures" and many smokers mix two mixtures to get just the right flavour, even; then it tastes wrong unless its burned in the right pipe.

We have in stock all the good mixtures and all the good kinds of pipes—Meerschaum and Briar in Plush Cases, the Genuine Own R.R.R. Morrell Mackenzie Pipes, etc., all to be sold at about Half the Regular Price, as our stock is too large and must be reduced.

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A Large Stock of Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves and Tinware

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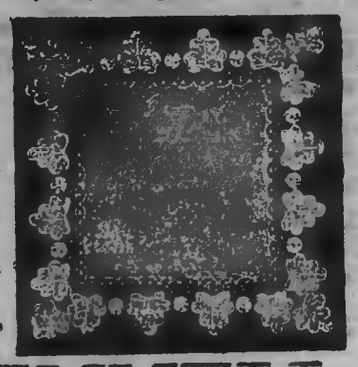

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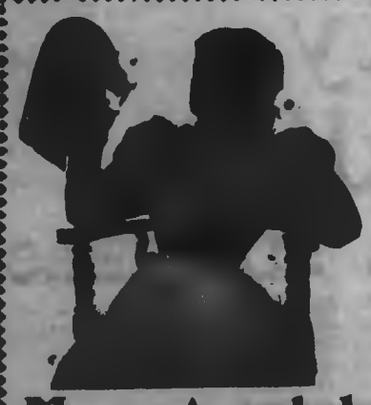

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THE LEGISLATURE

Another Non-Confidence Motion Rejected.

GOVERNMENT MAJORITY WAS 27.

The Opposition Defeated on the Transfer of Colonization Road Grants to the Municipalities—A Radical Proposal—House to Meet Between Christmas and New Year's—Session's Close.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—The debate in the Legislature yesterday was confined to the subject of the colonization roads. Mr. Reid (Addington) moved an amendment upon the motion to go into supply. The amendment advocated the policy of having colonization road money voted by the Legislature placed in the hands of the different municipalities for expenditure. He said under the present system this money was used for political purposes. Work was promised to Conservatives if they would vote for the Reform candidate or stay at home. He was not moving in this matter with any political motive (laughter) but because he felt deeply upon the subject.

Mr. Pattullo said the charge that this money had been used for political purposes was an old one, and had been answered many times like other charges against the Government. He thought before the Government was asked to hand its money over to the municipal councils it should be demonstrated that these councils were judicious in the expenditure of their own money upon roads. He contended that the money so spent by municipal councils was often largely thrown away and it was a matter of complaint not only in the country but in the cities. He instanced the case of Toronto, a center of intelligence where vast sums had been thrown away in an attempt to improve the streets under municipal control. Much of the money that had been spent by the municipalities in road making might as well have been thrown into the ditches and watercourses. He drew attention to the extraordinary amount of friendship the Opposition had of late been manifesting for the municipal bodies. This solicitude and admiration for municipal bodies was a new feature. Conservatives had not always been so anxious about them. When the Liberals were instituting the municipal bodies in Canada the Conservatives were their strongest enemies, they had called them "Sucking Republics. They were now courting the municipal bodies for political purposes. (Hear, hear.) He predicted that should the Conservatives ever gain power the very last thing they should do would be to adopt the policy laid down in the amendment. (Cheers.)

Dr. Meacham followed, and complained that the Government used the money against the election of Conservatives.

Mr. Stratton opposed the amendment because he had yet to learn that the municipalities desired to have the responsibility of expending the Government money for roads. The different municipal councils in his riding did not wish such money. The question was, "Did the people get good service for the money expended?" In his district the money of the Government was better spent and more value received than that of the township councils. This was a well-known fact and he challenged investigation. If this amendment had not been moved for political purposes why was it moved at this time? It was for political purposes and was buncombe to boot. (Cheers.) His only complaint was that the Government did not spend enough money upon colonization roads. (Hear, hear.) He believed the Government received good value for the money expended, the roadmasters were competent persons and it would be a great mistake to change the system.

Mr. Marter complained that colonization road money was now used for political purposes. He complained that only Liberals were given the handling of this money.

Mr. Farewell (Liberal) said in his constituency the money voted for colonization roads was an injury to him politically. One reason he opposed handing the money over to the municipal councils was because these bodies were in the habit of employing for such work only poor and indigent men who could not earn at anything else a day's pay in two. This class of men would be called upon to do the work the Government would pay for, with the result that colonization roads would not be so well constructed as under the present system.

Mr. Whitney said the expenditure upon colonization roads was a desirable and proper expenditure. What he objected to was the system of expenditure the Government had adopted.

Hon. Mr. Hardy said in reply, it had always been his opinion that in the case of an individual, corporation, council or government it was sound policy for them in each case to expend themselves the money for which they were responsible. (Cheers.) Take a lawyer spending the money of a wealthy client, he would spend more than if the case were his own. (Hear, hear.) This was one reason lawyers seldom went to law. (Laughter.) For the Government to turn over its money to the municipalities for them to expend it would be a confession of incapacity. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Marter had said the Conservatives had never quarreled with the fact that money was voted for colonization roads. He then read a resolution moved by Mr. Patterson (Essex), a Conservative, which had called for a reduction in the sum in the estimates for this purpose of fifty per cent. (Cheers.) Mr. Marter had challenged the Government upon this subject. This resolution would overwhelm the Conservatives. (Cheers.) The question was then put and the Government sustained by a majority of 27. Mr. Beatty, Parry Sound, a Conservative, voted with the Government, and all the Patrons. The House then went into Committee of Supply.

Waste Treadmills Again.

Hon. S. H. Blake introduced a large deputation to the Cabinet yesterday, representing the Prisoner's Aid Society, and acted as their spokesman. He said they wished to see more education given in the prisons and strongly urged that treadmills should be established in the jails.

Hon. Mr. Hardy: "I think the treadmill is an awful thing. It might have a bad effect upon the hearts of weak men. I think it would be going away back in the middle ages."

Hon. Mr. Blake: "It would stop many people trying to get into the jail club to spend a comfortable winter." He also wished to see the lightest sentence for drunkenness placed at three months, in order that the person might have sufficient time to get over his spree and lose sight of his bad companions. He also wished to see the Government compel the various municipalities to erect poor houses.

Hon. Mr. Hardy said the Government would consider the matters laid before them.

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Our 'Xmas Goods are all opened up this week. They had all come to hand before I decided to open a second store, and now that I have made the preparations, out the goods must go. No stock in town equal as to variety and newness of goods. Help yourself by saving money and you will help me.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The directors of the New York Central have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent.

Mayor Quincy was re-elected in Boston over ex-Mayor Curtis, and the city is again Democratic by about 4,000 plurality.

Charles A. Boinay who killed George Marcus Nichols at Bridgeport, Conn., has been sentenced to be hanged on April 14.

The City Council of Indianapolis has passed a curfew by-law. Children under 15 must not be out on the street after 8 p.m. in winter or 9 p.m. in summer.

Dallas, Texas, reports the worst sleet storm ever known in the State. Telegraph and telephone lines are in a state of collapse, and have been so for two days.

Leada Charland, 18 years old, George Morin, 15, and Frank Waterman, 18, were drowned at Gardner, Mass., Monday afternoon while playing and skating on thin ice.

It is reported that District-Attorney Youngs, of New York, will allow Mrs. Nack to plead guilty to manslaughter in the first degree in connection with the Guldensuppe murder.

The lawless Indians at South McAllister, Indian Territory, are said to have formed a conspiracy to burn up the United States Court house there, as well as all other court buildings in the territory.

The report that Lieut.-Col. Joaquin Ruiz has been executed by Cuban insurgents is confirmed. It is said the insurgent chief, Nestor Aranguren, had 70 of his followers shot because they offered to submit to the Spaniards.

H. C. Sturgis, ex-Mayor of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and president of the defunct Citizens' Bank, fired a bullet through his body in the region of his heart, and will die. Despondency over business troubles, it is thought, affected his mind.

The Auditorium Theatre and Hotel at Kansas City were burned. The crossing of electric wires started the blaze on the sixth floor of the theatre. The 106 guests in the hotel escaped in safety. Loss $450,000; insurance $85,000. Alex Fraser owned the property. The theatre was the finest west of Chicago.

Miss Lelia Herbert, daughter of ex-Secretary Herbert of the United States Navy, jumped headforemost from a third story window of her father's residence in Washington and killed herself. Some time ago Miss Herbert was badly hurt by being thrown from her horse, and it is thought her mind was unhinged by her sufferings.

William B. Phelps, of Oswego, N.Y., wants $50,000 from the owners of the British steamer Oakdale, now lying in Brooklyn harbor, because he had his skull fractured and was otherwise smashed up, owing to collision with a schooner in St. George's harbor, Bermuda, last March. Phelps claims the ship was badly handled. The steamer has been attached.

Convict Ireburn, who escaped from Kingston Penitentiary a short time ago, has been captured at Detroit.

W. H. H. Graham, of Irvington, Indiana, has been notified from Washington that he will be appointed United States Consul to Winnipeg after the holidays.

Robert Muir, alias George Burns, a burglar under sentence from Barrie, has admitted that he stole a team of horses and a sleigh from a Kinmount farmer a year ago.

Amherst Island Township Council has been elected for the coming year as follows: S. K. Tugwell, Reeve; W. J. Fleming, R. R. Burleigh, Henry Wilson and John Richards, Councillors.

The grand jury at the Toronto Sessions returned a true bill against Rev. Wm. Bates, charged with stealing some lead pencils, etc., from the T. Eaton Co.'s store.

James Leach, a saw mill man, has been committed for trial, charged with perjury. He will be tried at Whitby. It is charged that he married Nellie Brooks, the 15-year-old daughter of his employer, P. W. Brooks, of Cawnpore, Ontario County, on a license procured at Goodwood, in obtaining which he swore that Nellie was over 18 years of age. Mr. Brooks laid the charge.

Princess Hohenlohe, wife of the German Chancellor, is dead. She was 68 years old.

The banks of Bombay and Bengal, India, have increased the rate of discount from 6 to 7 per cent.

MUNYON'S RHEUMATISM CURE

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to cure acute or muscular rheumatism in from one to five days. Sharp, shooting pains in any part of the body stopped by a few doses. A prompt complete and permanent cure for lame back, soreness, stiff back and all pains in hips and loins. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief from one to two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used. Price 25c.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25c a vial.

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No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realizing that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

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"After I had typhoid fever kidney troubles ensued. I had terrible pains in my back, head and shoulders, and felt tired, drowsy and dragged out and had annoying urinary troubles. I have grown daily better since I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have no pains of any kind, sleep well, feel rested; and the urinary troubles have completely disappeared." J. W. Douglas, Port Hope.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c

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The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 259 George street.

For cold in the head use Frazyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

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Return Tickets will be issued as below;

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First Class Fare

Good going Dec. 24 and 25; good returning until Dec. 27. Good going on Dec. 31 and Jan 1; good returning until Jan. 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste Marie, Port William and east, and to and and Detroit, Mich., and to, but not from, Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and Buffalo N. Y.

TEACHERS and STUDENTS

(Upon surrender of proper certificate signed by Principal)

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FOR CHRISTMAS.

They are Clean and Cheap. We have them in all colours, done up in balls of ten yards. Also Stars, Wreaths and Plumes in all colours and very pretty. Just the thing to decorate churches, schools, halls, public and private buildings, hotels, drawing rooms, dining rooms, stores, club rooms, etc. Come and see them at

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One at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.

One (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

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Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum, Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

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A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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Use Big G for Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Spermatorrhœa, Whites, unnatural discharges, or any inflammation, irritation or ulceration of mucous membranes. Not astringent or poisonous. Sold by Druggists, Circular sent on request.

A Revelation

In Millinery and Xmas Gifts

.....AT.....

Miss Delaney's.

The tendency to select Articles for Gift Purposes possessing Practical Features is very pronounced—judging by our Sales this month. There is no lull in business with us—the holiday campaign and the demand for mid-winter productions keeping us quite busy.

We have many Beautiful Goods suitable for Holiday Presents, which we are offering at nominal prices. Those enumerated below will be sold on the close-margin plan :—

—Stylishly Trimmed Evening and Street Bonnets.
—Fashionably Trimmed Hats in the new shapes.
—Dotted and Variously Patterned Vellings.
—Ruchings and Ruffings for evening wear.
—Ready-Made Bows and Scarf Veils.
—Children's Elderdown Jackets, Hoods and Ruffs.
—Fancy Handkerchiefs in all grades and widths of hem.
—High Novelties, in French Kid Gloves, with fancy backs.
—Satin Lined Handkerchief Cases, artistically decorated.

At "The White Store," George Street.

THE NUMBER

Who have signified their intention of entering the

PETERBOROUGH BUSINESS COLLEGE

when the new term begins on January 3rd, 1898, is the largest in the history of the College.

The improvement we have made in our already efficient course are meeting with the warmest recommendations from Business Men.

Enter a school having their confidence, as their opinion, to a great extent, decides the success of graduates of any school. We use the most approved methods of the careful business man of to-day—not of past days.

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Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Sallsbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

The Mistletoe Bough.

A nice fresh supply of mistletoe just received at Long Bros. Also a select stock of dessert pears—very fine eating for Christmas.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Xmas Perfumes.

The place to buy your Xmas perfumes is at J. D. Tully's. He has the goods, the quality and the prices. Handsome styles, fragrant and lasting odor. Call and see them. 5d

Flower Social New Year's Eve.

Another of those popular socials will be held on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, in the rooms over the Great Northwestern Telegraph office, Cox's Block. A first class orchestra will furnish music, and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Admission, tickets 50c. 2d

A Vessel Ashore.

Mr. A. J. McClellan, local manager of the People's Coal company, received word this morning that the schooner "Annandale" loaded with 346 tons of the People's Coal company's coal, consigned to their branch at Kingston, went ashore yesterday on the main dock. The vessel and cargo were not insured owing to the lateness of the season.

Cut by a Scythe.

"I have used 'Quickcure' for many accidents this summer," writes Dr. J. B. Andre, of Montreal. "One very bad cut from a scythe, was healed in a wonderfully short time—in one week the cure was complete. For burns and sores, it is really far better than any other remedy I know of."

The Christmas Mail and Empire.

THE EXAMINER has received the beautiful Christmas number of the Mail and Empire. A principal feature of this beautiful edition is the set of five reproductions of the paintings of Canadian subjects by Canadian artists. The letter press is seasonable and of high literary value, and altogether the Christmas number of the Mail and Empire is a credit to Canadian illustrative, typographic and literary art.

A Strong Reminder.

Opera and party fans in silk, plain and handpainted, beautiful feather Fans, plain, hand-painted and the prices were never lower for such lovely goods. Annuals just about sold out. If you have not ordered, telephone at once. Xmas Illustrated papers, only a few left. The pictures accompanying the Xmas numbers this year are alone worth the price. Store open and ready for business at 8 a. m. Shop early.—A. H. STRATTON & Co., 417 George street.

Once a Year.

You can give necessary articles and tokens of friendship to your friends all the year round, but only once a year, when Christmas comes, do we feel constrained to bestow gifts of luxury and favourite articles which you know [illegible] happy. Mr. [illegible] has an irresistible [illegible] perfumery and toilet [illegible] always very acceptable [illegible] makes a very handsome [illegible] glasses and spectacles, which possess double value of improving the hearing as well as the sight.

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE:

Names of the Pupils who have Won Promotion.

Below we give the results of the term examinations in the first forms of the Collegiate Institute. Those who took the highest marks were placed in Form A for next term, the others in Form B. The names in each form are given in the order of merit. The next examination for classification and relative standing will be held at Easter :

FORM A.

Richard O'Brien, Emma Collins, Burton Cameron, Harold Brown, Leo Callaghan, Nellie Wallace, John O'Brien, Percy Jamieson, Nellie Hudson, Harold Daly, George Carton, Hamilton Munro, Marion Rush, Lena Howson, Estella Thornton, Ethel Best Linda Hall, Effie Munro, Norman Miller, Owen Sawers, Lily Hamilton, Elmer Best, May Bailey, Warren Dean, Mamie Hamilton, Mabel Gillespie Norman Cameron, Fred Allison, Lexie Munn, Henry Cleeves, Alfred Cox, Lena Eakins, Florence Hamilton, Leslie Murray, May Anderson, Clarence Staunton, Cassie Mathieson, Mary Rush, Herbert Martin, Douglas Wilson.

FORM B.

Sophia Weir and Roy Armstrong (equal), Mabel English, Fred. McFadden, Dorothy Darke, Harold Shaw, Herbert Wood, Dollie Comstock, Lillie Morrow, May Huffman, Roland Clinkscale, John Devitt, Hollis VanEvery, Pearl Hamilton, Edith Smith, Berthil Moore, Eva Judge, Maud Shera, Ernest Payne, Frank Brisbin, Annie McDonald, Grace Brecht, Arthur Grever, Annie Wainwright, Mabel Moore, Marquis Mann, Hubert McBain, Jennie Simpson, Ethel Tully, Charles Whiten, Matthew Edwards, Fred Moore, Florence Brooks, Helen Hall, Myrta Emmerson, Myfanwy Owen. The last three did not write on the examination and Miss Brooks only in part.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Queen's Own Lodge L.T.B. Holds an Enthusiastic Meeting.

At a meeting of Queen's Lodge No. 46, L.T.B., Monday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term :

Bro W H G Armstrong (re-elected)	W M
" G Collins (re-elected)	D M
" S Adlam	R S
" T Lang	F S
" W H Wilson	Treasurer
" B Doupe	Chaplain
" F Green	D of C
" A Dugan	Conductor
" G Bradley	1st Committeeman
" A Fletcher	2nd "
" E Carveth	3rd "
" Wm Crow	4th "
" G Sloan	5th "
" Wm Wilson	Inside Tyler
" W Kimble	Outside Tyler
" Geo Collins	Auditors
" G Bartley	

READY FOR CHRISTMAS.

Some Very Tasty Decorations For the Holiday Time.

Mr. H. P. Kennedy has apparently spared neither pains nor expense to make his Christmas displays of meat and poultry attractive. The meat window is profusely trimmed with evergreens, very tastefully arranged, whilst mottoes conveying Christmas greetings are strung in festoons from the corners to the centre of the shop. Some grand Christmas beef is shown and over 400 turkeys and geese have been laid in to meet the Christmas and New Years demand.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50cat Grafton & Co.

Favourites for Xmas Stockings.

Jewelry will form many of the favourite gifts that will find their way into hundreds of stockings Christmas morning. It always pleases Mr. Frank Schneider, the jeweller, has a very popular store for shopping and a very unique collection of gift goods in the jewelry line, to invite inspection by lady and gentlemen shoppers.

What to Buy for "Him."

One of the best things to buy for a man for a Christmas gift is something he would buy himself. A half-dozen of those small Parisian ties just received at LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store, would suit him "down to the ground," as the saying goes. The fair sex have been buyers of these bright beauties of swell ties during the past week in considerable numbers. A silk muffler or a fine woollen neck scarf in bright or plain checks, will also be acceptable gifts, and LeBrun & Co. have a very nobby line full of them at close prices. cod

The Great Secret

of happiness is making others happy. If you don't believe it try some of the following on your friends this Christmas. If you do believe it you will secure a supply :

Oranges from 20c to 40c per doz.
Table Raisins, 15, 20, 25, 30c per lb.
Fresh Almonds, soft shelled, 12½c.
Fresh Walnuts, Grenoble, 12½c.
Fresh Filberts, Oblong, 12½c.
Figs for table, 10, 15 and 20c.
Dates (Hollowee), 10c.
Crystal Fruits, assorted, 65c.

If you have not already secured your [illegible] for Mincemeat and the 'Xmas pudding see the cleaned Fruit and Peels we are showing.—E. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

THE CHIEF OF POLICE WAS EXONERATED

AT THE MEETING OF THE COUNCILLORS LAST EVENING.

A Resolution to That Effect Was Moved by Councillors Dawson and Cobb and Was Carried—Arguments Counsel.

When the investigation into the charges against the Chief of Police reopened last evening in the council chamber, there was not even standing room, the crowd surging in behind the seats occupied by the councillors.

The proceedings were opened by the reading of the following correspondence as passing between the law firm of Messrs. Stratton & Hall and Town Clerk Armstrong :

S R Armstrong, Esq. Town :

Dear Sir,—Re Chief of Police investigation: We have been looking into the question as to whether the town council has power to subpoena witnesses to appear before them and give evidence in the matter of this kind. So far we have found no authority which would warrant such proceeding on the part of the town council. As your solicitor may perhaps know of such a power being vested in your council, we would be pleased if you would summon for us this evening the following witnesses, namely : Wm Morgan, Chas Phillips, Fred Barley, Michael Lavery, Benny Thompson, Chas Maddee, C Large, W A Brown, Edwin Clegg, Alex Elliott, Sam Ray, Jas Kendry, Fred Ray, Edwin Dawson, John Fraser, T Boddy, D W Dumble, J Knapman.

We have about 100 other witnesses, and as soon as a proper time and place are appointed and a competent person to take the evidence, we are instructed to proceed in the conduct of this matter.

Yours truly,
STRATTON & HALL

THE ANSWER.

Messrs. Stratton & Hall :

Dear Sirs:—Re Chief of Police investigation: I have just received your letter in regard to summoning witnesses. I do not know of any authority for me to issue such summonses, and as the time at which I have received your letter is so close to the time for the meeting of council I will not be able to see the mayor in regard to the matter. The committee last evening in its motion to adjourn until this evening said that "Mr. McNairn be then present with his witnesses" and gave no more instructions to summons witnesses.

Yours truly,
S. R. ARMSTRONG,
Town Clerk.

Mayor Yelland stated that it had been understood that the evidence in the case would be given to Mr. Denniston, so that he would have time to prepare a defence. He asked him if this had been done.

Mr. Denniston replied that the council had given instructions the previous evening that the particulars of the charges should be furnished him but he had heard nothing of them.

Councillor Dawson—I wish to ask if it is customary for the defendants to have to summon the plaintiff's witnesses?

TOWN SOLICITOR REMENTS.

Town Solicitor Edwards — The procedure I suppose would be the same as in the police magistrate's court. Both plaintiff and defendant would be at liberty to apply to the same source for subpoenas. Proceeding Mr. Edwards said.—"I attended the meeting of the councillors last evening, not as the town solicitor, but as an individual, who felt my name had been drawn into the matter under investigation in a manner I should resent, that is if the reports of the council last meeting were published correctly in the papers."

He then read a portion of the report, which stated that Councillor McWilliams had referred to "a third class pettifogger" as being connected with the case. If this was a fact he did not feel at liberty to advise the council in the matter of the investigation.

Councillor McWilliams—I know what he means all right enough, but we are not here to investigate that matter. The question is have we the power to take evidence under oath and to subpoena witnesses. I see there are telephone and telegraph operators' names on the list. They will not attend without being subpoenaed, and the question is, Mr. Mayor, whether you will take the responsibility of administering the oath, knowing the penalty to which you are subject if you are doing so illegally, and whether we have the power to subpoena witnesses.

Councillors Dawson and Cobb moved that the town solicitor be heard.

Mr. Edwards—I was not present at the meeting of the council when Mr. McWilliams made his remarks, but I ask the council whether the report of them is correct? I ask Mr. McWilliams if it is? Is the person referred to the town solicitor?

Councillor McWilliams—When the time comes you will have an opportunity to discuss all that with me. It will be before long, too.

Mr. Edwards—I think my question is pertinent to the matter at issue. I submit I have just as much right to take part as the Chief and just as much right to defend my name as he has. If in an investigation before a magistrate I find the son of a councillor there I consider it my duty to examine him just as any other witness and if I thereby excite the odium of the said councillor I demand the protection of the council, but if I exceed my duty then the remarks made may be taken at their true worth—at the meaning they seek to convey. The committee is assembled to consider the charges made on that occasion by Councillor McWilliams and the Town Solicitor is entitled to take part as much as the Chief and my duty is not to advise the council as to the course of procedure to be adopted. I ask Mr. McWilliams if he intended those remarks to be addressed to me and whether he still adheres to them.

Councillor McWilliams—I generally speak my mind pretty freely and if the cap fits you can wear it.

COUNSEL FOR THE PROSECUTION.

Mr. W. A. Stratton then asked to be allowed to speak.

On motion of Councillors Denne and Dawson he was heard.

Mr. Stratton—The matter of the charges originally arose in what took place in the police court between the Chief and Mr. Graham in reference to a liquor case which was being tried and I appeared there as counsel for the defendant. During the conduct of the case I charged that the Chief had corrupted children and degraded young men. Incidentally, it may have been said that he was persecuting the Oriental Hotel but the chief charge was that his office was being run as a sneak concern. Subsequently certain charges had been laid before the council and I have been instructed by several persons to lay before this body the general charges of which my clients complain. These are laid in exactly the manner in which a charge of slander would be laid in the High Court. In such a case no details are furnished in the first instance but you are brought into court on a general charge and afterwards details are furnished. We expected that the Chief would ask that the charges should be investigated before a competent tribunal. I am instructed in this case to give the details to the Chief at the proper time, so soon as it is referred to a competent tribunal. We have charged him with perjury, with corrupting young boys, with suborning to perjury, with malfeasance of duty in allowing a prisoner to escape and we are prepared to go before a proper tribunal—not to lay the charge before an incompetent court. It would not be fair to the Chief or to our clients. There is no law under which you can

SWEAR A WITNESS—

no precedents under which you can subpoena. You are a creature of statute. The law allows you to do certain things and

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Santa Claus Latest Telephone

—— TO THE ——

Peterborough Bookstore.

Santa Claus has just been heard from. For the information of the Old Folks as well as the Young Folks, we are at liberty to publish the following :—

DEAR MESSRS. STRATTON & CO.

Just a line by telephone to say that I expect to be at the Peterborough Bookstore next week. Isn't it too bad after getting within a 100 miles of Peterborough to find the snow all goes and no sleighing. I've had to hitch up my reindeers to my bicycle and shall drive straight to the Grotto 417 and 419 George Street. Tell the policemen to have the streets all clear for me, as the deer are very frisky after doing so little work during the journey. Won't it be jolly to meet all the dear children in the Grotto again? Put this in the newspapers and let the children know about my reception in the Peterborough Bookstore all next week. "So long" till I see you and all the dear children. So long, so long.

Your faithful old friend,
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Superb Novelties.

Pencils and Pencil Cases in Gold and Silver
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Toilet Bottles
Opera Glasses
Evening Fans, handpainted
Feather Fans, elegant
Book Marks and Paper Cutters
Stamp Cases
Handpainted Cuff Boxes
Ladies' Companions
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Shaving Cases
Plaques and Vases, handpainted

Christmas Cards, Calendars, Booklets.

A beautiful line of the choicest, freshest, most artistic productions every design this year's, fitted in envelope and enclosed in larger envelope, suitable and ready for mailing abroad if desired.

Illustrated Papers.

All the beautiful Christmas Illustrated Editions. Everyone should have one either for home or sending away.

Japanese Goods.

Match Boxes
Ash Trays
Cigar Trays
Vases
Pin Trays
Ink Stands
Photo Holders
Brass and Metal Novelties

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Boy's and Girl's Hand Sleighs.
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Adjustable Sleigh Runners

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20 and 26 inch Dolls
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Unbreakable Jointed Dolls
Musical Dolls
Rubber Dolls
Dolls with Moveable Eyes
All kinds of WAX Dolls

Leather Goods

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Card Cases
Ladies' Pocket Books and Purses
Ladies' Visiting Lists and Memorandum Books
Gentlemen's Memorandum and Pocket Diaries
Writing Desks
Writing Portfolios and Blotters
Travelling Companions
Pocket Diaries
Fancy Papeteries

Evening Games.

Our list of Evening Games for 1897 and 1898 is a big one :—

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Logomachy
Do nieces
Checkers
Go Bang
Hold the Fort
Parlour Croquet
Militaire
Authors
Old Maid
Mother Goose
Combination Game
Cuckoo
Cribbage
Chess
Nine Pins
Quiz
Bobby—the newest out

Bibles, etc

Teacher's Bibles, Morocco bound limped edges, $1.25.
Old Testaments, large print, strongly bound, good paper, 25c
Prayer Books and Hymnals

Holiday Books.

Gilt edge, cloth bound Books
Classical and Poetical Works
Children's Colored Picture Books
Scripture Picture Books
Christmas Picture Books
Pansy, Ruby, Elsie, Beadle Books
The Annuals, etc

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Toilet Cases
Card Cases
Cigar Cases
Whisk Holders
Collar and Cuff Boxes

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Ladies' Russian Kid One-Strap Slippers, fancy bow and buckle—GOUGH'S.

DON'T FORGET SKATING BOOTS AND HOCKEY BOOTS.

Light Soled Boots for Ladies and Men, now in great demand—GOUGH'S.
Girl's Pebble Goat Flannel Lined Skating Boots—money won't buy any better—GOUGH'S.
Overshoes for Snow, and for Warmth, and for Comfort, and for Driving—GOUGH'S.

CAN'T BE HAPPY WITHOUT SOME NECKWEAR.

Men's and Youth's Elegant Silk Neck wear, from the world's best makers—GOUGH'S.
Men's and Youth's Silk and Woollen Neck Scarfs and Mufflers—GOUGH'S.
Men's and Youth's Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, from all countries—GOUGH'S.
Men's and Youth's Kid Gloves—Holiday Specials—Swell styles from N. Y—GOUGH'S.
Men's and Youth's Silk Braces, Collars and Cuffs, Hygenic Underwear, etc—GOUGH'S.
Men's, Youth's and Boy's Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers, Suits, Hats, Caps—GOUGH'S.

More Goods to Choose From Than in all the Years Past, and Better Prices Than all the Lowest Prices We Have Ever Quoted.

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RICHARD HALL & SON

OUR HOLIDAY LIST

Every article mentioned is just what will make a desirable Christmas Gift—because they are useful and serviceable. Nothing adds more to the value of a gift than the certainty that it will be prized, and in making our special preparations for the Holiday Trade we have selected goods of merit, goods that will create a lasting impression of their high quality and good value.

Jackets

One of our Fine Jackets at our reduced prices, in some cases less than Half the Original Price, will make a desirable present.
Our $14.00 Jacket cut to $10.00.
Our $12.00 Jacket cut to $9.00.
Our $12.00 Cape for old ladies for $8.00.
Some $7.50 Jackets cut to $4.00.
Just the chance for a Christmas Present.

Kid Gloves for Ladies

and Gloves that we can guarantee to give satisfaction.
Perrin's Dome Clasp, Heavystitching Fancy Points and Welts, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Perrin's Lacing in Black, Tan and all the latest colours, guaranteed, $1.00 per pr.
Jamarets, 3 Dome fasteners, in Black, Red Blue and Green, very elegant, every pair guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Jamarets, 7 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, best quality guaranteed. $1.25 per pair.
Pewny's, 5 hook lacing, Black and Coloured, all sizes, 75c a pair.
Ringwood Gloves, in White and Fancy, 25c and 35c a pair.

Handsome Silks for Dresses and Blouses

Black Peau de Soie, very special, does not cut. $1.00 per yd.
Black Gros Grain, very special at $1.00.
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Shot Taffettas, latest popular shades, 75c.
Coloured Poplins, all the latest shades, $1.00 per yd.

Handkerchiefs

Ladies White Lawn hemstitched, extra value, 5c, 8c and 10c.
Ladies' White Linen, hemstitched, extra value, 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
Ladies' White Lawn embroidered and hemstitched, very special, 12½c each.
Ladies' White Linen Lawn, lace insertion and embroidery, 15c, 20c and 25c each.
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White Japanese Silk Initial, good size, special at 25c and 50c.
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The present that the mother or wife appreciate : Table Linens, Table Napkins, Five o'clock Cloths, Doylies, Pillow Shams, &c., at special prices.

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J. D. TULLY'S, COUGH REMEDIES

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Corner George and Hunter Streets, West Side.

MARRIED PEOPLE LIVE LONGEST!

Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage Licence from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness. MORAL.—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—W. J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licences, 145 Hunter St.

THE COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT.

A Not Very Large Audience—A Good Programme Presented.

There was only a fair audience at the complimentary concert tendered in the opera house last night to Mr. and Mrs. T. Dunn, and those who were absent were the losers. A fine programme was presented, which opened with a well-played pianoforte duet by the Misses Hurley. Mrs. W. A. Sanderson sang with great acceptance two soprano solos, but she did not respond to the hearty encores she so deservedly received. Miss Lily Simons, the popular reciter, was compelled to respond to an encore for each of her selections. Mr. Bert D. Jones captured the audience with two artistically performed mandolin solos. He was rewarded with and responded to encores. Mr. Percy Owens had to appear twice as the penalty of his daintyand artistic performance of Paderewski's Minuet. But, as was to be expected, the treat of the evening was the singing of Mr. Dunn. He sang the "Bandolero" in fine voice and finish and to an enthusiastic recall gave "Off For Philadelphia" in a splendid manner. His singing of the "Gay Hussar," by Watson, which has so often charmed Peterborough audiences, and was sung by request, was a splendid piece of artistic vocalisation and well deserved the enthusiastic applause with which it was received. In Mr. Dunn's departure Peterborough loses a baritone that it will be exceedingly difficult to replace and no doubt in Chicago, where he is going, it will meet with hearty recognition. Both himself and Mrs. Dunn, who again gave evidence last night of being one of our most accomplished accompanists, will be distinct losses to the musical resources of the town.

CLOSING EXERCISES

In the Kindergarten Yesterday Morning and Afternoon.

The South Ward Kindergarten held its closing exercises yesterday morning at 10.30 before a large attendance of ladies.

In the afternoon the Central Kindergarten rooms were not large enough to accommodate those who sought admission. The large room was most beautifully decorated and was indeed a tribute to the artistic taste of Miss Warner and her assistants. The programme was carried out as follows:

I.
Prayer.
Morning Hymn.
Good Morning Song.
Song of Welcome.
Christmas Greeting.

The Family—This is the mother good and dear.
Nature—Spring. In the branches of a tree.
Summer—The Brook.
Autumn—O me little Leaves.
Winter—Jack Frost; Winter and the Wonderful Weaver.
Trades—The Cobbler and the Builders.
Christmas Songs—Carol, Children Carol, Christmas Bells, Shine out, Oh Blessed Star and There's a Jolly Good Fellow.

II.
Gifts and Occupations.

III.
Recitation.
Recitation.

IV.
Circle Games.

V.
Christmas Tree.
God Save the Queen.
Good-bye Song.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	17° above zero	
Yesterday	25°	7°

See Grafton & Co's All Wool Underwear at 25c.

Calcutt's Brewery.

Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 60c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 93. Call us up. 11d142

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

P. CONNAL & CO.
W. H. HAMILTON.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Curling at the rink to-night.

—Yesterday was the shortest day.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Catholic Association meets this evening.

—If the weather continues cold there will be skating to-morrow evening at the rink.

—The members of St. Paul's choir and those who assisted them in their recent concert, were given a supper in the church parlour last evening.

—The firm of J. J. Turner & Sons have just received a beautifully illustrated diploma for their fine display of tents at the Peterborough Central Exhibition. The tents were highly recommended.

—The new Columbia chainless wheel is on exhibition in A. Mercer & Co's., George street store and large numbers have been in to see it and admire the perfect workmanship of its finish and design.

—The magnificent windows of the grocery firm of E. F. Mason & Co., George street, have been decorated for the Christmas season with most artistic taste. No little labour has been expended to make them attractive and that they are the prettiest in town is generally conceded.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!

Hear the 'Varsity Glee and Banjo Club at the Opera House to-night. This will be the musical event of the season. Prices 25c., 35c. and 50c.

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the *most elegant designs* in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

OBITUARY.

Sudden Death of Mr C E Hunt, of Omemee.

(Special to the Examiner.)

Omemee, Dec. 22nd.—Mr. C. H. Hunt, Headmaster of the Omemee High School, died this morning from cerebro spinal meningitis, taken out of la grippe, from which he had been suffering less than a week.

PERSONAL.

Miss Katie Overend has just returned from Loretta Abbey, Toronto.

Mr. Victor McWilliams is home from Varsity for the holidays.

Dr. Court Poussette is home from Chicago for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Sidney B. Weir left to-day to visit relatives in Baltimore for a few days.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick has had his father for his guest the last day or so.

Mr. Maitland Boswell is home for the holidays from the School of Practical Science, Toronto.

Mr. Will Connal came up from McGill University, Montreal, last night for the Christmas vacation.

Rev. Father Scanlan was up from Hastings yesterday for the day. He is acting pastor of the parish there.

Mr. R. F. McWilliams came down from Osgoode Hall, Toronto, last night to spend the holidays with his parents.

Miss Gertie Kendry, who has been attending school at Walnut Hill, Natick, Mass., is home for her holidays.

Miss Maggie Ventress is stopping for Christmas holidays at her sister's, Mrs. A. Hewer, Auburn street, Auburn.

Mr. Walter Davidson, who is studying at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, came down yesterday for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. J. H. McIntosh, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is spending Christmas and New Years with friends in town.

One of Belleville's fairest daughters, Miss Irene Brignall, is spending a week or so with her grandmother, Mrs. Cumming, Charlotte street.

Messrs. James and Milne Hamilton, sons of Mr. Peter Hamilton, came up from McGill University last night for Christmas and New Years.

Mr. Lorne McCormack, of Chicago, brother of Mrs. (Dr.) Bradd, is spending his Christmas vacation with Dr. Bradd, 305 Stewart street.

Miss Grace Barnett, of Renfrew, who is attending school in Toronto, is down to spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. McAllister, Charlotte street.

Miss Braden, for some time local manager of the Viava Co., and who has been opening up new business for the company in other parts of Ontario, is spending a few weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in town and country.

Mr. Wm. Warne, of town, who has spent the past term at the Model School, Cobourg, has successfully passed the third class professional examination. He has returned for the holidays, and will assume control of a school in Otonabee at the beginning of the year.

It is noticed by the Globe of to day that there was a very large attendance at the regular meeting of the Laurier Club, in Toronto last evening, "owing no doubt largely to the presence of Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P. for West Peterborough, who delivered a short address on Provincial politics."

Mr. J. A. Barron, Q. C., of Lindsay, has been appointed County Judge of Perth county, of which Stratford is the capital. Mr. Barron is a brother-in-law of Mr. A. P. Poussette, town, and has for many years been successfully practising the legal profession in Lindsay. He was called to the bar in 1872. He was representative of North Victoria in the House of Commons for two parliaments. Mr. Barron's many friends in Peterborough will felicitate him on his appointment.

Mr. Robert Renwick, of Harvey, will remove with his family, next week, to the county of Kent, where his son removed three years ago. Mr. Renwick has resided in Harvey for a great many years, being one of the oldest settlers, and in his removal one of the old landmarks of the county will disappear. His many friends in Peterborough and Harvey regret his departure and hope that his new home in the more thickly settled West may be fully up to his expectations.

For nervous headache use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched, Regular price $3.00 to $4.00. Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

DIED.

LILLEY.—On Monday, Dec. 20th, 1897, Jessie, only daughter of Mr. W. H. Lilley, aged 19 years.

From a Lady

To Her Husband or Gentleman Friend

PLENTY OF EVERYTHING that Men most like to receive. Suggestive hints in all the stocks—Newness, nicety, and Exclusive Patterns in all goods that give good appearance and comfort to Gentlemen. In all lines our selections shows mature judgment and watchful care in buying in advance of fashion in many cases, and always ahead in importing the latest in vogue on both sides of the Atlantic.

Here are a few items which may suggest Holiday Gifts:-

Elegant Silk Mufflers	$1 00 to $3 00
Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs half doz in fancy boxe.	75, 1.00, 1.25,
English Collars and Cuffs—all latest shapes.	
White Dress Shirts	.75, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50
Special Coloured Shirts for the Holidays.	
Black Satin Dress Shirt Protectors	1.50
Fancy Silk Suspenders, in fancy boxes	.75 to 3.00
Fancy Vests, Brown and Drab Corduroy, lined with scarlet flannel (made in London, England)	2.75
Travelling Rugs from	4.50 to 9.00
Dressing Jackets, House Jackets	English manufacture.
Waterproof Coats	6.00 to 18.00
Gloves, fine kid, unlined, also silk lined, and Gloves lined with fine fur and wool	.50 to 2.75
New Pyjamas and Flannel Night Robes.	
Silk Umbrellas, special line with gloria tips	1.25
Chamois Fibre Driving Vests	1.50
Fashionable Neckwear—all high class goods, just out from London and New York, including the swell colours and shapes in Silk and Satin Roman Stripe Tartan and Plaid Effects—a Special Line put up in handsome single boxes at	.50 to .75
Golf Hose (Fancy Tops)	.60 to 1.50
Walking Canes—the latest from London	1.00

Men's Jewelery, Horse Shoe Pins, and other New Scarf Pins just arrived from New York.

Scotch, English and Silk Underwear and Silk and Wool Shirts.

Boys' Overcoats and Reefers at Prices
Boys' Suits and Odd Pants to Clear.

Every Article New
Every Quality High
Every Price Right

When you come to know the Close Cash Prices, you'll be pretty sure to buy. Don't put it off till the last moment.

Mercer's

355 George Street, - - Merchant Tailors and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

NEW FRUITS FOR XMAS BUYERS.

THESE BE NEW.

We offer Christmas Buyers absolutely reward perfect Fruits for the Christmas Table. Housekeepers know the value of good things. We are exactly in line with their wishes:—

New Raisins, New Evaporated Peaches and Apricots, New Figs, Dates, Prunes, Currants, Orange and Lemon Peels. We're to remind you what we have. Bananas in quantity.

New Fancy and Plain Biscuits in all the popular shapes. They are delicious goods. **Nicholson's Condensed Mince Meat and Mince Meat in bulk.**

NEW CANDIES—Mind you—a whole pound for 5 cents.

FRESH OYSTERS—including **Booth's Baltimore Oysters** brought in direct, &c. See these in bulk. They can be relied on.

Blewett & Martin

THE SPOT CASH GROCERY,

ALEX. ELLIOTT'S OLD STAND, GEORGE ST

LOOK HERE AT WALLER & CO'S.

1 lb. No. 1 Cream Candies	15c
1 lb. No. 1 Chocolate Drops	15c
1 lb. Mixed Candies	5c
4 lbs Gum Drops	25c
1 lb. No. 1 Walnuts	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Almonds	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Filberts	10c
1 Doz. No. 1 Oranges	20c
1 lb Table Raisins	12c
1 Bottle Unfermented Wine, for your Christmas Dinner, all kinds, Grape, Rasberry, Black Currant, Black Berry, Tokay, Black Cherry, Orange, etc., quart Bottles at	30c

Seasonable Suggestions for Santa Claus Shoppers.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

ELEGANT 'XMAS GIFTS.

HANDSOME NEEDLE WORK. Silk Table Drapes, Silk Piano Drapes, Centrepieces, Tray Cloths, Five o'clocks, Table Covers, Sofa Cushions, Tea Cosies, Fancy Trimmed Articles, Designs in Cold Felts, Linen Work, Crochet Work, Wool Work, Lace Collars, Wellings, Chiffons, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Stamping done to order, and ordered work promptly executed.

FANCY GOODS.—Comb and Brush Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Trays, Tie and Handkerchief Cases, Celluloid Novelties, Ostrich Fans, Photo Frames and Easels, Fancy Tassels, Art Materials, Pin Cushions, Fancy Silks, Braids, Fine Wools, &c., Stamped Goods, Wall Ornaments, Toilet and Perfume Bottles, &c., &c.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

390 GEORGE STREET.

Special Holiday Offers in Millinery Gift Goods

LADIES WHO DON'T KNOW

What to buy for Christmas are invited to visit our Popular Millinery Store, where everything is arranged to make shopping a pleasure. If you make your Holiday purchases here you can buy any of our attractive Specialties at SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES.

—Fancy Handkerchiefs, Lace and Bordered.
—Fancy Handkerchiefs and Veil Cases in Coloured Silks.
—Fancy Ties in Chiffon and Silk.
—Fancy American Collars—the newest out.
—Fancy Children's Bonnets, Silk Velvet and Elderdown.
—Fancy Veiling, Spotted and Newest Special Styles.
—Walking Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed.
—Fashionably Trimmed Bonnets, all Reduced.
—Corsets to be Cleared Out at Cost—$1.50 Corset for 95c; $1.25 for 75c; 75c for 45c, 50c, 30c
—All Fancy Dress Goods and Mantles at Cost.

THE MISSES CAHILL.

A MERRY, MERRY XMAS!

Order your ALES, WINES and LIQUORS EARLY, and your FAMILY GROCERIES at the same time.

M. L. HENRY & CO.

Opposite Opera House, George Street.

WET WEATHER.

The dangers of exposure to cold and damp vividly portrayed by one who has experienced them.

Mr. John Conboy, 250 Sidney Street, St. John, N.B., talked to our reporter about

his experience with kidney trouble, and his recent remarkable cure by Doan's Kidney Pills. Mr. Conboy's statement reads as follows:—

"For a number of years I have been troubled with kidney weakness, brought on by heavy lifting and exposure to wet and cold; also a heavy strain whereby I wrenched my back. I experienced great pain in the chest, extending through to the small of my back and around the loins.

"Before taking Doan's Kidney Pills my blood became vitiated, and my kidneys were greatly deranged in their action. I suffered also from nervousness and general debility, and I am thankful to say that by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, assisted by Laxa-Liver Pills, I am wonderfully improved. I also suffered from constipation and liver complaint, but found Laxa-Liver Pills an excellent remedy, aiding Doan's Kidney Pills in their splendid work.

"I am glad to testify to the wonderful curative powers of these great remedies, especially when they are used in combination, and feel assured that anyone trying them will not be disappointed in the result.

Laxa-Liver Pills Cure Constipation and Sick Headache. 200

MONCTON'S BAD FIRE.

The New Brunswick Town Suffers a Loss of About $40,000.

Moncton, N.B., Dec. 21.—Shortly after midnight Moncton's worst fire for many years broke out at the corner of Maitland and Wesley streets, in the business centre of the city, and for an hour it looked as if a general conflagration sweeping the east end of the city was certain. The property destroyed is: F. P. Reid Co., wholesale grocery, general book store, owned by Truro firm, Buddick's block, totally destroyed; George Vies, building, general wreck; the original Methodist church of Moncton, recently used as church, and formerly as Salvation barracks; Moore's barber shop, Horsenhorn's fur store, Connor's restaurant, P. A. McGowan's overhead residence; Mrs. J. G. Dobson's millinery store, all destroyed. In nearly every case the fire made a clean sweep, and not even a wall is left. Loss $40,000; insurance $23,000.

THEIR FAME WORLD WIDE.

Health, Strength, Happiness Mark Where Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Been Used.

Glencoe, Dec. 22.—From city to city, town to town, village to village and over the broad fields of the Dominion, the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills, the medical marvel of the century, the only infallible cure on earth for Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Lame Back, and all other kidney diseases, is spreading.

London reported two wonderful cures by means of Dodd's Kidney Pills, within two weeks. Glencoe has a case quite as startling.

W. J. Nugent suffered for years with Kidney Disease and Piles. Doctors couldn't help him. Every remedy he tried failed till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A few boxes cured him.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are a unfailing cure for all diseases caused by impaired kidneys and impure blood.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 21.

FLOUR—The market is stronger, with good demand. Straight rollers quoted at $3.90 to $4.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was strong, with good demand. Sales of red winter were made at 83c to 83½c, high freights. No. 2 spring on Midland, 82c to 83½c, and goose 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 94c to 95c, Fort William, and at 90c to $1, Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market continues quiet, with fair offerings. No. 2 is quoted at 35c east. No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 at 26c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24c west, and at 25c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 44½c to 45c, north and west, and at 45½c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is firm, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44½c high freights and at 45½c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with a limited movement; prices are nominal at 25½c to 26c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.30 in barrels on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 20.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 3½d to 7s 9d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 4d to 5s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 9d; corn, 2s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine westars; lard, 23s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 30s 0d; do., light, 29s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 4¾d for Dec. and March, 7s 3½d for May and 7s 0⅝d for July. Maize dull at 3s 1¾d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

Liverpool—Close—Futures steady at 7s 5¾d for Dec., 7s 5½d for March, 7s 3½d for May and 7s 1d for July. Maize steady at 3s 1¾d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

Mark Lane—English wheat quiet and steady; demand better for foreign. Maize dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 20f 25c for Jan. Flour 61f 50c for Jan. Weather in France cold.

After serious illness Hood's Sarsaparilla has a wonderful building up power. It purifies the blood and restores perfect health.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil.

The great pain cure. Used externally cures rheumatism, swellings, bruises, stiffness, pain and soreness of every description. Internally used it cures croup, colds, sore throat, hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, quinsy, etc. etc. Price 25c, all druggists.

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 393 George street.

Another Methuen find Dr. Low's worm [illegible] to expel worms. [illegible] don't.

PRONOUNCED GUILTY.

The Jury at Brampton Finds Against the First of the Shelburne Perjury Prisoners.

Brampton, Ont., Dec. 21.—In the Coleman perjury trial court opened yesterday morning at 10.30 o'clock, and the first witness called for the defence was Mrs. Hamilton, who gave evidence to the effect that Twibble called at their house on the Saturday before the trial commenced at Orangeville and told her to tell Mr. Hamilton not to go near the office, as he was watched, and also to tell her husband he was in the office the night Mrs. Stevenson was there; that he saw the order signed and knew all about it.

Mrs. Coleman was called, and swore positively that her husband left for Shelburne about 12.30 o'clock on Nov. 23, that he arrived home about 11 p.m., and told her that Hamilton had some queer times in his office; that he had a dispute with a lady in his office about an account and an order. This lady, witness said, from the description given by her husband, was Mrs. Stevenson, as she knew the woman, having had previous dealings with her.

This closed the case for the defence.

After lunch James Small was re-called, but nothing new was elicited from him.

At 2 p.m. Mr. Johnston opened his address to the jury, and went over the evidence very carefully. Mr. Johnston's address took two and a half hours in its delivery.

At 4.30 p.m. Mr. O'Leary began his address to the jury on behalf of the Crown. He reviewed the evidence as given by the witnesses in a very able manner. Mr. O'Leary closed after an eloquent address, lasting an hour and forty-five minutes, with a simple request for justice only at the hands of the jury.

Coleman Guilty.

His Lordship addressed the jury, and reviewed the evidence with them. His charge was to a certain extent against the prisoners.

The jury were out about an hour and returned with a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation for mercy. Sentence was not passed on prisoner.

It is not settled yet what case will be proceeded with to-morrow.

Suicided in a Hay Mow.

Ruthven, Ont., Dec. 21.—An old man by the name of John Williams, living at Mr. Frank Lypp's, went up into a hay mow and placed a string to the trigger of an old Zulu rifle, then placed the muzzle to his forehead and deliberately took his life by pulling the string with his foot. Death must have been instantaneous. No cause is attributed for the deed, but it is thought to be a case of despondency. He was a bachelor, about 70 years of age. He has two sisters and brothers living in this vicinity.

Killed in a Stave Mill.

Wallaceburg, Ont., Dec. 21.—Thomas Petes, son of David Petes, was instantly killed at Steinhoff & Gordon's stave and hoop mill here yesterday afternoon by being caught in a shaft. The body was terribly mangled.

For Conspicuous Bravery.

Hamilton, Dec. 21.—The Sanford gold medal, given for conspicuous bravery, has been awarded to Rev. Fred G. Scott, of Quebec, for saving a drowning man in the strong tide of the St. Lawrence River.

When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat when he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page COMMON SENSE MEDICAL ADVISER, illustrated.

Business Dead in Jamaica.

New York, Dec. 22.—F. Croswell, who arrived from Jamaica on the Atlas Line steamship Allegheny to-day, said that owing to the depressed price of sugar in Jamaica business there was almost paralyzed. Many owners of sugar plantations were selling their properties at half their values and were leaving Jamaica. He stated that the yellow fever epidemic had been entirely stamped out.

The Massey Reward Paid.

Buffalo, Dec. 22.—The $250 offered as a reward by the Canadian authorities for the capture of the burglar who broke into the Massey residence at Toronto several weeks ago and stole valuable diamonds, was received by Specials McCabe and Coon of the Pearl street station yesterday afternoon. These two officers captured the burglar, who proved to be Hugh Van Zandt.

How To Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the blood. If you are pale and thin, you are poor in strength and nerve power. Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness pallor, and brings rich blood and nerve power.

None So Excellent.

"I have been troubled with sick headache for over a year. Lately I have used Laxa Liver Pills, and find that they help me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. They are an excellent pill, causing no pain or griping, and leaving no after ill effects."

MISS MARY ELLEN HICKS,
South Bay, Ont.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE NAKED TRUTH.

G. W. Smalley Said Some Things Calculated to Make Yankee Ears Tingle—"Old and New England."

New York Dec. 22.—The New England Society of the city of Brooklyn held its seventeenth annual dinner last night in celebration of the two hundred and seventy-seventh anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims. Covers were laid for 150 guests, among whom were many ladies, the relatives and friends of the members of the society.

Among the speakers was Mr. George W. Smalley, who is a correspondent of the London Times. "New and Old England" was the subject of his discourse, and he caused quite a sensation by his broad handling of the diplomatic relations between this country and the countries upon the other side of the water. He referred to Cleveland's Venezuelan message, and declared that England had shown a great deal of forbearance in this affair. He declared also that the Continental powers had come to think of the United States as a menace to the peace of the world, instancing the interference of the United States in the Venezuelan question, the attitude of the United States toward Turkey in connection with Armenian affairs and Turkey's war with Greece; its attitude with reference to Hawaii, and latterly the strong sentiments that have been expressed by the American people against Spain's war in Cuba.

He said that so strong were the feelings entertained by the Continental powers against this country, there would certainly be formed a combination to oppose any action that the United States Government might attempt to take to enforce compliance with its wishes, and asked if it might not be well, under such circumstances, for the United States to get as close as possible to England, the Old and the New England.

Senator Hawley took occasion, when the excitement had subsided somewhat, to say that he was extremely sorry that Mr. Smalley had so misunderstood his own country, an expression which was loudly applauded.

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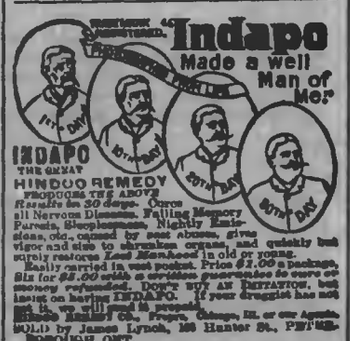

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There was "copy" in the idea, and I took my valuer friend round London on valuing intent.

We came to town on the underground. "Two thousand yards of this railway," said my friend, "cost £2,000,000, or, if you like to have it so, £120 an inch. If you wanted to buy this railway now, you would probably be asked £5,000,000 for it. There is another mile on the same line which would cost you something like £2,000,000, having cost a third of a million to lay down. But that is comparatively moderate. If the electric railway were put up to auction and you were fortunate to get it at cost price, you would need the wealth of seven millionaires to buy it. These 3½ miles of railway are worth quite £12,000,000 as prices go nowadays.

"Get out at this station and look at the monument. You would not buy it for £300,000. In five minutes you will be at the Mansion House, which cost a round £70,000 to build, but is now worth nearly £1,000,000. The Royal Exchange, as a building of bricks and mortar, is worth £200,000, but it stands on land worth £3,000,000. Not long ago land in this neighborhood was sold at the rate of £2,000,000 an acre.

"The Bank of England would probably fetch £4,000,000 in the market, but as there is always £20,000,000 worth of gold in the cellars its standing value is about £24,000,000. Go westward over Holborn viaduct and remember that that short stretch of highway is worth over £3,000,000. You would want nearly £2,000,000 to buy the general postoffice, which you have just passed, and the law courts, with the land on which they stand, are worth £2,500,000.

"Walk along the Strand and stand for five minutes on Waterloo bridge. The property you are here would make dozens of your friends millionaires at a stroke. Two million pounds would not buy those two hotels, and Somerset House, at building cost only, is good for £500,000. The bridge you are standing on was a disastrous failure when it was built, but it is worth now more than the £1,000,000 which it originally cost. There are seven bridges on either side of you, which cost between them over £4,000,000. The tunnels underneath the river are worth millions as a commercial property, and the embankment is now worth probably double the £2,000,000 which it cost to make.

"If St. Paul's were private property, you might induce the owner to sell it for £10,000,000, but the likelihood is very remote. Those tattered banners which you have seen so often would arouse pretty keen bidding at the sales, and if you got one for £10,000 you might think yourself extremely lucky. Westminster abbey is difficult to value. It is one of those things that cannot be bought, but the sales give us some idea what historic treasures are worth in the market, and I should not be surprised if the abbey—put up in lots—realised £50,000,000. Fancy putting a ticket on Jacob's pillar or the royal tombs!

"You have admired the magnificent exterior of the houses of parliament and the splendid interior, but you will perhaps be surprised to know that you could not erect these buildings today for £5,000,000. St. Thomas' hospital, and the Albert embankment running along the front of it, are worth together over £1,000,000, and the bridge leading to it cost £350,000.

"Perhaps you have never reflected what a privilege you enjoy in being able to visit so many places free. The British museum, which anybody can see for nothing, could not be bought up by all the millionaires in America. If it were absolutely empty, it would be worth £1,500,000, and it is full of priceless treasures, one collection alone being worth nearly £250,000. The National gallery is worth millions. It cost, with the new Tate gallery section, £250,000 to build, and has one picture which cost £14 an inch and 38 others which cost £1,700 apiece.

"The Albert hall and Royal aquarium are each worth about £250,000, but the Crystal palace cost more than three times the value of both these, the bill for the palace being £1,500,000. Earl's court, the great show rivaling the palace, has millions' worth of treasures which you can see for 1 shilling, and even when it is empty the 35 acres of gardens and buildings are worth £300,000.

"The hotels and public houses of London could not be bought up for £30,000,000, to say nothing of the land on which they stand. Two of them pay £450 a week between them in ground rent. Buckingham palace is not very gorgeous, but it is worth £4,000,000 as it stands, and if you wanted to rent it privately you would have to pay £4,000 a week for it. Devonshire House and Lansdowne House, in Piccadilly, would cost you £1,000,000, but you would not expect the picture galleries thrown in at this price. They are worth hundreds of thousands."—London Tit-Bits.

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And all for your sweet sake,
The eager rose o'erleaps the close
And climbs the spicy-mossed wall
To hide his face in the drifts of lace
That over your lattice fall.

The dead sweet scent of the woodbine
Some languid breeze hath stirred,
And out of the dark, dew-haunted park
Floats the pipe of a restless bird,
And far and faint the gurgle and plaint
Of the wood brook sounds alone
As I listen and pine for some answering sign,
Some whisper of thine, my own!

I lie with the lilies, Nita,
Under thy lattice bars,
And the infinite night brims over
With the glory of moon and stars,
And the wooing woodbine's passionate scents
Out of the darkness blows
And faints and dies with the mingled sighs
Of perfumed lily and rose.

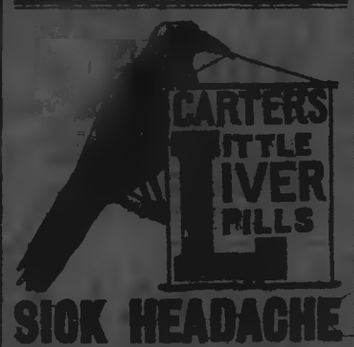
Yet rest thee, my beloved, since
No prayer of mine may win
The crystal walls of slumber
That shut thee softly in.
But, oh, that the mystic angel
Who keepeth the pearly key
Of sleep would open some door of dreams
And lead thee, sweet, to me!

—Emma Alice Brown in New York Ledger.

Sweet Sympathy.

Mrs. Dasher—There's a terrible scandal about me in the papers.

Mrs. Flasher—I wonder how they got hold of it?—Brooklyn Life.



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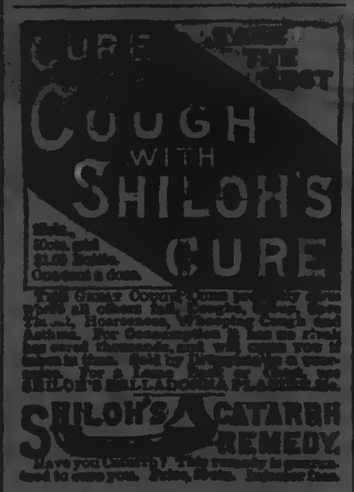

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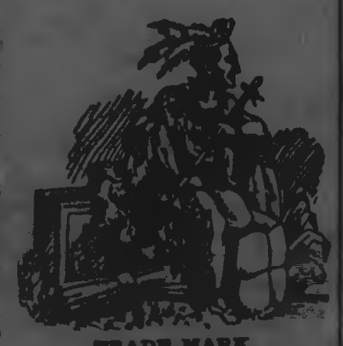

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"Have you ever thought what London is worth?" remarked a valuer to the writer the other day, "and will you believe me when I tell you that all the money in the world piled up in one enormous heap would not buy the treasures on which Londoners may gaze at will every day of their lives?"

There was "copy" in the idea, and I took my valuer friend round London on valuing intent.

We came to town on the underground. "Two thousand yards of this railway," said my friend, "cost £2,000,000, or, if you like to have it so, £30 an inch. If you wanted to buy this bit now, you would probably be asked £5,000,000 for it. There is another mile on the same line which would cost you something like £3,000,000, having cost a third of a million to lay down. But that is comparatively moderate. If the electric railway were put up to auction and you were fortunate to get it at cost price, you would need the wealth of seven millionaires to buy it. These 3½ miles of railway are worth quite £12,000,000 as prices go nowadays.

"Get out at this station and look at the monument. You would not buy it for £20,000. In five minutes you will be at the Mansion House, which cost a mere £70,000 to build, but is now worth nearer £750,000. The Royal Exchange, as a building of bricks and mortar, is worth £300,000, but it stands on land worth £3,000,000. Not long ago land in this neighborhood was sold at the rate of £3,000,000 an acre.

"The Bank of England would probably fetch £4,000,000 in the market, but as there is always £20,000,000 worth of gold in the cellars its standing value is about £24,000,000. Go westward over Holborn viaduct and remember that that short stretch of highway is worth over £2,000,000. You would want nearly £2,000,000 to buy the general postoffice, which you have just passed, and the law courts, with the land on which they stand, are worth £2,500,000.

"Walk along the Strand and stand for five minutes on Waterloo bridge. The property you see here would make dozens of your friends millionaires at a stroke. Two million pounds would not buy those two hotels, and Somerset House, at building cost only, is good for £100,000. The bridge you are standing on was a disastrous failure when it was built, but it is worth now more than the £1,000,000 which it originally cost. There are seven bridges on either side of you, which cost between them over £4,000,000. The tunnels underneath the river are worth millions as a commercial property, and the embankment is now worth probably double the £2,000,000 which it cost to make.

"If St. Paul's were private property, you might induce the owner to sell it for £10,000,000, but the likelihood is very remote. Those tattered banners which you have seen so often would arouse pretty keen bidding at the sales, and if you got one for £10,000 you might think yourself extremely lucky. Westminster abbey is difficult to value. It is one of those things that cannot be bought, but the sales give us some idea what historic treasures are worth in the market, and I should not be surprised if the abbey—put up in lots—realized £50,000,000. Fancy putting a ticket on Jacob's pillar or the royal tombs!

"You have admired the magnificent exterior of the houses of parliament and the splendid interior, but you will perhaps be surprised to know that you could not erect these buildings today for £5,000,000. St. Thomas' hospital, and the Albert embankment running along the front of it, are worth together over £1,000,000, and the bridge leading to it cost £250,000.

"Perhaps you have never reflected what a privilege you enjoy in being able to visit so many places free. The British museum, which anybody can see for nothing, could not be bought up by all the millionaires in America. If it were absolutely empty, it would be worth £1,500,000, and it is full of priceless treasures, one collection alone being worth nearly £250,000. The National gallery is worth millions. It cost, with the new Tate gallery section, £350,000 to build, and has one picture which cost £14 an inch and 38 others which cost £1,700 apiece.

"The Albert hall and Royal aquarium are each worth about £250,000, but the Crystal palace cost more than three times the value of both these, the bill for the palace being £1,500,000. Earl's court, the great show rivaling the palace, has millions' worth of treasures which you can see for 1 shilling, and even when it is empty the 25 acres of gardens and buildings are worth £800,000.

"The hotels and public houses of London could not be bought up for £20,000,000, to say nothing of the land on which they stand. Two of them pay £450 a week between them in ground rent. Buckingham palace is not very gorgeous, but it is worth £4,000,000 as it stands, and if you wanted to rent it privately you would have to pay £4,000 a week for it. Devonshire House and Lansdowne House, in Piccadilly, would cost you £1,000,000, but you would not expect the picture galleries thrown in at this price. They are worth hundreds of thousands."—London Tit-Bits.

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A CURIOUS POCKET PIECE.

How Railroad Engineers Transform Nickels Into Buttons or Spheres.

A Union Pacific engineer has a fashion of making unique pocket pieces for his friends. He runs a passenger engine west, and when oiling previous to a run he drops a nickel 5 cent piece into the brass oil cup on the crosshead of the piston rod. His run is 800 miles. When he reaches his destination, he unscrews the top of the oil cup and takes the nickel out. It has been metamorphosed into a curious little button with an evenly turned rim, within which on the one side is the countersunk head of Liberty, divested of her stars, and on the other side the V and the wreath. The edge of the crown is as perfect as if it had been pounded on an anvil by an expert silversmith.

The perfection of this is due to the even vibration the coin has been subjected to. The motion of the piston is horizontal, and it travels 48 inches, back and forth, with every revolution of the wheels. The interior of the oil cup is round, and the edges of the nickel as it travels back and forth in the oil striking the sides of the cup, are turned over and pounded into perfect roundness. Sometimes a nickel is left in the cup during the round trip, or 600 miles. When taken out, it is a nickel bullet, a perfect polished sphere. Who discovered this unique method of turning the edges of a nickel is not known, but many engineers know of it.—Tacoma Ledger.

Foretold the Wheel.

"There is no new thing under the sun." We hardly expected to find that Dr. Johnson aphorizes on so up to date a subject as cycling, yet such is the fact, as the following extract will show, says an English paper:

Mr. Ferguson told him of a newly invented machine which went without horses. A man who sat in it turned a handle, which worked a spring that drove it forward. "Then, sir," said Johnson, "what is gained is, the man has his choice whether he will move himself alone or himself and the machine too."—Boswell, Year 1769, Page 207 of *Globe Edition*.

A NIGHT SONG.

Under the white moon, Nita,
The lilies lie awake,
And red as blood in flower and bud,
And all for your sweet sake,
The eager rose o'erleaps the close
And climbs the columned wall
To hide his face in the drifts of lace
That over your lattice fall.

The dead sweet scent of the woodbine
Some languid breeze hath stirred,
And out of the dark, dew haunted park
Floats the pine of a restless bird,
And far and faint the gurgle and plaint
Of the wood brook sounds alone
As I listen and pine for some answering sign,
Some whisper of thine, my own!

I lie with the lilies, Nita,
Under thy lattice bars,
And the infinite night brims over
With the glory of moon and stars,
And the wooing woodbine's passionate spice
Out of the darkness blows
And faints and dies with the mingled sighs
Of perfumed lily and rose.

Yet rest thee, my beloved, since
No prayer of mine may win
The crystal walls of slumber
That shut thee softly in.
But, oh, that the mystic angel
Who keepeth the pearly key
Of sleep would open some door of dreams
And lead thee, sweet, to me!

—Emma Alice Brown in New York Ledger.

He Could Read Hands.

Colonel Poker—I decline to play with you in the game, sir.

Major Moberly—Why, colonel, do you mean to insult me?

Colonel Poker—No, no, no. I mean that you are too well posted in the science of palmistry.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Mrs. H. Palmer, of Ridgetown, Ont., says:—"I was afflicted for a number of years with Erysipelas and Neuralgia in my face, and one bottle of Sloan's Indian Tonic cured me entirely, and I would recommend it to others, either for Erysipelas or Neuralgia."

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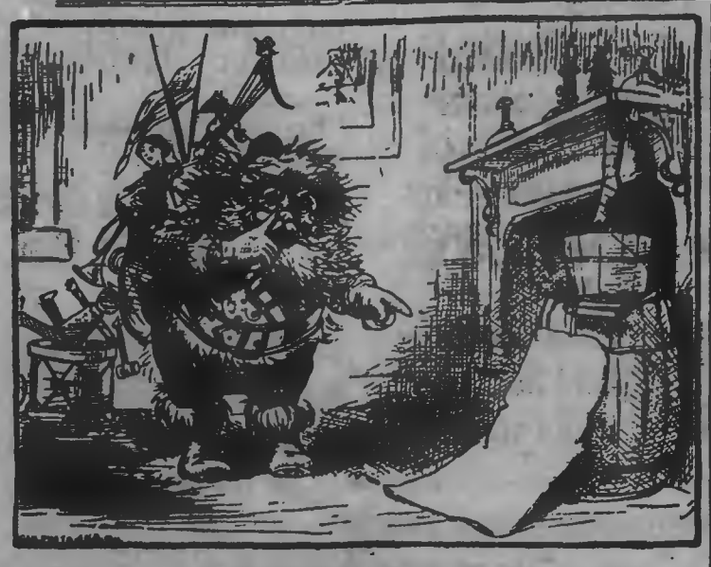

A TALE OF CHIMNEYS AND ST. NICK

Chimneys narrow, chimneys crooked, chimneys covered and small and smoky and tall—everyone has puzzled old Santa Claus until he reached the right one—the easy chimney that's square and wide and low—down which he comes. The moral of all this is that buyers are apt to be bewildered until they reach our store when the buying of Seasonable Gifts is made easy with goods that are "square," with assortment that is "wide" and with prices that are "low."

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THE CHIEF OF POLICE WAS EXHONERATED.

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amongst those things you are not given power to subpœna witnesses or take evidence under oath, without which the investigation would prove a farce. We do no propose to become a party to any such theatrical affair. The parties who are laying the charges have not been injured in any way. I do not appear here with the good will of a single hotel keeper. Of two seen one had advised strongly against proceeding with the charges The charges are brought by parties not in any way connected with hotels. We are in the position that requires us to bring adverse witnesses, and not five out of the hundred needed will appear voluntarily. They will have to be paid before their attendance can be secured, as either through fear or some other cause they refuse to give testimony. Therefore we will have to have some proper tribunal to compel these men to come forward, and if they refuse to do so, or commit perjury, we will then be in a position to prosecute them. To illustrate the large number of witnesses required I will give some of the details of one charge. Some time ago the Chief gave a boy money to buy cigarettes, knowing that he was under sixteen, which was then the age set by statute in the matter. The boy went to Legros', and said that the Chief had sent him. He was given 50 cents by Legros for giving the information. He told the same story at Gordon's, and got 25 cents. He went to Ray's and

WAS KICKED OUT

of the shop. The lad looked much older than his years. He went to Clegg's and was put out. At Morgan's he was asked if he was over sixteen, and he said he was. He got the cigarettes told his story, and was given a quarter. He then went back to the Chief and said he could get no cigarettes, and was told to keep the money. This was the story told me, and if it is true—

Councillor Neill—Have you declarations that this is true?

Mr. Stratton—No; as I have said, it is just what has been told me by my clients. I may be misinformed, but it should be cleared up.

Mr. Denniston—Do you state that this did not take place three years ago?

Mr. Stratton—I am not here for cross-examination, but am simply giving this example to show the number of witnesses which will be required in this case. I am instructed that these statements are substantially true. The Chief, it is alleged, has admitted before Mr. Fowler and Mr. Morgan that he gave the boy money. Quite a number of the council have expressed themselves one way or another in this matter, and no person accustomed to judicial procedure would advise prosecution before a tribunal which had shown an animus towards either party before the trial. If the Chief was not guilty, he should have the benefit of an unprejudiced tribunal. Further, we want this case to be brought before a judge who is accustomed to weigh evidence. There would be conflicting testimony, and we wish it to be sifted by a person competent to weigh evidence and know what is proper evidence. In a case like this, which is very grave for the Chief, as if proven, there would be no other case but to dismiss him, the matter should be referred to the County Judge, as he is the man appointed by statute. He is given the powers invested in a judge of the High Court. I submit that it would be wrong to compel a person to stand trial on such serious charges except before a competent tribunal. The witnesses of my clients are adverse. They will not appear except under compulsion. Whilst you have considerable power, you have not the power to issue a subpœna, or in case of default, to commit to gaol for contempt, so it would be nothing but a farce to attempt to prove these charges in the face of witnesses, whom the prosecution could not bring except by compulsion. When you directed Mr. McNairn to appear with his witnesses, you directed something which you had no means of compelling.

We received last night a list of charges signed by Mr. McNairn and the council decided that they disclosed no evidence sufficient to put the Chief on trial and moved that Stratton & Hall supply particulars of the charges. They had paid no attention to this request and I therefore claim that there are no charges before the council to be dealt with. The council should know that there are responsible citizens who make these charges in good faith and should ask Mr. Stratton to disclose the names of his clients, as he appears here simply as their solicitor.

The documents contains no charges that should necessitate an investigation. The Judge would refuse to try the Chief on the charge of perjury as the offence is governed by the law of the country and should be brought before another tribunal. Mr. Stratton has given some particulars about one charge and only one, I think therefore, we can safely assume there is but one charge of which he is in possession of particulars. Concerning this one the Chief says the boy came to him and stated that he could obtain cigarettes and offering his services, was given ten cents. Shortly afterwards he came back and said he was not able to get them and was then told to keep the ten cents. The Chief is prepared to take oath that he never at any other time gave any children money to do any such thing as charged. Even if true, this constitutes no offence for which he should be tried and he is now prepared to state that the boy was told to go to LeGros and nowhere else. The Chief admits this. There is no one more willing to court investigation than he and I ask you, gentlemen, to throw these charges out and in so doing exonerate him and if you do not see your way clear to do this, then sift the matter before a proper tribunal. The police commissioners in other places refused to deal with any charge of perjury. McNairn said last night he would have his witnesses *here so that we could go on* with the one charge anyway.

Mayor Yelland—In reference to what Mr. Stratton said about this not being a proper tribunal, I would like to say that the highest tribunal in the land is a jury of twelve.

Mr. Stratton—But you cannot summon witnesses.

Mayor Yelland—We don't want to go into law.

Councillor Neill—I move we take up the first charge. If the council won't pay the witnesses, I will.

Councillor Neil and Deane then moved that Mr. McNairn be heard.

Mr. Stratton—I appear for Mr. McNairn, and *object* to have the case taken up (1) on the ground that the council is not the proper tribunal; (2) that they have no power to summon witnesses; (3) that the witnesses in the case are adverse, and we cannot get them except under compulsion; (4) that it would be unfair to force the prosecution to open its case and only proceed with one charge, and then close to go on again some time in the future. Further, if any false evidence is given, there is no power to deal with the matter, and it would be farcical under the circumstances to go on.

Councillor Neill—I move that this be closed out and we exonerate the Chief.

It was then moved by Councillors Dawson and Cobb, "That this Committee report to the Council that the charges laid against Chief of Police Rossel have not been sustained, and that the Chief is exonerated from deserving censure in connection with any of the charges."

The motion was carried.

Before the Committee adjourned, Mr. Denniston pointed out that there were two sides to every question—it had been charged that the Chief had persecuted certain hotels, whereas by statute if he refused to prosecute, after receiving information, he would himself be liable to a fine of ten dollars. He was willing to swear that he had never instituted proceedings until information had been lodged.

Yonge St. Fire Hall,
Toronto, March 16th, 1897.

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Suggestions as to What Would be Welcome.

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ARCTIC CIRCLE, Dec. 21, 1897.

My Dear Gough Bros:

My new travelling machine, which I have christened "Gough," is made especially for this trip to the Wonderful Cheap Men of Peterborough; and is the greatest hustler we have seen since electricity was invented. I would like you to get it patented for me at Peterborough as soon as I arrive. The big white bear and seals that tackled me so often other years, have no show against me this trip. Tell your mayor that I want exemption from the Transient Traders' Bylaw of the town, as I expect the freedom of your city during my visit to Gough Bros. Give my love to the little kids, and accept some yourself.

I remain,
Your faithful old friend,
SANTA CLAUS.

P.S.—I send you a few suggestions for the benefit of Santa Claus shoppers in Peterborough:—

Give grandpa a big, cosy storm ulster, to shield him from draught and cold, and get it at Goughs'.

Or give him a pair of Arctic overshoes to keep his old feet warm, and get them at Goughs'.

Give grandma a snug pair of those wool and felt slippers for the house, and get them at Goughs'.

Give father a warm house coat to take his comfort in while he ponders over his evening newspaper as he toasts his feet at the fire, and get it at Gough's.

Or give him a fur cap or a fur coat for the coldest days of February and get it at Gough's.

Give mother a dressy pair of kid laced shoes, a pair of fancy worked slippers, with pointed toes, and get them at Gough's.

Or give her a pair of wool lined felt gaiters, and get them at Gough's.

Give brother a dress-suit, if you would wish to be held in pleasant memory every time he makes a holiday call, and get it at Gough's.

Or give him a silk muffler for his throat or a few of those pretty Roman stripped or plaid scarfs or ties, and get them at Gough's.

Give sister a pair of those elegant pink slippers, with bows on the toes—the best is none too good for her—and get them at Gough's.

Or, give her a pair of skating boots, light soled and warm lined, and be sure to add a season ticket for the rink, and get them at Gough's.

Give the boys all an overcoat apiece, or an ulster or pea jackets. Be sensible and make them not only happy but proof against this zero weather. If Gough is selling at "half price," as they usually do at this season, most parents can afford to go all over the boys with warm things—God bless the boys!—and get them at Goughs.

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While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of, its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way.

COUNTY COUNCIL NOMINATIONS.

A Three-Cornered Contest in the Fifth Division.

The following is the result of the nominations for the office of county councillor for the fifth county council division of the county of Peterborough, to occupy the seat rendered vacant through the death of Mr. John Moloney.

William Leeson, Douro, moved by John Leahy, seconded by J. H. Campbell.

Richard Crowe, Dummer, moved by H. A. Moore, seconded by J. J. Crowe.

Edward Hawthorne, Dummer, moved by Samuel Edwards, seconded by Alexander Watts.

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Passed—R Kingscote, D Hoosy, G Gilchrist, A Fair, B Robertson, M Chapman, E Morgan, I Speer, A Firth, K Martin, F Rossel, R Zimmerman, P Graham, H Hay, A Graham, M Eynon, O English, M Seymour, A Chalmers, J Tully, G Hall, A Laing, J Knox, L Round, M Matchett.

JR III TO SR III.

Passed—Stanley Yelland, Alex Davidson, George Armstrong, Maud Rush, Vincie Hall, Edith Crossley, Frank McIntyre, Mildred Brightman, Phoebe Eynon, John Cookson, Olive Waller, Robt Duncan, Given Hall, Annie Teale, Greta Symonds.

SR. II TO JR. III.

Honours—Helen Davidson, Durham Collins.

Passed—Libbie Hetherington, Wesley Erskine, Ethel Roberts, Edward Reed, Albert Preston, Herbert Meehan, Charles Eyres, Ruth Carlisle, Mollie Maldrum, Thomas Frost, Elmer Milne, Gertrude Pollard, Raymond Burley, Arnold Drummond, Harry Eyres, Edna Pratt, Barton Miller, Pearl McIntosh, Melville Robinson, Lawrence Graham, Willie McDonald,

JR. II TO SR. II.

Honours—Gracie Johnston, Max Yelland, Marsy Shorey, Alex McGregor, Alan Moore, Muriel Martin, Maggie Reid.

Passed—Gertie Curry, Valecta Munro, Roberta Munro, Lottie Cowie, Harry Amos, Mildred Loveless, Minnie Erskine, Harry Wheeler, Effie McWhinnie, Josie Hawkins, Bert Peters, Nettie Isbister, Bruce Turnbull, Ernest Warne, Amoe Roadhouse, Mabel Godfrey, Bertie Laing, Keith Loeb, Warner Nicholls.

SR PT II TO JR II.

Honours—Essie Wood, Ethel McClennan.

Passed—Hazel Kidd, Howard Logan, (Maggie Buller, Ernest Moore,) Mattie Robertson, Rufus McKnight, Victor Fowler, (Ernest Brownscombe, Victor Carron, Eva Irwin,) Charles Kingscote, Ella Ray, Sidney Bradburn, Arthur Belleghem, Elinor Collins, Alberta Couch, Eva Manley, Ethel Oliver, Lulu Wallace, Sidney McIntyre, (Irwin Marks, Nettie Hudson, Harold Hudson, Ernest Rundle,) Beatrice Drummond, Stella Davies, Lloyd Munroe, Carl Hudson, Ada Nicholls, Frank Gillespie, Birdie Dandas, Willie Haggart.

JR PT II TO SR PT II.

Passed—Lena Thorndyke, Bertha McComb, Addie Mitchell, Murray Miller, Effie Mann, Lillias Somerville, Mabel Rae, Norman Moore, Rebecca Sherwood, Cyril Loeb, Homer Judge, Willie Metheral, Olive Irwin, Gertie Jackson, Willie Christoe, Vernon Craig, George Godfrey, Harry Job, Daisy Wood, Ethel Rae, Herbert Metcalfe, Hilda Symonds, Eleanor Seward, John Brightman, Ned Simmons, Bertha Jackson, Jessie Gould, Edith Scott, Bobbie Graham, Frieda Graham, Claude Jackson, Emma Elliott, Eddie Cooney.

SR. PT. I. TO JR PT II.

Honours—(M Burnett, H Vanleck), S Medill, M Freeburn, (M Buller, B Goodfellow), R Hawkins.

Passed—M Fraser, M Hetherington, O Hartley, L Chatron, S Wade, (S Smith, M Micks), H Eynon, S McIntyre, R Burley, W Yelland, P Hudson, M McIntosh, B Nicholls, D White, E Jose, (H Peters, J Turnbull), C Fleetwood, M Armstrong, L Pritchard, P Kellet, P Grange, B Judge, H Gray, M Duncon, I Duncon.

JR. PT. I. TO SR. PT. I.

Honours—Gladys Crase, Edna Mudge, Gordon Long, Allan Campbell, Harold Meldrum.

Passed—Arthur MacKnight, Dollie Randell, Maggie Firman, Nellie Graham, Savigny Laing, Wesley Devalle, Ida Roadhouse, Hazel Devalle, Florence Goodacre, Gordon Campbell, Charlie Kingan, Stanley McCabe, Elmer Fox, Douglas Christol, Eva Buchan, Irene Dunsford, Chester Firman, Vernon Dredge, Alan Rae, Arthur Hall.

South Central.

SR III TO JR IV.

Honours—Reid Munro, Sadie Perry, Dot Cavanah, Meldrum Corbett.

Passed—Alice Loch, Archie Hillier, Bertha Dunlop, Emma Bullen, Grace Bell, Alma Froude, John Cameron, Bertie Holland, George Perks, Agnes Horsfield, Jas Holmes, Edna McWilliams, Louisa Laoheur, Ernest Wilson, Christina Millen, Arthur Yokome, Bessie Henderson, Daisy Dobbin, Willie Jones, Flo Poole, Roy Bacon, Joe Kemp, May Taylor, Mattie Barrett, Hague Sawers.

JR III TO SR III.

Honours—Harry Green, Fannie McFadden, Vincent Rennels.

Passed—Percy Dawson, Stanley Alford, Aggie Sabin, Willie Bourne, Walter Hathaington, Gordon Nichols, Alice Wood, Mona Barton, Beatrice Tovey, Ernest Fletcher, Lizzie Fairley, Beatrice Harris.

SR II TO JR III.

Honours—Percy Kemp.

Passed—Willie Martin, Ethel Fairley, Bradley Mowry, Ida Parrington, Roy Menzies, John Fowler, Nellie Gibson, George Comstock, Nellie Glass, Ernest Hillier, Ernest Tovey.

JR II TO SR II.

Passed—Mary Menzies, Wesley Elliott, Rabie Clegg, Mabel Davies, Stanley Gillespie, Bruce Mowry, Annie Hamilton, Willie Darke, Stanley Gillespie, John Irwin, Lottie Scott, Geo Bell, Olive Chambo, Geo Dunford, Georgina Taylor, Fred Haskell, Alta Bradd, Mancie Montgomery.

SEN. PART II. TO JUN. II.

Honours—Martha Murray.

Passed—Alice Runnels, Edna Spencely, Lilian Wood, Edna Emmerson, Bessie Gillespie, Edith Williams, Ethel Eagleson, Murray Nicol, Harry Huffman, Charlie Lachour, Arthur Emmerson, Roy Laing, Florence McIntosh, Minnie Chambo, Bertha Griffin, Esther Vase, Helen Williams, Dixon Nichols, Mabel Throop, Pearl Bullen, Ida Mulholland, Florence Loudan, Ethel Rehill, Austin Cranfield, Bruce Fee, Frank Sawers, Florence Corcoran, Joe Forster, Norman Corbett, Arthur Jobe, Reuben Hartley, Herbie Rash, Charlie Rodman, Thomas Brownlie, Evelyn Campbell, Katie Hamilton.

JUN. PART II. TO SEN. PART II.

Honours—Rubie Adamson.

Passed—Tommy Foord, Verlna Armstrong, Hammie Nichols, Bessie Mowry, Emily Bickney, (Ernest Armstrong and Geo McAndrews, equal,) Robert Howden, Violet Couch, Rose MacMolland, (Lena Drage and Walter Harris, equal,) Edith Johnston, Ernest Hamilton, Archie Dryland, Revell Connor, John Brownlie, Stella Blackburn, Percy Johnston and Herbert Taylor, equal,) Robbie Winters, Carrie Armstrong, Muriel Burritt, Hazel Buller, John McLennan, Willie Williams, Maggie Kerns, Walter Libby.

SR PT I TO JR PT II.

Honours—Maud Penrose.

Passed—Martha Bullen, Helen Noble, Mabel Morris, Ethel Adams, Robbie Sawyers, Pearl Warton, Ruby Williams, Bruce Clegg, Chas Robertson, Lizzie Brewer, Burritt Rose, Cecil Fletcher, Annie Graham, John Lillico, Harold Webb, Bruce Kemp, Ethel Huffman, John Miller, Iva McIntosh, Ethel Lebar, Edna Kemp, Barrie Jamieson, Harry Lloyd, Evans White, Geo Peacock, Frank Williams, Mabel Boys, Leslie Smeeton, Lottie Rome, Alice Williams, Eddie Armstrong, Allan Cameron, Eddie Sheppard, Minnie Cuncannon, Geo Kelly, John Bickell, Hazel Morris, Hobart Dunford.

JR PT I TO SR PT I.

Honours—A Mowry, L Elliott, C Mowry, E Scriver, H Reed.

Passed—A Barrie, F McDonald, O. Couch, B Sherwood, E Hillier, A Holland, M Harper, R Scriver, M Young, E Nicholls, A Killenbeck, E Jobe, E Ryan, M Lyle, H Anderson.

Park Street School.

JR III TO SR III.

Passed—Gordon Thompson, Harry King, Sam Bailey, Lexa Denne, (Lily Hall, Arthur Wood,) Lavina Wilson, Myra Moore, Tom Dawson, Willie Kennedy.

SR. II. TO JR. III.

Honours—Lilly Yeaney.

Passed—Clara Scott, Annie Hardill, Vernon Morphet, (Hazel Sanderson, Carrie Thompson), Irene Perks, Lottie Kennedy, Gertie Shaw, Alice Nesbitt, (Mabel Brown Vernon Dawson and Roley Kennedy), Bruce McFarlane, Harry Baker, (Jennie McNairn and Mary Oldham.)

FROM JR. II. TO SR. II.

Honours—Clarke Rundle, Birdie Taylor, Pearl Hardill, Harry Barrett.

Passed—Mabel Loomis, Victor Tully, Mabel Chapman, Herman Davidson, Harry Latimar, Maxie Cameron, Lela Moore, Shirley Wesley, Arthur Perks, Ada Richardson, Jessie Mein, Geo Hooey.

SR. PT. II. TO JR. II.

Honours—Violet Crebbin.

Passed—Lois Ostrom, May Edwards, Bertie Weir, Willie Harper, Richard Henderson, Willie Cox, Lenore Sanderson, Bruce Kennedy, Allen Milliken.

FROM JR. PT. II. TO SR PT. II.

Passed—Melville Wilson, Oscar Cones, Angie Armstrong, Lilian Cox, Gordon Speer, Eisie Dawson, Charlie Horsfield, Alan Munro, Eddie Peters, Helen Harper, Chester Frowde, Geo Buchanan, Warden Brown, Bruce Robertson, Eddie King.

FROM SR. PT. I. TO JR. PT. II.

Honours—Edith Long, Arthur Blade, Willie Cones, Carrie Barrett.

Passed—Huldah Dobbin, James McNern, Marshall Wynn, Ray Hall, Louie White, Pearl Crebbin, May Waite, Alice Hardwick, Bertha Chapman, Raymond Ostrom, Laura Turner, Albert Chapman.

FROM JR. PT. I TO SR PT. I.

Honours—Kathleen Wallis, Daisy Shaw, Genevieve Sanderson.

Passed—Ernest Mein, Roland Ferguson, Lizzie McIlwain, Lewis Burton, Pearl Long, Lela Haskell, (Effie Jackson, Jennie Lundy), Emma Horsfield, Charlie Dobson.

Bernardo Avenue School.

SR III TO JR IV.

Passed—Helen Mason, James Ellis, Willie Tonges, Gertie Allison, Eddie Allison, Fred Clegg, Marion Howson, Mabel Lush, May Greer, Gertie Hartley, Irene Cameron, Bertha Gray, Lawrence Maguire, Charlie Curtis, Norman Davitt, Roland Hilliard.

JR III TO SR III.

Passed—Hazel Armstrong, Lillie Inman, Howard Robinson, Stanley Fife, Ernest Belleghem and Violet Greer, equal; John Davidson, Mamie Thompson, Wilbert Gray, Roscoe Kendry, Fred Parnall.

SR II TO JR III.

Honours—Bella Lane, Irene Phalen.

Passed—Harold McCrea, Harriet Downing, Gerald Daly, Elsie Bennett, Edwin Daly, Gordon McClennan, James Downing, Sadie Melrose, J Wilson, Malcolm Wallace, Charlie Little, Ethel Edgecombe, Willie Fitzpatrick.

JR II TO SR II.

Honours—S Devit.

Passed—Roy Turner, Ford Turner, Maxwell Fife, Sibyl White, Alice Chatten, Mildred Steelbrooke, Mabel Curtis, Fred Stinson, Clarence Wilson, Cresswell Billings, Nellie Belleghem.

SR PT II TO JR II.

Honours—Herbert Cooper.

Passed—(Holden Blackwell, Harry Smith,) Etta B Hawley, Florence Armstrong, Bertha Campbell, John Wilkins, Teenie Hart, Edmund Skuce, Walter Gordon, Charlie Ingram, Keith Kendry, James Scriver, Herbert Belleghem, George Moberry.

JR PT II TO SR PT II.

Honours—Minnie Ellis, Helen Deane, Gertie Steelbrooke.

Passed—Charlie Foy, Mabel Sperry, Reginald Dickinson, Edna Bennett, Frank Marsden, Stanley Kingdon, Tom Marsden, Douglas Byers, Gertie Tougas, Olive Pentland, Mina Jackson, Norman Allison.

SR PT I TO JR PT II.

Honours—Lena Stinson.

Passed—Mabel Wilson, Walter Blackwell, Hugh Maguire, Helen Howson, Marion Hilliard, (Lillie Long, Ethel Payton equal), Archie Sollett, Albert Dredge, Tommy Fitzpatrick, Vera White, May Merrell,

JR PT I TO SR PT I.

Honours—(Eva Herron and Irene Melrose equal), Ruby Fitzgerald, Clifford Greer, Edwin Wilkes.

Passed—Hazel Pentland, Leda Long, Harold Stephens, Bruce Hewis, Leslie Daly, Leslie Fife, Daisy Flannery, Stanley Pringle.

George Street School.

JR III TO SR III.

Honours—Charles Johnston, Gussie Shorey.

Passed—Alfred Wynn, Lulu Seward, Ernest Reid, Albert Long, Alma Webber, Clara Kidd, Minnie Wilkins, Howard Clegg, Stella McFadden, Kenneth Simpson, Florence Lush, Willie Lockhart, Gladstone Melrose, Gordon Thornton, Bertha Freeburn, Ethel Bradburn.

JR PT II TO SR PT II.

Honours—Jack Seymour, Horace Smith.

Passed—Florence Creamer, George Martin, Euphemia Smith, Howard Moore, Fred Haggart, Annie Harrison, Hazel Stanger, Howard Jeffries, Cedric Mortimer, Herbert Johnston, Willie Smith, Albert Harrison, Geraldine Billington, Ruth Anthony, Thomas McClellan, Daisy Robson, John Beck, Edwin Harrison, Charlotte Harris.

JR PT I TO SR PT I.

Honours — Gerald Creamer, Vaughan Mitchell, Spray Erskine, Lizzie Isbister, Wesley Beck, Zetta Jameson, Nellie Beck, Ernest Hubel, Cyril Moore, (Willie Gibson and Flossie Mitchell equal), George Zimmerman, Ella Ostram, Annie Reid, John Kennedy.

Passed—Fred Graham, Joe Reynolds, Fred Ames, Arthur Juby, Norman Meehan.

ASHBURNHAM PROMOTIONS.

The Village Pupils Who Will Advance as a Result of the Recent Examinations.

December examinations in Senior Second, Third and Fourth Classes.

Promotion examinations in all the other classes.

"Honours" means one half in each subject, and 70 per cent. of the total.

"Passed" mean one-third in each subject and 50 per cent of the total.

In higher classes low marks are in some cases due to absence on account of sickness, of which there has been a great deal in the past two months.

School re-opens Monday, Jan. 3, 1898. It is hoped all pupils will be present as the work will at once be arranged for the term.

Pupils have been given a list of books required, and are to come ready for a full day's work on Jan. 3rd.

Pupils who fail to procure necessary books may be denied admittance to their classes or refused promotion until they do so, as teachers cannot be expected to advance pupils who have not the necessary books with which to prepare their lessons.

SENIOR FOURTH CLASS.

Number of marks obtainable, 435.

Honours—Wallace Wood, 339; Ralph Quinn, 348; Daisy Distin, 309.

Passed—Bruce Pollock, 308; Pearl Law, 295; Harry Rogers, 291; Ethel Record, 280; Bruce Armstrong, 268; Russ Craig, 263; Ida Armstrong, 261; Maud Long, 262; Bertha Symonds, 207; Eva Moore, 199; Lannie Mowry, 196; Mabel Crocker, 193; Helen Stetham, 175; Florence Dormer, 174; Frank Eden, 98.

JUNIOR FOURTH CLASS.

Number of marks obtainable, 435.

Honours—Gordon Logan, 335.

Passed—Alex Gillespie, 273; May Pollock, 270; Sid Gibbs, 254; Howard Bennett, 245; Effie Fowler, 223; Bruce Gillespie, 205; Annie Ferguson, 204; Ivan Law, 105; Claude Rogers, 95.

SENIOR THIRD.

Carrie Doupe, Roy Wylie, Ada McKnight.

JUNIOR THIRD.

Emma Williams, M Record, E Rogers.

SENIOR SECOND.

A Pollock, B Hartley, Chas Crane.

JR II TO SR II.

Honours—J Waddell, H Williams, H Hickey, H Dodds, M Clark and F Scott, equal; Nettie Castle.

Passed—D'Eyncourt Stone, T Bullied, H Straine, F Noyes, E Pogue, J Gillespie, R Graham.

SR PT II TO JR II.

Honours—L Smithson, J Quinn, S Eden.

Passed—C Adams, M Graham, Percy Crane, E Pakenham, N Fowler, G Batcher, G Hamilton, L Wood.

JR PT II TO SR PT II.

Honours—T Hamilton, A Straine, L Russell, L Chrowe, M Anderson, Willie Butcher, J Beck, C Cox.

Passed—E Thurston, Burt Thurston, M Scott, Jim Burgess.

SR. PT. I TO JR PT. II.

Honours—P Smith, K Long, L McCubbin, E Pollock (L Telford, V Whittaker), J Decker, R Eden, B Quartermaine, D Peoples, R Patterson, H Peoples, C Graham.

Passed—Fred Hickey, G Quartermaine, C Graham.

II TABLET TO III TABLET.

Honours—E Clarke, M. Henderson, A Crocker, M McCubbin, C Buck, E Crane.

Passed—C Stevens, May Stevens, R Nellist, F Hubble, B Gillespie, Archie Craig.

I TABLET TO II. TABLET.

Honours—Ray Tripp, C Dodds, Wesley Chrowe, Albert Whittaker, Herbie Faint, F Ferguson.

Passed—John Revoy, Bert Tripp, A Heathorne, M Stevens.

OAK HALL

Booming Trade!

OAK HALL

Owing to the unseasonable weather, we have not been able to clear out our stock of heavy goods, so have decided to make Sweeping Reductions on certain lines in order to move them.

2 English Worsted Overcoats, large Astrachan Collar, heavy Italian Body Lining, Mohair Sleeve Lining, regular price $12.00, to clear at $8.88

3 Black Worsted Overcoats, stylishly cut, well trimmed and finished, regular price $10.00, to clear at 5.48

3 Blue Black Chinchella Overcoats, Velvet Collars, Tubular Corded Edge, Most Stylish Coat in the market, regular price $11.00, to clear at 5.98

4 Heavy Black Cheviot Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Light Serge Body Lining, very Warm and Stylish, regular $10.50 Overcoat, to clear at 5.68

4 Grey Melton Overcoats, Velvet Collar, were fast sellers at $8.00, to clear at 5.98

5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, clear at 4.68

8 Grey Tweed Overcoats, Italian Linings, the price must sell them, worth $3.00, to clear at 1.00

3 Young Men's Tweed Overcoats, Double Breasted, in light Grey, good value at $7.00, to clear at 3.48

6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at 2.98

9 Boys' Overcoats, ages 12 to 16 years, in Blue Nap, good value at $5.50, to clear at 2.68

We invite your early inspection of these goods.

OAK HALL

YOUR CLOTHIERS.

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Manager.

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterborough.

— FOR —

Christmas Presents.

For a Nice Present from a Lady to her Best Fellow how would a Gold or Silver Mounted Pipe in a handsome case, do—or a Half Pound Tin of Imported Tobacco—a nice box of Imported and Domestic Cigars—a Handy Tobacco Pouch with silk top—or a Cigar Case or Cigar Holder.

What about a Nobby Walking Cane, Gold or Silver mounted? We have a catchy line of Swagger Sticks at moderate prices.

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK is complete with the very choicest and most up-to-date Smokers' Goods in the market, and as we are having a REDUCTION SALE preparatory to enlarging and improving the store, Prices will be Right.

"Shake!" Same to you and many of them!

A Smoking Hot Time

—AT—

LeGROS' TOBACCO STORE.

The Holiday Smoke

A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store. Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

Pipe Tastes Vary

No two men want exactly the same kind of pipe and tobacco. There are a thousand "mixtures" and many smokers mix two mixtures to get just the right flavour, even; then it tastes wrong unless its burned in the right pipe.

We have in stock all the good mixtures and all the good kinds of pipes—Meerschaum and Briar in Plush Cases, the Genuine Own R.B.B. Morrell Mackenzie Pipes, etc., all to be sold at about Half the Regular Price, as our stock is too large and must be reduced.

Dissolution of Partnership Sale.

A Large Stock of **Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves and Tinware**

TO BE IMMEDIATELY CLOSED OUT. THE FIRM OF

MICKS & COX

Have decided to dissolve partnership, and in order to do so will offer for sale the whole stock at a sacrifice.

The Sale will continue until the stock is entirely cleared out. This will afford an excellent opportunity to buy regular lines at very much reduced prices

Remember the Clearing Sale at 187 HUNTER ST., PETERBORO'.

N. B. All Accounts due the firm must be settled by 1st Dec. next.

LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Stevenson, of Quebec, is the guest of Mr. C. Atwood.

Mr. J. E. Kelly has returned from Ingersoll, where he attended the funeral of his father.

Mr. Melville Strickland is ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. F. W. Trade is confined to his home with illness.

Mrs. Campbell McDonald, of London, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Grieves.

Services will be held Christmas morning at 11 o'clock in the church of St. John the Baptist. Special music by the choir.

Mr. John Hamilton, of Calliope, Manitoba, is spending Christmas here.

Miss Fitzgibbon, of Toronto, visited her mother, Mrs. Chamberlain, last week.

The Farmers' Institute held its meeting here to-day at which there was a good attendance of farmers, who were pleased with the addresses.

The following is the programme of the meeting:

FORENOON.

President's address.
"Care of Milk for Creamery and Cheese Factory," Prof H H Dean, of the Ontario Agricultural College.
"Root Feeding," John McMillan, M.P., of Seaforth.
"Poultry," a paper, by Gerald Hayward.

AFTERNOON.

"The Dairy Cow, How to Know Her; How to Get Her," Prof Dean.
"Rotation of Crops," Mr. McMillan.
Paper: "The Best Hogs for the Export Bacon Trade," Geo. Matthews, of the Geo Matthews Co., Peterborough and Ottawa.
Paper: "Breeding and Care of Sheep," R H Birdsall.

EVENING.

Instrumental ..... Glee Club
Chairman's address ..... Mr F J Lillicrap
Song ..... Mr Gerald Hayward
Address—"Canada our Home" ..... Prof Dean
Solo ..... Miss Hendren
Instrumental ..... Glee Club
Reading ..... Mr C J Bloomfield
Chorus ..... Glee Club
Duet ..... Misses Hendren and Galvin
Address—"Our Boys and Farm Life" ..... Mr McMillan
Solo ..... Miss Hendren
Chorus ..... "God Save the Queen."

R. Graham & Son are offering three boxes of matches for 25c., four pounds of cooking figs for 25c., table raisins 15c. per pound, pure lard 10c. per pound. Your order for Christmas fruit promptly attended to.

The handsomest Christmas gifts in town for the least money to be found at R. Graham & Son.

CANADIAN FORESTRY.

On Thursday evening of last week Court Lakefield, No. 45, C.O.F., elected the following officers for the year 1898:

Bro. W H Casement ..... C R
" R C Strickland ..... V C R
" Rev A C Reeves ..... Chap
" W M Graham ..... Rec Sec
" Wesley Sherin ..... Fin Sec
" B Hunter ..... Treas
" Hugh Merrison ..... S W
" Wm Johnston ..... J W
" Geo B Hilliard ..... S B
" Northcott ..... J B
" E Q Dench ..... Auditor
" Dr J B Fraser ..... Court Physician
" R Graham, W H Casement, G B Hilliard ..... Trustees
" W H Casement, Robt J Jory, A Richardson ..... Delegates to High Court

—Our rising young veterinary surgeon, Dr. Johnston, is fast gaining the confidence of horsemen. He is kept busy both in the village and country, and his practice is increasing all the time. The doctor is an honor graduate of the Veterinary College of Ontario.

—Holiday shoppers will find a first-class selection of solid and substantial gifts at W. H. Casement's store. Better values are impossible, if you travelled a hundred miles. His assortment of silver-plated ware, cutlery, carvers, table ware, pocket knives, white enamelled ware, kitchen utensils, stoves, etc., will repay an early inspection.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The council of the above township met on Dec 18th, at one o'clock. All the members were present, the reeve, Mr J McIntosh, presiding. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The following communications were presented:

From Denistoun Peck Stevenson re damage to Mr F Prentice from passing of water on his property.—Received.

From Jos Hopkins, asking to be allowed to clear the highway of stumps and trees near Gibb's Hill.—Granted.

Mr F Wilson appeared and addressed the council re deviation on the Cavan boundary.

From the secretary of the Dominion Alliance enclosing a petition re License Law amendments.—Received.

Accounts were presented as follows:

Rev J C Davidson, conveyance of Mary Chase	
Orillia Asylum	$ 7 80
Hatton & Wood	2 00
A McDonald	3 17
Dr Greer	7 00
Geo Leakie	10 00
J Brown	2 50
J A Armstrong	1 50
W Bell	00
J Grady	00
John T Lillico	1 00
G W Bennett	7 25

The following reports of commissioners were read:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit a statement of accounts as received from various sources for work that was necessary since our last meeting. Same has been properly certified and orders have been issued in payment therefor:

T A Redner	$ 4 00
China Hall	2 10
P Connal & Co	4 35
R Fair	4 35
Geo Matthews Co	2 00
J A Armstrong	2 00
W Anderson	2 00

And also in accordance with your instructions I employed Wm West to break the stones on the road east from the windmill, the amount for which is $3 50.

The account of Jas M Davidson as referred to the Board of Health at the last meeting I again refer to this council, as at a meeting of the Board called there was no quorum, and no action was taken with regard to the account.

The following gravel certificates have been filed by the road commissioners and paid: Jas Patton by D Galloway, $4; S G Bennett by J J Bennett, $16.70. All of which is respectfully submitted for your approval.

JOHN McINTOSH,
Reeve.

To the Reeve and Gentlemen:

Sir,—In accordance with your appointment your committee have let by public auction to-day the following jobs: Bridge at Erskine ave. to W Anderson for $10; culvert at Thompson's, another at J Armstrong's, and another at J Johnston's, to W J Hall for $46. Both contractors have satisfactorily completed their work, and I have certified to the same, and orders have been issued in payment. I also employed F Brewer to break the stones on the gravel road near lot 4 at a cost of $2. I do not deem it expedient to expend any money upon the construction of crib work at Park street at this time of the year. All of which is respectfully submitted.

T. HUNTER,
Chairman.

To the Reeve and Gentlemen:

According to your instructions I let the digging of a drain on the 13 con. near Mr. Foulsome's to Mr. Jackson's. This work has been performed but I find that the drain is not sufficient to satisfactorily carry off the water and would recommend a culvert also to be put in at the same place. The cost of digging the drain is $8.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) T. E. Bradburn.

The clerk read the following report on the work done by the road grader gang and by the road commissioner during the year:

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your instructions, I have completed a statement from the report of supplies from time to time by the foreman of the road grader gang and also from the time sheets and pay lists of the several highway commissioners. I may say that in this statement the number of rods of grading is approximate throughout the township and although not exact, nearly so.

The total number of days' grading is thirty-seven and a half, to this was added as various times when the condition required extra aid, to the amount of $60. The total outlay on grading was $261.20. The total number of rods of roads graded was 2240 or about 7½ miles, covering the cost at about $34.10 per mile. This includes about 2½ miles upon the Cavan boundary at a cost of $70.78, each township bearing a proportionate part of the cost which of course reduces the cost per mile to some extent.

In road district No. 1 there were certificates filed for 668 yards of gravel at a cost of $27.85 and the pay list shows in this division that the sum of $56.40 was expended in drawing, filling, etc., thus making a cost per yard spread upon the road of about 25 cents. In this calculation there is included 2 yards taken from the township pit, which although costing something does not nearly reach the cost of that taken from private pits, and if reckon at 10 cents per yard would increase the cost to 25 cents per yard.

In Road District No. 2 the number of certificates filed showed the number of yards to be 480, at a cost of $20 00, and the sum of $36.10 expended in filling and fronting would make a cost per yard of about 20 cents. In this division there was also 200 yards taken from the township pit, which if reckoned at 10 cents per yard would increase the cost to about 23 cents per yard.

In District No. 3 there were 157 yards of gravel drawn, costing $15.70, and an expenditure in filling, etc., of $28.80, less a cost per yard of 10 cents.

There were in this division 250 loads of earth and stone drawn, at a cost of $10, which with outlay of $27.50 for hauling would make a cost per load, spread on the road, of 15 cents. I also enclose an extract from the time book of the foreman on the grader showing the number of days grading on the boundary to be nine and cost $70.78.

All of which I respectfully submit.

GEO. W. BENNET,
Clerk.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Yelland, that the reeve and Messrs Hunter and Medill be a committee to arrange with Cavan Council re the road through Mr Wilson's, on the 11th concession, and that they procure the services of an engineer as directed by a former resolution of this council.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Medill and Bradburn, that the clerk notify Messrs Donaldson, Peck & Stevenson that although this council have given authority to open a culvert at Mr Foulsome's, they do not recognize the claim as set forth in their communication.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Hunter and Yelland, that Mr J Hopkins be allowed to cut wood on the 12th con at line approaching his place, and that he is to take the wood as compensation for cutting it out.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Hunter, that that accounts as read by clerk, except that of J T Lillico and J Armstrong, be passed, and orders issued for payment.—Carried.

On motion the reports read were received, and actions therein stated confirmed.

Moved by Messrs Hunter and Yelland, that the amount of $5 in Jas M Davidson's account be paid, and the remaining $2 when certified to by Board of Health.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Yelland Bradburn, that Mr Payne be authorized to underbrush the south side of the road, lot 15, from the house of hill at Geo Young's to creek, and also remove the culvert, the cost of same to not exceed $15, and to be subject to the approval of this council before payment is made for same.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Hunter and Yelland, that collector be instructed not to collect taxes of 1897 from W Close, also that Mr Bradburn purchase bread to the amount of $2 for the Close family.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Hunter, that whereas several ratepayers have applied for use of the road grader for private purposes, be it resolved therefore that the sum of $4 per day be charged to any ratepayer who may require the use of the road grader. The parties requiring the same to apply to the reeve, and sign an agreement and a guarantee to return the same in a proper state of repair and pay amount due at the time of rental.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Medill and Bradburn, that that the reeve arrange with Mr Rush in regard to opening drain on Erskine Avenue.—Carried.

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No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company,
Windsor, Ontario.

☞ No. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Nugent, Druggist.

Severe Headaches

Resulting from Catarrh Cause Great Suffering

The Great Blood Purifier, Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

Sufferers from any disease caused by impure blood should never be discouraged about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla because other medicines have failed to give relief. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla cures when all others fail. Read this statement:

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs:—I think it my duty to let you know what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I was suffering with severe headaches daily and also with catarrh. One day a paper was left at my house and in looking it over I read of your great medicine's value in my case. I reasoned that if it cured them, why would it not cure me, although I must own I had some doubts about it, as I

Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. E. GREY, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. 25c.

Moved by Messrs Hunter and Yelland, that that the Treasurer's salary for 1897 be $50, and that an order be issued in payment therefor.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Yelland that the township clerk receive $70 as salary for 1897, and that an order be issued in payment of the balance.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Medill, that an order be issued for $5, caretaker's salary, for 1897.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs Bradburn and Hunter, orders be drawn for $10 each as balance of salary of the reeve and councillors for 1897.—Carried.

The Treasurer presented the financial statement and the clerk was instructed to publish it.

By-laws appointing deputy returning officers, etc., were passed and the council adjourned.

Yonge St. Fire Hall,
Toronto, March 16th, 1897.

Gentlemen,—I have used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for Biliousness and Constipation, and have proved them the best I have ever used—will use nothing else as long as they are obtainable.—Remaining yours, respectfully,

E. C. Sweetman.

It Heals the Lungs.

GENTLEMEN,—I was troubled for years with weak lungs and could not get relief, but on trying Norway Pine Syrup found it acted splendidly, healing and strengthening my lungs. E. J. FURLONG,
Lower Woodstock (Carleton Co.). N.B.

That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

THE NAME THAT CUTS ICE DECEMBER 25th IS

SANTA CLAUS.

Accompanied by Kris Kringle and his numerous Brownee Helpers, and the Entire Holiday Management, His Arctic Highness will be **"AT HOME"** at **GOUGH BROS.,** The Wonderful Cheap Men, all this week. Until Saturday Morning at One o'clock he will hold HIGH CARNIVAL in every department of this Big Store—when a breeze from the Arctic Ocean steals through the open door, then suddenly away he rushes, with a jolly mischievous roar!

EVERYBODY is invited to join the **CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL** at **GOUGH BROS.,** and get an introduction to Mr. Claus. We are freighted with Gifts and Messages from Wonderland to

FILL THE CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS.

But we have no time now to go into particulars—no time now to tell you all about our **Fine Ulsters, Overcoats and Suits, Our New Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Our Cosy Felt Overshoes, Rubbers and Stylish Slippers, Our Swell Neckwear, Underwear and Nobby Furnishings.** In the meantime, we advise all the Boys, all the Young Men and Women—and all the Old Folk, to make good use of the Precious time left—for this will be the most Wonderful, the most Phenomenal Price Splitting Week of Gough's Crowning Year.

CARD.—To our troops of friends all over the Town and County of Peterborough we send forth our Annual Greeting—wishing one and all a Merry Christmas, and may the New Years' sun shine upon you with double brightness.

The Wonderful Cheap Men. **Gough Bros.** 375 and 379 George Street.

Skates and Hockey Sticks

FAVOURITE STYLES AT POPULAR PRICES.

CLUB SKATES for Skating.
HOCKEY SKATES for Hockey.
FAMOUS ROCK ELM HOCKEY STICKS.

Sleigh Bells

SILVER PLATED BELLS—various chimes.
BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

JUST RECEIVED BY

R. H. FORTYE & CO.

Hardware Merchants, 362 George Street.

LONG BROS.

Leading Confectioners
and Pastry Cooks of Peterborough,

Once more wish all their numerous Patrons the Compliments of the season

Try our Own Make of Mixed Candies, pure and unadulterated and specially manufactured for our own trade. Fine English and Fancy Candies specialy imported for the Holidays. The favour with which our Cakes, Pastry and Confectionery have been received by the public, has induced us to make still further efforts this season.

Orders for Holiday Parties, Socials and Entertainments promptly attended to.

Xmas and Home-Made Cakes Iced and Ornamented. Wedding Cakes a specialty.

TWO STORES---386 and 414 George St., Peterborough.

THE LEGISLATURE

Business Now Takes the Place of Talk.

MOORE COMMISSION FINDS FRAUD

The Premier Tells Mr. St. John and the House All About It—Municipal Auditing—Second Readings—The Public Accounts—Conservative Caucus—Mr. Gamey is Ill Again.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—The proceedings in the Legislature yesterday afternoon were not of a spirited nature. Mr. St. John asked a question with reference to the Moore Lumber Co., which was answered by the Premier, after which several private bills were advanced a stage, and the House then went into Committee of Supply, when considerable progress was made upon the estimates.

The Moore Lumber Co.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, answering Mr. St. John, said investigations into the operations of the Moore Lumber Co. had been held at Parry Sound, Huntsville, Toronto, Detroit, Trout Creek and Burk's Falls, and a report made by the Commissioners June 3, 1895. The Commissioners were John A. Barron, Q.C, and J. B. McWilliams, Crown Timber Agent at Peterboro. The conclusion of the Commissioners was that logs had been cut and taken in addition to those properly accounted for. The Commissioners were of the opinion that Peter Sheehan, a culler of the company employed at the lumber camp, kept two different return books containing memoranda of the logs said to have been cut, in which, or in one of which, false entries were made. Sheehan fled from Canada after the discovery. The Commissioners reported they had no evidence before them to warrant the conclusion that Mr. Fleming, the head of the company, had suspected the state of affairs as reported until the fall of 1894 and after all the fraud had been committed. The Commissioners were of the opinion 10,861,616 feet of lumber and 4,851,191 feet of mill culls had been cut and taken and had not been accounted for. A settlement, after considerable negotiation, was arrived at by the payment of $10,861.61 upon the part of the company and the costs of the investigation, $696.

Municipal Auditing.

Mr. Haycock moved the second reading of his bill to provide for the better auditing of municipal accounts. It provides that auditors shall be appointed during the month of November or December and shall be permanent officers as in cities. It also provides that treasurers making payments to other municipalities shall send a statement of such payment to the head of the municipality receiving the payment; it also requires registrars of the municipalities to send statements of amounts paid in the same manner as treasurers. He said the passage of the bill would prevent defalcations, and that had there been such a law upon the statute books years ago, many a good Canadian would not now be in exile.

Hon. Mr. Hardy said the bill was an excellent measure. It was an enlargement of the Audit Act of last year and should be sent to the Municipal Committee, where it might be incorporated with the Audit Act. The bill would prevent defalcations. The bill passed its second reading and was sent on to the Municipal Committee.

Second Readings.

These bills were read a second time:—To incorporate the Canadian Consolidated Copper and Nickel Company.—Mr. Biggar.

Respecting the Shebandowan Mining Company, and incorporating the True Shebandowan Gold Mining Company, (Limited).—Mr. German.

Respecting the Consolidated Debt of the Town of Cobourg, and for other purposes.—Mr. Field.

Respecting the Railway Debenture Debt of the Township of Amabel.—Mr. McNaughton.

Respecting the Sisters of St. Joseph for the Diocese of Toronto in Upper Canada.—Mr. McKee.

Repecting By-law No. 205 of the Town of Rat Portage.—Mr. Conmee.

Respecting the Hamilton and Dundas Street Railway Company.—Mr. Flatt.

To consolidate the Floating Debt of the Town of North Bay.—Mr. Loughrin.

Respecting the Sydenham Glass Company of Wallaceburg (Limited).—Mr. Pardo.

The Public Accounts.

The Public Accounts Committee began business with a rush yesterday, and Mr. William Charlton was elected president by the largest number of members ever in attendance at such a committee. At once there was a request for the presentation of twelve accounts.

Mr. St. John has been this session added to the commjttee, so next Wednesday the piggery question will be taken up.

Mr. Garrow, a Government member, asked that Drs. Smith, Sweetapple, Messrs. Warner, Harris, appear to testify.

Mr. St. John asked that Messrs. F. Newton, William Newton, F. Dunn, R. Hunter, Thomas Whitehead, and D. Moore be asked to give evidence.

Conservative Caucus.

The Conservatives met in caucus yesterday and discussed the holiday question. They believe that the object of the Government in holding a session next week is in order to hold elections the last week in February. For this reason obstruction practices may be resorted to. No amendment will be urged to the motion to go into Supply this afternoon.

Mr. Gamey Ill Again.

Mr. Gamey, the oldest member in the House, after a serious illness, returned to Parliament last week. Yesterday he was taken ill when entering the Chamber, and to-day went back to his house. He will never return to Parliament again.

☞ Advertise in the EXAMINER.

WAS HE MURDERED?

Some Somerville Township People Think That Was Young Lee's Fate—A Preliminary Trial.

Lindsay, Ont., Dec. 23.—The public are familiar with such details as have come to light concerning the fatal shooting of the young man Thomas Lee, in Somerville Township, on the 9th of November last. The father of the dead boy and some of the neighbors were not satisfied with the evidence given at the coroner's inquest by John Luff, who was with deceased at the time of the shooting, and they appealed to the proper authorities for an investigation, the result being that on the strength of the representations made County Magistrate Deacon issued a warrant for young Luff on a charge of murder. He was arrested on Tuesday of last week by County Constable Short, and was remanded till today. This morning the case was formally taken up before Magistrate Deacon, Mr. Devlin appearing for the Crown and Mr. Steers for the prisoner.

Edward Lee, jr., said he lived with his father, Thomas Lee, on lot 71, front range, Somerville Township. John Luff lived on lot 68, same range. On Nov. 9, about 8 o'clock in the morning, he went out hunting with his brother Thomas, the deceased. He told me to go one way and he would go the other, while my brothers, John and Caleb, were to go to the railway. I went north and he went south. It was about 10 o'clock when I got back to the house. On my way I crossed my brother's tracks in the snow going west towards the spot where we had agreed to meet. I learned of my brother's death from John Luff. He came to the house about 10.30 and said: "Tom is dead!" When I got to the place I found my brother dead. The body was lying with the neck and shoulders across a pole. The head and shoulders would be 15 inches off the ground. He was lying on his back. From the position of the rifle and the body it would be impossible for my brother to have shot himself. The wound was behind his right ear, and the bullet came out on the left side. The hair was a little scorched.

After some further evidence as to the finding of deceased and his clothes and gun, etc., the father, with the consent of the Crown Attorney, asked for an adjournment to Coboconk to procure additional witnesses on a date to be fixed by the court.

Arbitration Costs Money.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Representative Johnson, of North Dakota, has furnished the Congressional Record with an interesting statement of what it cost the United States Government to make an unsuccessful claim for damages before the Paris tribunal on the seal fisheries. According to Mr. Johnson's statement, Justice Harlan, of the Supreme Court, received $12,000, and Senator Morgan, of Alabama, received $12,875, as arbitrators. As counsel, James C. Carter was paid $20,000, E. J. Phelps $21,000, Henry W. Blodgett $12,500, and Frederic R. Coudert $15,400. As agent, John W. Foster received $15,000. Over $106,000 was paid for lawyers' fees alone. The total cost to the United States Government was $294,514. The original bills presented called for a much larger sum, but were scaled down by the Auditors of the Treasury to the sums mentioned, which were allowed.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont.; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

The Sale That Eclipses and Overtops All Others

——IS WITHOUT DOUBT——

C. F. KUTZBACH'S
DOUBLE STORE CHRISTMAS SALE.

More customers every day. Crowds all eager to buy. Fathers, Mothers, Daughters and Sons, now realize that this Sale means what we advertise—A BIG SAVING ON THEIR PURCHASES.

Our 'Xmas Goods are all opened up this week. They had all come to hand before I decided to open a second store, and now that I have made the preparations, out the goods must go. No stock in town equal as to variety and newness of goods. Help yourself by saving money and you will help me.

THOUSANDS OF PRESENTS too numerous to mention. We guarantee freedom from misrepresentation, and no Old-Time goods.

Two Stores Full to the Doors

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 379 George Street.
2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

C.P.R. Steamers for Klondike.

Toronto, Dec. 22.—In order to handle the heavy traffic to the Klondike in the spring, the C.P.R. has made arrangements for the building of three large stern wheelers, to be used on the Yukon River. The steamers will be built in this city and the contractors will be kept busy getting them ready for delivery to the owners by April 1. The boats will be about 140 feet long, with a 30-foot beam, and will be especially fitted to carry a large amount of freight. The contracts have been let.

Stewart Outbayonets Morgans.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Private Stewart, of the 48th Highlanders, champion of the world, secured a decisive victory over Sergt.-Major Morgans, of the Royal Grenadiers, the 12-years champion of America, last night at Massey Hall before a large assemblage of enthusiastic spectators. Only two bouts were required, although near the close it looked as if Morgans would win the second engagement.

Andrews is Mayor of Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 23.—There was a hard fought contest yesterday for the Mayoralty between E. F. Hutchings and A. J. Andrews, and Andrews was elected by a majority of 604.

After Typhoid Fever.

"After I had typhoid fever kidney troubles ensued. I had terrible pains in my back, head and shoulders, and felt tired, drowsy and dragged out and had annoying urinary troubles. I have grown daily better since I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have no pains of any kind, sleep well, feel rested; and the urinary troubles have completely disappeared." J. W. Douglas, Port Hope.

THE PERJURY CASES.

The Change of Venue From Orangeville to Brampton Invalid—The Prisoners Out on Bail Now.

Brampton, Dec. 22.—The court opened yesterday morning at 9.30, and the whole morning was taken up in legal reference to the validity of the order changing the venue from Dufferin to Peel. Mr. Johnston contended that the order is not valid on account of no provision being made for the additional costs occasioned by such change of venue.

The judge adjourned to look up the law in regard to the matter at noon.

This was sprung on the Crown in a very unexpected manner and was a great surprise to them.

The same objection was taken on behalf of the prisoner Coleman, who was found guilty by the jury last night, Mr. Johnston contending that he could take this objection at any stage of the trial, even after the jury's finding was recorded.

On resuming at 1.30 in the afternoon, His Honor sustained the objection raised by Mr. Johnston on behalf of defence in the morning, virtually holding that under the defective order made by His Honor Judge Macbrady, transferring the cases to this county, he had no jurisdiction to try the prisoners. The prisoner Hamilton was therefore released from the dock, his bail holding good for his appearance at Orangeville.

The other prisoners, Small, Loudon and Sammons, were severally arraigned, but under the direction of Mr. Johnston refused to plead, and took the same objections to the jurisdiction of the court as was held in the Hamilton case.

On behalf of the prisoner Coleman, Mr. Johnston made an application for bail, contending that, although convicted, he had a right to the same privilege as the other prisoners, and to his liberty in the meantime on substantial bail being given.

The Crown urged the fact that owing to the prisoner's conviction he had no right to be released, even on bail, but His Honor ruled that in view of the reserved case granted at the opening of the Coleman trial as to the doubt in regard to his jurisdiction in the matter, he would grant bail. The bail was fixed at $4,000, the prisoner offering his bail for $2,000 and four other sureties of $500 each.

This ended one of the longest and most sensational sittings of the General Sessions of the Peace in the county.

At a late hour in the afternoon bail could not be secured for Coleman, so if he is unsuccessful he will have to stay in jail.

The confidence of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla is due to its unequalled record of wonderful cures.

Casey Shot His Wife.

Alpena, Mich., Dec. 21.—Maurice E. Casey, who shot his wife yesterday four times, is known all over Michigan and Canada. He was at one time styled the champion lightweight pugilist of Canada and figured conspicuously in sporting circles. Casey some years ago beat Sam Bittle, of Toronto, in a fight at Eastwood, near Woodstock, Ont.

Three Men Were Killed.

Altoona, Pa., Dec. 22.—As a result of last night's freight wreck, which was caused by a runaway train on the Pennsylvania Railroad, three men lost their lives and damage to the extent of $75,000 was done to the locomotives and freight and passenger cars of the Pennsylvania Company.

How To Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the blood. If you are pale and thin, you are poor in strength and nerve power. Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness pallor, and brings rich blood and nerve power.

Cancer Can Be Cured.

Cancer is the severest known form of blood disease. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most powerful medicine known. It cures cancer and all skin diseases. Proof: "My husband had two cancers taken off his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and it disappeared. I know this medicine is an excellent blood purifier." MRS. WM. KIRBY, Akron, Erie Co., New York.

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal, wholesale agents.

That Eaton Fire Again.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—The suit between the Bank of Toronto and the insurance companies which held policies on the John Eaton Company stock came up in Osgoode Hall yesterday, when an order was granted for the examination of John Weldon Eaton, now in New York. Further particulars are required as to the affairs of the company, the amount of stock and the cause and origin of the fire, "not fully and truly disclosed in the statutory declarations of Harton Walker and John W. Eaton."

D-O-D-D-S

THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth so Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionised the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes all phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

Karl's Clover Root.

The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 269 George street.

For cold in the head use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

J. F. ALLIN
Wood Dealer,

George Street, South.

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IS UPON US!

TIME IS PRECIOUS!

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JEWELRY STORE

is stocked to overflowing with Christmas Gifts at Prices as attractive as the goods. So many inexpensive things you won't find in any other store. All that is worthy in Jewelry, from the simple to the elaborate, from the trifle to the precious stone, will be found in our elegant display of special Holiday Jewellery.

F. S. SCHNEIDER,

THE JEWELER, 391 George Street.

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We have a line of beautiful Kid Gloves, the best and thoroughly stylish, all shades. The styles with fancy stripes are correct and popular.

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The Popular Silk Ties; also Chiffon and Net Ties, white and in all shades. Very stylish and natty.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Special line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, particularly nice and pretty goods. Something new in Handkerchief Boxes.

Our Millinery claims attention and is always stylish and correct.

Miss Delaney

"THE WHITE STORE," GEORGE STREET.

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Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Salisbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50cat Grifton & Co.

Xmas Perfumes.

The place to buy your Xmas perfumes is at J. D. Tully's. He has the goods, the quality and the prices. Handsome styles, fragrant and lasting odor. Call and see them. 51

Flower Social New Year's Eve.

Another of those popular socials will be held on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, in the rooms over the Great Northwestern Telegraph office, Cox's Block. A first class orchestra will furnish music, and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Admission, tickets 50c. 31

Cut by a Scythe.

"I have used 'Quickcure' for many accidents this summer," writes Dr. J. S. Andres, of Montreal. "One very bad cut from a scythe, was healed in a wonderfully short time—in one week the cure was complete. For burns and sores, it is really far better than any other remedy I know of."

The Christmas "Forester."

"The Canadian Forester," the official organ of the Canadian Order of Foresters, has caught the Christmas spirit and has issued a charming Christmas number. It has a finely designed emblematic title page, embracing the maple leaf, overprinted with the stag's head and bearing the legend descriptive of the chief aim of the order—"Protect the Widow and the Orphan." The title page also gives the information that the membership is 28,000 and the surplus $287,000 or about $21 per member. The Christmas number contains portraits and brief biographical sketches of the officers of the High Court and Executive Committee, among the latter being that of Mr. F. J. Jameson, of Peterborough, fourth member of the Executive. The Christmas number also contains a large amount of interesting information, setting forth the wonderful progress of the Canadian Order of Foresters since its organization nineteen years ago.

An Up-to-Date Girl.

It is quite apropos that an up-to-date girl should be associated with an up-to-date establishment like the Spot Cash Grocery of Blewett & Martin. In the north window a jaunty new girl, attired in navy blue knickers, with explosively loud checked stockings, automatically wags her pretty head, lifts her veil, "winks her other eye" as she audibly taps with her daintily gloved finger the plate glass, irresistibly attracting the pedestrian, working a "mash" on every young man that passes by and attracting no end of attention to the splendid display the window contains, suggestive of the large stock of first-class goods the Spot Cash Grocery contains. It is one of the most attractive window ornaments that can be seen, and don't fail to see it at Blewett & Martin's Spot Cash Grocery, where all the old staff of the former shop is retained. Customers of the Palace Grocery will find all the old faces, and new goods, at the Spot Cash Grocery, where the up-to-date girl sweetly ogles the passers by.

Ask your grocer for

Windsor Salt

For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

McALLISTER'S KENNELS.

A Pair of Grand Sable and White Collie Dogs Come to Peterborough.

Mr. C. B. McAllister has purchased the grand imported sable and white collie dog, "Melphis," also the young dog, "Mountain Chief," from H. P. Hungerford's collie kennels, of Belleville. "Melphis" is the collie dog so much admired at the Toronto Dog Show by "Kit," of the Toronto Mail.

Mr. Hungerford has brad a lot of crackerjacks, and Mr. McAllister is a fortunate man in securing two good ones. These grand collies will be exhibited at the Peterborough dog show.

Mr. McAllister is to be congratulated on acquiring such fine stock, which will do much to advance the interests of dog fanciers in Peterborough.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	15° above zero	
Yesterday	25°	7°

The Mistletoe Bough.

A nice fresh supply of mistletoe just received at Long Bros. Also a select stock of dessert pears—very fine eating for Christmas.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

What to Buy for "Him."

One of the best things to buy for a man for a Christmas gift is something he would buy himself. A half-dozen of those small Parisian ties just received at LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store, would suit him "down to the ground," as the saying goes. The fair sex have been buyers of these bright beauties of swell ties during the past week in considerable numbers. A silk muffler or a fine woollen neck scarf in bright or plain checks, will also be acceptable gifts, and LeBrun & Co. have a very nobby line full of them at close prices. sed

A Work of Fine Art.

"It's a beautiful thing," is the natural thought when one takes out of its cover the finely artistic Christmas card of the Canadian General Electric Company. Upon a background of iridescent cloud, pierced with shafts of electric light, rests the Canadian coat of arms, surmounted by the beaver resting on a draped table with the British flag draping the shield, and a cavalry helmet, officer's sword and maple leaves clustered round the base of the shield. At the bottom of the card is the legend: "The Canadian General Electric Company wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. This Christmas card is a gem of high voltage.

The Great Secret

of happiness is making others happy. If you don't believe it try some of the following on your friends this Christmas. If you do believe it you will secure a supply:

Oranges from 20c to 40c per doz.
Table Raisins, 15, 20, 25, 30c per lb.
Fresh Almonds, soft shelled, 12½c.
Fresh Walnuts, Grenoble, 12½c.
Fresh Filberts, Oblong, 12½c.
Figs for table, 10, 15 and 18c.
Dates (Hallowee), 10c.
Crystal Fruits, assorted, 65c.

If you have not already secured your supplies for Mincemeat and the Xmas Pudding see the cleaned Fruit and Peels we are showing.—E. F. MASON & Co., 429 to 431 George street.

The Eleventh Hour.

The eleventh hour has arrived. You haven't much time to do your gift shopping before Christmas, but you have a very convenient store and a very select stock to pick from at Frank Schneider's, the jeweler. His window dispaly is a picture full of suggestions, and is unsurpassed for beauty and effectiveness. Everything is marvellously low in price, consistent with the reliable quality of the jewelry. Mr. Schneider does not select articles as leaders, but the price of every article in his store is a leader in good value. Fashionable clocks and elegant watches, diamond rings and other precious stones, pearls and pendants. All the latest novelties in desk and toilet articles in sterling silver and china, chains, fobs, brooches, lockets, pins, purses, belts, shirt and waist buttons, hair combs, studs and thimbles, souvenir spoons, tableware in silverplate, gold and silver-mounted ebony canes and many other appropriate gifts and jewelry suggestions too numerous to mention. The beauty and effectiveness of Mr. Schneider's window display is heightened by a large oil painting suspended from the ceiling, which forms a beautiful background for the glittering contents of the window. It is a charming picture in oil of a rural scene, with two peasant women in the foreground, backed by shrubbery and a winding road, at the turning of which the lover watches the retiring rustic beauty. The drawing is good, and the young artist, Miss Stella Schneider, a most promising pupil of Mr. D. A. Shaw, has handled the subject very effectively, indicating artistic temperament and good instruction.

A MONAGHAN WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Lizzie Fowler and Mr. Harry G. Webber.

A pretty but quiet wedding ceremony took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. John A. Fowler, North Monaghan, when his second youngest daughter, Miss Lizzie, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry G. Webber, eldest son of Mr. Geo. Webber, of the same township.

The bride looked very attractive in a fashionable green cloth travelling dress trimmed with braid. She was assisted by her sister, who was similiarly attired. The sweet little maid of honour was the bride's little neice, Annie White, who was prettily attired in pink. The groomsman was Mr. Herbert McKee, of Smith.

Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A., of St. Andrew's church, performed the ceremony, at the conclusion of which the guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding dejeuner.

Amongst the many beautiful presents received was a handsome Bible—a gift to the groom from his friends in the Murray street Baptist Sunday school. It was accompanied by the following address:

To Mr. Harry Webber.—

DEAR SIR,—The friends and workers in the Sunday School of the Murray street Baptist church have much pleasure in recognizing the occasion of your approaching marriage, and take advantage of the opportunity of giving expression to their estimate of the active, faithful and successful work you have accomplished in promoting the interests of the school. We have always been able to count on your presence, and have always felt that you would be in your place. In recognition of such faithful service, and in commemoration of the occasion of your marriage, we desire to ask your acceptance of this Bible, which, from what we have seen, you will make the rule of your life, coupled with the wish that you may enjoy many happy years of wedded life, to be closed with the reward that is given to those who faithfully follow the Master.

Mr. and Mrs. Webber drove into town during the afternoon, and left for Toronto and the west on the 5.25 G. T. R. express.

BAILEY—MONGRAW.

The Marriage Nuptials Performed by Rev. O. C. Elliott.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents, 221 George street last evening, when Ada May, eldest daughter of Mr. James Mongraw, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter H. Bailey of Norwood.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. O. C. Elliott, pastor of the Park street Baptist church, the bride being assisted by Miss Lavinia Bailey, sister of the groom, while Mr. Arthur Coon attended the groom.

After partaking of a sumptuous repast the happy couple left on the midnight train for Norwood, where they will reside in the future.

PERSONAL.

Miss Ada McBain is home from school for the holidays.

Mr. Robt. Hicks will spend Christmas week in town.

Mr. Fred Tully left to-day to spend Christmas in Millbrook.

Inspector Walker left this morning to spend Christmas with his parents.

Miss Agar of Toronto, is spending her Xmas holidays with her relatives in town, Mr. and Mrs. W. Madill.

Miss Edith Mason entertained her class from the George street Sunday school last evening at her residence.

Mr. H. B. Hungerford, of Belleville, one of the Executive of the Canadian Collie Club, was in town yesterday.

Miss Annie Polke of Rochester, N. Y., is spending the Christmas holidays with the Misses Lombard, Wescott street.

Miss Olive Bradburn, who has been in guest at the residence of Mayor Howden, of Port Hope, returned home last evening.

Mr. J. McCaig, of the Collegiate Institute staff, left for Collingwood last night to pass the holidays on his native heath.

Mr. Wm. Gibson, of Beamsville, M. P. for Lincoln, and Mrs. Gibson are visiting in town, the guests of their cousin, Mr. Alex Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Decker and daughter, of Oxbow, N. W. T., are in town on a visit to Mrs. Decker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Ashburnham.

Dr. T. H. Bell, son of Mr. Frank Bell, who has been spending the past year and a half walking the wards of the London and Edinburgh hospitals, returned home yesterday. During his absence Dr. Bell passed the examinations conferring the diplomas of the Royal College of Surgeons of England and the Royal College of Physicians, London.

THE EXAMINER has been asked if Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., would be present at the political meeting in the Opera House this evening. Mr. Stratton, who ran down from Toronto on the evening train last night and returned to Toronto this morning, in reply to the interrogation said that the notice of the meeting did not ask for discussion, and as he was not invited to take part he would not be present.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mr. Wm. Breckenridge has consented to run for a seat in the council.

—The rink is now open to the skaters and curlers, and the ice is in splendid condition.

Ed. Welsh has the finest stock of candy in Peterborough. See his 25c lb. box and a special Xmas lb. box at 15c.

—It was the East Peterborough and not the Peterborough Central Exhibition, which awarded J. J. Turner & Sons, a diploma for their exhibition of tents.

—We are pleased to see that the Spot Cash Grocery retains the old staff of assistants. Customers feel at home the same as formerly. Have you seen the "up to date" woman in the window.

—There will be a special session of the Ministerial Association in the Y. M. C. A. parlours on Monday morning next, at ten o'clock to arrange for the "Week of Prayer."

A CONVENTION TO BE HELD

In Peterborough of the Epworth League of the Bay of Quinte Conference.

The annual convention of the Epworth League of the Bay of Quinte Conference of the Methodist church is expected to come to Peterborough in the latter part of February.

At a joint meeting of the pastors and the Epworth League presidents of the Methodist churches of Peterborough and Ashburnham, held at the Charlotte street parsonage last night, it was unanimously agreed to accede to the request of the Conference League Executive to hold their annual convention here in February next. Positive announcement cannot be made, however, until further word is received from the conference executive.

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

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A COLD BATH.

An Italian Falls Into the River Off the Dam at Nassau.

Yesterday afternoon as an Italian was trundling a wheelbarrow across the dam at Nassau, in connection with the Trent Canal operations, the wheel slipped over the edge and in his endeavour to recover the barrow, the man lost his balance and fell into the river.

Fortunately he was not cramped by his sudden immersion, and although he had quite a distance to swim he reached the bank in safety.

SUPT. TIFFIN HERE.

To Confer with the Town Regarding the New Sidewalk at Auburn.

The members of the Street and Bridge committee met this afternoon at 3 o'clock and accompanied by Supt. Tiffin, of the Grand Trunk, went up to Auburn to devise the best method of constructing the sidewalk which is to connect the end of the footbridge across the river to Water street.

The sidewalk will be an expensive one to lay down, as considerable trestle work will have to be utilized or else steps erected at various intervals.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

In Court Langton Canadian Order of Foresters.

On Tuesday evening the following officers were elected by Court Langton C.O. F.:—

D Patterson	P C R
T Drew	C R
R Good	V C R
C B Robertson	R S
W H Isaacs	F S
H Evans	Treas
W Crebbin	Chaplain
W Wilson	S W
R Bullen	J W
J Rowe	S B
Chas Pogue	J B
W H Isaacs, A T Dugan, A J Mather	Delegates
T H Greer	Physician
W Crebbin	Auditor

Court Langton No. 344, C.O.F., is booming and has initiated fourteen members during the month of December and has seven propositions for membership. A special meeting will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 29th, 1897, to initiate candidates.

This Court has a special dispensation from the High Court and is initating candidates at reduced rates.

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

A Strong Reminder.

Opera and party fans in silk, plain and handpainted, beautiful feather Fans, plain, hand-painted and the prices were never lower for such lovely goods. Annuals just about sold out. If you have not ordered, telephone at once. Xmas Illustrated papers, only a few left. The pictures accompanying the Xmas numbers this year are alone worth the price. Store open and ready for business at 8 a. m. Shop early.—A. H. STRATTON & Co., 417 George street.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful; active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artizans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

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To-night, all day, to-morrow and to-morrow night, the usual excessive crowds and intense holiday enthusiasm of the last day before Christmas will likely be more than duplicated at the PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE.

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We call your attention to our grand assortment of FINE FRENCH KID GLOVES, which we can confidently recommend to our customers as being the best quality at the lowest possible price.

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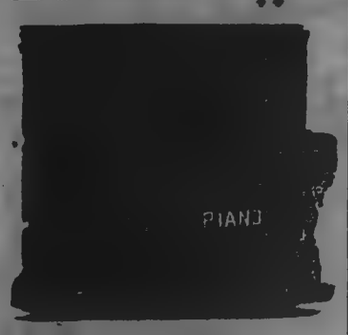

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CURLS.

Kissing her neck and clinging round her ears
Straying adown her brow as though to gaze
Into her violet eyes, a sunny maze
Of sunny curls lay in its sunny ayers.

Parted her lips, and all the world grew gay
To hear the music at the gates of pearl.
Dimpled her cheeks, and lo! each pretty curl,
Shaking with sunshine, made midwinter May.

And I, who sate within a dusty den,
Brooding o'er books and kissing withered flow'rs,
Forgot my love and all my lonely hours
And watched her curls and loved the world again.
—J. J. Bell in New Illustrated Magazine.

STEPHENETTE.

"While I was watching the animals in the Luberon country I was alone whole weeks in the pastures with my dog Labri and the flocks, without seeing a living soul. From time to time the hermit of the Mont de l'Ure would pass by looking for herbs, and occasionally I saw the black face of a Piedmontese charcoal burner. But they were simple folk, silent from habit and from having lost the taste for talking, and ignorant of what was going on below in the towns and villages. So every two weeks when I heard the mule bells coming up the road which wound up the mountain I was very joyful. Then the sprightly head of the little farm boy or old Aunt Norade's reddish headdress would appear over the hill, and with it would come my fortnightly provisions. I always made them tell me the news of the country below—about the baptisms, the marriages. But what interested me the most was hearing about the daughter of my master and mistress, our dear Mlle. Stephenette—the prettiest creature for miles around. Without seeming to take too much interest I found out how often she went to the fetes, or the evening festivals, or if she had any new lovers. If they asked what difference all that made to me, I replied that I was 20 years old and that Mlle. Stephenette was the most beautiful thing I had seen in all my life.

"Now, it happened on one of the Sundays the provisions which I had expected did not arrive until very late. In the morning when they did not come I said to myself, 'It is on account of high mass.' Then toward noon there came a great storm, and I thought that the bad condition of the roads must have kept the mule from starting. But at 3 o'clock, when the mountain glittered with the raindrops in the sunshine, I heard the mule bells mingling with the sound of dripping leaves and the roar of the swollen streams tearing down their banks—the mule bells as merry and as gay as the great chimes on an Easter morning. But it was not the little farm boy or old Norade.

"It was—guess who—our Mlle. Stephenette, my friends—our young lady herself, sitting there among the wicker bags, all pink from the mountain air, so refreshing now after the storm.

"The little fellow was ill. Aunt Norade was home with her children for a holiday. The lovely Stephenette had told me all this in alighting from the mule, and also that she was late because the beast had lost his way. But to see her so beautifully dressed in her Sunday clothes, with her flowered ribbons and her gay skirt and laces, she seemed to have come home late from a ball, instead of having just made her way through the woods.

"Oh, the dear little creature! My eyes could never tire of looking at her. I had never been so near her before. After the flocks had gone into the valley in the winter she would sometimes, while I was eating my supper, cross the room quickly, rather stiffly and perhaps a little proudly, scarcely speaking to the servants. And now she was before me. All my own! Was it not enough to make a man lose his head?

"When she had taken the provisions out of the basket she began to look about her curiously. Lifting her beautiful Sunday skirt a bit lest it should be spoiled, she went into the fold. She asked to see the corner where I slept, with its bed of straw and a sheepskin. She saw my great cape hanging on the wall, my crook, my flint. It all amused her.

"'And you live here, my poor shepherd? How tired you must grow of living alone always. What do you do? What do you think about?'

"I wanted to say, 'Of you, mistress,' and I should not have lied. But my embarrassment was so great that I could not find a single word. I think she noticed it and took delight in doubling my uneasiness with her mischief.

"'And your very good friend? Does she come up to see you sometimes? Or the fairy Esterelle who flits about here on the top of the mountain?'

"She might have been the fairy Esterelle herself, as she tipped back her head and laughed merrily. And she made her visit seem more like an apparition by her haste to go.

"'Adieu, shepherd.'

"'Your safety, mistress.'

"And she was gone, taking the empty baskets with her.

"When she disappeared down the steep path, it seemed as though the pebbles rolling under the mule's hoofs dropped one by one on my heart. I heard them for a long time—a long time. And all the rest of the day I dared not stir, but sat as though I were asleep, for fear of awakening from my dream. Toward evening, as the depths of the valley grew blue and the animals grew restless and bleated in their impatience to return to the fold, I heard some one call from the slope. Our young mistress appeared, not so laughingly as before, but shivering with cold and dampness. At the bottom of the hill she had found the Sorgue swollen by the rains, and in trying to cross she had almost been drowned. The terrible thing about it was that returning to the farm at this hour of the night was out of the question, because the road is perplexing, and our young lady never could have found her way alone. I could not leave the flock. The thought of passing the night on the mountain troubled her sorely, most of all on account of the anxiety of her dear ones. I did my best to console her.

"'In July the nights are short, mistress. It will soon be over.'

"And I quickly built a large fire to dry her feet and dress, which were drenched with the water of the Sorgue. Then I brought her some cheese and milk, but the poor little thing gave no thought to warming herself or eating, and when I saw the great tears rise in her eyes I wanted to cry myself.

"In the meantime darkness had come completely. Only a glow was left on the crest of the mountains, a luminous mist on the side which faced the setting sun. I persuaded our young mistress to go into the fold to rest. After spreading a fine new skin on the fresh straw I bade her good night and went out to sit before the door. God is my witness that not one wicked thought came into my heart, despite the fire of love which was burning my blood. There was nothing but pride in thinking that in the corner of the sheepfold, next the curious flock which gazed at her as she slept, lay the daughter of my master, intrusted to my care—a whiter, more precious lamb than all the others. Never had the heavens seemed to me so deep, the stars so brilliant.

"Suddenly the little door of the sheepfold opened, and the lovely Stephenette appeared. She could not sleep. The animals rattled the straw in their restlessness or bleated in their dreams. She wanted to be near the fire. Seeing that, I threw my sheepskin over her shoulders, stirred the fire, and we sat down side by side without a word.

"If you have ever passed a night out under the stars, you know that in the hours when we sleep a mysterious world awakens in the silent solitude. Then the springs sing more clearly, the ponds kindle tiny fires on their surfaces, the mountain sprites come and go without fear, and there are rustlings and an imperceptible commotion in the air, which seem like the growing of branches or the springing of young plants. Day is the life of beings, night the life of things.

"All this is even terrifying to one who is not in the habit of seeing it. Our young lady was trembling from head to foot, and she clung to me at the slightest noise. Once a long, mournful cry floated toward us from the gleaming pond below. At the same instant a superb shooting star glided over our heads in the same direction, as if this moan we had just heard were the bearer of a light.

"'What was that?' Stephenette asked me in a low voice.

"'A soul entering paradise, mistress.' And I made the sign of the cross.

"She, too, crossed herself and staid for a moment in meditation, with her face turned toward heaven. Then, 'Is it true that all you shepherds are wizards?' she asked.

"'Not at all, my lady, but we live nearer the stars here than the people in the valley, and so we know better than they what is going on.'

"She was still looking up, with her head on her hand. She was like a little celestial shepherdess, sitting there with the sheepskin around her.

"'How far it goes! How beautiful it is! I have never seen anything like it. Do you know their names, shepherd?'

"'Yes, mistress. Here, just over us, is St. James' road (the milky way). It goes from France straight into Spain. St. James of Galice laid it out to show the way to the brave Charlemagne when he was waging war with the Saracens. Farther along you see the chariot of souls (Urna Major) with its four dazzling axles. The three stars in front are the three animals, and that quite small one opposite the third is the charioteer. Do you see that rain of stars all around it? They are the souls which the good God does not want in his house. A little lower is the rake, or the three kings (Orion). It serves as a clock to us. By looking at it I know now that it is past midnight. Lower toward the south is John of Milan, the torch of the stars (Sirius). The shepherds have this legend about it: John of Milan was invited one night with the three kings and the Pleiades to the wedding of one of their star friends. The Pleiades were in a greater hurry than the others, so they left first and took the highroad. See it up there at the very top of the heavens. The three kings cut across lower and overtook them, but that lazy John of Milan, who had overslept, was left far behind. In a rage he threw his stick to stop them. That is why the three kings are also called John of Milan's stick. But the most beautiful of all the stars, mistress, is ours, the shepherds' star, which lights us at dawn as we take out the flocks and at evening when we bring them home. We call it Magueloune, too, the beautiful Magueloune who runs after Peter of Provence (Saturn) and marries him every seven years.'

"'What, shepherd! Are there really marriages among the stars?'

"'Oh, yes, mistress.'

"And as I was trying to explain what these unions are like I felt something fresh and delicate weighing gently on my shoulder. It was her head, heavy with sleep, which leaned against me with a pretty rumpling of ribbons, laces and curly hair. She lay so without stirring until the stars paled—effaced by the rising day. I watched her—a little moved in the depths of my being—but sweetly guarded by this clear night, which has never given me anything but noble thought. Around us the stars continued their silent march, docile as a great flock—and at moments I fancied that one, the most delicate, the most brilliant of them all, had lost her way and rested upon my shoulder in sleep."—From the French of Alphonse Daudet For Short Stories.

Combined.

"Which would you rather possess—money or political influence?"

"Money, of course; because then I could have both."—Brooklyn Life.

OLD MAN AND YOUNG WIFE.

A Washington John Who Sees All Sorts. Weary of the Joy With a Bride.

"But of all married couples the old jay with the young wife makes me most tired. The old duffer tries to put on a dignified air when many people are around, but wait until he gets a chance to smile at his young bride. It's awful. The smile is that of a possum which has been treed and knows there is no escape. I mean that it's sickly. Half of them may be putting on with the innocent girl. Three days ago I had one of these old jays in tow. What do you suppose he said to his wife? I was taking them from the White House to the treasury and passed by the fountain which contains so many pretty goldfish. 'Oh, look at the beautiful little things,' he said, with a grin at his wife. 'You are prettier than any fish in that pond.' She said, 'Oh!' Well, I wanted to throw him in, but of course I was looking out for the coin.

"Here comes a newly married couple. Anybody could tell that. You see, he has his wife by the arm and is looking down into her face with an air of contentment that is enough to make my blues leave me to see. I noticed that couple coming up Pennsylvania avenue 20 minutes ago. He was holding her arm then. He will stick to the job until they reach their hotel this afternoon. He is not afraid she will escape, but he thinks that is part of a new groom's business. You see, he helps her up the steps and points out things to her. He tells her that is so and so. Nine chances out of ten it is something else. He feels that he is bound to say something. I have seen many of these young know alls point out the Corcoran Art gallery as the patent office and pass the state, war and navy building off as the residence of General Miles or as the new city postoffice. The innocent bride stares in wonder and thinks it's so. She believes her darling Henry knows all about it.

"It's very different with the man who has been married several years. He and his wife see for themselves. He stops and looks at a thing which interests him. She goes on and stops to look at something which interests her. They are generally 20 yards apart. If he tells her that a building is such and such, she disputes the point and thinks it's something else."—Washington Star.

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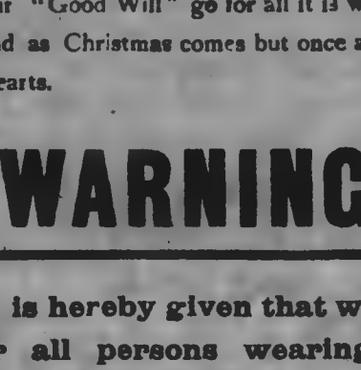

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But the gray chambers of the west Grew golden for their regal guest,

And in the east a starry sheen Was herald to the dusky queen.

So now my joyous day is done, And now has set my brightest sun.

Hey, murmur not! Beyond the hills How many hopes his dawn fulfills.

Some glad youth eastward turns his eyes To see his great day's dawn arise.

Some maiden, weary soiled and sweet, Wishes her darkling night to greet.

Some strong one, thrilling for the fight, Now springs to draw his sword and smite

While I rejoiced, these waited long, My night brings on their morning song.

O sun, beyond the hills unseen, Their day make glad as mine has been!
—Mary W. M. Falconer in Christian Intelligencer.

FACING DEATH.

The strike of the foundry, starting from comparatively small grievances, had, thanks to the influence of a few of the leaders, reached a state where satisfactory settlement seemed impossible. The men had expected to be out a week or ten days at the most, but nearly two months had elapsed, and their position was almost desperate. Several deputations had waited on old Mr. Vice, the proprietor, but had been invariably referred back to the manager, with the understanding that he had full authority to deal with them.

The manager, Shotwell, a young man of intelligent sympathies, from the first had been willing, even eager, to discuss the men's grievances and help them to an understanding. But when he found that the leaders, to whom the men had intrusted their cause, not only were disposed to take advantage of his justice, but were seeking their own ends at the expense of the men, he suddenly changed his attitude and refused to listen to any proposals other than absolute surrender. He gave the these leaders to understand in the plainest language that under no consideration would he tolerate their presence in the shops again.

The result of this understanding and the contemptuous way in which the manager had expressed his opinion of the leaders and their scheming roused these men from sullen spite to hatred. They could not keep the men out or get back themselves unless—well, unless Shotwell changed his mind, and they knew him too well to hope for that.

Shotwell's obstinacy had surprised even old Mr. Vice, who had known him from boyhood—known him so well, in fact, that he had sanctioned the young man's engagement to Dorothy, his daughter. It was possibly the thought of a future partnership that made him so determined to stand to his guns now and show the old man and his sweetheart that he was capable of holding the reins.

Even Dorothy's lover hardly understood her. She had strange ideas of "soul communion" that made the matter of fact young man gasp, and she had an uncanny knack of demonstrating the proof of her beliefs by reading his unspoken thoughts with an accuracy that to a less healthy, wholesome young fellow might have been embarrassing. But withal she was so womanly and tender and her fancies so pretty that gradually he grew used to them and found himself often lingering over them and almost wishing they could be true.

To one of these fancies, finally yielding, Shotwell owed the success of his manoeuvre by which the men were beaten. At one time and his many thoughts of her were freely exchanged between each other; "soul talks" Dorothy called them, and, whatever they were, the result was that his love for the girl grew more tender and he knew that in some subtle manner he was coming to understand her better and better each day. These times had been frequently dear to him of late. They were his moments of absolute rest from the worry of the strike, and he always felt his brain refreshed and afterward was better able to cope with his growing difficulties.

The pulse of the strike was growing feverish, and night after night Shotwell had slept at the office, fearing some kind of attack on the premises. By the end of the week worry and lack of sleep had told heavily upon him, and as he sat absorbed in the mysterious shadows of the dusky evening he determined that this must be his last night alone; he would get a watchman to aid him. His thoughts grew vague and mixed. His pipe fell to the floor and made him jump, then his eyes closed for a moment, opened sleepily, closed again, and he was fast asleep.

With a start and a fearful sense of oppression he awoke, struggling wildly in his chair; tried to cry out, and realized that he was tied down. A cloth was wound tightly over his mouth, while the room was filled with a subtle, sickly odor of chloroform. He heard a mocking laugh behind his chair and, "Well, yer took a purty good nap that time, didn't yer?" There was an answering growl from another throat, and the two men came round in front, both muffled in heavy coats and pieces of cloth covering the upper half of their faces. One of them carried a small black box, somewhat ghastly to the dark and set it down in front of Shotwell. He turned a little brass key in it, and hidden machinery began to tick-tack, tick-tack, like a clock. He twisted the box around, and Shotwell saw a small dial, with the hands pointed to 9:50 o'clock. One of the men attached one end of a string to a lever on the box and with the greatest precaution tied the other end to Arthur's left wrist, then fixed another string to the same lever and to the other wrist.

"Now, see here, Mr. Shotwell, you've got just 40 minutes, and then that thing goes off, and God have mercy on your soul. If you should want the thing to go quicker, just struggle hard, and if you manage to pull either of them strings—well, I guess it'll oblige you."

"Now, Bill, we've got no time to waste. Here's the keys; you go for the safe, and I'll fix the desk."

Inside of 15 minutes Shotwell's guests had gone, leaving little trace of their visit except a faint odor of chloroform and that strange looking black box, with its monotonous tick tack, tick tack.

The whole thing had happened so suddenly and his brain was so heavy with the drug that the men were gone before he fully realised the horror of his position. As it dawned on him he could not believe it was true; it was some terrible nightmare. He strove to shake himself, but the tightening of the strings on his wrists and a half jar in the tones of that ceaseless tick tack brought him back to his senses with a chill of horror. He glared terror stricken at the little clock that was ticking off the moments of his life—a second each time. A few minutes and then—he broke out into a cold sweat; sat unmanning fear of this unknown, cruel thing crept over him, and for awhile he sat, huddled in abject terror; then slowly the soul of the man steadied itself. He closed his eyes to pray, and the word that came was "Dorothy." With a fierce mental effort he pulled together his shaken faculties for her sake. For her he would die like a man. Perhaps she would know he had been no coward.

Tick tack, tick tack, 20 minutes past 10. Ah, it was time to sit and talk to "Dorrie." Well, he would do it—would give to her those last 20 minutes. And so he sat on, his face drawn and ghastly, but his courage firm—sat and bade a long goodby to the girl he loved; thought strong, manly thoughts of her that kept fear from his heart. But while his utmost self talked with Dorrie his flesh grew gray and pinched, the lonely silence broken only by the steady ticking of his clock of doom.

Dorothy that night sat talking, then later fell to wondering of Arthur alone in that great building, and at the thought of his loneliness all her heart went out to him, and perhaps some of her soul, for her body fell asleep. Then she, too, woke with a start—a start of perplexity and fear; fear for Arthur. What was it? She passed her hand over her forehead, bewildered. What was it—why could she not remember? Then the ticking of the clock on the mantel caught her ear—caught it strangely, and she listened, breathless, trembling. Tick tack, tick tack! What did it mean? Then slowly and softly a subtle voice fell on her inner ear: "Goodby, Dorrie! Goodby, darling!"

"Ah!" She rose to her full height; was rigid there for an instant; then quietly: "Yes, I know. I understand." She walked quietly to her father's room, took his keys and, taking her hat and coat, slipped unseen out into the night.

Tick tack, tick tack—eight minutes more.

"Eight minutes—eight years. God! Can I wait? One brave spring now would end the torture, and— No, no, for Dorrie's sake, for the honor of love, I'll live my life out to the last bitter second." Shotwell closed his eyes a few moments; then, opening them, he saw a face in the doorway gazing at him. To him it seemed the soul of Dorrie, come to say "Goodby."

He was not afraid, hardly awed. It was not real. Dying men's eyes are sometimes strangely clear. He noticed the hat, the coat, the face drawn with fearful anguish. Souls did not look like that. It was Dorrie herself. A moment of wild joy was swallowed up in a still greater horror—"Dorrie!"—here, with that thing— O God! This was worst of all. But her quick hands touched him, deftly untying the handkerchief that gagged him, then delicately slipping those fearful strings from his wrists.

"How long, Arthur?" she whispered.

He glanced desperately at the clock.

"Two minutes. Don't stop to untie me. Water, quick! There's a bucket. Fill it at the tap. It's our only chance."

She comprehended instantly. Oh, how slow the water ran! She walked swiftly to the desk, took the box in her hands and carried it, ticking, to the bucket, placed it in and held it, trembling, as the water swallowed it, until there was a little rasping jar in the ticking. Shotwell drew one deep, long breath as he stooped over the girl and waited for what never came. One, two, three minutes passed. Then, with a breath of half fearful relief, he looked down at Dorrie. She was fast asleep, nestled in his arms and breathing peacefully.

He walked her with him. She stared at him in sleepy surprise. "Why, Arthur, where am I? What is it, dear? How white you look, and see, the water's running all over the floor! You careless boy—I—oh, Arthur, I—take me home."—Aquila Kempster in Providence Telegram.

Sight Reading.

In an east side public school, where they teach reading in the lower grades by what is known as the sight system—that is, by talking of a subject supposedly interesting to the children and then writing sentences about it on the blackboard—the following incident occurred: The lesson related to nature and the subject of worms was touched upon. The teacher drew upon the blackboard the picture of a worm and underneath it wrote: "This is a worm. Do not step on it." This she read to the children, and the lesson for the day was ended. The next morning she called for volunteers to read the sentences, and a little miss of 6 responded to the call. Whether the trouble lay in the fact that an east side youngster's acquaintance with worms is not intimate or the teacher's merits as an artist are not great does not appear, but the little girl read:

"This is a warm doughnut. Step on it."—New York Sun.

Not Tall Enough.

Just at the time when vague reports were beginning to creep abroad that Germany was meditating fresh extension of her frontier at the expense of Holland a Dutch official of high rank happened to be visiting the court of Berlin, and among other spectacles got up to amuse him a review was organised at Potsdam.

"What does your excellency think of our soldiers?" asked Prince Bismarck as one of the regiments came marching past in admirable order.

"They look as if they knew how to fight," replied the visitor gravely, "but they are not quite tall enough."

The prince looked rather surprised but made no answer, and several other regiments filed past in succession, but the Dutchman's verdict upon each was still the same, "Not tall enough."

At length the grenadiers of the guard made their appearance—a magnificent body of veterans, big and stalwart enough to have satisfied even the giant loving father of Frederick the Great, but the inexorable critic merely said, "Fine soldiers, but not tall enough."

Then Prince Bismarck rejoined: "These grenadiers are the finest men in our whole army. May I ask what your excellency is pleased to mean by saying that they are not tall enough?"

The Dutchman looked him full in the face and replied, with significant emphasis, "I mean that we can flood our country 12 feet deep."—London Tit-Bits.

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The visiting society had full charge of devotional part of the programme. The president, Miss Dawson, very ably conducted the service. The opening seasons of prayer and praise were profitable. Mr. Carton read the Scripture lesson. Mr. Matchett in a clear and concise paper presented the first part of the topic—"Our Sins." Rev. J. E. Moore followed with the presentation of the latter part of the topic—"How to get rid of our sins." His words were refreshing and helpful. A pleasant feature of the exercises was a beautiful quartette entitled "I Know Whom I Have Believed." Miss McLanes gave a very appropriate recitation.

Mr. Tovey, of the Charlotte street League, then took charge of the programme. Refreshments were served and a very enjoyable half hour spent in social intercourse. The societies are to be congratulated on the success of the efforts put forth to profit, instruct and entertain.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolised by men. But the feminine nerves are still hers and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment, Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

THE VARSITY BOYS' CONCERT.

Meritorious Music by the Mortar Boards.

A good house greeted the University Glee and Banjo Club at the Opera House last night, and the entertainment provided was of a most enjoyable character. The nature of the organization, especially the instrumental section, forbids generally the exploitation of music of classical calibre, but what was given was tuneful and well presented. The Glee Club, however, has a repertoire that includes composers like Schuman and Wagner, and under the baton of the Glee Club conductor, Herr Rudolph Ruth, they show the evidences of excellent training, and their interpretation is quite in keeping with the character of the work handled. "A Maid on the Shores of the Manzanares" was a very pretty and sprightly chorus given with excellent effect. "The Kentucky Babe" was another very pleasing number and the excellence of the productions of these selections is shown by the fact that the club was compelled to respond to recalls. "Old Man Mouse" was another characteristic number and the demeanor of the chorus was not the least comical part of the singing. With faces as solemn as judges donning the black cap, they would sing the most farcical and rollicking nonsense as soberly and staidly as a minirere. The instrumental section, guitar, mandolin and banjo, under the capable lead of Mr Smedley, put on several capital numbers, which were also well received, being honoured with encores. The excerpts from the Geisha, by the mandolin club, were perhaps the most pleasing and most artistically given. Of course tastes and opinions differ as to the musical value of these instruments, even when so cleverly played as last night, but to the thoughtful is suggested the remark of the French officer on witnessing the charge of the Light Brigade—"It is magnificent; but it is not war!" Warm words of praise are due the vocal soloists. Mr. Bruce Bradley in Pinsuti's "Queen of the Earth," Mr. W. Flavilla in Bizet's Friar's Song from Ivanhoe, and Mr. Jackson in "Jolly Jack" all acquitted themselves splendidly. They all possess good voices, fairly well developed, and gave so great delight that they were enthusiastically recalled. Mr. Smedley was unfortunate in his mandolin selection; he accidentally broke his plectrum and was compelled to substitute the guitar, upon which he very cleverly performed the imitation, "The Spanish Retreat," and was heartily encored.

Altogether the boys gave a most enjoyable evening of sprightly music, and the audience were never allowed to forget that they were with a jolly lot of college boys, bringing the breezy air of the campus and corridors with them, and suggesting ineffable resources of latent larks.

Last night completed a most successful week's tour of the club. They have been hard worked, but they have had and have given lots of fun and genuine musical enjoyment. They will be glad to reach home for the exigencies of travel left them only a nightly average of about two hours, sleep. When they return they will be able to quote in memory of the pleasant tour and hard work, in reply to questions, the remark of old Æneas to the Carthagenian love-lorn queen, "Infandum jubes, renovare dolorem."

Last night several of the ladies of the town entertained the club at a little social hop in the Oddfellows' Hall, which was a most enjoyable, and for an impromptu, quite a brilliant little affair.

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the approaching municipal elections but not until next Monday will it be definitely known who will be the candidates as many rumors are abroad.

Active preparations are being made for the Mark street Sunday school Christmas tree and entertainment in the new town hall on Christmas night. The programme, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, recitations, dialogues, club swinging, motion songs, etc., will begin sharp at 8 o'clock. All be on hand before that hour. Every one is invited to come and spend a pleasant evening.

We are pleased to state that Mr. W. Ward is somewhat better to-day and hope that this favorable state of health may continue.

Cottage prayer meeting this evening at Mr. M. Carton's, Sophia street. All welcome. Mr. D. Noyes conducts the meeting.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. will hold an afternoon and evening reception in the rooms of the society, 168 Brock street, on New Year's day. A good musical and literary programme will be provided and refreshments served. The young women of the town are urged to co-operate with the various committees in making the occasion a success. Contributions from the public in the form of games will be gladly received.

Calcutt's Brewery.

Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 60c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 98. Call s up. 11d142

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

EAST PETERBOROUGH CONSERVATIVE NOMINATION.

No Candidate Yet Secured—Dr. Ford Declines—Dr. Shaw, of Keene, Conditionally Accepts—Will Give a Decided Answer in a Week.

Norwood, Dec. 23.—The East Peterborough Conservative Association met here to-day, President Birdsall in the chair. A speech was given by Dr. Meacham, M. P.P., of Odessa; a more lengthy address by Mr. Miscampbell, M.P.P., followed. Mr. John Burnham, Q.C., formerly M.P. for the riding, also made a short speech. Nominations for a candidate at the approaching Provincial elections were put in. The secretary, Mr. George J Sherry, read a communication from Dr. Ford, stating his inability to be their candidate on account of professional business. The choice of the meeting finally fell on Dr. Shaw, of Keene. He accepted conditionally, and will give a final answer in a week. A public meeting will be held in the Conservative interest as soon as Dr. Shaw gives an answer.

OMEMEE'S HEADMASTER.

Death of Mr. Hunt, Headmaster of the Omemee High School.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

It is our painful duty to announce the death of our esteemed principal, Mr. Hunt, of the Omemee High School, aged 48 years, who succumbed to an attack of la grippe, which settled in the spine and brain, after a few days illness. Drs. Cameron, Thompson and Cornwall were called in, together with Dr. Greer, of Peterborough, and later on Dr. Cameron, specialist of Toronto, who arrived before the vital spark had fled, but could render no assistance, agreeing with treatment already given. The deceased was, in his profession, a man of marked ability as a teacher. He was a very scholarly man, being a faithful member of the Presbyterian church, and was an active worker here as a Bible class teacher. He leaves a widow and one child to mourn his loss, who have the heartfelt sympathy of our citizens in their sad bereavement.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

THE RING.

The mill which was to come off last evening between Buffalo Costello and Dan Cane of Troy, N. Y., did not take place owing to the fact that neither man cared to enter the ring against so formidable an opponent as his antagonist, for a less sum than $300, and the advance sale of tickets was not such as to warrant the management in guaranteeing this amount.

Both men were in good condition for the battle, Cane having trained particularly hard, as he felt that if he got a decision over a man of Costello's fame his fortune would be made. He felt a good deal cut up over the failure of the management to bring the affair to an issue.

Costello was very confident of winning the purse and stake and his backers had covered a good deal of money in Montreal for him.

Offers having been made the two men by a couple of the Toronto clubs, and a twenty-round contest will in all probability be pulled off there within the next couple of weeks.

The price of five dollars a ticket was a little too steep for the Peterborough sports to stand.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

What to Give a Gentleman.

Good taste and comfort is the best thing to aim at in buying Christmas presents for gentlemen. LeBrun & Co. make a special exhibit of Gloves, unlined kid and wool-lined kid, which always make worthy presents. Then they show those nobby fancy Corduroy Vests with pretty and effective spot patterns, which are good form for this weather and this season. Rich and tasteful hand-embroidered suspenders, almost too pretty to wear out of sight, silk handkerchiefs of newest styles and collars and cuffs of the latest cut. They have a grand display of pure linen handkerchiefs from Ireland, Scotland, England and France. Also fine underwear, fine hosiery and beautiful dress shirts. LeBrun & Co.'s line of neckwear has made a decided hit and they have the largest and best selected line of ties, puffs and bows in town with prices very moderate.

Oakdale Cheese Factory.

The patrons of the Oakdale cheese factory held their annual meeting on Dec. 8th after the most successful season of its business of 23 years and the largest. The books were audited by Miss Jannie Paget, who found them all right, giving the patrons a settlement equal to, if not a little better, than any in the section. The season's business was as follow: Amount of milk delivered at the factory, 2,193,964 lbs., or 731 standards, from which was made 201,676 lbs. of cheese, an average of 11 0/4 lbs. of milk per lb. of cheese. The amount of money received from sale of cheese with interest $17,707 60, whey at 40 cents per standard, $292 40, making a total of $18,000, an average a little better than 8½c. per lb. for cheese. The average price per standard, clear of all expenses, to patrons, was $20 15. The season's make exceeded that of last year by 236 standards.—Com.

CHRISTMAS GREETING

....FROM THE....

SPOT CASH GROCERY

While we are comparatively new in the business ranks in Peterborough, we heartily extend to the public our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

We wish to outline our Business plans for 1898. A deep cut in many lines bought in the present stock will be made. We have purchased the stock at a price enabling us to do so. Then, too, we propose making alterations in the store, and have both windows after January 1st. Some lines of the present stock we shall discontinue, and shall sell such goods while they last at a price that shall make it possible to turn them rapidly. We have already added many new lines, such as Oysters, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Malaga Grapes and many delicacies too numerous to mention, but very essential to your Christmas dinner.

THE SPOT CASH GROCERY,

(SUCCEEDING ALEX. ELLIOTT, 355 GEORGE ST.)

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Suggestions as to What Would be Welcome.

The holiday spirit is here. News from Santa Claus has been received by Gough Bros., the Wonderful Cheap Men, whose exhaustless stock and spacious well lighted store affords unsurpassed opportunities for a unique display of Christmas gifts, as well as for pleasant shopping. No part of this great store is without its special preparations. Presents for all, from Grandpa to baby. No matter how much better you think you are going to do by buying your Christmas giveables somewhere else, don't let go your money until you have seen Gough Bros—so says Santa Claus:

ARCTIC CIRCLE, Dec. 21, 1897.

My Dear Gough Bros:

My new travelling machine, which I have christened "Gough," is made especially for this trip to the Wonderful Cheap Men of Peterborough; and is the greatest hustler we have seen since electricity was invented. I would like you to get it patented for me at Peterborough as soon as I arrive. The big white bear and seals that tackled me so often other years, have no show against me this trip. Tell your mayor that I want exemption from the Transient Traders' Bylaw of the town, as I expect the freedom of your city during my visit to Gough Bros. Give my love to the little kids, and accept some yourself.

I remain,
Your faithful old friend,
SANTA CLAUS.

P.S.—I send you a few suggestions for the benefit of Santa Claus shoppers in Peterborough:—

Give grandpa a big, cosy storm ulster, to shield him from draught and cold, and get it at Goughs'.

Or give him a pair of Arctic overshoes to keep his old feet warm, and get them at Goughs'.

Give grandma a snug pair of shoes wool and felt slippers for the house, and get them at Goughs'.

Give father a warm house coat to take his comfort in while he ponders over his evening newspaper as he toasts his feet at the fire, and get it at Gough's.

Or give him a fur cap or a fur coat for the coldest days of February and get it at Gough's.

Give mother a dressy pair of kid laced shoes, a pair of fancy worked slippers, with pointed toes, and get them at Gough's.

Or give her a pair of wool lined felt gaiters, and get them at Gough's.

Give brother a dress-suit, if you would wish to be held in pleasant memory every time he makes a holiday call, and get it at Gough's.

Or give him a silk muffler for his throat or a few of those pretty Roman stripped or plaid scarfs or ties, and get them at Gough's.

Give sister a pair of those elegant pink slippers, with bows on the toes—the best is none too good for her—and get them at Gough's.

Or, give her a pair of skating boots, light soled and warm lined, and be sure to add a season ticket for the rink, and get them at Gough's.

Give the boys all an overcoat apiece, or an ulster or pea jackets. Be sensible and make them not only happy but proof against this zero weather. If Gough is selling at "half price," as they usually do at this season, most parents can afford to go all over the boys with warm things—God bless the boys!—and get them at Goughs.

HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Samuel McGill's little boy, aged six months, died very suddenly Dec. 20th. The universal sympathy of the villagers is extended.

Messrs. Knox and Wood are flooding the rink, and we may shortly expect to see the building crowded with merry skaters—young and old.

Mr. Geo. Flynn, a clerk in Biscanette & Co's store, had his leg broken recently by a kick from a horse, whilst leaning over the dashboard of a sleigh.

Mr. J. M. Watson and family, will spend Christmas with Toronto friends.

Mr. W. S. Dodd, C.P.R. agent, was in Toronto on business last week.

At the request of no small number of ratepayers of Havelock, we understand that Mr. J. W. Bryans has consented to be in the field for the reeveship. He has had a long experience in council matters and has always taken a deep interest in the welfare of the village. Mr. Bryans is at present chairman of the School Board, and holds several other positions of trust.

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialities never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

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—AT—
WALLER & CO'S.

1 lb. No. 1 Cream Candies	15c
1 lb. No. 1 Chocolate Drops	15c
1 lb. Mixed Candies	5c
4 lbs Gum Drops	25c
1 lb. No. 1 Walnuts	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Almonds	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Filberts	10c
1 lb. Spanish Oranges	18c
1 lb Table Raisins	12c
1 Bottle Unfermented Wine, for your Christmas Dinner, all kinds, Grape, Rasberry, Black Currant, Black Berry, Tokay, Black Cherry, Orange, etc., quart Bottles at	30c

A MERRY, MERRY XMAS!

Order your ALES, WINES and LIQUORS EARLY, and your FAMILY GROCERIES at the same time.

M. L. HENRY & CO.

Opposite Opera House, George Street.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

Interest of America in Sea Power	*Mahan*
Begin, the City of Blood	*Bacon*
Sir Toady Lion	*Crockett*
The Ways of Life	*Mrs Oliphant*
The Burglar who Moved Paradise	*Ward*
Departmental Ditties	*Kipling*
Beyond the Pale	*Croker*
The African Millionaire	*Grant Allen*
Black Cat (vol 2)	
The Christian (3rd copy)	*Hall-Caine*
System of Medicine (vol 6)	*Allbutt*

For nervous headache use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

MARRIED PEOPLE LIVE LONGEST!

Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage License from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness.

MORAL—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—W. J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses, 146 Hunter St.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect Shop, 459 George St

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HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR MEN

The recognized Headquarters for everything that is best in Men's Furnishings. Never have we shown such an immense variety—all that is rich, reliable, durable, desirable. Prices lowered to a Spot Cash Basis.

DRESSING GOWNS, Smoking Jackets, Travelling Rugs, Umbrellas, Fancy Vests, Neckwear, Neck Scarfs, Shirt Protectors, Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Braces, Pyjamas, Underwear, Hosiery, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Etc.

LADIES WAITED ON with pleasure and prompitude; pleased to have them call; take their time, price the goods and arrange for the careful delivery of their parcels any time and anywhere.

A. MERCER & CO.

Had to Stop and Rest Because of Heart Trouble.

Mrs. Elias Cook, 109 Palmerston Ave., Toronto, says: "Seven years ago I had the grip, followed by inflammation of the lungs. I have been afflicted ever since with heart trouble. To walk anyway

fast would make me gasp for breath, and many a time I have had to stop on the street to rest and regain my breath.

I had bad smothering spells at night, and my nerves were much unstrung. Anything annoying or worrying me produced extreme weakness, and would set my heart beating so fast that I thought I was dying. Sometimes I would become so nervous as to tremble like a leaf.

I began taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills early last February, and have been getting better ever since. My nerves are much stronger. I can walk without difficulty, and the palpitation, fluttering of the heart, shortness of breath and nervousness trouble me no more.

I gladly recommend these pills as the best medicine I know of for heart and nerve troubles on account of the great good they have done in my case." 221

POWERS AND CHINA

All of Them Sending Cruisers to the Latter's Coast.

GREAT BRITAIN'S INTENTIONS.

Said to Be a Protectorate in Central China—The British Squadron is to Make a Demonstration—The Daphne Story Persisted In—Newspaper Men Debarred—Cable News.

London, Dec. 22.—According to special despatches from Shanghai the British squadron will make a demonstration at Che-Foo on the north coast of the Shan-Tung promontory, as a warning. It is supposed that Great Britain intends to oppose the division of China without consulting her. It is reported there that Russia has offered China a loan to pay off the indemnity of the war with Japan, and it is believed, says the despatch, that Japan and England are acting in concert to preserve China from disintegration, favoring the idea of a protectorate over Central China, with a capital at Nanking.

A Germany-Chinese commission has been arranged, according to a despatch from Shanghai to the Daily Mail, to settle the boundaries of the occupied district at Kiao-hCou, and it is evident, therfore, that the occupation will be permanent. The same despatch says it is rumored in Shanghai that the British intend to occupy La-Lien-Wan, south of Port Arthur, in order to guard the Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li.

All Because of the Daphne.

Berlin, Dec. 22.—The Cologne Gazette maintains the accuracy of its statement yesterday that the Russian occupation of Port Arthur was connected with the visit there of the British warship Daphne about a week ago.

The Cologne Gazette embarrassed the Government to-day by declaring that the others powers would soon follow the example of Germany and Russia, now that the partition of China had actually commenced. Others papers have expressed opinions in a similar vein.

Arabs in Revolt at Tripoli.

Tripoli, Dec. 22.—Several thousand Arabs, who had been demonstrating outside the gates of this place, have been surrounded by Turkish troops. The shops of the city are closed, and the Arab agitation against the Government is increasing. There were disturbances on Dec. 17 at Amrus, near here. All the houses inhabited by Hebrews were pillaged. Thirty of the rioters were arrested by the troops.

A special from Vienna says the Arabs along the Persian Gulf, notably at Ras Rah, Kurnah and El Kaiff, have revolted, and that troops are on their way there.

Pando Appeals for Help.

Havana, Dec. 22.—The war is assuming a decisive character in Santiago de Cuba province. If the military efforts of Gen. Pando against Gen. Garcia fail, as seems probable, then Spain will have to abandon the east to the insurgents, unless she can afford to send 100,000 soldiers to Cuba and spend $100,000,000 more. This is the conclusion upon which all sensible persons agree here. Even the most uncompromising Spaniards believe it was folly for Gen. Pando to have started his campaign against Garcia at this time.

Gen. Pando has cabled again to Gen. Blanco asking for reinforcements.

The Interests of France.

Paris, Dec. 22.—The Duc d'Orleans, in a letter to M. Dufouillio, who has just resigned the position of Orleans' representative in France, says:—

"French public opinion is returning to moderate conservative ideas. The monarchists should not try to impede this salutary movement, inasmuch as what ought to be considered is not the immediate apparent advantage of party, but the higher interests of France."

Le Temps, commenting on this letter, calls it a striking admission of weakness, almost amounting to a practical renunciation of the Orleans claims.

Troublous Days for China.

London, Dec. 22.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai says that, in view of further complications, high officials of the Chinese court have advised the Emperor to transfer the capital from Pekin to Nankin, the "Southern Capital," which is 560 miles southeast of Pekin. It is also reported that overtures have been made to England looking to her placing the valley of the Yangtse Kiang and the West River under her protection.

British Vessel Lost.

Auckland, N.Z., Dec. 22.—The British barque Blairlogie, Captain McKay, from Delagoa Bay Sept. 4 for Portland, Oregon, has been lost with her cargo off the Island of Matahiva, belonging to the Tuamota group. The members of the crew have reached Papetti. The Blairlogie was built at Port Glasgow in 1894. She was of 1,637 tons gross register, and was owned by Tomson & Gray, of Glasgow.

Spain Hopes for a Respite.

London, Dec. 22.—A despatch to the Standard from Madrid says that the Government has received from the legation at Washington reassuring information which leads to the belief that the American Government expects to command a sufficient majority in the House of Representatives to check all military motions until the summer recess, thus securing Spain twelve months' respite.

Spain's Queen Sympathizes.

Madrid, Dec. 22.—Official despatches from Havana confirm the report of the execution of Lieut.-Col. Joaquin Ruiz. The Queen Regent has cabled an expression of sympathy to the family of the deceased officer. It is alleged that the insurgent chief, Nestor Aranguren, has had 70 insurgents shot because they offered to make submission.

FUNERAL OF ACTOR TERRISS.

A Remarkable Demonstration of Sympathy—Beautiful Floral Tributes.

London, Dec. 22.—The funeral of William Terriss, the actor, took place yesterday to Brompton Cemetery. There was an immense crowd of people. The principal mourners were the two sons of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Hicks, the Messrs. Gatti, Sir Henry Irving, Mr. Charles Wyndham and Mr. George Grossmith. The floral tributes were very numerous, including wreaths from Lord Rosebery, the Rothschilds, Mme. de Navarro (Mary Anderson), Lady Harris, Sir Edward Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft, Sir Henry Irving, Pinero, Mr. and Mrs. Kendal, Mrs. Langtry, Arthur Bourchier, E. S. Willard, John Hare, George Alexander and other theatrical notabilities. Several vans and carriages were required to carry the wreaths, etc., and there was much popular sympathy manifested for the deceased as the remains were conveyed to the cemetery.

The funeral procession was composed of over 100 carriages. On its arrival at the cemetery it was found that about 50,000 people had assembled there. All the leading theatrical people of London were among those present. It was the most remarkable demonstration of sympathy in recent years.

Cruelty to an Italian Princess.

Palermo, Italy, Dec. 22.—Il Corriere Della Isola tells a shocking story of ill-treatment of Princess di Carini, who is separated from her husband. It appears that, with her blind daughter, she has been shut up for the last five years by her trustee, and has only just succeeded in sending a letter to the police revealing the fact of her imprisonment. The police have liberated the Princess and the trustee has been arrested.

A Cranky Yankee.

London, Dec. 22.—Charles Helmbold, son of the late Dr. Helmbold, of New York, the well-known patent medicine proprietor, has been locked up and is awaiting trial at Bow Street Police Station on the charge of threatening to kill United States Consul-General Osborne.

Steamboats for the Canadian Route.

London, Dec. 22.—(Telegram Cable.)—Two steamboats of four thousand tons capacity, and with a speed of about sixteen knots, have been selected by those commissioned to procure them for the all Canadian route to the Yukon district.

Heavy Failure at Melbourne.

London, Dec. 22.—A special despatch from Melbourne, Victoria, says that C. H. James has failed for £850,000. The cause of his trouble is said to be the bursting of the land boom.

Passed Kinsale in Tow.

London, Dec. 22.—The British steamer Virginian passed Kinsale yesterday, having in tow the British steamer Appomattox, before reported disabled at sea with a broken shaft.

French Warship for China.

London, Dec. 22.—A special despatch from Brest says the French cruiser Jean Bart has been ordered to proceed immediately to China. The Jean Bart is rated as a second-class cruiser. She is of over 4,000 tons displacement.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing *topic of conversation* is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills *were* his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

None So Excellent.

"I have been troubled with sick headache for over a year. Lately I have used Laxa Liver Pills, and find that they help me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. They are an excellent pill, causing no pain or griping, and leaving no after ill effects."

MISS MARY ELLEN HICKS,
South Bay, Ont.

For Catarrh in any form use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

— AT —

SANDERSON'S

JEWELRY STORE.

More Wonderful than ever are the offerings of this store for the Great Crowds that fill its aisles in search of Holiday Gifts.

The two powerful trade influences combine — ***MARVELLOUS ASSORTMENT—MODERATE PRICES.*** The most we can say for this Extraordinary Offering is that it comprises the richest goods possible that Art, Skill and Ingenuity could bring before a public at such low prices.

In Watch and Clock Gifts--

This stock grows more and more interesting each day, first, because each line comprises the most complete assortment ever shown; second, importing direct enables us to create a vast saving for the stream of buyers.

In Diamond Jewelry--

Choice selections in Solitaire Rings, Ruby and Diamond, Sapphire and Diamond, Diamond Stars, Crescents and Sunbursts.

In Sterling Silver Novelties--

And articles for the Dining Room we show a most complete stock. Full assortment of Toilet Goods in Sterling Silver and Ebony.

In Fine Electroplated Ware--

Sensible Gifts to go to thousands of homes at prices figured down to the lowest notch of economy. Guaranteed goods.

In Side Pieces & Artistic Goods--

Ladies' China Satin Lined Jewel Cases and Trays, Celluloid Brush and Comb Sets, Fine Brassware, Artistic Brass and China Decorated Lamps, Brass and Onyx Top Tables, Japanese China ware, Fine Art Medallions, Leather Goods of all kinds, Portfolios, Music Cases, Letter Cases, and a Royal Stock of Ladies' and Misses' Purses, Pocket Books, Card Cases, etc.

In Gold & Silver Novelties--

Which form a large part of the Xmas trade, you would wonder ow such pretty tokens of friendship could be purchased for the price we ask:—Cigar Holders, Cigar Cutters, Match Boxes, Shirt Studs and Links, Knives and Erasers, Scarf Pins, Mirrors, Bracelets, Brooches, Pins, Thimbles, Combs, Hair Brushes, Manicure Sets, Bouquet Holders, Chains and Fobs, Fern Dishes and Pots, Opera Glasses and Fans, Puff Boxes, etc., etc.

Optical Department--

A large assortment of Gold and Silver, Steel, Shell and other materials of Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Oculists Prescriptions carefully ground and filled. Work guaranteed absolutely reliable. Adjusting Spectacles to suit the various conditions of sight our Specialty. Lorgnettes, Thermometers, Microscopes.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 21.

FLOUR—The market continues firm, with good demand. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand for wheat is good, but offerings to-day were restricted and prices ruled firm. Sales of red winter were made at 83c to 83½c, high freights. No. 2 spring on Midland, 83c to 83½c, and goose 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 94c to 95c, Fort William, and at 90c to $1, Midland.

BARLEY—The offerings are fair and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c east, and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24c west, and at 25c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 45c, north and west, and at 46c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market is firm, with fair demand. Sales were made at 44½c to 45c high freights and at 46c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with a limited movement; prices are nominal at 36c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 21.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9d to 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 9d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 24s 3d; bacon, heavy, i.c., 29s 0d; do., light, 29s 0d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast and on passage 2d to 6d higher. No. 1 Manitoba hard, March and April, 28s 3d. English country markets steady. Maize off coast and on passage 2d higher. Clipped oats, Jan. 14s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 20f 25c for Jan. Flour 61f 25c for Dec. and Jan. French country markets quiet and steady.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, buyers and sellers apart. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 7s 8½d for March, 7s 4½d for May, and 7s 3d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1½d for Jan., 3s 2½d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 20f 25c for Jan. Flour dull at 61f 60c for Jan.

A Personal Item.

Mrs. Wm. Hambly, Belleville, Ont., says: "My husband was troubled with kidney complaint, rheumatism, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, etc., and could not get relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills for him. He has now used four boxes in all and is perfectly cured."

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Fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* is on every wrapper.

Death of a Veteran Rifleman.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 22.—Capt. Wm Langstroth, of the Eighth Hussars, was killed at French Village on Saturday by falling from a load of hay. He was about to drive to St. John. He was a crack shot, and father of the family of Langstroths who at Wimbledon and Rideau have upheld the reputation of New Brunswick's volunteer markamen. He was 70 years old.

ITCHING PILES.

Some time ago I was completely incapacitated for business by Itching Piles. I bought a box of Chase's Ointment at Roper' Drug Store, and on applying it was relieved at once. I have given it to others and all have been relieved. It has cured some that had undergone an operation.

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Mr. F. M. Robinett, of Xenophon, Tenn., writes: "I can heartily recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for indigestion and torpid liver. I was very bad off and tried different doctors with but little benefit. I decided to give the 'Golden Medical Discovery' a trial and I soon began to improve. If it had not been for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I believe I would not be living to-day."

KELP GATHERERS.

THE IRISH PEOPLE WHO DWELL ON THE ISLAND OF MYNISH.

Rude Cabins Which a Rude and Untutored Folk Call Home—Their Vocation Not a Very Remunerative One, but They Are Strong and Healthy Men.

Right on the western borders of the land, and upon the numerous islands and peninsulas which are the common natural features of this broken part of the Irish coast, the kelp gatherers live. In a certain sense they seem to be an amphibious sort of folk and draw their sustenance, apparently always more or less scanty and precarious, from sea and land alike. Let us picture their existence for a moment, such as we may see it on the island of Mynish, not far from Roundstone bay, off the Galway coast. Imagine an island, about 12 miles in circumference, connected with the mainland by a kind of viaduct recently constructed by government, low lying and wind swept by the numerous gales of ocean, but crowded with a population of several hundred human beings. Every little cove or bay will have its cluster of cottages, with their fishing boats anchored close by, ready to run down the bay for mackerel or to fetch a load of kelp from the neighboring rocks when wind and weather permit.

The surface of the island itself, which is strewn with huge granite stones and bowlders, is parceled out with the most exact and scrutinizing jealousy, and if you attempt a short cut across country from one point to another your way is blocked by a continual succession of loosely constructed stone walls serving as partitions between an innumerable series of diminutive plots. So intricate and puzzling is the arrangement of these plots that you are not at all surprised to hear that they are a source of litigation between the owners of the cottages, who are very fond of invoking the law in spite of their poverty stricken condition.

"Cottages" we call them, for the sake of courtesy, but whereas the word "cottage" calls up in the English sense some bright and picturesque surroundings and some appearance of comfort these cottages or cabins of the kelp gatherers suggest every kind of discomfort. The walls are built of the undressed granite blocks picked up from the surface of the island and loosely put together according to the rules of a very primitive masonry. But the roof is sometimes of sod, and more often of reed. The absurd contrast between the strength and stability of the walls and the feeble character of the roof strikes the eye immediately. The floors are of very unsatisfactory character, as they are simply uneven pavements with muddy interstices and calculated to retain every kind of filth and abomination. It would be almost impossible, to sweep these floors clean even if there existed the will to do it.

If there is any glass, it is simply mortised into some little chink, and window frames are unknown—partly because wood is scarce and expensive and partly because the fisher folk do not desire a window that will open.

As far as accommodation is concerned, there are only two rooms on the ground floor—one to be used as a kitchen and sitting room, the other to sleep in, no matter the number of the family party. Sometimes there is a kind of loft overhead on the kitchen, where some of the occupants can sleep. Outside there is no pigsty or cowshed or any other "office" which we are accustomed to connect with the ideas of comfort and decency. In cold and rough weather the pig and even the cow are admitted to the hospitality of the hearth, and this accounts for their very friendly and sociable character. As far as "rint" is concerned, the kelper cannot complain greatly, as it is a judicial "rint" and he cannot be ejected, no matter how he lives, as long as the rent is paid.

Sometimes a kelper has a right to a common adjoining and can run a few black faced sheep and some of the black cattle of the country, and whenever he is in a position to save money he prefers to put it in stock rather than to commit it to the keeping of a savings bank. Here and there on the island you may chance across a little circle of stone in a retired nook. You need not puzzle long over it as if it were some archæological find, for it is simply the foundation of a kelp stack that has been piled up inside it, and the calcined appearance of the stones, together with the ashes around them, will immediately reveal its use to you. Far away along the windings of some distant cove you will often see the smoke of these kelp fires rolling heavily out to sea, and the kelp stacks themselves are among the common objects of the seashore, with the long trailing kelp weed drooping down their sides. These have been won with much labor from the deep, and the yearly wage paid to the Mynish islanders by the kelp company is nearly £2,000.

Kelp is, indeed, the main source of their wealth, and many a voyage has to be taken before a ton of kelp is procured. The weed burns down to a viscous, gelatinous mass under the action of the fire and then cools down to hard and rugged blocks. The kelpers live on fish, milk, tea, bread and eggs chiefly, but seldom on butchers' meat and bacon, for the pig is really the "jintleman that pays the rint." Still, in spite of hardships, the kelpers are strong and healthy men. They would make splendid recruits for the navy, but if they leave their native rocks they find their way to the United States or our colonies.—St. James Gazette.

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A modest appearing young woman entered a drug store on Madison avenue one *morning* recently, and, walking to the end of the counter nearest the prescription department, mutely held out both hands toward a clerk who chanced to be standing in that particular place. The clerk, equally mute, reached behind a screen and brought out a blue glass bottle, from which a brush handle protruded. After stirring the contents of the bottle with the brush for a few seconds the clerk daintily brushed the tips of the young woman's fingers with the mixture, leaving a dark stain around the top of each finger nail. With a pleasant nod of her head and low murmuring thanks the young woman quickly withdrew from the store and the blue glass bottle was put back in its hiding place.

Observing a puzzled expression on the face of an old patron of the store who had come in to get a cigar, the clerk said, "Iodine."

"What for?" asked the smoker.

"Prevents the fingers from getting sore," replied the clerk. "She is from the musical conservatory, where she practices on the piano three or four hours a day. In order to prevent the finger nails from coming in contact with the ivory keys she has them cut very short, and we apply iodine to take the soreness out of the ends of the fingers after they have been subjected to three or four hours of pounding. Most piano players, you will observe, have their finger nails cut to the quick, so that no clicking sound is emitted when they strike the keys. We keep a bottle of iodine and a brush for the special use of the pianoforte pupils of the conservatory. They come in here for treatment two or three times a week and pay by the month."—New York Times.

After the Elopement.

Artie—Darling, you have no idea how anxious I was while you were coming down the rope ladder. I was so afraid you had not fastened it securely above.

Susie—You needn't have been alarmed, dear. Papa tied the knot for me.—Pick Me Up.

The Fall River Reduction.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 23.—After an informal discussion, lasting nearly all of the forenoon, a formal meeting of the Manufacturers' Committee was held in the afternoon and the answer to the operatives' proposition was framed. It recites the conditions affecting the industry in Fall River and the reasons for the proposed reduction of wages and concludes as follows:—

"The committee of the manufacturers feel that the situation is such that they must adhere to the decision that it is absolutely necessary to reduce wages in Fall River mills 11 1-19 per cent., said reduction to go into effect on the third day of January, 1898, as voted by the manufacturers at a meeting held on Dec. 8, 1897."

The sentiment among the operatives appears to be in favor of opposition.

Mining Man Arrested.

Montreal, Dec. 22.—Robert Stevenson, of Granite Creek, B.C., and president of the Granite Creek Mining Company, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Hallen, of Ottawa, at the instance of Miss Christie, of that city, who alleges that the accused induced her by false pretences to invest $1,200 in a mining enterprise and that the money has been lost. Mr. Stevenson left for Ottawa to answer the charge.

It Hits Uncle Sam.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 22.—The action of the French Chamber of Deputies yesterday in passing a Government bill increasing the duties on hogs, hog products, lard, etc., is regarded as retaliatory in effect against the United States. The figures of the foreign bureau of the Agricultural Department show that the American shipments to France on the one article of lard reached 31,773,342 pounds last year.

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WE WISH ALL "THE PEOPLE" A VERY MERRY XMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Rev. Hamilton Spence, of Bethany, has been visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. David Eason, of Keene, was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Tully and daughter Dalla are visiting at Mr. M. McGregor's.

At the annual meeting of the L.O.L., No. 277, Belmont, for the election of officers, the following were elected.

W Wildman.....W M
J Scots.....D M
W J Scott.....Rec Sec
S McGee.....Fin Sec
S Burgess.....Treasurer
E Wildman.....Chaplain
W G Scott.....Director
J Leeper.....Secretary
N Elliott and W Wildman.....Auditors
N Elliott, R Mackay, J Cook, F Scots.....Committee
W Cameron.....

Messrs. A.R. Anderson, Thos. Fraser and P. W. Stevenson are the public school trustees whose term expires this year. They are all willing to accept office again.

Mr. Taylor, of Napanee, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. H. E. Ford, B.A., has resigned his position as English and Moderns teacher in our high school here.

Mr. Wm. Darling has moved into the large brick house on Peterborough street, recently occupied by Mr. Geo. Hendren.

In the recent flood Mr. J. L. Squire's loss was estimated at $1,500, but it has since been placed at $1,000.

Mr. H. G. Buck, who was in the States for a few days, has returned.

The managers of the rink have been busy preparing it for the season's sport and expect to have it in shape by Thursday.

The village council met in the town hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 15th, 1897, pursuant to statute. In the absence of the reeve, H. G. Buck, Esq., Councillor Ebbs was appointed chairman. Present, Councillors John Harper, R. Nichol and John Walker.

The Treasurer submitted the financial statement of the receipts and expenditures of the corporation up to the 15th inst.

Moved by Councillor R. Nichol, seconded by Councillor John Harper, that the financial statement be received and that the clerk be instructed to get the necessary number of copies printed for distribution.—Carried.

On motion of Councillors Harper and Nicol, the following accounts, salaries, etc., ordered to be paid:

James Jotcham, running snowplough..	$ 1 25
J G Keefer, printing.....	2 25
H Chandler, distributing bills.....	25
Treas. Stephenson, High school rate..	595 46
" Public school rate...	1237 00
" Deb. by law No 63....	462 40
" Deb. by law No 146....	245 92
E Pearce, county rate.....	441 71
W C Harrison, 4th quarter electric light	144 00
Grant to band.....	50 00
D E Booth, Public library grant.....	25 00
R Striver, two months' salary.....	8 34
Jas Calder, salary as clerk.....	62 50
D Booth, treasurer's salary.....	18 25
Thos Fraser, collector.....	35 00

—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Walker and Harper, that the clerk be authorised to issue orders on the treasurer for work done in rebuilding sidewalks and bridges destroyed by the flood caused by the breaking away of James Cummings' dam.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned.

MILLBROOK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. L. Clarry, of Hastings, was in town over Sunday.

Miss Annie Wood has returned from Trinity University, Toronto.

Mr. E. W. Green, of Toronto, has been in town for the last few weeks in the interests of the R. S. Williams Piano Co.

Municipal matters are beginning to assume a more lively appearance. The candidates for the reeveship are W. S. Pickup, the present head of the council, and S. Bateson, who has been in the council for a number of years. Those announced as councillors are Messrs. R. Ruddy, W. Thexton, G. W. Green, John Clarke and Isaac Beadham.

The "sports" around town are getting quite anxious about the opening up of the rink. Up to the present time no one seems to know whether it will be opened or not. The hockey boys have entered the O. H. A. anyway and are bound to make things boom if they have ice.

Monday night last Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Duncan celebrated their china wedding. A large number of their friends assembled and a most enjoyable time was spent. Many from Peterborough were present.

Mr. Tommy Nattrass intends starting as a barber himself in the shop vacated by Harry Kendall. Tommy is quite popular among the boys and one of Millbrook's best known athletes; we predict for him a good share of the trade.

Mr. T. G. Kells, of the firm of Wood & Kells, bankers, has returned from the Northwest.

Mr. W. J. E. Gilliott left on Tuesday for Cobourg, where he has a situation with the Crossen Car Works.

Mr. Fred Coombe, who has been at the Normal school, Ottawa, has returned home.

The entertainment on Friday evening last under the auspices of the East Durham Farmers' Institute, was a grand success. The speakers were Messrs. Shepherd and McRae and Miss Rose of the Ontario Agricultural College. The local talent consisted of Misses Vance, Ough, Eams and Nugent and Mrs. W. C. Allen.

Miss Maggie Wood, who has been visiting friends in Orillia, returned home on Saturday last.

Mr. Ernie Dean has returned from Toronto where he has been spending a few days.

Mr. R. E. Ough, who has been in town for some months visiting his mother, returning to Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tanner, of Midland, were in town last week.

Mr. Harry Johnston has been on the sick list for some days past.

Mr. Harry Dunsford is building a blacksmithshop which will be in charge of Mr. Wm. Langton.

Mr. Jos. Thorndyke, reeve of the township of Cavan for four years, will not seek re-election. The candidates are Messrs. Geo. Berry and Charles McNeil.

Court Ivanhoe, No. 32, I. O. F., have elected the following officers:

W D Leach	P C R
J A Vance	C R
B Grierson	V C R
S W Clarke	R S
R E Stanton	F S
W J Gardiner	Treas
T Douglas	Chap
D Sutton	S W
C Hard	J W
J J McGill	S B
J Craig	J B
W Douglas	Rep to High Court
Jno Hicks	C D H C R

New Footing and Edgings arrived at Mrs. Appleby's 426 Water street.

ORMSBY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Roads are now considered good to Peterborough on the Fourth Line, and many will take advantage of the good sleighing.

The health of the village is good, considering the changeable weather. We have an occasional la grippe case.

L.O.L. No. 113 have engaged Mr. Herb. D. Williamson, of Peterborough, the renowned instrumentalist, and the Misses Belleghem, vocalists, for their Christmas concert.

Messrs. Green & Co., pump manufacturers, Peterborough, have sold a large number of pumps in this district lately.

Lindsay is making a desperate effort to get the market tickets from outside places to that town on Saturdays, but without avail. Parties now drive more to Peterborough than to Lindsay from this section.

There is another year almost ended, and with all the events, none is more to be thought of than a change for the better in the future.

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WARSAW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Don't forget the Methodist Christmas tea on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cooper, of Deer Field, Michigan, are visiting at Mrs. McIntosh's.

Owing to the unfavourable weather last week the rink was not put up.

Thos. Doughty, of Norwood, was in town on Tuesday.

A. F. Choate has a large display of Christmas goods on hand.

Dr. Couch will go to Millbrook to preach the anniversary services in connection with the Methodist church of that place.

Mr. Geo. Payne, sr., is seriously ill at present.

Don't forget the literary entertainment in connection with the League on Dec. 28th.

Mr. Mark Payne, of North Dummer, had an operation performed on his foot on Tuesday last.

Miss Laura May, of Peterborough, is visiting in the village at present.

Messrs. Hendren and Bell, of Lakefield, spent Sunday in this neighbourhood.

Miss B. Doughty spent Sunday with friends in the north.

Mr. B. James, jr., has been appointed Notary Public for the county.

Messrs. Choate and Tully spent Sunday in town.

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STONY LAKE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

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Mr. George Grant has been confined to the house for some time through illness. He is still poorly.

Mr. Wm. Dwyer has moved into his new house. It is a log house, 18x24 feet, and 12 rounds high of logs. He raised it himself and did all the carpenter work and plastering and finished it off complete. Beat that who can. He says that some of neighbours were wondering who he would get to help him to raise it. Then they wondered who he would get to finish it off for him and now they are wondering how he got it done. But he has got it done and they are still wondering.

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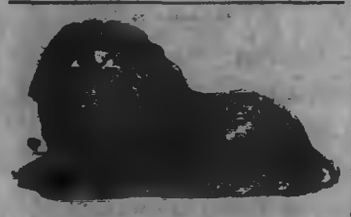

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THE ELECTION LAW AMENDMENT

The Personal Expenses a Candidate May Pay—Consideration of the Agricultural Estimate—Practical Instruction in Fruit Spraying—Bills Introduced—After the Holidays.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—The Hardy Government is a working body. It is the intention to have the House sit during the holidays in order that the large expense attending each day's sitting of the House may be reduced by shortening the session. When the House adjourned yesterday it was decided it should meet again next Tuesday, when the members would be called upon to work until the day before the New Year. The Attorney-General is determined to have all business pushed through with all possible speed consistent with proper deliberation of the various important measures to come before the House. He moved yesterday that on and after Tuesday, the 4th January next, Government business shall have precedence over all other business on every day of the session; and that there shall be a sitting of the House, for Government business only, on every Saturday of the session after Saturday the 1st of January next, to begin at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The resolution was adopted without opposition.

Important Government Bill.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a Government bill to amend the Election Act by providing that the personal expenses of a candidate, which may now be paid by him directly, shall include the rent of halls for public meetings to be addressed by the candidate, the payment of tolls by the candidate and the necessary and ordinary hotel expenses of one speaker for each meeting not including expenses for treating anyone who accompanies the candidate and travels with him for the purpose of addressing public meetings with the candidate, also reasonable charges for the hire and keep of horses and charges for the use by the candidate of one team and conveyance and driver on polling day; and the carriage of voters to the poll by candidate in such conveyance is not to be a violation of the Act. The Act provides that the township clerk shall be one of the deputy returning officers in his township, and if he should be absent the township assessor or collector may be appointed. In cities the returning officer is to appoint the polling places, and the expense for polling places is limited in cities to $5 per day.

About Division Courts.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a Government bill relating to judgment summonses and other matters which declares that Division Courts have not jurisdiction to grant injunctions. It also limits the powers of Division Court judges as to committing to jail under judgment summonses.

First Readings.

These bills were read a first time:—

Hon. G. W. Ross—To amend the Act incorporating the Strathroy and Western Counties Company.

Mr. Middleton—Relating to the city hospital of Hamilton.

Mr. Auld—To permit the establishment of public libraries in police villages and in cities and towns.

Mr. McKee—Respecting the Chatham City and Suburban Railway Co.

Hon. Mr. Harty—To amend the Act incorporating the order of the Sisters of Our Lady of Loretto.

Mr. Stratton—To incorporate the Toronto and York Radial Railway Co.

The balance of the session was spent in supply.

Matheson Called Down.

From one end of the province to the other Colonel Matheson and other members of the Opposition have gone complaining that the Government had paid for a marine glass costing $18, which Inspector Chamberlain had presented Captain P. M. Campbell of the steamer Majestic, one of the White Line fleet on the Georgian Bay Colonel Matheson thought this was a terrible crime, charged the Government with having paid the amount and loudly proclaimed he could prove it when the Premier stated to the House last week that the charge was untrue. Colonel Matheson undertook to prove his charge yesterday in the Public Accounts Committee. He called for the Inspector's accounts that had been receipted and paid, all of which were produced to the Colonel's satisfaction, but when he began to hunt for the marine glass he discovered he had been wrong; there was no such item in the accounts, and thus another charge against the Government fell to the ground.

A New Drug Bill.

A large deputation representing the druggists of the province waited upon the Government yesterday and asked that the old law with respect to the sale of liquor by druggists be restored. Under this law they were permitted to sell up to six ozs. liquor without a medical man's certificate. The Premier asked that they should appoint a committee to confer with the Government upon the subject, and that something would be done. A committee was appointed.

REDUCTION POSTPONED.

Postal Rates Remain as They Were Until a General Conference Shall Be Held for Consideration.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—With a view to securing a reduction of the postage from Great Britain and other British possessions on mail matter to Canada, it is expedient to bring into force on Jan. 1 next the intended reduction from five cents per half ounce to three cents per ounce on letters from Canada to Great Britain and the rest of the Empire. The Imperial authorities prefer that a conference be first held to secure a reciprocal reduction of postage, both ways, between Canada and the rest of the Empire, which it is hoped will not only cover letters, but papers and periodicals. The hearty acquiescence of the British and colonial postal authorities in this larger question is looked for, and the outcome of the discussions and negotiations will in all probability result in the establishment of a British Imperial preferential postal arrangement covering the whole field of postal communication.

Adelard Daoust, brother of Xavier Daoust, who was shot by P.C. McLaughlin, is now behind the bars charged with picking the pocket of Miss Morrow of Stittsville.

A letter received at the Department of the Interior from Major Walsh confirms the report of the drowning of Freeman of Seattle, and the loss of some provisions in an ice jam. The letter is dated Nov. 12. Major Walsh has got three months' provisions with him.

Is Mrs. Fleming Dead?

New York, Dec. 23.—It is believed that Mrs. Fleming, the prominent figure in the Bliss poisoning case, has died in the Klondike region. No tidings have been heard from the missing woman in months, and her sister, Florence Bliss, fears she has met death in the frozen Northwest. Her last letter was from Dawson City and contained these lines: "All the money I took with me has been swallowed up. Send me help; I am in peril."

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

TO ALL THE READERS OF

"THE EXAMINER."

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And lo, the angel of the Lord came unto them, and the glory of the Lord shone around about them; and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them: "Fear not; for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ, the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you, ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger." And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."
—St. Luke II.

QUEBEC POLITICS.

An Explanation of the Opposition to Mr. Tarte.

ONLY OBSTACLE IN RAIDERS' WAY

Why Ald. Prefontaine and Ald. Beausoleil, M. P., Love the Minister of Public Works—Influence of the Latter in Public Affairs—Not Now Regarded as a Sincere Liberal.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—A Quebec despatch says that Mr. Raymond Prefontaine, M.P., was shown the despatch from Ottawa this morning in which Hon. Mr. Tarte is said to have declared that if any three Liberals of Quebec would sign a petition asking his resignation he would resign immediately. "Let Mr. Tarte put the statement in anything over his signature, or publish it in La Patrie, and it will not take five minutes to obtain more than three Liberal members to sign such a paper," was Mr. Prefontaine's comment. "Yes," said Senator Thibaudeau, who was standing by, "and two dozen such signatures if necessary." Ald. Beausoliel, M.P., made a similar statement at the Chateau Frontenac last evening. From the statements of these gentlemen may be gathered the idea of the influences at work against Mr. Tarte. Mr. Prefontaine and Senator Thibaudeau are the principal promoters of the Atlantic & Lake Superior Railway scheme which the Laurier Government discarded in favor of the Drummond County Railway, already built, for the Intercolonial extension, and which is doing its utmost to persuade the Marchand Government to restore the guarantee of $8,000,000 on its bonds made by the Flynn Government and cancelled when the Liberals came into power at Quebec. They are afraid to come out against Sir Wilfrid Laurier, but profess to regard Mr. Tarte as the only obstacle in the way of a raid on the Dominion treasury for a subsidy, and are combining forces with other malcontents to compass his overthrow. Mr. Beausoleil, M.P. for Berthier, long ago lost whatever influence he might have had at Ottawa. He was one of the few Liberals who opposed Sir Wilfrid Laurier's policy on the Manitoba school question when the Conservatives brought in their remedial bill, and has never since been regarded as a sincere Liberal. He thinks that Mr. Tarte stands in the way of his own promotion in the party, and therefore wants the head of the Minister of Public Works. It is not at all likely that his wish will be gratified, and his record in municipal affairs would hardly qualify him for a larger sphere of action.

The New Model Locomotive.

The famous new model locomotive which Consulting Engineer Davis purchased for the Intercolonial will go out on the road next week, although the fast "through" runs from Halifax to Montreal will not be made before spring. It is said Hon. Mr. Blair believes the giant locomotive will work a revolution in the affairs of the I.C.R. Several engines of the same model are to be made in Kingston, as Mr. Davis believes just as good work can be done in Canada. He adds that the new engine is so constructed as to permit continuous running for 60 days, and instead of changing engines at every divisional point, as at present on the Intercolonial, the new model will be able to make the through trip from Halifax to Montreal. It now takes 20 engines to handle the passenger trains on the I.C.R., but Mr. M. Davis states that eight like the new one will do the work.

A Railway Purchase.

The Atlantic and Lake Superior Railway Company has purchased from the Canadian Pacific that section of the Southeastern from Sorel to Yamaska, which will form part of their new line between Montreal and Levis.

C. P. R. Telegraphers.

The C. P. Telegraphers' Committee declines to give out any information regarding the result, but it is learned that the conference with Mr. Shaughnessy was of a most satisfactory nature for the telegraphers.

Window Glass Prices Will Advance.

Pittsburg, Dec. 24.—It is learned that the American Window Glass Company, which controls the output of the window glass plants of the country, will issue a price list Jan. 1 which will advance prices in proportion to the increase in wages recently granted the workers. This means an advance of about 15 per cent. over the prices existing before the lockout began.

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4 Heavy Black Cheviot Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Light Serge Body Lining, very Warm and Stylish, regular $10.50 Overcoat, to clear at 5.68

4 Grey Melton Overcoats, Velvet Collar, were *fast sellers* at $8.00, to clear at 5.98

5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, clear at 4.68

8 Grey Tweed Overcoats, Italian Linings, the price must sell them, worth $3.00, to clear at 1.00

3 Young Men's Tweed Overcoats, Double Breasted, in light Grey, good value at $7.00, to clear at 3.48

6 Youth's Nap Overcoats, Velvet Collar, Tweed Lining, regular price $5.50, to clear at 2.98

9 Boys' Overcoats, ages 12 to 16 years, in Blue Nap, good value at $5.50, to clear at 2.68

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1897.

CHRISTMAS.

The theme is old, as the inscription of its prototype, yet the feelings it creates are ever new. While we all join in the general rejoicing and merry-making which it evokes, how few of us realize to the full extent the immeasurable significance of the occasion! How few of us realize, when we are opening our hearts in kindly impulses, and crystallising these impulses into affectionate gifts, that these gifts are but a frail and inadequate symbolism of the priceless gift of the Redeemer of mankind, who, "as on this day," entered our sin-blighted world as its Saviour. While custom has hallowed the conventional observance of Christmas, as it now universally obtains, it seems, nevertheless that a broader and more practical view should be taken of the obligations it imposes upon every Christian person. Christ came as the friend of the friendless, the helper of the needy, and that follower of His will best fulfil his obligations by following in the footsteps of the Master he professes to serve. And at the Christmas-tide the obligation will particularly suggest itself in the form of an enlarged liberality towards the suffering and friendless poor. If every person who has it in his power were to do a practical kindness to his needy neighbour to-morrow, the Christmas Day of 1897 in Peterborough would be the happiest one that ever brightened the town. No man, if he remembers his obligations, can sit down to his Christmas feast and enjoy it, if he knows that, within the reach of his aid, there is one person to be relieved, to be warmed, to be fed, to be clothed. No time of the year is so favourable to practical application of one's belief in the true significance of Christmas, as December 25th. If we are rich we can, out of our superabundance make scores of poor and needy happy, and should we be poor and have but enough, if we share that sufficiency with one who has none, our remaining moiety will have a sweeter taste. While we wish with ever so much fervency that our neighbours may enjoy a "Merry Christmas," it will be but an empty formality if we fail to do what in us lies to give effect to the spirit of our wish. Were this principle more generally acted upon, to-morrow would be in a fuller sense what the EXAMINER cordially wishes it may be to all the world and especially to all its readers, A MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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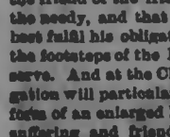

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A POPULAR POLICY.

The decision of the Ontario Government to ask the Ontario Legislature to pass an act requiring that all pine timber cut on Crown lands in Ontario or under permit or license, shall be manufactured in Canada, will, the Montreal Witness says, take no one by surprise. The Government has not acted hurriedly, and was wise in that at least. In the first place, the Canadian lumber interests were very much divided over the question, and as these were great and wide, involving merchants, bankers and labourers, as well as lumberers, the Government was justified in taking time to inquire thoroughly into the subject and to consult the Legislature instead of settling the matter arbitrarily by Order-in-Council. Moreover, to have put the new regulations in force this year after having issued licenses, would have been an act of bad faith in the eyes of the American holders. But that the Government was inclined * * * * * to require the manufacturing of Ontario timber in Canada, was patent enough when the question was first raised, as their replies to petitions took the form rather of deprecating any such move until the expiry of the period during which the current licenses ran rather than of declining to entertain the policy The great majority of all the interests seeming to be thoroughly in favour of the policy, it has been adopted by the government, and a bill to that end introduced into the Assembly, which has passed its first reading without dissent. The Minister of Crown Lands was obviously very desirous that it should be understood that the measure is not a retaliatory one against the United States, but was merely calculated with a view to the conservation of Canadian interests. And in this connection he expressed a hope for the success of the negotiations now pending between the governments of the two nations for the establishment of better trade relations. There can be little doubt about the general popularity of the measure. The Conservative Opposition, probably with a shrewd idea of gaining the advantage of having apparently forced this policy upon the Government, hurried to anticipate its probable course by re-approaching the Government for not having at once put the policy into effect. There will, therefore, be no obstacle placed in the way of the bill in the Assembly.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Mail and Empire and its journalistic ilk have been asserting that the Hardy-Ross Government was the bond-slave of Michigan lumbermen, yet it claims that the Government was forced by Mr. Whitney to adopt a pro-Canadian policy on the timber question. The organs have a good deal to take back, but they won't do it. They will doubtless follow the Mr. Whitney's policy and declare they didn't say what they did say—that they were misreported.

THE Mail and Empire in a column of generalities condemning the colonization road expenditure, condescends to give one specific example. Someone has said that a private mining road, five miles long, cost $2,000, and that a government road, seven miles long, cost $5,000. This proves nothing. One road may have been much easier to build than another, and one road may be a good deal better road than another. So that this apparently specific example is only a misleading generality where no data are given to show whether or not the money was not more wisely expended on the government road.

DOURO.

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, members all present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr Condon and Mr Campbell, that the financial statement for the year 1897 be received and adopted and that the clerk get 100 copies printed.

Moved by Mr Jory and Mr Moloney, that the clerk when preparing the statute labour lists for 1898 credit John and Frances Leahy with two days' statute labour, charged in error in 1897.

Moved by Mr Jory and Mr Moloney, that the collector's time for the collection of the balance of taxes for 1-97 be extended to February, 1898.

Moved by Mr Condon and Mr Moloney, that the reeve be appointed a commissioner to build a culvert on line of road between lots 5 and 6 in concession 7.

Moved by Mr Jory and Mr Moloney, that the clerk procure a set of books for the treasurer, according to the latest forms, and that the treasurer pay cost of same on the Clerk's order.

Moved by Mr Jory and Mr Condon, that Dennis Moloney be a commissioner to repair the railing on Burns' bridge, and the event of the the county council not assuming the cost, that the treasurer pay the cost of same on Mr Moloney's order.

Moved by Mr Jory and Mr Condon, that the reeve purchase 100 pieces of good cedar timber, and more if required, for use of culverts throughout the municipality.

Petitions received from James Maher and 25 others re the communication road through lots 5 and 6 in concession 7.

ORDERS ON TREASURER.

Councillors' sessional allowance	$10 00
Reeve preparing financial statement	3 00
Clerk " " "	4 00
Mr Ivy, dispensing of timber	4 00
Times Printing Co.	20 00
John Barnes for gravel	2 34

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

Moved by Mr Moloney and Mr Ivy, that whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death our dear friend and late reeve, John Moloney;

And whereas the municipal council of the township of Douro, desire to place on record its tribute of respect to his memory;

Therefore, be it resolved, that this council do record its deep sense of the loss sustained by the municipality by the death of one who for over a quarter of a century sat at the head of this council, and who by his kindly disposition and lovable nature secured a place in our esteem and affections that will never be effaced. During his long term of office he was ever mindful of the public trust and to him is due in a large measure the splendid position of the municipality, financially and otherwise. His conscientious discharge of all public duties is known to us all.

Be it therefore resolved that this resolution be taken by a standing vote, and entered upon the minutes, and that a copy be forwarded to the bereaved widow and family, with the assurance that they have the earnest and heartfelt sympathy of every member of this council, as well as of the entire community, in this, the hour of their great affliction.

[Signed] James McCliggott, Reev
Wm O'Brien, Clerk.
Denis Moloney,
Robt Campbell,
Jas Condon,
Thos E Jory. } Councillors.

We find in the Methodist Young People's Paper Onward the following eminently true expression about the Canadian Press. We agree with Onward in saying that the Press of Canada, taken for all in all, is as high-toned as that of any country in the world. Our readers will have no difficulty in recognising the Montreal Witness as the paper especially referred to:

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was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKERSON, 966 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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sides and between my shoulders for over seven years and I was also troubled with urinary difficulties, dizziness, pain in the head, etc., so much so that I could get but little sleep, and frequently got up as tired as when I went to bed, and feeling totally unfit for work.

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"It is no wonder that I speak highly of these remarkable pills, for they are undoubtedly the best kidney cure in the world, seeing that they cured both myself and son in such a short time." 221

IS A MIDSHIPMITE.

Mr. Sherwood Hodgins Enters the Royal Navy.

BRITAIN WATCHING THE CHINESE

England Proposes a Conference With Russia on the Chinese Question—Germany Fears a Combination and Her Press is Hostile to Great Britain—Cable News.

London, Dec. 24.—(Globe Cable.)—Mr. Sherwood Hodgins, son of Mr. Frank Hodgins, of Toronto, has passed successfully from the Britannia, the training school for officers of the royal navy, and has been appointed with the rank of midshipman to the Channel Squadron.

London, Dec. 24.—A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Rome says it is rumored there that, owing to her obligations to Germany, Italy has declined England's proposal for common action in the far East, including a joint occupation of Chusan. According to the same despatch it is asserted that England has proposed to Russia a conference on the Chinese question, with a view of avoiding dangerous rivalries.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "The Chinese Government is helpless. It is mobilizing a few troops under the least incapable generals who conducted the campaign against Japan. The British fleet is at present at sea."

The Daily Chronicle says this morning it has good reason to believe that the Government has decided upon a watching policy, and will refrain from occupying any Chinese territory for the present, but it will give its moral support to Japan and distinct warnings to China concerning England's action in certain contingencies. It is understood, says the Daily Chronicle, that Japan will protest in the strongest manner against Germany's action, while diplomatic circles ridicule the idea of a Russo-German entente concerning China.

German Press Deeply Interested.

Berlin, Dec. 24.—The press is evidently deeply interested as to the attitude Great Britain and the United States are likely to adopt in the Chinese affair. Every attempt is being made to create ill-feeling against England and to represent her as isolated.

Italy is in It, Too.

London, Dec. 24.—A special despatch from Rome says that at a meeting of the Italian Cabinet to-day it was decided to despatch a squadron to Chinese waters.

Pope's Christmas Reception.

Rome, Dec. 24.—The reception of the Vatican yesterday was largely attended by Catholic church dignitaries. Replying to the Christmas greetings, the Pope deplored the conflict between the State and Holy See.

The majority of Italians, His Holiness continued, were against it, and it was wrong to fight the will of the people, who understood that political unity did not suffice to give them prosperity. Therefore, they desired the independence of the Papacy and the restoration of its rights. Peaceful citizens should not be confounded with the subversive faction, whose aim was to set the cause of Italy and the rights of the Papacy in conflict. It had never been unworthy, and the State should make just reparation.

The Pope, who was in excellent health and splendid voice, blessed all present, including twenty-three cardinals. Afterwards every guest passed the throne of the Pope, and His Holiness said a few words to each of them.

French Were Not Massacred.

Paris, Dec. 24.—Gil Blas yesterday published a letter from Major Marchand, the French officer whose expedition was recently erroneously reported, from Brussels, to have been massacred. The letter, which is dated from Semio on June 17, says the work accomplished is enormous. He adds that the French hold Domsiber, strongly occupied Meshraerrek, and that by Aug. 14 France would thus be firmly established on the Nile, without firing a shot. Commenting on this communication Gil Blas says the rivals of France can no longer prevent her from being mistress of the Nile.

Demolition of Paris Fortifications.

Paris, Dec. 24.—The initial step has been taken in the long projected demolition of the fortifications of the city. General Billot, Minister of War, has introduced into the Chamber of Deputies a bill providing for the rasing of part of the forts on the west side of the city and for selling the sites. It is estimated that the land will realize 150,000,000 francs, 4,000,000 francs of which will be devoted to the construction of a short rampart further out. The remainder of the proceeds will be expended on artillery.

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Have you dizziness and pressure in the head?
Have you discharges from the head or throat?
Have you red, inflamed, blurred or watery eyes?
Have you hawking or spiting of mucus or slime?
Have you a stupid, dull, tired or dragged-out feeling?
Have you ulcers in the nose or bleeding from the nose?
Have you buzzing, roaring or whistling noises in the ears?
Have you pain in the back?
Have you cold hands and feet?
Have you aches and pains all over?
Is your sense of taste and smell impaired?
Is there an offensive or foul odor in the breath?
Have you soreness, scabs, crusts or plugs of mucus in the nose?
Have you dryness, rawness, soreness or tickling in the throat?

Any or all of these means that you have catarrh. If you have any of these symptoms you have catarrh of the nose and throat, and there is danger of the disease extending to all the organs of the body, producing deafness, and in the lungs obstinate cough, asthma, bronchitis and consumption, or to the stomach producing the distress of dyspepsia, indigestion constipation and biliousness, followed by nervous prostration and general debility.

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The Man is Crazy.

London, Dec. 24.—On the advice of the police surgeons, Charles Helmbold, son of the late Dr. Helmbold of New York city, who was arrested here Tuesday last, charged with having threatened to kill United States Consul-General Osborne, was yesterday taken to an asylum for the insane. It has been discovered that Helmbold has already been confined six weeks in an asylum, under the name of F. C. Evans.

Reverse to the British.

Victoria, Labuan, Dec. 24.—The Sikh police force, which has been attacking the stronghold of the insurgent Mataalleh, has been forced to retire. Adjutant Jones and six Sikhs were killed. Victoria is the capital of the island of Labuan, six miles from the northwest coast of Borneo. The area of the island is 45 square miles.

Salisbury Had Not Heard It.

London, Dec. 24.—Lord Salisbury, in reply to an inquirer in Manchester, has written that he had not heard the report that the Duke of Norfolk, the Postmaster-General, had approached him with the view of obtaining the admission of Cardinal Vaughan into the House of Lords. Lord Salisbury adds that the report is absolutely unfounded.

SERIOUS BLUNDER IN INDIA.

An Allahabad Newspaper Severely Criticizes the British Officers.

Allahabad, Dec. 24.—The Pioneer publishes a scathing criticism of the recent fighting on the Indian frontier, and says the operations have ruined more than one reputation. The Pioneer asserts that the officers have disappointed expectations, and calls upon the commander-in-chief to weed out those who have signally failed to prove their fitness to command or perform staff duties. The paper asserts that the instances when the troops were well handled were few, while serious blunders were numerous and happy-go-lucky arrangements were the rule, resulting in a few hundred British troops and Sepoys forming the rear guard having again and again to fight most desperately to save their skins while, within two or three miles, thousands of their comrades were doing absolutely nothing.

In conclusion, the Pioneer remarks: "The whole campaign shows carelessness and indifference for the safety of the rear guard and bad disposal of the fighting strength. While the fortified enclosures and homesteads of the Afridis have been destroyed, the latter have had their revenge in the actual conflicts. If the Afridis are to be coerced more skill is required and the staff must be weeded forthwith, irrespective of personal feelings.

Massacre of Portuguese.

Lisbon, Dec. 24.—An official despatch from St. Paul de Loanda, Portuguese Lower Guiana, says that the natives of the Humbe Plateau, in the Portuguese colony of Angola, have massacred a Portuguese officer, a sergeant and 12 men. Reinforcements have been sent from St. Paul de Loanda.

French Cruisers for Crete.

Toulon, Dec. 24.—In view of the disquieting news from the Island of Crete two French cruisers are ready to sail for the island at a moment's notice. The French cruiser Pascal sailed for China to-day.

Sixteen Persons Killed.

Dortmund, Prussia, Dec. 24.—Sixteen persons were killed as a result of the fire damp explosion yesterday in the coal mine here.

Captain-General of Porto Rico.

Madrid, Dec. 24.—The Queen-Regent has signed the appointment of General Gonzales Munos as Captain-General of Porto Rico.

Death of Lady Millais.

London, Dec. 24.—Lady Millais, widow of Sir John Millais, the late President of the Royal Academy, is dead.

Duty on Sugar Abolished.

The Hague, Dec. 24.—The Second Chamber has adopted a bill abolishing the export duty on Java sugar.

Anxious Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

BANK FAILURE IN PHILADELPHIA.

Chestnut Street National Bank's Doors Closed by the Bank Examiner.

Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—The doors of the Chestnut Street National Bank were closed this morning by direction of National Bank Examiner Hardt. Its affairs are now in the hands of the bank examiner.

William M. Singerly is President of the ban. The Chestnut Street Trust Company, which operated in conjuction with the bank, also suspended. Mr. Singerly is also President of the Trust Company.

The liabilities of the bank and the Trust Company together will aggregate about $8,000,000, represented by $1,700,000 of deposits in the bank and $1,300,000 in the Trust Company. Of the $1,700,000 in the bank about $1,300,000 was to the credit of individual firms and corporations in this city, while the remaining $500,000 represented the accounts of banks in other cities.

Will Pay Every Dollar.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Mr. Eckels, the Comptroller of the Currency, said to-day, in regard to the failure of the Chestnut Street National Bank of Philadelphia: The bank will ultimately pay every dollar it owes. The Philadelphia Record, which is owned by Mr. Singerly, Mr. Eckels said, is a valuable property, paying about five per cent. annually on about $5,000,000.

$3,000,000 Wouldn't Pay.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 24.—It is stated on authority of a leading financier that $3,000,000 was raised by the clearing house banks to save the Chestnut Street Bank, but investigation showed that this large sum was deemed insufficient to relieve the embarrassments of the institution and the suspension was necessary. This decision was reached at midnight Wednesday.

WHO KILLED THE MEN?

Rosanna Gauthier Has Been Committed for Trial, But Prevost May be Guilty.

Port Arthur, Dec. 24.—Rosanna Gauthier, the woman charged with the murder of Rene Dabin and Ferdinand Carrier, has been committed for trial, principally upon the evidence given by Oliver Prevost, her companion in crime, who, on another charge, was sent to the penitentiary for seven years, but the impression is becoming general that it was Prevost himself, and not the woman, who killed the two men. The discovery of the gun with which the murder is alleged to have been committed strengthens this view. The Crown is in possession of facts which make it probable that Prevost will be placed on trial on a charge of murder, and Mrs. Gauthier will be used as the principal witness against him.

Shot and Killed His Brother.

North Tonawanda, N.Y., Dec. 24.—August Broker, 23 years of age, accidentally shot and killed his 18-year-old brother Paul yesterday afternoon while hunting rabbits. Paul was walking through the woods ahead of his brother when the latter's gun exploded.

German Explorer Dead.

Berlin, Dec. 24.—The National Zeitung to-day announces that Wilhelm Joest, the German explorer, died recently in Australia.

Throat lined with Ulcers

A Young Lady Cured of Long Standing Catarrh and Catarrhal Sore Throat by Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

Miss Anna A. Howey, of Eden, Ont., says that she suffered from Catarrh for ten years, used a number of remedies advertised, but was always disappointed in the result.

Last fall she suffered intense pain in her head and her throat was lined with ulcers. The doctors called it Catarrhal Sore Throat, but did not cure it. She saw that Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure was being highly recommended, so procured a box from C. Thomson, druggist, Tilsonburg, Ont., and commenced its use. Soon the ulcers cleared away from her throat, the pain in her head ceased. She says that Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure does not cause distress or sneezing when being used, and is the most effective catarrh remedy she ever tried.

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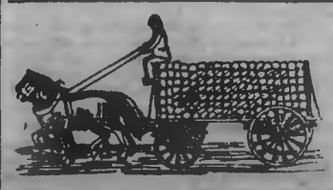

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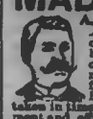

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Y.W.C.A. Notes.

Members of the Sewing Committee will kindly meet at the Y.W.C.A. rooms on Tuesday afternoon next, Dec. 28th, to sew for some destitute children who have been placed in the Shelter.

Xmas Perfumes.

The place to buy your Xmas perfumes is at J. D. Tully's. He has the goods, the quality and the prices. Handsome styles, fragrant and lasting odor. Call and see them. 2d

Flower Social New Year's Eve.

Another of those popular socials will be held on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, in the rooms over the Great Northwestern Telegraph office, Cox's Block. A first class orchestra will furnish music, and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Admission, tickets 50c. 2d

An Invitation for To-Night.

The people's happiness is our main thought, and if you want to find an appreciative gift at a price you can afford to pay, follow the crowd to the Peterborough Bookstore to night. Here you will find an assortment of holiday presents par excellence. To-night we sell at clearing prices on account of our heavy stock. We don't say that our prices are all "half prices." But what we do say is that we will give you the biggest, best, roundest dollar's worth you'll get for the money anywhere in town. Store open until midnight.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Christmas Services at St. Luke's, Ashburnham.

Christmas Day—Celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Holy Communion at 11 a.m., sermon by the Rector, Rev. H. Symonds. The music will include Jubilate, by Alfred Davies; anthem, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne." Hymns sq. bo. 482.

Sunday, Dec. 26th.—Special music in the evening. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Toop, in D; anthems, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne," and "While Shepherds Watched," (Best.) The church will be decorated as usual. On Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Symonds will preach the last of the course of sermons on Schools of Thought in the Church of England, "The Broad Church School of Thought." All seats free and unappropriated.

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Dates (Hollowee), 10c.
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ARTHUR BURNS ACQUITTED.

On a Charge of Obtaining Goods Under False Pretenses.

Mr. D. O'Connell returned last evening from Perth with Arthur Burns, who was being tried there on a charge of securing goods under false pretenses and who was acquitted.

The trial took place Thursday morning in Perth, the county town of Lanark, before Judge Senkler, Crown Attorney Malcolm representing the prosecution.

The evidence adduced was not sufficient to prove that the goods had been purchased under false pretenses and the prisoner was was discharged, returning to Peterborough on the afternoon C.P.R. express.

STOLE GAME COCKS.

But Were Finally Run Down by Officer McGinty.

Five young fellows were in the police court this morning, charged with the theft of a game cock from Chas. Shambo, 95 Rubidge street, and John McMahon, Lake street.

At the time the theft was accomplished, the fact was mentioned in the EXAMINER, and since that time Constable McGinty had been patiently working up the case, culminating in the arrest of three of the young men last night. The other two were seen and instructed to be in attendance at the court this morning.

Two of the prisoners pleaded guilty and one was discharged. The case was postponed for a week to give the four a chance to pay the costs, which will settle the matter.

PERSONAL

Mr. George Anderson is spending his Christmas at home.

Mr. Wm. Bantoo, G.T.R. ticket agent is spending Christmas in Toronto.

Mr. Andrew Scott is down for the holidays from the Dental College, Toronto.

Master Jimmy Lundy has returned from Mr. Drope's Grimsby school for the holidays.

Miss Eva Denne is home from Kingston, convalescing after a severe attack of quinsy.

Mr. Harry Fitzgerald is home from Winnipeg on a visit to his parents in Ashburnham.

Mr. P. G. Might, who has been teaching at Providence school, Otonabee is home for the holidays.

Mr. Will Davidson, son of Mr. J. I. Davidson, is home from McGill University for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Vina Belleghem returned at noon to-day from Toronto, where she has been attending the Conservatory of Music.

Miss Nellie Muncaster left this morning to spend Christmas and New Years with her aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) Ward, in Montreal.

Master Francis Ralph, of Singapore, is visiting at the residence of Mr. D. H. Burritt, having returned from Mr. Drope's Grimsby School with Master Walter Burritt for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Dickson Hall leaves to-night for New York, from where he will sail on Wednesday for the Old Country. Whilst abroad he will visit the markets of England, Germany and France in search of novelties for the spring trade in dress goods and millinery.

Hon. J. C. Patterson, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, came down here last night from Toronto and spent the forenoon in town. He called on His Lordship the Bishop of Peterborough and also on Mrs. Dennistoun, Mr. J. H. Stratton, M.P.P., and John Burnham, Q.C., and some other old friends. His Honour left for Lakefield this afternoon to spend Christmas at Mrs. Rollston's. It is gratifying to know that His Honour is Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Manitoba, as his being at large in a campaign in the Province of Ontario means serious trouble for his opponents.

Foresters' Meeting.

Members of Court Peterborough No. 29, C.O.F., are requested to attend a special meeting to be held on Monday evening, Dec. 27.

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"MERRY XMAS."

We tender the hearty congratulations of the season, and offer our sincere thanks to all our friends and the public for their expressions of good-will towards us.

It ought to be Christmas all the year round with us, so far as good-will is concerned, when we remember how generously we have been appreciated.

Christmas! May you be able to coin minutes of joy from each waking hour.

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THE OPERA HOUSE MASS MEETING LAST NIGHT.

ADDRESSES BY THE CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATE AND OTHERS.

Mr. St. John Exploits the Great Piggery Issue—Mr. Garvin Lays Down his Principles—Messrs. Kendry and Pousette Also Address the Meeting—A Good Sized Audience Present.

At eight o'clock last night, the hour when the Conservative mass meeting was to begin, there was a small gathering in the Opera House, but as time went on the hall was well filled by an audience that seemed pretty equally divided in political composition. A considerable number of ladies occupied the gallery. The hall presented a festal appearance, being daily decorated with flags, and mottoes of various kinds adorned the walls. On the south wall was a double blazon, "God Save the Queen," and "Welcome to our Visitors," but this motto unfortunately lost its point, since Mr. St. John, of porcine popularity, was the only visitor, Mr. Miscampbell failing to arrive. Directly, and suggestively, opposite the motto "God Save the Queen," and over the proscenium arch, was the motto "It is time for a change," and the audience was left to conjecture whether that sentiment applied to the Queen, the Ontario Government, the present representative of West Peterborough, or the present Conservative candidate. On the west wall appeared a motto that indicated that when Mr. Whitney came in power the Education Department would be converted into a departmental store where bargain day prices in school books would be announced—the motto read, "Prices of School books reduced to 33 1-3 per cent." Facing this was a motto, which was evidently used because it was in stock and not because of its appropriateness, for, in view of the fact that the Government has declared for the straight-out Canadian policy of Canada for Canadians in Mr. Gibson's bill, requiring the sawing of all Ontario logs in Ontario, it was dismally inappropriate and suggestive of the irony of fate. The motto read, "Ontario Logs for Ontario Mill Men."

There was nothing new in any of the speeches—they were simply a rehash of exploded charges that have been refuted over and over again.

The President of the Conservative Association, Mr. T. E. Bradburn, occupied the chair, and on the platform were, besides the candidates, Mr. Jas. Kendry, M.P., Mr. A. P. Pousette, Mr. R. Mulholland, Mr. L. M. Hayes, Mr. H. C. Winch, Mr. John Green, Mr. Hampden Burnham and others.

THE SPEAKING BEGINS.

Mr. Kendry was the first speaker. He said he proposed to discuss the main issues of the country. He first pointed that the Ontario ballot was not a secret one like the Dominion or the municipal ballot and if Mr. Whitney and his friends came into power they would change the ballot system. The present numbered ballot permitted telling how a hotel keeper voted if pains were taken to find out and thus his vote was coerced. He would vote against any government which would not change this ballot. The income from our timber limits or public lands should be devoted to capital and not be used as current revenue. When the limits are gone we come face to face with direct taxation. Referring to Mr. Garvin he said he was a man who was well and favorably known in the riding and would make a worthy representative. (Cheers.)

Mr. A. P. Pousette was not prepared to say anything and only consented to fill the gap. He said the Conservatives had reasons to congratulate themselves on the candidate chosen to carry the banner at this election. (Mild cheers.) The present Liberal candidate, Mr. Stratton, pretended not to know who the Conservative candidate was, but before this election he would know to his cost. Mr. Garvin was

AN EDUCATED GENTLEMAN,

a graduate of Toronto University, a high school teacher and an inspector, and was well qualified to represent the riding. The public funds should be properly expended, or we would be driven to direct taxation. He compalined that the public accounts showed that instead of a large surplus, there was a deficit. He held that the revenue fro mtimber limits should be funded and only the interest expended. Mr. Whitney, when he came into power, would have the accounts put into proper shape to discover whether we were expending capital or not. The centralising policy of the Government was described as a means of centralising power at Toronto. Complaint was made that the licensing power was in the hands of the Government instead of the municipalities. The policy of Mr. Whitney was to go back to the system of twenty-five years ago. Mr. Garvin was described by the speaker as an expert on educational subjects, as able as any man in the House. Politics were a part of the present educational system. Mr. Whitney and his friends would change all this.

MR. GARVIN SPEAKS.

Mr. J. W. Garvin was introduced by the chairman as the next member of the Local Legislature.

Mr. Garvin began by regretting that the crowd was not as large as was expected. He had called this meeting to discuss subjects that could not be properly discussed in the heat of an election campaign. He stated that

ONE OF THE CARDINAL PRINCIPLES

that should underlie good government was equality and brotherly kindness, and we should sound a truce to all efforts to arouse race and creed prejudices. The second principle was decentralisation of power, and leaving it with the municipalities. The third principle was the minimum of patronage—which might be used by a Government to entrench itself in power. The fourth principle was an absolutely secret ballot. The fifth principle was a system of elections at fixed periods, so that attempts could not be made to secure a snap verdict, and if he was elected to Parliament he would pass a bill to give this principle effect. The sixth principle was economical and efficient administration. He went a little into the Sandfield Macdonald surplus matter and asked where it had gone, especially as Mr. Stratton had said the receipts had been millions in excess of the expenditures. His seventh principle was a steady progress in mineral reforms. He opposed sudden changes. The County Council Act was passed too hastily. If it was wished to reduce the expense, why not drop the deputy reeves and give the reeves enough votes to represent them. The change had been too sudden a one. He held that every municipality should have a representative. His eighth principle was an equitable adjustment of taxation. The speaker spoke of labour as the twin brother of capital, and he had great sympathy with labour. His tenth principle was the

GREATEST POSSIBLE ENCOURAGEMENT

to home industries. The Ontario Government would not act unless forced by public opinion. For five or six years the Georgian Bay saw mills had been closed and workmen had to go to the United States to work. The Ontario Government should long ago have passed a bill to secure the sawing of Ontario logs in Ontario. Ontario had the greatest mineral

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Mozart's Twelfth Mass will be sung at St. Peter's cathedral at 10 30 on Christmas day. Musical vespers at 7 p.m.

—The decorations in the opera house at last night's meeting was the work of Messrs. J. J. Turner & Sons.

—The Havelock Standard sends out a neat folding Christmas card with floral designs, extending the best wishes of the season to its readers.

—The W.C.T.U. has sent to THE EXAMINER a beautiful card expressive of Christmas tide sentiments. For which many thanks and reciprocal good wishes.

—A vagrant got very indignant the other day at the county gaol when handed a prisoner's garb. He threatened to leave the gaol before he would submit to the indignity.

A Better Healer.

"Quickcure" takes the place of ill-smelling iodoform in many cases with much better and quicker results. Physicians are using and recommending it for ulcers, bruises, cuts and burns. It heals the sore properly by subduing inflammation and destroying the microbes that retard healing, besides relieving the pain instantly.

Calcutt's Brewery.

Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 75c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 28. Call a sap. 11d142

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

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MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

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We beg to return our most sincere thanks to our many friends and customers for their very liberal and kind patronage during the year now drawing to a close. Trusting to receive a continuance of the same favours in 1898 we wish one and all a truly Merry Christmas.

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THE FALLING STARS.

MURAT HALSTEAD RECALLS A GREAT EVENT OF HIS BOYHOOD.

He Tells In Picturesque Language of What He Saw on a Night In 1833, When He Was Only 4 Years of Age—A Supper of Squirrels' Brains and What Followed.

I am of the few who can speak as eye-witnesses of "the night of the falling stars," Nov. 12-13, 1833. Those who beheld the wonders of that time were dazed by the awful splendors and long spoke of them as of some majestic, supernatural vision. My age was 4 years and 9 months, my point of observation a valley in southwestern Ohio. One of the treasures of our house was an astronomical atlas, with mysterious maps of the constellations, over which my parents pondered, and the strange animals drawn among the stars were figures the more incomprehensible the more they were explained. My parents were much given to studying the clouds by day and the stars by night, and one of my earliest recollections is that they would call each other's attention to celestial phenomena, so that I was something of a "star gazer" myself and knew when a 4-year-old about Job's coffin and Orion's belt, the seven stars, the dipper, the north star and the star of the morning and evening.

My father the day before the memorable night had "killed a mess of young squirrels," and, out of deference to me, had not shot them as a marksman should—through the head—for my favorite diet was squirrels' brains. My passion for this dainty dish was indulged at supper, and during the night I disturbed the house shouting for alleviation of sharp pains, resulting from too much brains—in my inexperienced stomach. My mother, aroused, saw a strange light glaring at the windows, and, lo, it was evident enough the universe was afire! My father seldom allowed anything to astonish him, but that did. If he had not seen it, he would not have believed it, and yet he did not think the last hours of the globe we inhabit had come and "the judgment" was at hand.

The hour was after midnight, and how long the stars had been falling could not be ascertained. It was very good of my parents to think it worth while to have me take part as a watchman of the tremendous illumination just to see whether I could remember it as long as I lived. I have so far, clearly, as if it had happened a few days ago, and it is 64 years! My face was washed to clear my eyes from tears, perhaps, and, wrapped in a blanket, I was carried into the yard on the north side of the house. The view to the north was somewhat obstructed by a wild cherry tree. Eastward was a low hill covered with hickory, maple, walnut and sassafras trees, and that was where the morning star peeped through the lofty fringe of naked boughs and trunks of the trees in the winter.

Special attention was given to pointing things out for me to fix in my memory, and the amazing scene is before me now, though that was long before photography. I do not recollect that I looked westward at all. Observation of the east fascinated me, and I do not think I turned my face in any other direction. There were innumerable lines of light, drawn as if by invisible pencils with points of fire; strangely straight lines sweeping from near the zenith to the horizon. My clear impression is there were no cross lines; that there seemed to be a monstrous stream of fiery hair, a vivid blending of sun and moonlight, pouring from a stupendous, exhaustless urn, some of the bright lines fading as they swept far down, fainting into the serene depths of the sky. There was a certain majestic serenity about the exalted conflagration. My parents were not alarmed or greatly agitated, but enjoying every moment. I recall their low tones and some of their exclamations of surprise and admiration. All the boys and girls of the house were called, and they wanted to know whether it was really the stars that were falling, and my tamer reassured them by the rather unsatisfactory statement: "No. It's nothing but meteors." How it happened there was such a flood of them was a matter not deeply gone into. The idea that a comet had exploded and our world was whirling through the dust left floating in the abyss of space was not at once evolved, and it was some time before our weekly papers mentioned that there had been other startling showers of meteors; that this thing happened several times and might and probably would again.

The silence that attended the dazzling display, the apparent flight of all the stars from their courses, the mighty movement, inexpressive save in the swift darting of celestial arrows that flashed into space and made no sound, most impressed the beholders, and was always mentioned as something mystical—an apparition of glory inconceivable. It was insubstantial as the northern lights, and yet what more could happen after one had seen the vault of heaven incandescent, with a thousand streams of pale lightning all still as the frost that glistened on the grass. The dome of the edifice in which the world is as a toy was the fountain from which sped sheaves of long drawn shafts of light, as if some sudden volcano in the blue had sent forth a radiant array of spectral spears, putting out the stars. The commotion among the people in some country neighborhoods was as if warning had been given that the day of burning worlds was at hand.

It was a relief to the watchers—my eyes were soon weary of the fireworks, and so I have only hearsay for it—when the first cold white, then rosy, light of morning came, and it was seen the hills had not skipped, and that the brooks babbled on in their accustomed way, and the chickens that had cackled and crowed and given signs of apprehension on their roosts, came down and found the earth as they had left it the evening before, and the farmers set forth as usual to husk corn in the fields. When the evening shades fell once more, the veil of the meteors had vanished, and there were gladness and gratitude that the majestical overhanging firmament was still there, fretted with the golden fires of the familiar stars.—Murat Halstead in Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A Mistake Somewhere.

She—I received this paper from you this morning. What does it mean?

Bank Officer—It means, madam, that you have overdrawn your account. You owe us $54.23.

She—You mean, horrid thing, it's not true! Why, I never borrowed a cent from you in my life.—Brooklyn Life.

The grand triumphal arch in Paris, begun by Napoleon, is 147 feet by 75 feet at its base and 169 feet high. The central archway is 95 feet high and 46 feet wide. The inner walls are inscribed with the names of 384 generals and 96 victories.

An English Shop.

Shopping is a task at any time, and not always a pleasant one, but imagine looking for bargains in 50 different departments of a store. That is the number the largest department store in London contains, and we may expect yet to see it on this side of the water, as American enterprise and energy have been heading in that direction for several years past. In the London store everything from a cannon to a needle may be purchased. You may have your photographs taken, hair dressed and nails manicured, your household goods stored or insured. You may have a house built, decorated, furnished all complete, with the servants and insurance on the property, from one establishment. Pianos, iron in bars and theater tickets may be obtained, as well as drugs, ribbons and laces. Altogether it would be an interesting place in which to spend a week or two shopping.—Philadelphia Press.

THE MAHNIMAH.

A Wonderful Parrot of India Which the Natives Claim, Thinks.

A little bird in town did a surprising thing the other day, though that is the middle of the story. The first of the story is that a woman who had lived many years in India and who has a love for all things Indian was walking along the street and saw in the window of a bird store a green parrot with red spots on its wings.

"That bird," she said to herself, "came from India. I will go in and speak with it. Perhaps it speaks the vernacular."

So she went in and spoke to it in the vernacular of India.

"Do you speak the language?" she said. It is the common question which the people ask of a parrot in the land from which the bird came. But the creature made no answer. It stared at her with dull eyes and was not interested. Still she persisted.

"Come," she said. "Surely you speak the language? What do you want? Are you hungry? Is poor Polly lonesome away off here? Come, come, you speak the language."

Still the bird made no answer, but from away back in the dusk of the room came a clear little bird voice in Hindoostanee:

"I speak the language. I also, I speak it."

The birdseller did not notice the cry. It is merely the chattering of a foolish little bird to him. But the woman who loved India said:

"Where is that bird?"

"It's back there," said the bird seller, pointing to a remote corner. So the woman went there, and in an old cage she found a neglected looking mahnimah, standing erect on its perch, all its feathers ruffled, looking this way and that as it quivered with excitement. This bird of all talking birds is the most wonderful—nay, in India they maintain that it thinks. It learns, in fact, the tongue of the people, they say, and does not speak by rote, but it converses. At any rate the mahnimah cried:

"I speak the language. I speak it."

"Here I am, brother," cried the woman. "I am one who speaks it too."

The bird fixed one sharp eye on her.

"You are little," he said disdainfully, putting his head down in his feathers to indicate how little she was. "You are little, but I am large," and then he stood erect with his head thrown back and looked down on her.

It said other things, too, while the bewildered bird seller stood by and listened, astonished that the bird had any value or that any one could understand it.

"How much will you take for the bird?" asked the woman.

"Twenty dollars," said the man. The price had gone up in the last ten minutes.

"Where did you get it?"

"A sailor brought it here, and I bought it of him. He had come from New York and was going to San Francisco. He said he was tired of lugging it over the country."

"He must have come from some place where there are Lascars."

"I do not know. Will you take the bird, ma'am?"

But the woman could not afford that, so she called back:

"Salaam, little brother."

"Salaam," said the bird.—Chicago Chronicle.

Whist In the Church.

And that's what's the matter with Emporia—too much whist. The painted china set is married to cards. Women have no higher thought from week's end to week's end than winning head prizes. They grow nervous, irascible, bad tempered and ugly playing cards. Little crows' feet appear at the corners of their eyes after an evening with whist, and deep, vertical lines plow themselves just above their noses. There are more plain women in Emporia who lost their bloom at the rented card tables than there are women who have worn themselves out over the kitchen stove. It is worry, not work, that makes women fade, and cards are sapping the juice out of the town. Only the young people patronize the public library. The old folks make "What's trump?" the chief end of man. Cards have invaded the churches. One church has a big factional row looming upon the horizon because the pastor has jumped cards. Another church narrowly avoided it last winter. A third pastor sees his best customers whooping it up in whist clubs and hasn't the nerve to say a word. In the meantime poker rooms, which are just as improving and elevating and just as helpful to the town as whist clubs, have opened on Commercial street, and the town is enjoying the fruit of the seed the women have planted.—Emporia (Kan.) Gazette.

THOUGHT HE SAW A FALL.

A Needy Citizen's Futile Effort to Get a Surgeon Interested.

An excited man broke frantically out of an elevator at the ninth floor and rushed into a doctor's office away up there among the clouds.

"Quick!" he called to the physician. "Get your bandages and things! Just in time! Man's going to fall off the roof of that new building across the street!"

"A man has fallen?" said the medical man, who had not correctly caught the hurried speech of the other.

"Pshaw! No! Ain't fall yet. If he had, there'd be 63 doctors around him by the time I'd got to the elevator, and what show would I have had to earn a dime by calling you then? No; he's going to fall in three minutes. He is up there fixing

dime for warning you so you there ahead of time and receive got a fee."

ctor's excitement cooled, and he a work of preparation.

do you know he's going to drop?"

it in my bones. Better hurry. the dime now, and I'll rush down d fight off any other doctors that anging around."

shaw! You're crazy. Get out! you no money."

won't, hey? Not when I put you y of earning a big fee and getname in the papers? Me that ies of wheat in my bones and told r and helped him win a million! felt in my bones that Tanner was duck and tipped it off to the mayhim in so he could earn ever onor and get nominated for presidashville! And you refuse to beme or invest a measly little dime mes?"

ainly do. Go away! Go fast!"

well, sir. I go. I go with dignate communion with foolish men

In 1 minute and 40 seconds, t man goes whirling down there midst of a mob of people, and some tor gets the job and the excited the advertising and the chance money in the trial of the damage 'll remember that I gave you first Goodby, unwise person! Hey, rator! Nine, down!"—Chicago

RODE WITH SHERIDAN.

Ream's Story of the Famous Ride From Winchester In 1864.

five United States cavalrymen hed the famous ride with Sheri- Winchester to Cedar Creek, in handoah valley, in 1864, two are Reading, Pa. Barton Ream is Samuel Lewis is the other. Ream rgeant when the special escort ed. He is now a telephone line- ewis is employed at Bard's spoke

nt Ream says that 900 cavalrymen enteenth Pennsylvania regiment Sheridan from Martinsburg to r on Oct. 18, 1864. The next oopers were selected as a special ride with Sheridan from Win- o the front, where Longstreet's d put to rout the northern army nandoah valley.

ere picked out to ride with Sheri- use we had good horses," said telling of the ride. "The trip We had to jump about ditches loads, owing to the crowded conthe public road filled it was reating army. By the time we front I don't think more than escort had held out. On the way United States soldiers in full to were clad only in their underd drawers. Mind you, it was a ., Octo- day and kept waving it and cheerretreating soldiers to face about. has recorded it properly that it idan's great personality that at broken army. I believe the oldiers in that memorable ride all h the version given to the world ers who wrote the historical so- When Sheridan arrived at Cedar rode along the battle lines with our army was ready to charge Confederates about 4 o'clock. I the thick of the fight, being too were exposed and saw the fight h ground near where Sheridan taff stood. After that battle I General Kilpatrick's raid southd and did other service."—New

Rubber Coating.

many improvements have charthe process of coating cloth with rubber as have marked the progress of some other features in the application of that material in the arts. The chief solvents used in dissolving the rubber for coating purposes are naphtha, shale spirit and benzol, these being mixed with purified solid paraffin by grinding together. Solubility is promoted by grinding or working. The raw or washed rubber is less soluble than that masticated or ground, and well ground rubber is more easily taken up than that which has been less worked. The washed rubber is for waterproofing, says the Boston Commercial Bulletin. The next operation is to grind the rubber and pigments together, run it out into a thin sheet and digest in naphtha, with a slight stirring as it is added, and the finishing is performed by dough mixers. The treatment of fabric which has to be done by spreading with the rubber consists in passing it through a pair of calenders, in order to press down knots and give a smooth and even surface, after which it is passed over a steam chest to expel moisture, it being now ready to receive the first coat. A little oxide of zinc or a little naphtha, which is retained by the rubber and which it gives up very slowly, is a drying which proves quite useful and prevents blistering in curing.

To Make Sachet Powder.

The woman who likes the scent of verbena can prepare a sachet of long lasting fragrance. Save the peels of lemons which come into the household. Cut the peels up in small bits and dry. When enough of dried peel has been saved to weigh half a pound, reduce it to a powder. This can be done in the ordinary kitchen coffee mill. To this add an ounce and a half of caraway seeds, powdered, and mix the two well together. Over this pour, a few drops at a time, a mixture of one and a half drams of oil of lemon peel and three ounces of oil of bergamot. The result will be a very dainty powder.

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Stranding Celebrities.

Dr. Paul Garnier, a French specialist in lunacy, has been giving some information about the insane men and women who follow celebrities about and fall in love with them. The doctor has to send two or three women of this sort to asylums every month, and nothing is known of the cases by the public. Good looking priests, the doctor declares, are notably marks for the attention of such females. After the priests, but in a lesser degree, come the members of parliament whose names are most frequently in the newspapers or who make good speeches in the chamber, the authors and the handsome actors. The latter, like the priests, have often been threatened by their jealous admirers. In some instances women have gone to the theaters with loaded revolvers ready to fire at them, but for some reason or other have failed to carry out their purpose. As to actresses, Dr. Garnier states that their dangerous adorers are terribly numerous. Mme. Sarah Bernhardt has sometimes to be watched over very carefully. Her worshipers secrete themselves in all sorts of places in order to see her enter or leave her theater or her residence. The special detectives have had to interfere on two noted occasions in order to save the famous actress from the bullets or the daggers of maniacs who resolved to injure or kill her because she refused to respond to their flatteries and passionate declarations of love.

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—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
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—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests.
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
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—Boys' Fine Suits all reduced in price.

Department has won for itself the confidence of parents. Every garment will be found well made and every price the lowest.

Tailoring Department. Suits and Overcoats made to order during the Holidays, from 20 to 30 per cent. lower than regular prices.

The more you know about our Clothing, our Furnishings and our Prices the better you will be satisfied. During a DOWN GOES THE PRICES. The substantial test of time has proved our reliability, and WHAT WE SAY WE MEAN. Our trade during the year has been satisfactory, and we can afford to give our customers a BENEFIT during the Merry Holiday Time.

H. LeBrun & Co.

LECH'S FURS

Are The Right Thing
At The Right Time.

W. Lech & Sons

Present to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Peterborough the finest Exhibition of

XMAS FURS

They have ever Made—surpassing any of their 36 years' displays

VARIETY THE LARGEST.
QUALITY THE RAREST.
STYLES THE NEWEST.
PRICES THE LOWEST.

Seal	Capes	Choice
Persian	Collarettes	Selection
Astrachan	Storm Collars	Men's
Grey Lamb	Neck Pieces	Caps and
Raccoon	Tail Effects	Gauntlets
Jackets at	Frill and	Ladies' and
Popular	and	Children's
Prices	Muffs	Mitts, &c.

VALUES COUNT—Anything else don't. You will not be disappointed in our stock or prices.

"Merry Christmas to All."

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR RATES.

Return Tickets will be issued as below;

GENERAL PUBLIC

Single First Class Fare

Going Dec. 24 and 25; good returning until Dec. 27. Going on Dec. 31 and Jan. 1; good returning until Jan. 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste Marie, Fort William and east, and to and and Detroit, Mich. and to, but not from, Suspension Bridge, N.Y., and Buffalo N. Y.

TEACHERS and STUDENTS

(Upon presentation of proper certificate signed by Principal)

Single First Class Fare and One-Third

Going Dec. 30 to 31; good returning until Jan. 13, 1898.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

(Upon presentation of Commercial Traveller's Railway Certificate).

Single First Class Fare

Going Dec. 30 to 31; good to return until Jan 3, 1898.

Between all stations in Canada, Windsor, Sault Ste. Marie, Port William and east.

LEAD SOLD AS GOLD.

ARGUMENTS ON BOTH SIDES OF A PRACTICE OF WATCH CASE MAKERS.

Receiving $150 a Pound For an Article That Costs 5 Cents—The System of Selling by Gross Weight Responsible—Some Good Points Claimed.

"The practice of selling watch cases by gross weight puts a premium on dishonesty and ultimately forces even the most scrupulous manufacturers to adopt methods that they would repudiate under any other circumstances," a dealer said, describing some of the peculiarities of the trade. "If competitors offer 14 carat gold cases, stamped '14 k.,' or warranted '14-k. U. S. Assay,' weighing 50 pennyweight, for $25 or less, others must either meet these prices or lose trade. To avoid this alternative an effort is made to hold the market by meeting the unscrupulous dealer on his own ground. Thus prices and standards of workmanship are lowered, confidence is destroyed and the trade brings upon itself a certain amount of discredit that eventually redounds to the injury of all concerned.

"To clearly understand this examine the workings of a 'gross weight' sale. To ascertain the value of a case weighing 48 pennyweights the gross weight is multiplied by the price of the gold it contains, which, for the sake of illustration, say, is for 14 carat, 64 cents a pennyweight. This gives an actual cost of $30.72. Add to this interest and cost of labor, and the total is the price of the case. As the chief factor in determining this is the gold used, it is necessary to find out how much this case contains.

"The crown weighs 8½ pennyweights and is made of base metal plated, with a socket of lead for the winding stem, and is probably worth 25 cents. To the back of the springs are attached solid pieces of lead, iron or copper composition, which are concealed in the center; when the springs are in position, and weighing 16¾ pennyweights, the value of which is probably about the same as the crown. The three make a total of 25 pennyweights, worth about 50 cents, but which is charged as gold at the rate of $16.

"It will be seen by this that the dealer pays for $16 worth of gold that he does not receive. Had the case been sold by net weight there would have been no incentive or inducement for the so called gold case manufacturer to use a plated crown and lead or base filling. Consequently the crown and other parts of the case would be solid gold, whereas now they only look like gold. Assuming that the dealer knows of this deception and refuses to accept the case markings and weight, as indicated on the manufacturer's invoice and tag—the basis on which to estimate value—how is he to ascertain the real worth of the cases he may purchase? He cannot do it. If he discards the usage of the trade, there is no legal standard by which he could determine it, and consequently this practice is carried on without violating any law except a general one, under which it would be very hard to secure a conviction.

"That these practices have attained their present magnitude by one bound is not to be supposed. The present system has been evolved from small beginnings. The evolutions can be observed by examining three crowns. One is a gold crown, weighing 9 pennyweights. In it is no pillar for the winding stem, and the shell is hollow. Another is a plated crown, filled with brass or some weighty composition, and it has a large pillar, in which the winding stem is set. It weighs 4½ pennyweights. The third has a plated crown, filled with lead, and the winding stem is screwed into a lead collar. It weighs 8½ pennyweights and is in general use.

"The same increase in weight is noticeable in the spring. Not only the size, but also the weight of material used, has been increased. The first filling and backing was of comparatively light metal. It was then found that copper was heavier, and now lead is the popular metal.

"The purpose of this is too evident not to be understood, and as long as the gross weight system prevails this kind of thing will be continued. The temptation is too great to resist. The system that enables a manufacturer to secure $150 to $200 a pound for an article that costs him from 5 to 20 cents is too valuable to be discarded lightly. To believe that the beneficiaries of the system will voluntarily abandon it would be expecting too much from human nature. The system will be continued until it is not profitable or until some one steps in and wipes it out by the introduction of the 'net weight' system of selling watch cases.' Then the public can hope to obtain what they pay for, but not till then."

While acknowledging that the system of selling watch cases by gross weight has its evils, another dealer in Maiden lane said that it has its good points also.

"For example," he added, "watch cases are cheaper today than ever they were, solely on account of the practice in the trade of selling them by gross weight instead of by net weight. Under the latter system you had to pay for labor, which amounted to anywhere from $5 to $10 per case. Under the system in vogue at present you get a case which contains just as much gold, but you do not have to pay separately for the labor of making it. The springs, etc., are, of course, sold as gold, and it is from the profit derived in this way that the manufacturer reimburses himself for the cost of labor. Any one, however, who desires to purchase a watch case under the net weight system can do so, but the case has to be torn to pieces before it can be weighed, and the cost of making it is added to the cost of the gold. In the long run it is better to purchase lead, steel and gold together, as gold, and get the labor thrown in than to have your gold weighed by itself and the cost of manufacturing it added to the cost of the gold."—New York Commercial.

Sleep as an Aid to Digestion.

There is a time honored notion that a nap after meals promotes digestion, and, filled with this belief, a large number of persons habitually take a nap after dinner and think they are doing precisely the best thing for their health. There are other good authorities, too, who claim that sleep during digestion clouds the mind and predisposes those who indulge in it to apoplexy and stupidity. A French scientist has made this subject a study and by exhaustive experiments has discovered that sleep does not aid digestion, but rest and a horizontal position are of great advantage in promoting the proper conditions for perfect digestion and assimilation of food.—New York Ledger.

Through With a Whirl.

"So he married in haste? Did he repent at leisure?"

"No. He went to North Dakota."—Cleveland Leader.

BALL PROGRAMMES.

Made In a Very Great Variety of Styles, Suited to All Occasions.

Ball programmes are made in hundreds of styles. A wholesale dealer in New York prepares a sample book, which is of the size of an atlas and the thickness of a dictionary. Fancy cards for some other uses are shown in this book also, but of ball programmes alone there may be 500 styles. The book is like a great album. The dealer sends out 2,500 such books to printers and stationers.

Programmes can be bought at almost any price, including many at extremely low prices. Nearly all are more or less ornamented, many of them with embossed work finished with gilt or in colors and in a great variety of designs. There is scarcely any society, perhaps none, that could not find here an appropriate programme. There is, for instance, a ball programme embellished with a trolley car. A number of programmes, suitable for yachting club dances, have a yacht surrounded by various emblems of yachting and of the sea. There are programmes for musical societies, with appropriate emblems, and for railroad men, for bicyclists, for military organizations, for letter carriers, for firemen.

The cords and tassels for the programmes are a separate article of manufacture. They are produced in great variety of colors, qualities, sizes and styles and sold in enormous numbers and many of them at prices that seem marvelously cheap. It is probable that nearly all the programmes of the kinds referred to, handsome and elaborate as many of them are, would sell complete at prices under $5 a hundred. There are folded ball programmes, with a picture decoration, that are sold at wholesale, without printing or cord and tassel, as low as 35 cents a hundred.

The production of costlier programmes, such as sell for $5 a hundred and upward, is a business by itself. These are made in about 150 different designs, ranging in price up to $1.25 each. They are made in a great variety of shapes and sizes, and, as with the less costly programmes, of designs appropriate to the occasion on which they are used. The more costly programmes are adorned with hand painted pictures. Celluloid in various forms is employed in the making of these programmes, and satin, lace and papier mache are also used. All these programmes are of larger size than the less expensive varieties, and each one is put up in a box. A programme of the highest price was an elaborate production 14 inches square. The programmes most commonly sold among the costlier kinds bring about $18 a hundred.

There are sold of the cheaper varieties of ball programmes millions annually; of the costlier far fewer. These may be numbered in thousands. Winter is the season of the most active demand for ball programmes, but they are sold the year round. Some ball programmes are exported to Mexico and the various countries of South America. Many of the designs are equally suitable and appropriate anywhere. The printing is done in the countries in which they are used.—New York Sun.

Where It Doesn't Work.

"Don't tell me that the man who does the biggest blowing always gets to the front."

"Mention an instance in which this has not been the case."

"Have you ever seen the tuba player leading a brass band?"—Cleveland Leader.

The largest carpet in the world is in Windsor castle. It is 40 feet in breadth and contains 58,340,000 stitches. The weaving of it occupied 36 men 14 months.

During the entr'actes of the Greek theaters boys sell dates, figs, bread and wine in the seats.

AN EPISODE.

She pours the tea, and as her l...
Above the dainty china lingers
I raise my own right hand shyly...
And seize upon the jeweled fi...

"You'll break the teacup, Jack!"...
And on the floor I hear it clatter...
"Oh, what care I for cups," I ...
"While you have got a heart t...

"Don't break it, that's a dear,"...
"The cup, I mean!" And then...ter,
I tell her it is not her cup,
But heart, her humble servan...

"You've broken that long since,"...
"I never can forgive you, now"...
And—well, she did, and now she...
To make and pour my tea for...
—E. C. E. in Wh...

LONDON SLUMS

The Rent Collector and the Ind... Encounters There.

Slum property apparently ... drawbacks, though it is ge... garded as the most profitable... of the owners do not as a r... such trifles as repairs to r... amount of the rents.

"This work is breaking up ... ous system," said a man who ... collecting rents for years in s... worst slums. "I am really ... to feel that I shall meet my d...

"Much ill feeling of which ... victim is engendered between ... and tenant over the question o... It does not pay to be always ... such broken down property, ... course repairs are always bei... for, and some people have a ... unpleasant manner of trying t... on me the necessity for such.

"They are continually all... into all sorts of undesirable ... nearly broke my neck once by ... up a dark staircase in whic... boards were broken and loose... woman who had asked me t... calmly told me to get my ... have it mended. If there is a d... ety staircase without a banist... sure to be asked to walk up ... one occasion I was nearly frigh... of my wits by my head coming ... tact with some hanging paper ... ter which had fallen from a pas... ing and was suspended by a w... ger support.

"In addition to all this the... when they hear I am about, pu... water and broom handles in... passages I may traverse, beside... other preparations for bestowin... delicate attentions on me.

"Only recently a woman ask... come and look at the awful sta... pair of one of her rooms. She ... to a large cupboard and opened... the corpse of a man tumbled ... room. It was only her poor, ... band, she said, whom she had ... there for convenience till the ... rived. Of course she had put h... only to give me a pleasant l... prise, and she was so successfu... doctor advised me to lay up for...

"Sometimes a brick or tw... aimed at my head without m... able to discover whence it came... have just had an interview wit... who showed me a broken ... through which he had shoved h... head backward and forward by ... chastisement, and he expresse... exquisite delight he would take ... the same to me if the window ... soon mended.

"All this is quite apart f... trouble I have in obtaining m...—Pearson's Weekly.

Ian Maclaren on Scott.

"Scott was all gold, and e... nuggets are not enough; th... ought to be sifted and the g... gathered in, for Scott had such ... ence of knowledge, legend and ... that he did not write by mea... put his hand into his pocket an... out money that any might pic... What one is afraid of is that ... being raised to the elevation of ... and that is the same thing as ... man out of the house of commo... he is an active figure, and plac... in the stately seclusion of the ... lords. I do not know a single ... Scott that is not readable, and ... know a single page that would ... man's faith or bring a blush t... an's cheek. Why do not peo... Scott as they ought to? Some m... is not interesting, and others r... his style. Why, Carlyle himself ... the charge against Scott that ... amusing. Amusing! One of th... est functions of fiction is to be ... in the right sense—that of li... the weight and care of daily l... men's minds by leading them ... gions of sentiment and romance."

The Nearest Approach.

An English tourist visited Ar... being a keen disciple of Isaak ... was arranging to have a da... sport.

Being told that the oleg, or ... would suit his purpose admira... lure, he addressed himself to ... the highland servant girl, "I ... girl, can you get me some hors...

Christy looked stupid, and h... ed his question. Finding that ... not yet comprehend him, he ex...

"Why, girl, did you neve... horsefly?"

"Naa, sir," said the girl, ... wanse saw a coo jump ower a ... gate."—Rambler.

TALBOT BROS.,

The Leading Tobacconists of Peterbor...

FOR

Christmas Presents

For a Nice Present from a Lady to her Best Fellow how would a ... Silver Mounted Pipe in a handsome case, do—or a Half Pound Tin of I... Tobacco—a nice box of Imported and Domestic Cigars—a Handy Tobacc... with silk top—or a Cigar Case or Cigar Holder.

What about a Nobby Walking Cane, Gold or Silver mounted? W... catchy line of Swagger Sticks at moderate prices.

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK is replete with the very choicest and ... to-date Smokers' Goods in the market, and as we are having a REDU... SALE preparatory to enlarging and improving the store, Prices will b...

"Shake!" Same to you and many of them!

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

AT

SANDERSON'S

JEWELRY STORE.

More Wonderful than ever are the offerings of this store for the Great Crowds that fill its aisles in search of Holiday Gifts.

The two powerful trade influences combine — ***MARVELLOUS ASSORTMENT—MODERATE PRICES.*** The most we can say for this Extraordinary Offering is that it comprises the richest goods possible that Art, Skill and Ingenuity could bring before a public at such low prices.

In Watch and Clock Gifts--

This stock grows more and more interesting each day, first, because each line comprises the most complete assortment ever shown; second, importing direct enables us to create a vast saving for the stream of buyers.

In Diamond Jewelry--

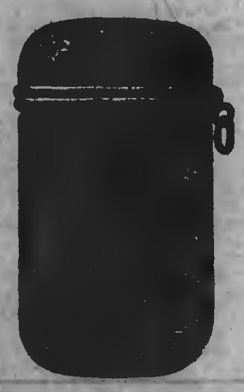
Choice selections in Solitaire Rings, Ruby and Diamond, Sapphire and Diamond, Diamond Stars, Crescents and Sunbursts.

In Sterling Silver Novelties--

And articles for the Dining Room we show a most complete stock. Full assortment of Toilet Goods in Sterling Silver and Ebony.

In Fine Electroplated Ware--

Sensible Gifts to go to thousands of homes at prices figured down to the lowest notch of economy. Guaranteed goods.



In Side Pieces & Artistic Goods--

Ladies' China Satin Lined Jewel Cases and Trays, Celluloid Brush and Comb Sets, Fine Brassware, Artistic Brass and China Decorated Lamps, Brass and Onyx Top Tables, Japanese Chinaware, Fine Art Medallions, Leather Goods of all kinds, Portfolios, Music Cases, Letter Cases, and a Royal Stock of Ladies' and Misses' Purses, Pocket Books, Card Cases, etc.

In Gold & Silver Novelties--

Which form a large part of the Xmas trade, you would wonder ow such pretty tokens of friendship could be purchased for the price we ask:—Cigar Holders, Cigar Cutters, Match Boxes, Shirt Studs and Links, Knives and Erasers, Scarf Pins, Mirrors, Bracelets, Brooches, Pins, Thimbles, Combs, Hair Brushes, Manicure Sets, Bouquet Holders, Chains and Fobs, Fern Dishes and Pots, Opera Glasses and Fans, Puff Boxes, etc., etc.

Optical Department--

A large assortment of Gold and Silver, Steel, Shell and other materials of Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Oculists Prescriptions carefully ground and filled. Work guaranteed absolutely reliable. Adjusting Spectacles to suit the various conditions of sight our Specialty. Lorgnettes, Thermometers, Microscopes.

Make Selections from the Above List and Make as Many People Happy as You Can.

W. A. SANDERSON, The Leading Jeweler, 367 George Street.

Place Your Orders for the

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MANUFACTURED BY

THE DOMINION BREWERY CO. Ltd

It is a pure extract of malt and hops, and in quality cannot be excelled by ther brand in the mar

Is always it. condition and ready for use

To be had from M. L. HENRY & Co. and ALEX. ELLIOTT, Peterborough; also W. COLLINS, Ashburnham

Comparison Increase of Premium Incomes

CANADIAN LIFE CO'S.

1896.

Figures, like actions, often speak more eloquently than words They certainly do in this case:—

NAMES.	Incomes 1896.	Incomes 1896.	Increase
Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.869	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.596	156.023	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,201.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

Increase of all other Canadian Companies Combined $294,178.

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the Government Superintendent of Insurance, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

W. H. HILL,

Manager Central Ontario.

Central Canada

LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY OF ONTARIO.

26 King Street. East, ... Toronto.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a QUARTERLY DIVIDEND for the three (3) months ending 31st December, 1897, at the rate of SIX PER CENT (6%) PER ANNUM, has this day been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Monday, 3rd Day of January 1898. The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

E. R. WOOD, MANAGER.

Toronto, 6th December, 1897.

IF YOU'RE BUSY BAKING FOR XMAS.

Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

Peterborough Steam Laundry

CHARLOTTE STREET.

A. PARKER, Proprietor.

F. L. ROBINSON,

Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist.

Inspector of Live Stock under appointment of the Dominion Government.

Livery and Boarding Stables.

RENT OF EVERYTHING.

Office and Stables—Aylmer Street Telephone No. 227

VIOLINS!

On Thursday and Friday of this week G. W. Mulligan will hold a Special Sale of High Grade Violins. $20 Violins marked down to $16, and same all the way down the line.

MULLIGAN'S MUSIC STORE.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Mr. J. Hardman, secretary of Belleville Y.M.C.A., visited us Tuesday and took part in a basket ball game.

At 10 o'clock Christmas morning there will be a basket ball game—juniors vs. working boys. All come and see the game.

Sunday at 3 o'clock Bible class; at 4 15 men's meeting. H. H. Buxton, physical director, in charge. All men invited.

New Year's day day there will be an exhibition of boys' work in the morning and of young men in the afternoon, followed by a basket ball game.

The ladies will also hold a reception for young men in the afternoon. All are invited.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.....11° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	20°	0°

At noon the thermometer was 3 degrees below zero. A year ago this morning the thermometer also registered 11 below zero.

New Footing and Edgings arrived at Mrs. Appleby's 426 Water street.

What to Buy for "Him."

One of the best things to buy for a man for a Christmas gift is something he would buy himself. A half-dozen of those small Parisian ties just received at LeBrun & Co's City Clothing Store, would suit him "down to the ground," as the saying goes. The fair sex have been buyers of these bright beauties of swell ties during the past week in considerable numbers. A silk muffler or a fine woollen neck scarf in bright or plain checks, will also be acceptable gifts, and LeBrun & Co. have a very nobby line full of them at close prices. eod

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, includs biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

Christmas Eve Sights.

The air is full of Christmas. If you want to go where it fairly bubbles with good cheer, look down the long length of the Peterborough Bookstore. See the throngs of delighted people. Crowds at the doll show—crowds at the book show—crowds at the Xmas card show—crowds at the game show—crowds at the plush goods show—crowds at the leather goods show—crowds at the silver show—crowds at the picture book show. Choice for the educated—choice for the refined—choice for the children—choice for the masses. Everybody waited on, none being neglected.

The old folks delighted, and feeling as young
As when they their own little red stockings hung,
Are plotting and planning and hiding with stealth
Queer bundles that come from our tables and shelf.

A. H. STRATTON & Co.

CHRISTMAS AND SUNDAY CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Dec 26th, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

Christmas Day—5.30 a.m., solemn high mass; 8 a.m., low mass; 9.15 a.m., children's mass; 10.30 a.m., Pontifical High Mass, celebrated by His Lordship the Bishop; 7 p.m., Vespers.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. First Sunday after Christmas—Dec 26th. Services: 11 a m, Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon, anthem, "While Shepherds Watched," by W T Best; 3 p. m., Sunday school and children's service; 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon—Subject, "Striking a yearly balance," anthem, "Behold I Bring," by Rev E V Hall.

Christmas Morning—11 a.m., Morning Prayer with Sermon and Holy Communion, anthem, "Behold I Bring," by Rev E V Hall.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 26th. services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. The pastor will preach a children's sermon in the morning, and a Christmas sermon in the evening. The Sunday school children will be present at the morning service and will take a leading part in the singing. The usual classes will be held. The Xmas tree and Sunday school entertainment will be held in the new town hall, Ashburnham, on Xmas night at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. First Sunday after Christmas December 26th. Services:—8 30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 26th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 26th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. R. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Dec. 26th. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor, Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O. C Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 26. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Dec. 26th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S. C.E. Monday 8 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor, Sunday, Dec. 26th. Services at 11 a.m., and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p. m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

See Grafton & Co's All Wool Underwear at 25c.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nots is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

For the next three weeks we will sell our fresh stock of new Grenoble Walnuts, Soft Shelled Almonds, Sicily Filberts at

2 POUNDS for 25c.

Why buy old and inferior stock as sold by several town grocers when you can get the best and freshest Nuts for less money.

P. CONNAL & CO.
W. H. HAMILTON

GENERAL HOSPITAL ON FIRE IN KINGSTON.

THE WATKINS WING ENTIRELY DESTROYED.

Loss Estimated at About $10,000—The Late John Watkins Gave the Wing as a Gift to the Hospital.

(Special to the Examiner.)

KINGSTON, Ont., Dec. 24—A large fire broke out this morning between the hours of nine and ten in the Watkin's wing of the General Hospital, which resulted in the destruction of the wing. The firemen did excellent work. They fought the fire from the main building and Mickle wing, which are all connected. The patients, with those in the main building, were removed to the wings adjoining. The children were sent to the Infant's Home. The fire caught from St. George's Ward, where a man was melting beeswax, which suddenly ignited. The loss is estimated at about $10,000. The late John Watkins gave the wing as a gift to the Hospital.

A PRESENTATION

To Miss E. Howson at the Salem Entertainment.

The Methodist Sunday school in the Salem neighbourhood held its annual entertainment last Thursday evening, which was well attended and proved to be a most interesting meeting. Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., occupied the chair and after prayer introduced the following programme:

Dialogue, 'What is Christmas?' .....
Solo.....Annie Coone
Dialogue, 'What is Christmas?' scene No 2.....
Recitation.....Clara Armstrong
Dialogue, 'Brown and Blue Eyes'.....
Song, 'Hark the Bells'.....
Recitation.....Irwin Matherly
Dialogue, 'Watching for Santa Claus'.....
Cradle song.....Three little girls
Recitation.....Aggie Thompson
Motto song, 'God is Love'.....
Dialogue, 'Playing Grown Up'.....
Recitation.....Lizzie Girvin
Solo.....Bella Girvin
Recitation.....Annie Coone
Refreshments.....
March song.....
Club swinging.....Miss Sarah Hamilton
Duet, 'the Bird with a Broken Wing'..Miss A M Smith and H S Armstrong
Recitation.....Ida Armstrong
Solo, 'The Newfoundland Dog'..H S Armstrong
Wand drill.....Miss Hamilton
Solo.....Miss Alida McKenny
Duet.....Miss E Howson and H S Armstrong

The proceeds amounted to $8.30, the children being admitted free. All who took part did exceedingly well. The following address was then read to Miss E. Howson:

To Miss E Howson;

DEAR TEACHER,—Though the present occasion and especially the season of the year should be of joy, yet a feeling of sadness comes over us as we remember how soon we must part. We feel that to-night the ties which for three years have bound us as teacher and pupil are severed and we can no longer call you our teacher. How much you will be missed we shall not attempt to say. We may have often caused you sorrow but we ask you to forgive our thoughtlessness and indifference and to remember only the pleasant side of your sojourn among us. In leaving you carry with you our best wishes. We feel that we would like to offer some tangible expression of our appreciation of your faithful service, and we ask you to accept this lamp as a slight token of our esteem, trusting that as you enjoy its brightness you may ever have only kindly thoughts of the givers and as its rays scatter the shades of night, so may God's lamp dispel life's gloom until we all assemble when there shall be no more partings.

Signed on behalf of your pupils,
FREDDIE GIRVIN,
LIZZIE GIRVIN,
BELLA GIRVIN,
NELLIE LUTTY.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolized by men. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment. Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

What to Give a Gentleman.

Good taste and comfort is the best thing to aim at in buying Christmas presents for gentlemen. LeBrun & Co. make a special exhibit of Gloves, unlined kid and wool-lined kid, which always make worthy presents. Then they show those nobby fancy Corduroy Vests with pretty and effective spot patterns, which are good form for this weather and this season. Rich and tasteful hand embroidered suspenders, almost too pretty to wear out of sight, silk handkerchiefs of newest styles and collars and cuffs of the latest cut. They have a grand display of pure linen handkerchiefs from Ireland, Scotland, England and France. Also fine underwear, fine hosiery and beautiful dress shirts. LeBrun & Co.'s line of neckwear has made a decided hit and they have the largest and best selected line of ties, puffs and bows in town with prices very moderate.

CHRISTMAS GREETING

....FROM THE....

SPOT CASH GROCERY

While we are comparatively new in the business ranks in Peterborough, we heartily extend to the public our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

We wish to outline our Business plans for 1898. A deep cut in many lines bought in the present stock will be made. We have purchased the stock at a price enabling us to do so. Then, too, we propose making alterations in the store, and have both windows after January 1st. Some lines of the present stock we shall discontinue, and shall sell such goods while they last at a price that shall make it possible to turn them rapidly. We have already added many new lines, such as Oysters, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, Malaga Grapes and many delicacies too numerous to mention, but very essential to your Christmas dinner.

THE SPOT CASH GROCERY,

(SUCCEEDING ALEX. ELLIOTT, 355 GEORGE ST.)

MAYORALTY ELECTION FOR 1898.

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In again offering myself as a candidate for the important and honourable position of Mayor of Peterborough, I have first to thank you for having twice returned me at the head of the poll. You are doubtless aware that, up to a very recent date, no one could be found to oppose my re-election, and while my opponent is a gentleman for whom I have the highest respect, it must be apparent that the auspices under which he is brought out, indicates that his election is sought for the purpose of serving the selfish plans of his principal supporters and as a reward also for what he has already done—for it was through him the Auburn Power Company, represented by Messrs. Meldrum and Kendry, obtained the remission of $400.00 a year for rent of poles, although, but a few months previously, a bylaw had been solemnly passed imposing such rental. This course means a loss to the town of $2,000.00, and, if followed by a similar remission to the Light & Power Company, which would be no more than just, a further loss of $2,800.00 will ensue. I submit that, however honestly intentioned Mr. Davis may be his business connections are such, both as an insurance agent and a director of a real estate company, which has very extensive interests in the town, it is impossible for him to occupy the Mayor's chair impartially. The course Mr. Davis pursued in the case of Moncrief against the town, when he strongly opposed The Toronto Loan and Savings Company being made parties to the action, may be fairly taken as an evidence of his probable course under similar circumstances, had he prevailed in that instance the town would have been unable to make the favourable settlement which was effected.

It is clear that Mr. Davis considers himself a special protector of the capitalists of the town, and when action was proposed to compel the Street Railway Co. to carry out the extension agreed upon, Mr. Davis plainly stated it as his opinion that men who had invested their capital in the town should not be interfered with. It is evident, therefore, that the workingmen will have to look out for themselves.

It is nothing new for a policy of progress to be advocated; there is no citizen who is not most anxious for the welfare of the town, and I have never failed to heartily co-operate in every scheme of its advancement. I fail to see that the fact of Mr. Davis "being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers and feeling that he can look after their interests," is a qualification for the mayoralty. It is true that Mr. Davis, in a published interview, insinuates that he and he only is capable of "originating" a scheme for bettering the town's condition, but during the year he has served in the Council, when he had equal opportunity for the display of his ability, he failed to propose any measure in the direction indicated.

In conclusion I have to say that I am entirely untrammeled by business or other connections, and am so situated that my whole time is at the service of my fellow-citizens, to whom I cheerfully leave the issue.

I have the honour to be, ladies and gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,
WM. YELLAND,

December 22nd, 1897.

Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 434 Water street.

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

Advertise in the Daily EXAMINER.

BRICK DWELLING FOR SALE ON GILMOUR STREET.

THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Andrew Douglas, situated on the north side of Gilmour Street, upon which is erected a Solid Brick Dwelling, with Frame Sheds and other conveniences. This Lot has a frontage of 70 feet on Gilmour street, and a depth of 132 feet.

Also the Lot adjoining on the west, containing 30 feet more or less, a depth of 132 feet; upon this Lot is a frame barn and workshop combined, with stone foundation.

This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

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1 lb. Mixed Candies	5c
4 lbs Gum Drops	25c
1 lb. No. 1 Walnuts	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Almonds	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Filberts	10c
1 lb. Spanish Grapes	18c
1 lb Table Raisins	12c
1 Bottle Unfermented Wine, for your Christmas Dinner, all kinds, Grape, Rasberry, Black Currant, Black Berry, Tokay, Black Cherry, Orange, etc., quart Bottles at	30c

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Order your ALES, WINES and LIQUORS EARLY, and your FAMILY GROCERIES at the same time.

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Opposite Opera House, George Street.

The Prettiest Calendars In Town

...AT...

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MORAL—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—W. J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses, 149 Hunter St.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect, Shop, 429 George St.

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HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR MEN

The recognized Headquarters for everything that is best in Men's Furnishings. Never have we shown such an immense variety—all that is rich, reliable, durable, desirable. Prices lowered to a Spot Cash Basis.

DRESSING GOWNS, Smoking Jackets, Travelling Rugs, Umbrellas, Fancy Vests, Neckwear, Neck Scarfs, Shirt Protectors, Gloves, Silk Handkerchiefs, Linen Handkerchiefs, Braces, Pyjamas, Underwear, Hosiery, Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Etc.

LADIES WAITED ON with pleasure and prompitude; pleased to have them call; take their time, price the goods and arrange for the careful delivery of their parcels any time and anywhere.

A. MERCER & CO.

Special Holiday Offers in Millinery Gift Goods

LADIES WHO DON'T KNOW

What to buy for Christmas are invited to visit our Popular Millinery Store, where everything is arranged to make shopping a pleasure. If you make your Holiday purchases here you can buy any of our attractive Specialties at SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES.

—Fancy Handkerchiefs, Lace and [illegible]
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—Fancy Ties in Chiffon and Silk.
—Fancy American Collars—the newest out,
—Fancy Children's Bonnets, Silk Velvet and Eiderdown.
—Fancy Veiling, Spotted and Newest Special Styles.
—Walking Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed.
—Fashionably Trimmed Bonnets, all Reduced.
—Corsets to be Cleared Out at Cost—$1.50 Corset for 95c; $1.25 for 75c; 75c for 45c, 50c, 30c
—All Fancy Dress Goods and Mantles at Cost.

THE **MISSES CAHILL.**

Seasonable Suggestions for Santa Claus Shoppers.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S

ELEGANT 'XMAS GIFTS.

HANDSOME NEEDLE WORK. Silk Table Drapes, Silk Piano Drapes, Centrepieces, Tray Cloths, Five o'clocks, Table Covers, Sofa Cushions, Tea Cosies, Fancy Trimmed Articles, Designs in Cold Felts, Linen Work, Crochet Work, Wool Work, Lace Collars, Vestings, Chiffons Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Stamping done to order, and ordered work promptly executed.

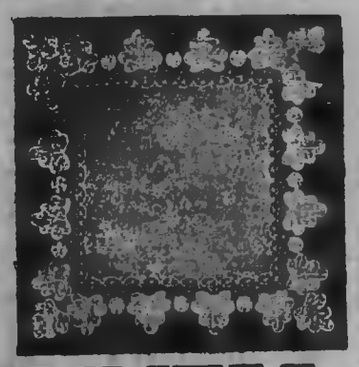
FANCY GOODS.—Comb and Brush Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Trays, Tie and Handkerchief Cases, Celluloid Novelties, Ostrich Fans, Photo Frames and Easels, Fancy Tassels, Art Materials, Pin Cushions, Fancy Silks, Braids, Fine Wools, &c., Stamped Goods, Wall Ornaments, Toilet and Perfume Bottles, &c., &c.

MISS ARMSTRONG'S
390 GEORGE STREET.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE?

This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store will suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c.
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c.
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 10c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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The Holiday Smoke

A Box of Cigars makes the most welcome Christmas Gift conceivable. The funny men have made lots of money on holiday cigar jokes, but the funny men don't know this store Come to us and buy a box of Cigars for "him." We'll give you a really good Cigar—we haven't any other kind.

Pipe Tastes Vary

No two men want exactly the same kind of pipe and tobacco. There are a thousand "mixtures" and many smokers mix two mixtures to get just the right flavour, even; then it tastes wrong unless its burned in the right pipe.

We have in stock all the good mixtures and all the good kinds of pipes—Meerschaum and Briar in Plush Cases, the Genuine Own B.B.B. Morrell Meerschaum Pipes, etc., all to be sold at about Half the Regular Price, as our stock is too large and must be reduced.

Amos Dean's Christmas.

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'Twas near the blessed Christmas time. In meadows and upon the hills
The grass was green. The ice king's breath had not made mute the running rills.

AMOS AND THE PARSON.

The air was gentle as its kind, soft whispers on an April noon,
And on the sea the western breeze played on the waves a pleasant tune.
O'er wooded land and in the vales reposed at rest a languid haze,
Mantling the earth with violet bloom as in the Indian summer days.

The smacks were idle in the bay, and quiet reigned along the shore,
Save when some song was sweetly blent with music of the dipping oar.
"Heaven help us," said a fisherman—old, grizzly visaged Amos Dean—
"And send us snow, for well we know the meanin of a Christmas green!
Well I remember ten years past how grass was wavin on that day,
And all that awful winter through sickness took many a soul away."

"And well do I remember, too, that winter time," said Parson Moore.
"On one of its most stormy nights a runaway passed from our door—
My dearest boy. You know the tale. No tidings of him came to me
Till two years passed, and then we knew that he'd been wrecked far, far at sea.
We know not whether still he lives, and yet we hope and often pray
That heaven will send the wanderer home to fill our hearts with joy some day."

"He was an honest lad and true," said Amos. "But, like many a boy
Reared here along this sea beat shore, the ocean to him was a joy.
But, parson, maybe'll come a day when you are thinkin of him dead,
You'll see him comin up the path in answer to the prayers you've said.
He was a brave, smart youth, you know—to go to sea was all his pride—
And, parson, I b'lieve that some day he'll come in on some favorin tide."

AMOS' FAITH.

Within the fisher's hut they knelt and bowed their heads in earnest prayer,
And ne'er were heard more fervent words than those the parson uttered there.
He prayed for blessing from above. He prayed that heaven his boy would keep
And bring him home, ere many days, a rescued wanderer of the deep.
And Amos prayed in homely phrase. He prayed that stormy winds might blow
And cover all the fields and hills when Christmas came with welcome snow.

THE SNOWFLAKES OUTSIDE.

The days went by. 'Twas Christmas eve, when all good souls are filled with glee,
And in the seaside village homes warm hearts beat round the Christmas tree.
Remembrances of days long gone were told by old ones, while the young
Passed the bright hours most merrily, and many a pleasant song was sung,
While o'er the sky the leaden clouds gathered till not a star was seen,
And little flakes began to fall. Thank heaven, there'd be no Christmas green!

When morning came, the earth was white, the grass was hid, the haze had passed.
"The welcome snow has come at last."
"The Lord be praised!" old Amos said. The smacks were prancing in the bay
Loud blew the fierce nor'easter wind.
As the old sturdy fisherman to Parson Moore's home took his way.
"It's providential, minister," he said, with a most reverent air.
"This storm is very plain to me a proof that God does answer prayer."

RETURN OF THE LOST.

The church bell seemed to ring that day as it had never rung before
From the gray steeple's pointed tower in that old village by the shore,
And while a favorite hymn was sung a manly form passed at the door,
And in the lingering shadow paused until the services were o'er.
Then as the parson down the aisle came after his sweet task was done
The stranger said with whispering voice, "Dear father, don't you know your son?"

Oh, what a blessed hour was that! Before him stood his long lost boy,
And there were smiles, and there were tears—aye, tears, but they were tears of joy.
"Thank heaven!" said Amos. "'Nother proof it is that mid our woe and care—
If we believe in him and trust—our God above does answer prayer.
We prayed for storm. He sent us snow. He's filled our thankful hearts with joy,
And at this blessed Christmas time to you and home he's brought your boy."

CALEB DUNN.

Political Prisoners Shot.

San Francisco, Dec. 23.—News has reached this city of the shooting in Guatemala of a number of political prisoners, including two men who are known all over the Central American Republic. The execution occurred last month at Huehuetenango. The principal victim was Capt. Hurculanz Ruiz, brother-in-law of Gen. Daniel Fuentes, now in this city. Another victim was the Honduran colonel, Francisco Zellaya. He was accused of aiding the Revolution party and was executed by order of Barrios, the command being carried out by Gen. Luis Mollina. Three other prominent Guatemalans suffered death in the same manner. It is estimated that there are now in Guatemalan prisons no less than 293 prisoers of the late revolution.

Cattle Perish in Texas Storm.

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—The sleet storm that has prevailed for the past three days in Texas has proved to be more disastrous in its effect on the stock interests of the west and northwest portions of that State than was at first expected. Reports from the districts 200 miles west and north of Fort Worth state that the death rate among cattle will be unprecedented, the fatality being pronounced among recent importations from Mexico, and the cattle taken to the big plains country from Louisiana. In some localities fully 35 per cent. of the Mexican cattle have perished.

How To Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the blood. If you are pale and thin, you are poor in strength and nerve power Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness pallor, and brings rich blood and nerve power.

Regular action of the bowels is necessary to health. Laxa-Liver Pills are the best occasional cathartic for family or general use. Price 25c Any druggist

After 50 Years' Service.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Last night Mr. H. P. Dwight, President and General Manager of the G. N. W. Telegraph Company, was entertained at dinner at the Toronto Club by many prominent Torontonians, on the occasion of the completion of Mr. Dwight's fifty years of service in the telegraph business. Mr. Dwight was presented with an album and address, the former to be filled with photographs of those present at the pleasant gathering. Mr. Dwight made a great speech in reply, covering virtually the growth of Canada in his special line for the past half century.

Windsor Merchants Retaliate.

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 23.—Windsor merchants have been registering a strong kick with the Government against allowing people to go over to Detroit to buy Christmas presents, and in order to discourage the practice as much as possible four special officers have been sent to Windsor. Their plan is to go across to Detroit and watch Windsor people buying things, and on their return trip point them out to the regular officers, who take them into the Custom House and search them. No less than 50 people were held up in this way yesterday.

Pallid faces indicate pale, thin blood. Rosy cheeks show the pure, rich blood resulting from taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For the Children.

When coughs and colds distress the children Norway Pine Syrup comes to the rescue. It soothes and heals the throat, removes all phlegm, and is pleasant and easy to take.

CASTORIA.

For Infants and Children. Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. 30 on every wrapper

THE SEALERS' CLAIMS.

The Commissioners Award $464,000 to the Canadians.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—The arbitrators representing Great Britain and the United States of America on the Behring Sea claims, who have been meeting at Boston, reached a conclusion yesterday, which was communicated to the Government here. They award the Canadian sealers $464,000, with two cases reserved. This is about the Canadian lump sum demand in 1894, with interest added, and is a compromise award. Great Britain was represented by Mr. Justice King, of the Supreme Court of Canada, who, from his recognized ability and skill, has probably done as well for Canada as was possible under the circumstances. A disagreement between the arbitrators would have necessitated a reference to the King of Sweden and a further long delay. These claims arose out of the unwarranted seizures of Canadian sealing vessels in Behring Sea in 1886, 1887, 1889 and 1890, acts which caused so much controversy and international negotiations.

BYE-ELECTIONS IN QUEBEC.

Namaska and Levis Return Straight Liberals Charles Langelier Beaten.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—The bye-election held yesterday in the Provincial Legislature, caused by the death of Victor Gladu, late Liberal member, resulted in the return of Jules Allard, the Liberal candidate, by 56 majority, over A. A. Mondoux, the Conservative candidate. The total majorities are: Allard 596, Mondoux 509.

Hon. Chas. Langelier Beaten.

Quebec, Dec. 23.—The provincial election in Bonaventure County yesterday resulted in the return of Mr. Chapperton, Independent, over Hon. Charles Langelier, by a majority of 241, with one place to hear from.

Levis Remains Liberal.

Quebec, Dec. 2.—The election in Levis County yesterday for the Local Legislature resulted in the election of the straight Liberal candidate, Mr. N. N. Ollivier, advocate, of this city, by a majority of 500 over Mr. Beaulieu, Conservative.

HIS ONLY HOPE.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Saved Harry Stuart After all Other Remedies Failed.

LONDON, Dec. 13th.—In nine-tenths of the homes of London, the all-absorbing topic of conversation is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Thousands of happy, grateful men and women, are telling of their rescue from Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Paralysis and other kidney diseases hitherto called incurable. All tell how how Dodd's Kidney Pills cured, after all other means had failed.

Harry Stuart, 164 Mill street, told our reporter to-day that a few boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him completely of long standing kidney disease and lumbago. Doctors could not cure him. Neither could other remedies. Dodd's Kidney Pills were his only hope. THEY CURED HIM. They never fail to cure any case of Kidney Disease.

Fire Bug Case at Brockville.

Brockville, Dec. 23.—The preliminary trial of Sim Layug and Harry Johnston, charged with setting fire to the house and barn of T. K. Scovel, Portland, which had already taken up two days, was again proceeded with yesterday. The whole afternoon was taken up with the evidence of prisoner Layng, which was, in substance, that Scovel made an arrangement with Johnston to set fire to the building; that he (Layng) drove from Athens to Portland on the night of Nov. 21, 1896, when Johnston got out of the rig and set the fires. They then drove back to Athens. Layng then claims that he went to Scovel and he gave him $40 to help him out of the country. The prisoners were remanded until this morning.

For Skaguay and Dyea.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 23.—The steamer Corona sailed to-day for Skaguay and Dyea and way ports. She was compelled to refuse frieght and second-class passengers, because of lack of accommodation. The Corona will carry to the north 200 passengers, 55 per cent. of whom are prospective miners, and 800 tons of general merchandise.

Canned Goods Men Will Meet.

Buffalo, Dec. 23.—Canned goods packers and manufacturers of canning machinery from all over the United States and Canada will assemble in mid-winter convention in this city on Tuesday, Feb. 1. There will be 400 or more delegates and the convention will last four days.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

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Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

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The above question is asked by almost every piano purchaser before making a decision.

If you are discussing a Chickering Piano there is an emphatic answer.

No matter what YOUR age rest assured the piano will outlive you.

There is no one living who has ever purchased a Chickering piano AND WORN IT OUT.

Think of the number of children to-day practising upon Chickering pianos purchased by their grandparents.

There are thousands of Chickering pianos so purchased and so used.

Perhaps, they are not as good as they were 50 or 60 or 70 years ago, but the marvel is that they are in use at all.

The majority of pianos by other makers are worn out in a third the period.

These are simple Chickering facts.

Sole Agents:—

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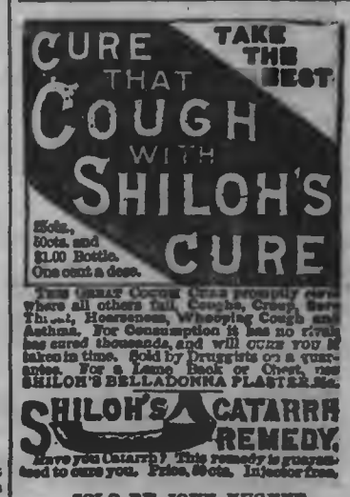
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CHINA AND RUSSIA

The Celestials Turn to the Bear for Friendship.

SOME ANTI-BRITISH ARTICLES.

The Novosti Opposes Britain's Influence—Checkmating Germany—The Times Comments on the Latest Developments—Talk of British-Japanese Concerted Action—Egyptians at Kassala.

Pekin, Dec. 23.—The Chinese Government has granted Russia permission to winter a squadron at Port Arthur. Great Britain demands a quid pro quo, if concessions have been granted to other powers. It has been suggested that the Japanese and British occupy Wei-Hai-Wei jointly.

The situation at Kiao-Chou Bay is unchanged. Germany remains unyielding, and the Chinese councils are divided as to whether it should be peace or war with Germany. China regards Russia as her only friend, and is asking her advice alone. In spite of official denials, it is regarded as proved that Port Arthur and Kiao-Chou Bay were promised to Russia by a secret treaty. British influence is nil, having suffered greatly through the failure of the loan negotiations. China is now negotiating a loan with Russia. The latter demands the dismissal of the British railroad engineers in North China, and it is probable that the demand will be granted. The German drill instructors will be dismissed at the expiration of their contracts and will be replaced by Russians.

Russian officers have already been appointed to drill the armies of North China.

The Thunderer Is Sarcastic.

London, Dec. 23.—The Times, in an editorial on the situation, sarcastically asks whether the German press, in claiming a Russo-German entente in China, and Emperor William, in his speech at Graudenz, anticipated Russia's demand for the removal of the German drill sergeants from the Chinese army. It adds, with reference to the demand for the dismissal of the English engineers, "Our Pekin correspondent says China is hesitating, and possibly we may be able to appeal to motives at Pekin which will strengthen China's disinclination to comply with the Russian request for the dismissal of the Britishers."

Russia Means Business.

The Pekin correspondent of the Times says:—

"The Chinese are provisioning Port Arthur, and will reconstruct the forts there, Russia supervising and furnishing the money. In the face of this indication of permanent occupation, the necessity of safeguarding our position in the East increases.

"The Russo-Chinese Bank, which is the agent of the Russian Government, has offered China 120,000 Berdan rifles, with payment five years hence. China has accepted the proposal."

The Japs Are Agitated.

According to a despatch to the Times from Kobe, Japan, the news from Port Arthur has greatly disturbed the Mikado's Ministers. Long Cabinet councils have been held, and the high military officials have attended.

The Japanese newspapers, the deptatch says, are nonplussed at the situation in the far East, while the Ministry is involved in domestic troubles connected with its taxation proposals, to which the Diet is hostile.

The Bear Growls.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23.—In a strongly anti-British article yesterday the Novosti says: "In consequence of the pretension of England to compensate herself for the Russian occupation of Port Arthur by the acquisition of Port Hamilton, or Lazareff, and in view of the possibility of the disturbing action of Japan, Europe stands on the brink of grave diplomatic complications. It is therefore well to recall that the reinforcement of the German squadron in the Pacific permits Russia, France and Germany effectively to prevent a disturbance of the balance of power between the three powers on one hand and Great Britain and Japan on the other, such as might be produced by violent seizures of territory."

In conclusion, the Novosti expresses the hope that the isolation of Great Britain in regard to the other European powers will "paralyze her action sufficiently to permit the preservation of peace from the dangers threatening it at the present moment."

Council of War at St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 23.—The greatest reticence is maintained here in Government circles. The Censorship has forbidden the press to attack Germany on account of the occupation of Kiao-Chou. Emperor Nicholas presided yesterday (Wednesday) at a special meeting of the council at Alexander Palace, including the Grand Dukes and the chief military and naval authorities. The Chinese situation was discussed, and it was rumored that Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch advised the immediate strengthening of the Russian squadron in China.

A Significant Fact.

The Vienna correspondent of the Standard says he has ascertained that the first news of the occupation of Port Arthur emanated from Tokio, a fact significant of Japanese vigilance.

Egyptian Flag Floats Over Kassala.

London, Dec. 23.—The Egyptian troops have arrived at Kassala, and the Egyptian flag has been hoisted over the fort by the side of the Italian. The formal cession of the town to Parsons Pasha, the British officer in command of the Egyptian forces, will take place on Christmas Day, when the Italian troops will depart.

What Weyler Says.

Madrid, Dec. 23.—General Weyler, during the course of an interview just published, is quoted as declaring formally that there is no hope of the success of autonomy, adding that no insurgent will submit except to the Marquis of [illegible] and another chief, and continue furiously. The General is also quoted as remarking that if the Spanish Government persisted in autonomy, Spain would lose Cuba in a few months.

In conclusion, the former Captain-General of Cuba said he opposed the dissolution of the Chamber until the Government announced its policy of giving Cuba an autonomous form of government.

THE KOSSUTH PROPOSAL

Is Rather Too Radical to Meet the Views of the Austrian Premier.

Buda Pest, Dec. 23.—In the Lower House of the Hungarian Parliament today Baron Banffy, the Premier, speaking of the bill providing for a provisional prolongation of the Ausgleich (union with Austria), declared that he could not adopt the resolution of Franz Kossuth demanding the establishment of an independent Hungarian customs regime by Jan. 1, 1898. He would, however, accept a motion to publish as soon as possible the data necessary for the establishment of such a regime or for the conclusion of a commercial treaty with Austria, the draft of a customs tariff and to arrange to ascertain the views of business men. He pointed out that Hungary had the right to establish an independent customs immediately if it should be in her interest to do so, but he considered the compromise arrangement with Austria more advantageous if it could be arranged with due regard for Hungary's interests. That, however, was doubtful. The Government, nevertheless, the Premier continued, desired to give Austria time to recover herself, and did not wish to cause a state of confusion, the harmful consequences of which were incalculable. The present bill did not infringe upon Hungary's rights and interests, and, he added, the Government would act vigorously against attempts similar to those of the Reichsrath, to prevent its becoming law.

This remark caused an uproar, after which the Premier concluded with an appeal to the public not to create difficulties, for Hungary's interest, he pointed out, far from requiring her to loosen her relationship with Austria, required that her ties with the latter country be made closer and stronger.

That statement was greeted with applause from the Rightists, but it caused an uproar among the Leftists.

MAGNETISM AFFECTS RAILS.

Remarkable Discoveries Made by Russian and French Savants.

Moscow, Dec. 23.—Experiments that have been made by Russian and French savants in connection with the remarkable desction of the magnetic needle over an immensee area in Central Russia have given curious results.

The observations were confined to the strip of country between Moscow and Kharkoy, a distance of about 350 miles. The needle showed the greatest aberrations in the Province of Kursk, where in the north it was deflected 90 degrees. One hundred and fifty miles southeastward the deflection exceeded 96 degrees; the needs pointing east and west, instead of north and south.

Engineers who are engaged building railroads in that part of the country are much interested in the experiments. They speculate as to how the magnetization will affect the durability of the rails.

It is known that rails are usually more durable when laid north and south than in other directions, the greatest wear from magnetism being when they are laid due east and west.

Racial War Among Soldiers.

London, Dec. 23.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Vienna records incidents showing that racial animosity has extended to the army. A racial quarrel in the Ferdinand Infantry barracks at Prague resulted in a fight with side arms between the 102nd Bohemian and the Eighteenth German regiments. One soldier was killed and seven were dangerously wounded. The Twenty-eighth Infantry regiment, which was recruited entirely in Prague, sullenly refused to do duty on the streets during the recent rioting in that city.

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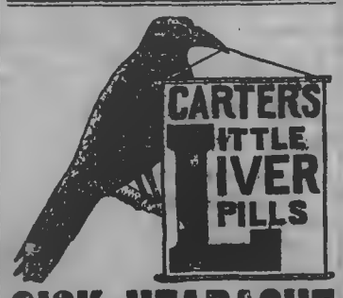
THE DEADLY COLD.

An Indian Chief Succumbs in the Lake of the Woods District—Frozen in the Ice.

Winnipeg, Dec. 23.—The Indian Department has received word of the death of Chief Ashetaiquineba, of Band Forty, Shoal Lake, in the Lake-of-the Woods district. This unfortunate chief was frozen to death. He had gone to Mather's logging camp for supplies the first week in December, but on his return was overtaken by a storm and lost his way. He was between 60 and 70 years of age, and was elected chief in 1883.

Frozen in the Ice.

Dauphin, Man., Dec. 23.—A man named Pugh left Winnipegosis on Sunday of last week with a half dozen more teams to go for fish up the lake. This was his first trip and he had no rack. He kept with the gang until they reached Devil's Island, which, it appears, is one of the fishing stations. Finding no fish there the rest of the company went on, but Pugh remained to make his rack. He left Tuesday night to cross over to the next camp, a distance of about five miles, and it would appear that in going over one of his horses got into a crack in the ice and, in trying to get out, he slipped in himself, and was unable to get out. He was found frozen in the ice two days afterwards. One elbow was resting on the solid ice on the side of the crack. He might possibly have got out, had he not been a sufferer from paralysis. He was an Englishman, about 40 years of age, and had no relatives in these parts.



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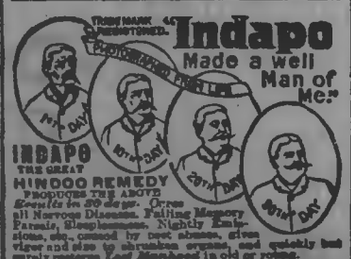

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Later Returns From Nicolet Increase the Figures.

246 IN A COUNTY ALWAYS TORY.

That Coalition Letter of Hon. Mr. Tarte to Sir Adolphe Chapleau—His Honor Willing to Have It Published—The Confidential Letter Probably Stolen From Private Secretary.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—Later returns give Mr. Leduc, Liberal, a majority of 246 in Nicolet, a county which always was Conservative by even larger majorities before. Speaking of the election Mr. Tarte's paper says that the famous crisis evidently did not affect the election in Nicolet, and adds: "There is no need to say that this new success proves how thoroughly Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues enjoy the confidence of the best elements of the people of the Province of Quebec. The Government has only to continue in the way on which it has entered, to administer the affairs of the country with firmness and honesty, and it can rely on the support of all well-minded people."

Lieut.-Governor Chapleau Speaks.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—Lieut.-Governor Chapleau has been in the city for the last two days. Sir Adolphe, on being asked, "What about that letter?" replied:—

"All I can say is that that letter is entered in my book as a confidential letter addressed to Hon. Mr. Tarte. That letter was read by him, and subsequently shown to the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who knew the contents thereof. Both these gentlemen have since declared that there has never been between us any question of coalition, and I corroborate that declaration."

"Why not have that letter published?"

"Simply because it has ceased to be my property since it was deposited at the postoffice. I would have no objection to put into the public press the sentiments which I uttered in that letter, as they are identical with those I have expressed in my speeches and writings, and I dare say that my feelings in that direction are but the echo of those of the mass of my countrymen."

"How was that letter abstracted?"

"It appears that it has been stolen from the drawer of Mr. Tarte's secretary, and a Mr. Piche has since stated that he had it or had had it in his possession. That is all I know about it."

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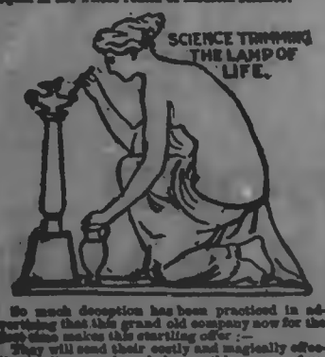

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THE OPERA HOUSE MASS MEETING LAST NIGHT.

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resources in the world, and yet the government had not opened up these mines to give work to the people. A goverment that knew its business would have developed a system which would have led the young men to the mines rather than to the professions. It was naturally to be expected, Mr. Garvin said, that something should be heard from him on the educational system. The majority of the teachers to-day were under 25 years. It was evident that teachers of such an age should not give proper service. The average length of a teacher's term at his profession was 4 3-5 years. A system should be adopted that would give experienced teachers.

The speaker said that the graduates of the Normal Schools were crowded out of the teaching profession by teachers out of the Model Schools. Dr. Ryerson never dreamt that we should have such an autocratic system as we had to-day. Hon Mr. Ross had done away with the Advisory Board, and we had to day a one-man system. What Mr. Whitney proposed was

AN ADVISORY BOARD

of the teaching profession. The speaker then attacked what he called the school book *monopoly*. He asserted that by the drawing book monopoly of the Canadian Publishing Company $310,000 had been taken out of the people, for drawing books, province in ten years. Mr. Ross had reduced the cost to 5 cents and now took credit for the reduction in the last ten years. One million dollars had been taken out of the people in the price of school text books in the past ten years. Mr. Whitney and his friends if elected to power would do away with these monopolies. Mr. Garvin had practically concluded his address but as he was sitting down, by an apparent afterthought, he resumed his feet and holding up a sheet said it was a copy of a report of Mr. Stratton's address to the electors at Young's Point—a synopsis of his address, and if a synopsis took eleven columns, the full speech would be thirty-three columns and Mr. Stratton after that could say nothing about Mr. St. Johns' four-hour oration.

MR. ST. JOHN

followed in an address in which he told many amusing narratives and which was interspersed with a large number of comparisons of so ludicrous a character as to keep the audience laughing with him or at him continually. This fact rather mitigated against the point which he desired to make connection with his famous "piggery" charge, as his statements in regard to it were received even by the gentlemen on the platform with roars of laughter, rather to his discomfiture.

Mr. St. John opened his address by referring to the fact that Mr. Garvin was unacquainted with the electorate, but he assured the audience that when better acquainted with him he would be found a man worthy of support.

The hog question was then taken up and discussed, the speaker making the statement that the Government had unquestionably distributed diseased meat from the Humber piggery to the citizens of Toronto.

He claimed that it was a slur on the intelligence of the municipalities for the Government to distribute the colonization roads money, through its members and the Provincial road inspector. It was effrontery to do this and he had so stated on the floor of the House the evening previous, although he had been called to order by the Attorney-General at the time. He repeated it to-night.

Mr. St. John stated that he desired to add his tribute to the praise of Sir Oliver Mowat, as the man who had been able to marshall into line

THE OPPOSITE FORCES

of liquor and temperance, and almost every other force in the Province. Sir Oliver had been the great law-maker, as Mr. Stratton said in his speech, but Mr. Hardy was the great law-breaker, and the electorate would be the great Government-smasher in the next election. Sir Oliver was now the Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, representing the Queen, and he would, he had no doubt, distribute even-handed justice to both parties. Before he had given up his seat on the Ontario treasury benches, however, he had been very sure that he had the portfolio of Minister of Justice in his hand.

A party alliance between the Dominion and Ontario Governments was deprecated, and the statement made that the people were crying for a change. The money accounts must be scrutinized by another Government, as the Public Accounts Committee could not give the matter sufficient attention to detect any errors.

The question of the surplus was then taken up. The accummulation of over $4,000,000 mentioned by Mr. Stratton, he stated was not in existence. The Provincial Treasurer himself had stated that while the Ontario Government was in power the receipts had been $60,000,000 and the payments were about $300,000 less. This granted, he stated that against this $300,000 was to be placed the fact that $28,000,000 of the receipts were realized from decapitalization and a mortgage of over four millions. The fact is, continued the speaker, the Government is running behind every day. In the last three years they have run behind $1,233,000. Hon. Mr. Harcourt says this statement made by Col. Mathieson is incorrect, as he has made a mistake of $20,000 in the items of the sum. Well, even if this is granted the amount stands at $3,113,000. Last year the Opposition pointed out to the Government that the expenditure must necessarily be $600,000 more

THAN THE RECEIPTS,

and asked what they proposed to do about it. No answer was received. The fact was, he stated, there was something over $300,000 in the bank, about the same sum was realized by a timber sale, and the province had been mortgaged for the balance.

The Trust Corporations of the Province were then dealt with, the speaker claiming that they had been created chiefly to furnish fat berths for the members of the Government, who felt their ship sinking under them. Trust companies, he argued, were a power handed to certain corporations, which were given permission to handle estates without having to give any security. The five Ontario companies, he admitted, were conducted by honourable men in an honourable way but they had to depend solely on the ability of the directorate to manage the finances well, still he would not say they were not solid financial associations but allowed they were all that could be desired from that aspect. Having the handling of so much money he urged, must necessitate a big profit and he objected to the Government granting such legislation, as made it permissable for the Lieut.-Governor in Council to refer a request for a charter for any other which might be formed, to the Divisional Court for proof that there was sufficient business to guarantee the formation of another company. He urged that this created

A MONOPOLY,

as the companies already formed would unite in bringing evidence to show that business was not increasing to such an an extent as to necessitate the granting of another charter. Mr. J. R. Stratton, he stated, had received a pledge from the Government that, after he had formed the Trust and Guarantee Company in 1897 that no more charters would be given, but the effect of this statement was rather marred by his next utterance, which was that the Lieut-Governor-in-Council had granted a charter since to the Provincial Trusts Corporation. Hon. Mr. Hardy, he stated, had refused this last charter until "compelled to give it by threats and with the loaded pistol and bludgeon at his head." The members of the Cabinet and of the Legislature formed a portion of the directorate of these companies, and Mr. Stratton was the President of no less than three or four similar concerns.

For the last twenty-five years, continued the speaker, we have been decapitalising our timber resources, and over $28,000,000 had been frittered away which was received. The policy of the government had been an American rather than an Ontario one. Germany had allowed her great forests to be cut and now had to

ENFORCE SUCH A POLICY

that not even a farmer could cut the trees on his farm without asking the government. Ontario was exactly in this position now and it was time to call a halt. Ontarioism had been too long subservient to foreign interests. Disloyalty to Ontario was charged against the Government, until discomfited and alarmed a premature session is called to stem the tide of defeat, but it was too late. The Government is at its wits' end and had to go. An aggressive policy was needed, ample home markets for the home produce was needed and higher wages for the labouring man. Every policy inaugurated by the Dominion Government had stabbed Ontario, which had to bear three-fifths of the taxation of Canada.

In concluding, Mr. St. John claimed that the entire timber policy of the Ontario Government was originated by the Conservatives, even to the last enactment of a few days ago. The Opposition in reality legislated, whilst the Government enjoyed the emoluments. The last enactment would for all time be known as the Whitney timber policy.

In closing his remarks the speaker reiterated the statements which, within the last few days, have been openly contradicted on the floor of the House, in regard to the selling of cholera infected hogs on the Toronto markets from the Government piggery.

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PART I.

Marching song	8 little girls
Recitation	Alice Webster
Physical drill	5 boys
Recitation	Jessie Thompson
Song	Laura and Myrtle Webster
Recitation	Edith Henderson
Selection, "Five Little Rabbits"	Lillie Hatherly and 5 little girls
Presentation of prizes	Mr Might
Recitation	Ethel Hatherly
Song	Robert Hallihan
Reading	Miss Thomas
Song	Alice Webster
Wand drill	8 girls
Recitation	Jas Hatherly

PART II.

Selection	The Jolly Glee Club
Song	Mr H Sabin
Recitation	Miss Holmes
Dialogue, "Mr Dayton"	Glee Club
Song	Mr Roberts
Recitation	Mr Anderson
Selection	Roberts family
Speech, "Dead Beat in Politics"	
Selection	Roberts family
Recitation	Miss Holmes
Song	Mr H Roberts
Dialogue, "The wrong baggage"	Glee Club
Selection	Roberts family
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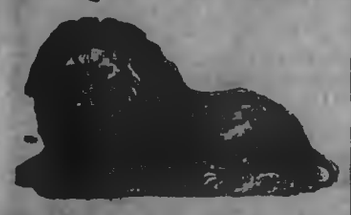

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WARSHIPS AT COREA.

A Protest Against Yielding to Russia.

THE CZAR APPROVES THE UMPIRE

Christmas in England—Royal Merry Makers—Jackson and the Pole—Fools and Their Money—The Striking Engineers—The Far East Scare Looked Upon as Premature.

London, Dec. 27.—A special despatch from Shanghai says: "It is reported that 17 British warships are off Chemulpo, Corea, southwest of Seoul, supporting the British Consul's protest, really amounting to an ultimatum, against the King's practically yielding the government of Corea into the hands of the Russian Minister.

The protest is specially directed against the dismissal of Mr. McLeavy Brown, British adviser to the Corean customs, in favor of the Russian nominee. The news has produced consternation at Seoul, which is heightened by the knowledge that Japan has a fleet of 30 warships awaiting the result of the British representation, that Japan fully supports. Japan is irritated by the arrival of Russian troops in Corea, and it is believed that she will oppose them.

British Force Landed.

According to a despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai, it is reported there from reliable sources that a British force landed at Chemulpo on Saturday and caused the reinstatement of Mr. McLeavy Brown. The same despatch refers to "A native rumor that the Union Jack has been hoisted on an island in the mouth of the River Yang-Tse-Kiang."

THE FAR EAST SITUATION.

British Government Reticent, But the Scare is Looked on as Premature.

London, Dec. 27.—In well-informed circles the general impression prevails that the alarm of newspapers and among the public in regard to the far East is at least premature. While the members of the Government are reticent, they are evidently sincere in disclaiming the least alarm. The impression gathered in Ministerial quarters is that Great Britain is carefully watching events, biding her time, and that she certainly will not fail to act promptly and vigorously at the proper moment. It is intimated in quarters usually well posted on such matters that Germany either has, or wishes to have, an understanding on the subject with Great Britain. This view is strongly supported by Prince Henry's visit to Queen Victoria, at Osborne, by his subsequent trip to London, and by the autograph letter which the Prince is said to have taken to Her Majesty from Emperor William, of which confirmation is forthcoming. The Emperor's letter to the Queen is regarded as being a distinctly conciliatory step on the part of Germany.

But there is no doubt that Great Britain is quietly preparing for all eventualities. Should it become clear that Germany and Russia have really commenced a game of grab, Great Britain will be prepared to assert her claims for a division of the spoils. That Russia does not expect trouble, is shown in the fact that she has not one battleship in the far East.

But of course if Russia does not leave Port Arthur in the spring her stay there may lead to other grabbing. The British Government, however, is apparently not borrowing trouble. From a trading point of view it is pointed out that even in the event of the opening of three new foreign ports they will probably be as little harmful to Shanghai as Boston, Baltimore and Philadelphia are to New York.

LORD SALISBURY'S ORGAN

Points Out the Queer Combinations Existing Among the Nations.

London, Dec. 27.—The Standard says in an article on the situation in China:—

"We have for Christmas contemplation one of the most singular tangles that have ever tried the patiences and perspicacity of diplomatic experts. The eastern question in Europe, as affected by the system of continental alliances, was baffling enough in its intricacy. Republican France, from mere fear of Germany, or from a desire for revenge, became the sworn friend of despotic Russia. But while the Czar is full of grace and enthusiasm toward President Faure, he has also the language of sympathetic, warm friendship and close understanding to offer the German Emperor, and such is the lucky magnetism of the Muscovite autocracy that Austria permits itself to forswear its distrust and dismiss, for the time being, any extreme apprehension about the Balkan Peninsula. But Austria-Hungary is itself rent by internecine disputes which, to those who watch with admiration and gratitude the noble devotion of the Emperor King, appear to threaten the cohesion of the vast fabric that is held together by his personal influence.

"Italy meanwhile is forced by reverses which the auspicious gallantry of its army has failed to avert, to reduce the sphere of its activity abroad and husband its resources at home. Great Britain, because it refuses to indentify itself either with the Russo-French of the German-Austrian alliance, becomes a mark for the ill nature of at least two powers. Yet a concert of all these powers is contrived to prevent the re-opening of the eastern question, which, it is recognized, would be the signal for the long-postponed collision. This co-operation, however, permits Germany to show its bad temper and masterfulness at the expense of Crete and Greece.

"While things in the Levant are in this harrassing condition of uncertain equilibrium, suddenly the Chinese territory is, so to speak, thrown into the diplomatic market. Germany and Russia, whether in pursuance of a concert or in amicable rivalry, each occupy positions on the mainland, which must provoke Great Britain, the paramount commercial power, to seek compensation as a safeguard against exclusion.

Turks Fired on a Greek Gunboat.

Athens, Dec. 27.—As the Greek gunboat Actium was leaving the Gulf of Ambracia Saturday a shot was fired at her by the Turks at Fort Prevesa, on the north side of the entrance to the Gulf. The Actium and several other gunboats which were following her were compelled to return to their anchorage.

The Government has wired to Prince Mavrocordato, the Greek Minister at Constantinople, instructing him to ask the Turkish Government for a friendly explanation of the incident.

FOOLS AND THEIR MONEY.

Some of the Interesting Things That Take Place in the Gambling Centre.

London, Dec. 27.—The alleged attempt of the Prince of Monaco to bleed the Casino Company has led to the publication of a pamphlet by a group of shareholders, full of interesting reading. While everybody is aware that the Casino contributed largely to his revenues, few know that besides the subsidy of the Prince, the establishment keeps up the judges, police, lighting, water, postoffice, clergy and charitable institutions. Last season's expenditure of the principality apart from the maintanence of the Casino, which was £334,000, amounted to £130,000, of which sum the Prince had £50,000, the courts, police, etc., £30,000, the clergy and schools £9,000, charities £6,000, prizes for sports £11,000, and the postoffice and losses £3,000. The dividend on shares absorbed £576,000, making a total revenue of £1,540,000, which the "fools of the world" left at the Monte Carlo gambling tables.

An interesting item is "press subventions £35,000." The pamphlet holds that it is absolutely necessary to expend a large sum in securing the good will of the continental press, and it is said that over half the stories of suicides are only bids upon the part of Riveria newspapers for a share of the boodle.

CHRISTMAS IN ENGLAND.

Royal Merry Makers—The Seasonable Temperature in Old England.

London, Dec. 27.—The temperature is seasonable, the yellow fogs of the middle of last week having given way to comparative brightness. The week has been the coldest of the season, 10 to 20 degrees of frost being registered, and skating has commenced. All who could do so have gone to the country, where Christmas house parties were more numerous than usual.

The Marquis of Salisbury is entertaining a large shooting party.

Queen Victoria had a merry party at Osborne. There was a grand Christmas tree, loaded with presents, for the royal children, the members of the household and the servants. The party includes the Battenbergs, Connaughts, Lornes and Albanys. A royal baron of beef, cut from a Devon ox, fed on the royal farm at Windsor and roasted at Windsor by the cooks sent by the London caterer, was forwarded to Osborne on Friday with the boar's head and woodcock pie, which traditionally occupies the Queen's sideboard at Christmas. This year's boar's head is a genuine Hure de Sanglier from the Coburgs' preserves in the Thurinarian forest.

THE STRIKING ENGINEERS.

Very Little Probability That the Deadlock Will be Broken.

London, Dec. 27.—The striking engineers in their second ballot upon the proposals of the employers, the result of which is returnable on Dec. 28, to which date the conference of the masters and employes adjourned last week, are again rejecting the propositions made by the masters in the conference. The leaders of the strikers insured this result by combining two questions in the ballots. These questions were: "Are you in favor of the proposals of the masters in regard to their management of workshops?" and "Are you in favor of a working week of 51 hours?"

Naturally all of the men support the latter question, against which the employers have all along contended, and upon which they are still unyielding in their opposition. The masters declare that they never offered such a compromise and they are now formulating plans for a wide extension of their proposed lock-out.

JACKSON AND THE POLE.

After Hearing Peary's Lecture He Makes Some Changes in His Plans.

London, Dec. 27.—As soon as Jackson, the explorer, completes the work connected with his Frans Josef Land expedition he will start for the North Pole. He informed a representative of the Associated Press that his original plans were identical with those of Lieut. Peary, except that he intended to take the east coast of Finland, instead of the west, mapping out undiscovered land en route. But since he heard Lieut. Peary's lecture Jackson has changed his plans. Considering that Peary had prior claims, Jackson now proposes to proceed via Davis Straits and Baffin's Bay up the west coast to Ellsmere Land and Grinnell Land, and thence across to the furthermost point reached by Aldrich in 1876, whence he will push north, making in the direction of any land visible from the coast. The date of his departure is unsettled. Jackson will have only one companion, outside of his crew.

Talking over his plans he said: "I hope to push my ship considerably beyond Coburg Island, at the entrance of Jones' Sound, at the furthest navigable point. I shall establish a base and thence push north with sledges, dogs and ponies and with one companion. I expect to be absent about two years."

Not Very Peaceful.

Madrid, Dec. 27.—Yesterday El Imparcial urged that, in view of the character of the reply of United States Minister Woodford to the note of the Spanish Government in answer to the first communication of the American Government through him, it is necessary to increase the Spanish fleet as against the eventuality of a conflict with the United States.

El Heraldo says: "The encroachments of the United States upon the internal politics of Spain have become intolerable and must be resisted energetically. The situation is difficult, but at whatever cost the Government ought to put an end to a shameful state of affairs for the sake of the dignity of Spain."

The Czar Sanctions It.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—The official messenger formally announces the Czar's sanction of the appointment of Councillor Martens of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Professor of International Law in the University of St. Petersburg as umpire in the Anglo-Venezuelan arbitration.

At the Cost of His Life.

New York, Dec. 27.—James F. Coleman, an engine driver in the Fire Department, sacrificed his own life on Christmas rather than run down a woman and a little girl, who, transfixed with fright, were unable to get out of his way. Coleman, to avoid hitting them, gave the engine too sharp a turn and it toppled over, with the driver beneath it, killing him almost instantly. The child was carrying a Christmas doll, and Coleman had just reported for duty after having been present at the Christmas celebration of his own two children.

Cotton Cargo on Fire.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 27.—The British steamer Lambert's Point, Captain Humphreys, seven days from Norfolk, Va., for Liverpool with cattle, cotton, grain and a general cargo, has arrived here with her cotton on fire and the ship in a bad state. Captain Humphreys says that he could not have controlled the fire 24 hours longer. Holes are now being cut in her sides to admit steampipes, in the hope of having the fire subdued by Tuesday, when the cotton will be discharged until the seat of the fire is reached. Nearly the entire cargo is damaged.

An Indian Bled to Death.

Parry Sound, Dec. 26.—An Indian named David Nanabush, who resided with his family at the south end of Burton's Bay, had been out hunting and in some way his rifle was discharged, wounding him severely in the leg. Being alone and some distance from home, the unfortunate fellow bled to death and his body was found in the bush.

Married Woman's Suicide.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 27.—Hon. Clifford Sifton left Sunday for Washington to see the United States Government on Yukon affairs.

Mrs. French, a young married woman living at Billings Bridge, committed suicide by taking a dose of carbolic acid. Her husband works in a livery stable in the city.

Adopted for Canadian Infantry.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 27.—It is announced here that the infantry accoutrements patented by Deputy Surgeon-General Oliver, of the British Army, who resides in Halifax, have been adopted for the use of the infantry forces in Canada.

A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

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than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUSELLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1897.

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

This morning Mr. William Yelland and Mr. A. L. Davis were formally nominated as candidates for the position of Mayor of the Town of Peterborough for the year 1898. They are now in the field officially, and the citizens have the duty of deciding which is best qualified and likely to best serve the town in the capacity of Mayor. Mr. Yelland has been Mayor for the past two years, and had previously been councillor for over a dozen years; the people have his record before them and are in a position to intelligently express their opinion of his qualifications for the position he seeks. Last year Mr. Yelland came out as a candidate, and although in taking that step he did not consult THE EXAMINER, yet THE EXAMINER, believing that he was fairly entitled to a second term, gave him a hearty support and used its best efforts to secure his election. At that time the question was Mr. Yelland's claim to a second term, it being an unwritten law that a mayor who has satisfactorily performed the duties of that office for one year, was entitled to a second term, and the result of the contest was that the town practically recognized the principle involved, by returning Mr. Yelland as mayor by a good majority. On the occasion of the two contests which he has successfully conducted, Mr. Yelland was a candidate of his own free will and accord. He had a perfect right, like any other capable citizen, to become a candidate for the mayoralty. He exercised that right, and there was nobody that could call him to account for so doing. On the same grounds Mr. Davis has entered the field as a candidate for the mayoralty. He says, and there is no reason to doubt his word, that he was requested to do so by a large number of influential electors. He was perfectly free to accede to or reject the request of his friends; and in accepting the candidature for the mayoralty, he only exercised his right in the same manner that Mr. Yelland has exercised his right on three occasions; and the EXAMINER had no more to do in challenging the right or influencing the decision of either gentlemen in one case more than the other. Mr. Yelland has been mayor of the town for two terms and the people have his record before them to form an intelligent judgment upon as to his fitness to serve the public interests for another term. His long residence in the town and the full acquaintance the people have with him, give additional means of forming a judgment. Mr. Davis is also well known to the people, having practically lived all his life here, and his one term in the council, as well as the large measure of knowledge the people have of his career and abilities also afford ample ground for the electors to decide as to the merits of his claims to their support.

At the present time there do not appear to be any questions of very grave importance pressing for solution. The contest is largely one of candidates, and it is for the people to decide which of the two is best qualified in general for rendering the town the services it requires; which will best promote its interests; which will most faithfully and successfully grapple with the administrative problems that whose solution demands the services of a mayor; and which will, in a word, make the best mayor for the town for the years 1898. Some will think that Mr. Yelland answers these conditions, and others will think that Mr. Davis will meet them—it is a question for the electors to decide. As far as the EXAMINER is concerned, it has no advice to proffer the electors. Mr. Yelland has entered the field, as he has a perfect right to do, of his own free will and accord. Mr. Davis has entered the field, as he has a perfect right to do, of his own free will and accord. The question at issue is largely one as between the two men, and the people know enough of both to enable them to arrive at a decision, and whatever that decision is, the EXAMINER is prepared to accept it, and will give a loyal support to the gentleman whom may be selected as our chief magistrate, so long as his course accords with our ideas of what is in the best interests of the town of Peterborough.

THE TRADING COMPANY.

Of Which Mr. G. A. Strickland, of Lakefield, is Manager, Engaged in Extensive Operations for the Klondike.

We clip the following from the Morning Tribune, published at Portland, Oregon, which refers to Mr. G. A. Strickland, of Lakefield.

There will be no trouble about reaching the Alaska gold fields, via St. Michael's, when the Yukon becomes navigable. Several additions will be made to the fleet of river boats by the Klondike Mining, Trading and Transportation Co., which has had a representative in this city for several days.

The company is the Canadian syndicate to which reference was made recently in these columns. Negotiations for the purchase of several river boats for the Yukon trade are now pending. Mr. G. A. Strickland, who is acting as agent for the syndicate, said yesterday that the company expects to buy three or four boats. He told me that the company will buy here if it can buy at satisfactory figures. Mr. Strickland has experienced no difficulty in finding desirable boats and the owners are willing to sell, but the company will spend no money here unless it can buy at rock-bottom prices.

If the company cannot get the boat at a reasonable figure, they will place orders for new boats. Mr. Strickland believes that Columbia river boatmen are the best in swift and the boats will be manned by crews from there. The company has ocean steamships plying between England and America, which will connect with the river boats at the mouth of the Yukon.

Mr. Strickland is a man of extensive information, and appears to be thoroughly familiar with the Alaskan situation. In appearance he is a typical Englishman, with agreeable manners, and his powerful frame is encased in a neat-fitting outing costume of light gray material. He said that the Canadian police are making satisfactory progress in the placing of posts for telegraphic communication along the Chilkoot Pass from Dyea. These posts are set about fifty miles apart and are intended only for present needs. A permanent route will be determined not until a survey for a railroad is completed. Whether the Canadian Pacific or the Government puts in the contemplated line from the Stickeen river to Lake Teslo, this will have to become the established route and the telegraphic service will follow that route.

Regarding the gold outlook, Mr. Strickland said there are unprospected fields, a superficial inspection of which shows them to be richer than the Klondike. He showed me a piece of quartz which assays $30,000 to the ton. The dull yellow metal could be seen with the naked eyes and was quite evenly distributed in the rock. The richness of some of the quartz mines in that he said can not be estimated. The gold belt he estimates at 100,000 square miles. There is gold, he said, from the Stickeen to Dawson. The only question is as to where it lies richest.

When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and biliousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

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TIME TABLE

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MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.40 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.20 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.20 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	8.40 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal		4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock		7.10 a m.	7.50 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston		4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
	WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago		11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate		7.55 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago		11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest		11.25 a.m.	4.10 p m.

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PAPAL ENCYCLICAL.

Effect on the Manitoba School Question Problematical.

BRUCHESI TO MAKE STATEMENT

The Archbishop, in the Meantime, Denies That He Went to Rome to Discuss the School Question With the Pope—An Outside Opinion on the Letter.

Montreal, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—It is rather early yet to say what, if any, effect the Pope's letter on the Manitoba school question will have in politics. From a purely political point of view the situation is unchanged, that is to say, the question is dead. The ecclesiastical authorities will say nothing. They have not received the text of the letter officially, and their only knowledge of it is the cable summary. Besides, Archbishop Bruchesi is away, and in his absence no one is authorized to speak on the subject. The Archbishop will arrive here from Rome to-morrow, and either then or at the reception which will be given to him on Tuesday he may say something. The bishops of the Province will meet here on January 4 in connection with the services held on the anniversary of the death of Archbishop Fabre, and it is possible that they will give a collective opinion about the letter on that occasion.

WHAT MGR. BRUCHESI SAID.

The Pope Has Condemned the Settlement and Upheld the Bishops.

New York, Dec. 27. — Archbishop Bruchesi arrived here yesterday on the steamer La Champagne. In an interview he denied that he went to Italy for the purpose of discussing the Manitoba school question with the Pope. He says that the Pope in an encyclical has condemned the present school laws of Manitoba and sustained the church in opposition to the existing system. The Archbishop says that since the present law went into effect the number of Catholic children in the Public schools had decreased. He added that it was now hoped that the Canadian Parliament would accede to the demands of the Catholic church in Manitoba. Archbishop Bruchesi in conclusion said that while in Rome he had not heard anything about the appointment of a Papal delegate for Manitoba.

A Message of Peace.

London, Dec. 27.—The Times, commenting editorially this morning on the Pope's encyclical, says: "The Pope has approached the very difficult Manitoba school problem in the spirit of conciliation and compromise, and the encyclical seems honestly designed as a message of peace."

AN OUTSIDE VIEW.

Why Should the Pope Interfere to Disturb the Settlement?

New York, Dec. 27.—The Times, referring editorially to the Pope's encyclical on the Manitoba school question, says:—"It is not clear at the first glance why the Pope should have published on Christmas Eve an encyclical upon the school question in Manitoba. Certainly nothing could be more opposed to the spirit of the season than a papal re-opening of such a question. It is no longer, or at least is not at present, a 'live' question, and the only certain result of reviving it is to stir up strife in regions that are now peaceful. The compromise arrived at by Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not suit either the Catholic or the Protestant zealots, of whom each desired to use the Public schools as a propaganda of its respective religion. But it was accepted, though under protest, by these, and was acquiesced in loyally by the mass of citizens; it has seemed in fact to be working very well. Why, then, should the Pope interfere to disturb the settlement and to reopen the question?

"The answer obviously is that 'pressure' was put upon him to do so. This pressure evidently proceeded from the Canadian bishops, whom the encyclical goes rather out of its way to praise. That these ecclesiastics should have captured the papal ear indicates either that Mgr. Martinelli has not been so judicious as his predecessor, or else that he has not acquired so much influence at the Vatican. For it is certain that the bishops of the Province of Quebec, who have been most conspicuous in attacking the compromise, are a body of very bad advisers and that the following of their counsels will get the church into serious mischief, which it might avoid by simply doing nothing."

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The Contents of These Two Columns of Paragraphs, as They Convey in Brief Form Two Days and More of the World's History—Read and Digest.

Toronto Bay was frozen over on the 24th.

James Parrish was killed in the C.A.R. yard at Ottawa on Friday.

Three firemen were fatally injured in a Chicago fire on Christmas.

The Japanese Diet has dissolved preliminary to the new elections.

Australasia will send a big contingent to the Klondike in the spring.

Harter's Mill, at Fosteria, O., has been destroyed by fire. Loss, $150,000.

Tod Sloane is paid $250 a mount in a race of less than two minutes.

The report that Italy had come into the Chinese squabble is not correct.

H. B. Britton has been appointed Collector of Customs for Gananoque.

The Newfoundland herring fishers have been very successful this year.

Midnight mass Christmas Eve was attended by thousands in Montreal.

The difficulty between the C.P.R. and the telegraphers is as good as settled.

The United States will make no alliance with the Japs in Chinese affairs.

Prince Henry of Germany, it is said, will be fittingly received at Chinese ports.

Hamilton's Christmas mail was this year 50 per cent. larger than that of last.

A United States army pack train will shortly leave Cheyenne, Wyo., for Alaska.

Merchants at Winnipeg report the best Christmas trade in the history of the place.

Cleveland's Friday night fire will total $1,000,000. The accident list was very heavy.

The brewers are voluntarily cutting down the number of Cleveland saloons by 400.

Cripple Creek mine owners made Christmas presents to miners aggregating $10,000.

The French have sent the first-class cruiser Pothnan to service in Chinese waters.

The Spanish Cabinet has read United States Minister Woodford's note concerning Cuba.

The estate of the late actor, William Terriss, is estimated at between £40,000 and £50,000.

Natives in Lower Guinea have killed 21 Portuguese, one of them being a grandson of Saldanha.

Four children named Malbeiski were suffocated by smoke Christmas Eve at Philadelphia.

The real Panama Canal culprits in France are, it is said, being spared for political reasons.

Friday's Canada Gazette calls Parliament together on Feb. 8 for the despatch of business.

A. Ritchie Lawrence's team went through the ice at Amelliasburg and were drowned on Friday.

Half of Charleston, S.C., is searching with mystical rites for Capt. Kidd's buried treasure.

An Everett, Mass., street car house and rolling stock were burned on Friday night. Loss, $150,000.

Czechs attacked a German school at Worschowitz and were driven off by the police with one killed.

Contrary to general report, Great Britain is likely to oppose the Russianization of Corea and Northern China.

Harry King, a counterfeiter in the Erie County Penitentiary, killed a fellow-convict named Carr on Friday.

A number of explosions at the acetylene liquefying works at Jersey City cost two lives and $20,000 damages.

Wm. Roberts, alias Doyle, in telling how he murdered Jacob Weinand laughed as he related the occurrence.

A week of prayer will be generally observed throughout the Dominion from Jan. 2 to 9 inclusive.

Mr. Fred Hewlet, of the Mail staff, has left the paper to become manager of the Orion Comedy Co.

There will be an official reception to Mgr. Bruchesi on his return from Rome to Montreal on Tuesday.

Brandon, Man., is likely to lose a lot of its population in the spring from emigration to the Klondike.

Tommy Reynolds, a Hamilton hostler, fell from the stable loft on Saturday and broke his neck. He was 51 years old.

E. D. Smith, the Winona fruit shipper, will put up a large cold storage plant for shipments to England next summer.

The body of Rev. W. Homer Hunt, who died at Omemee, was buried at Mt. Pleasant cemetery, Toronto, on Friday.

Jimmy Michael defeated Chase at New York on Christmas Eve in a 30-mile race which he rode in 64.05 1-5 minutes.

George Ruth, who has just arrived at Portland, Ore., from the Klondike, says that famine is sure for Dawson City.

J. L. Ryan, a Balaclava survivor, got $1,000 from Chicago city for fracturing his knee cap through a defective sidewalk.

Eight United States mail boxes in Oswego, N.Y., were broken into and robbed of their contents Thursday night.

Russia is preparing temporary headquarters for 10,000 troops at Port Arthur, China. The act is looked upon as warlike.

England and Japan, without entering upon an actual alliance, have a complete understanding on the Chinese situation.

Hiram Sweesy, a farmer living near Holland Landing, was found a mile from his home on Friday night nearly frozen to death.

Fifty German army instructors have been notified by China that when their contracts expire they will not be re-engaged.

Lord Rosebery is a daily visitor to the British Museum making searches for an important historical work which he is writing.

There are four generations of one family at present in one jail in New Bedford, Mass., and criminologists are greatly interested.

One hundred and fifty Chippewa Indians will go to the Klondike from Wisconsin in the spring. They will be headed by Running Wolf.

L. Murryman, Collector of Customs for Stanstead, Quebec, has been superannuated, and C. H. McClintock has been appointed in his place.

It is said Sir J. A. Chapleau will become Canada's High Commissioner to France when he retires from the Quebec Lieutenant-Governorship.

The Canadian Government, at the request of Great Britain, has ordered the confiscation of seditious publications. This story comes from New York.

Fifteen thousand window glass workmen return to work, after a four months strike, on Jan. 7, at an advance of from 13 to 17 per cent. in wages.

On Jan. 30 there is to be a grand pow wow at Winnipeg of the Indians of that section. The agents will also be present, to talk over the reserve question.

Native levies of the Kassala garrison captured the post of El Fasher, killed two Dervish Emirs, a large number of Dervishes, and captured valuable stores.

James Childs, car coupler at the C. P. R. yards, Parkdale, was caught between two cars on Saturday evening. His right arm was badly crushed at the elbow joint.

An interpretation of the Dingley bill at New York taxes fish livers ¾c per pound Up till Friday they went in from Canada free as parts of the internals of fish.

Mrs. Jarvis and her nine children were burned to death at London, Eng., yesterday. Her husband died in one of the hospitals an hour after without hearing of the occurrence.

The Watkins wing of the Kingston hospital was burned $3,900 worth on Friday. Nine of the 40 patients hastily removed suffered from the exciting experience. Fully insured.

Friday there was a rumor that Gen. Pando, the Spanish Commander-in-Chief in the Cuban field, had been hemmed in by the insurgents. He had not then been heard from for five days.

Brakesman Haycock on the Central New Jersey railway was killed in a collision on Friday night, and Fireman Higgins and Engineer Murtagh were, it is thought, fatally scalded.

Asst Division Superintendent Newell, of the Boston and Albany railway, at Springfield, Mass., was killed on the tracks of his road. He was formerly a Harvard football player of note.

Official reports show that logs aggregating 250,000,000 feet of lumber were imported by Michigan from Canada during the past season, this being 77,000,000 feet over the estimate at the beginning of season.

Wm. Anderson, ex-M.P.P., was found dead on the road near his residence at Picton, Ont. Heart failure is supposed to have been the cause. He sat in the old Parliament of Canada and in the first Assembly of Ontario.

Thirty pounds of canned powder exploded in a crowd of 100 men and boys who were firing a Christmas cannon at Asheville, N.C., and about forty persons were injured, none of them, however, fatally.

Howard Gould, of New York, gave a Christmas dinner at the Holland House to 12 guests that surpassed in sumptuousness anything ever before known. Every month was represented by its special fruit. Six of the guests were women.

Durrant's father has filed an affidavit that Horace Smythe, a juror who helped to convict his son, informed friends that he believed Durrant guilty of murder, but not on the evidence at the trial, but on outside information furnished.

John Bell was arrested at his residence at Puce, Ont., on suspicion that he embezzled the funds of the Presbyterian society at Chicago. He was taken to Detroit, where he was released, as it was found he was not the man.

The mother of Isadore Poirier, wh was murdered by his wife and her paramour at St. Canute, Que., is suing the arrested wife for the $2,000 insurance policy which she transferred to her lawyers to meet the costs in her defence.

The Pope's encyclical on the Manitoba school question was published at Rome on Friday. The settlement is not approved, the zeal of the bishops is praised, and Catholics are exhorted to claim all their rights under the constitution by His Holiness.

Christmas Day Preston, Ontario, opened her big rink to the public. It is the largest in Western Ontario, being 90x180 feet, with a clear sheet of ice 60x153 feet in the center. Outside of this, which is boarded for hockey, there is room at the sides for six curling rinks at one time. Lighted with electricity, it cost $3,500.

Two passenger trains came into collision at Le Peage du Roussillon, Department of Isore, during the prevalence of a dense fog Christmas Eve. Capt. Blouet of the cruiser Foudre of a French Mediterranean squadron; Capt. Lota, an instructor at the Military School at St. Cyr, and M. Mathieu, a naval engineer, were killed and 15 other persons were injured.

The death of Lady Millais recalls the fact that when Sir John Millais fell ill the Queen sent the Princess Louise to the dying man to enquire what favor she could grant. He called for a writing tablet, and inscribed the words: "I should like the Queen to see my wife." The Queen broke through her iron rule not to receive any woman whose marriage she had once been dissolved, whether blameworthy or not, and accorded to her a tender and sympathetic interview.

What Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for others it will also do for you. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures all blood diseases.

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Cancer is the severest known form of blood disease. Burdock Blood Bitters is the most powerful medicine known. It cures cancer and all skin diseases. Proof: "My husband had two cancers taken off his face, and another was coming on his lip. He took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and it disappeared. I know this medicine is an excellent blood purifier." Mrs. Wm. Kirby, Akron, Erie Co., New York.

Shiloh's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 386 George street.

On With The Rush ....AT.... Kutzbach's Two Stores

From Now until New Years' a particular purpose influences us at our Two Stores. We had a great success before Christmas for which we cordially thank our hundreds of kind patrons. Now we go in for

A Rounding-up Clearing Sale.

Shoppers who have yet to make their purchases for New Years will have things pretty nearly all their own way. Prices will never be lower than ours.

OUR GREAT TOY DEP'T.

In Both Stores is the talk of the town. Prices caught on like wildfire. We expect to wind up the old year with a big bounding Clearing Sale in both stores.

Enough for Another Christmas in Both Stores.

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 370 George Street.
2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

WHEAT GAMBLERS IN A MIX.

The Bull Crowd Insisted on Close Inspection, But Were Thrown Down.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—A question as to the quality of about 8,000 bushel of wheat in the hold of the steamer Iron King, belonging to the Seaverns Company, and which they tendered to the Leiter clique as contract grade, has developed that the bull crowd is insisting on the strictest inspection of all wheat tendered for December delivery. When this wheat was first tendered it was refused by Leiter, who claimed it was not of contract quality. In this he was backed up by the Board of Appeals of the Board of Trade. Later, however, the board reversed its decision. The Leiter people refused flatly the new decision of the Appeals Board, and now it is said the case was taken to the Board of Trade directory or to the court.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

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Gentlemen,—I was troubled for years with weak lungs and could not get relief, but on trying Norway Pine Syrup found it acted splendidly, healing and strengthening my lungs. E. J. Furlong,
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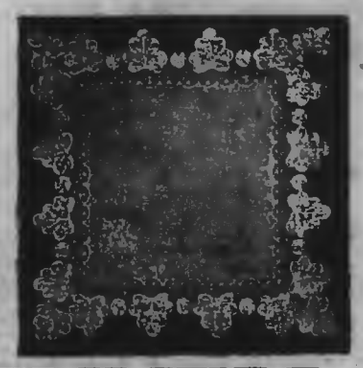
This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store wil suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c.
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c.
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 10c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Hose at 25c.



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What to buy for Christmas are invited to visit our Popular Millinery Store, where everything is arranged to make shopping a pleasure. If you make your Holiday purchases here you can buy any of our attractive Specialties at SPECIALLY REDUCED PRICES.

—Fancy Handkerchiefs, Lace and [illegible]
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—Fancy Ties in Chiffon and Silk.
—Fancy American Collars—the newest out,
—Fancy Children's Bonnets, Silk Velvet and Elderdown.
—Fancy Veiling, Spotted and Newest Special Styles.
—Walking Hats, Trimmed and Untrimmed.
—Fashionably Trimmed Bonnets, all Reduced.
—Corsets to be Cleared Out at Cost—$1.50 Corset for 95c; $1.25 for 75c; 75c for 48c, 50c, 30c
—All Fancy Dress Goods and Mantles at Cost.

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Popular	and	Children's
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What about a Nobby Walking Cane, Gold or Silver mounted? We have a catchy line of Swagger Sticks at moderate prices.

OUR HOLIDAY STOCK is replete with the very choicest and most up-to-date Smokers' Goods in the market, and as we are having a REDUCTION SALE preparatory to enlarging and improving the store, Prices will be Right.

"Shake!" Same to you and many of them!

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Manly Art.

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Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50cent Grafton & Co.

Flower Social New Year's Eve.

Another of those popular socials will be held on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, in the rooms over the Great Northwestern Telegraph office, Cox's Block. A first class orchestra will furnish music, and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome. Admission, tickets 50c. 3i

Foresters' Meeting.

Members of Court Peterborough No. 29, C.O.F., are requested to attend a special meeting to be held on Monday evening, Dec. 27.

GEO. DREDGE, C. R.
2d W. P. J. ALEXANDER, Rec. Sec.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4 00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

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Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

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The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

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HOW XMAS WAS SPENT

In the Public and Charitable Institutions of the Town.

Christmas was observed with the usual festivities and decorations in the various charitable and public institutions of the town, all of which received a large number of visitors during the day, as the weather was such as to be most inviting for walking or driving.

The Peterborough Protestant Home was very artistically decorated under Miss Lowndravilla's supervision, special attention being paid to the halls. From the ceiling pretty festoons of evergreens hung upon the walls and were looped around the doors and windows, making the interior of the Home bright and cheerful for the joyous Christmas time. The inmates were provided with a splendid dinner, the bill of fare including turkey and plum pudding. Rev. Mr. Armitage held a service in the morning at ten o'clock, which was greatly appreciated. The choir boys of St. John's did not visit this or any other institution during the day and their absence was regretted by all, but it is understood that they will make their customary calls on New Year's Day instead of Christmas.

At the Barnardo Home Christmas was made bright for fifty-seven little English girls. Bright clumps of evergreen were arranged over the doors and windows in the main building, and the schoolroom was most profusely decorated. The special attraction of the room, however, existed in the big Christmas tree loaded with gifts for the children and from amongst the branches of which peeped out a gray haired old Santa Claus. After a splendid dinner the little ones repaired to the schoolroom and sang a number of appropriate hymns and carols. The gifts were then distributed and during the rest of the afternoon the children enjoyed themselves in playing games.

St. Joseph's Hospital and the Home of Providence was, as usual, most tastefully decorated for Christmas, the altar in the little chapel being especially worthy of mention in this respect. Between fifty and sixty of the inmates were able to sit down to an appetising dinner consisting, of course, principally of turkey and plum pudding. During the day three masses were said by Rev. Father O'Connell, beginning at half-past six in the morning. In the afternoon His Lordship Bishop O'Connor and Ven Archdeacon Casey drove over, and the former pronounced the benediction. The old people in the House of Providence were then made the recipients of a treat of sweetmeats at the hands of his Lordship. During the morning, just before dinner, the upper hall was the centre of attraction, when gifts from a large tree were distributed.

The patients in the Nicholls Hospital were awakened Christmas morning by the carolling of Christmas anthems by the staff of nurses at six o'clock, after which letters were distributed, which were received from the Christmas Letter Mission, through Miss Roger. A good dinner was enjoyed by all who were able to assemble in the general dining room, and after the patients had returned to their rooms grapes, raisins and nuts were distributed. Each and everyone received a nosegay of flowers from Mrs. Green's George street Sunday school class. This year the Hospital decorations were of a different nature than that of former years, Mr. Head's conservatory supplying a profuse supply of palms and other foliage plants for the occasion, and giving the interior of the building quite a tropical appearance, reflecting no small credit on the hospital's head floriculturist.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolised by man. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment. Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

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Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 60c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 98. Call e up. 11d142

Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 494 Water street.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Messrs. Wm. Yelland and A. L. Davis Nominated for Mayor.

THE PROPOSERS AND THE CANDIDATES SPEAK.

The Questions at Issue Discussed—Nomination for Councillors and School Trustees—In Town and Ashburnham—A Big Slate Named.

The nominations for Mayor took place at the council chamber this morning. There was a large attendance of the electors, the council chamber being crowded.

The following nominations were made for the office of Mayor.

William Yelland, proposed by Mr. J. P. Metheral, and seconded by Mr. H. J. Daubus.

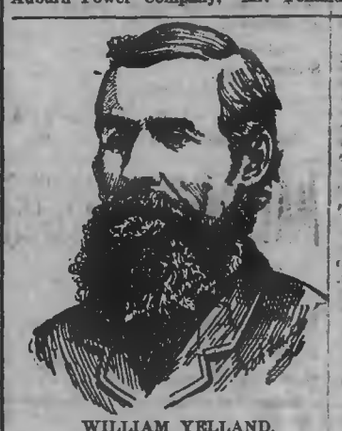
Mr. Alfred Lawrence Davis, proposed by Mr. J. J. Hartley, seconded by Mr. James Kendry.

Mr. Armstrong, town clerk, was requested to occupy the chair.

Mr. Metheral, the proposer of Mr. Yelland, and Mr. Daubus, seconder, declined to speak in support of their nomination.

THE MAYOR SPEAKS.

Mr. Yelland was the first speaker, and began by wishing the electors a happy New Year. He thanked the electors for having twice placed him in the Mayor's chair. During that time it had been a pleasure to him to do all he could to advance the interests of of the town. He referred to the visit of Lord and Lady Aberdeen, and expressed his appreciation of driving about town with their excellencies. It was a great honour to confer on the workingmen of the town that the mayor they had elected should be so honoured. It was something that had not happened to any mayor since 1836, and the record would go down to posterity that this happened when Yelland was mayor. He had also had the honour of assisting at the opening of the Victoria Museum, and in his term also the Y.M.C.A. building had been erected, and these things would also go down to posterity as having been done when William Yelland was mayor of the town. Referring to the past year's record of the council Mr. Yelland said the affairs of the town had been efficiently and economically managed—the taxes had not been higher than other years and they had a surplus in the treasury of about $700, and had besides some $1,500 or $1,600 worth of broken stone on hand that had not yet been placed upon the streets. The cash surplus would have been about $400 more had it not been for the action of his opponent in connection with the remission of the pole rent for the streets in favour of the Auburn Power Company, Mr. Yelland



WILLIAM YELLAND.

charged that Mr. Davis had voted for the remission of this $400 of taxes for the use of the streets and there had been no conditions imposed as to what charges should be made for power. He (Mr. Yelland) had opposed this transaction as being contrary to the interests of the town. In respect to the Moncrief case, Mr. Yelland explained Mr. Moncrief had secured

A VERDICT AGAINST THE TOWN

for damages for injuries sustained by his wife by falling through a trap door on Simcoe street. The town entered an appeal, and when the appeal was being heard Judge Armour had suggested that the Toronto Savings and Loan Co., doing business in town, should be made a party to the suit, because the company, as landlord, were bound to furnish access to premises leased, and the only entrance in this case was the trap door in question. The Town Solicitor reported the matter to the council, and when the matter came up to make the company a party to the suit, Mr. Davis was the first to move that the company be not made a party to the suit. He stated, the mayor said, that he was an interested party. "I took stock of that," said Mr. Yelland, "and though Mr. Davis does not give me much credit for business shrewdness, when the matter came to a vote I reminded Mr. Davis that he was an interested party and told him he could not vote." And he did not vote, and the company was made a party to the suit, and the costs of the suit were divided among the three parties, thus lessening the share the town would have had to pay. Referring again to the pole matter, the Mayor stated that Mr. Meldrum in the council had called him a coward and said that he (the Mayor) "had no backbone." Mr. Yelland said he would now show Mr. Meldrum that he had some backbone, and would stand up for the interests of the town. Mr. Yelland went on say that the present contest was one

BETWEEN LABOUR AND CAPITAL,

and he called upon the citizens to stand by the town in supporting him. Mr. Yelland in referring to the spirit that should animate the contest, said that Mr. Kendry had met him on the street and called him a liar. He (the mayor) had crossed the street to shake hands with Mr. Kendry. Mr. Kendry shook hands with him but the next minute called him a liar. (Laughter.) "Was that parliamentary language?" (Cheers.) Mr. Yelland declared that he was good friends with every man in town, and he would continue to have friendly feelings for everybody, and when the elections were over he would be on good terms with all. He called upon the electors to vote without fear. He himself neither feared the frowns nor courted the favour of any man. (Cheers.)

Mr. J. J. Hartley who proposed Mr. Davis spoke briefly in his favour. He felt that he had nominated a candidate worthy of the confidence of the people. Mr. Davis had been a long resident of the town and while here he had been a credit to himself and the town. He did not nominate Mr. Davis because he had anything against Mr. Yelland but he took sides and felt like supporting whom he thought the best man. Referring to this year's cash surplus Mr. Hartley said it was not correct but that

UNPAID BILLS HAD COME IN

that wiped it out. He would have preferred in view of our high taxes that they had been lightened to the extent of the surplus claimed. Last year Mr. Davis had been elected at the head of the poll in No. 2 ward and this year he was seeking promotion. He (Mr. Hartley) would be sorry to dictate to the electors how they should vote, the majority should decide which was the best man. Mr. Davis' business relations would bring him in contact with people who would help in bringing what the town needed, more manufacturing establishments. With a good head the council stood a chance of getting something that would provide work to the workingmen. He was a workingman himself and believed in doing everthing he could to help labor. He objected to capital being decried. Capital and labour should

ALFRED LAWRENCE DAVIS.

work harmoniously together; every dollar spent by capital gave employment to the workingmen.

Mr. Jas. Kendry, as seconding Mr. Davis' nomination, was then called on by the chairman. He was well received, and opened his remarks by expressing the pleasure it gave him to appear on behalf of Mr. Davis. Everyone knew Mr. Davis was a young man, who had built himself up in the town. The speaker had been interested in a number of business enterprises with Mr. Davis, and had always found him ready and willing to take shares in any industry, which it was proposed to establish in the town.

"Did you," asked he, "ever find Mayor Yelland doing anything like this?"

I am a mechanic myself, continued Mr. Kendry. Mr. Davis and myself are in business, and have all our money invested, being in such a position that we may lose it all. Does the present Mayor risk his money in this way—where it will be of advantage to the town? No, he has it safely invested in mortgages on houses. What we want is a young business man, like Mr. Davis, for our next mayor. Mr. Yelland states that he is going to run until he gets in by acclamation. He doesn't wish to accede to the wishes of the ratepayers. He does not ask them to elect him, but forces himself upon them by this statement. Last year he caused it to be understood that he would retire at the end of his term. He says his name will be handed down to posterity; well, we will begin to hand it down at the end of the year by electing a

PROGRESSIVE YOUNG BUSINESS MAN

in his place. Mr. Yelland claims to be a working man, but Mr. Davis is more of a working man than he is, as the former is well to do, and has retired entirely from business. I am glad that he is in a position to do this, but it is a point against him when he claims to be a working man. I have been attacked by Mr. Yelland in his circular to the electors. I want to tell him that no man has lost more money in manufacturing enterprises in Peterborough than I have, and I would risk my money again. We wanted to bring a big rubber industry to Peterborough and Mr. Davis at once offered to take $3,000 worth of stock. Did Mr. Yelland offer to take any? No, not a hundred dollars, or ten dollars, or even one dollar's worth of stock to help along the town. He wouldn't risk his money to give the workingmen of Peterborough a chance. When he wants a workman he goes to Lakefield and gets one. I understand he went there only the other day and got a painter. He doesn't employ home labour. I am in a position to prove that the statements made by the mayor in his circular are false, as reflected on Mr. Davis. When the Auburn Power Company sent in its tender and offered to supply the town with electric lights at $57.50 per year, the mayor was in the chair when the council threw out the tender and called for new ones. He says that Mr. Davis voted to exempt the Auburn Company from paying a tax on their poles. I am in a position to prove that no company in the town pay such a tax. The Peterborough Light and Power Company raised its price by five dollars a lamp to meet the tax and thereby evades it. Does the Bell Telephone Company pay taxes?

The Mayor—No, and more shame to you, as you were in the chair when they

GOT THE FRANCHISE.

Mr. Kendry—It's retrograding to put a tax on the poles, as manufacturers can use electricity at half the cost of steam and by putting a tax on the poles the price of power is raised and many small manufactories wishing to locate here would be shut out. Mr. Davis is no tool of an Auburn or any other company. I never spoke to him as a councillor in reference to any of these matters. I ask you again, what has Mr. Yelland ever done for the town? Nothing! Mr. Yelland has made the statement in his circular that no insurance man is fit to represent the town. He thinks that no one but himself can do the work now—a man of business, as he claims. We want a lively man. He has had two years and hasn't the decency to retire when asked, through the nominating of opposition every time. I challenge him to the proofs of any of his statements in his circular.

Mr. J. B. McWilliams asked that mention be made of the fact that the electric light contract was let in 1896, thereby not involving all the members of the council of 1897.

Mr. A. L. Davis was received with cheers. He thanked his nominators for the honour they had done him in bringing out his name. During his residence in town he had tried to build up a character that would command the respect of the community, and asked the voters to stand by him if they felt he was worthy of their confidence. He was standing on his own merits and was not running under anyone else's cloak. He asked their votes on his own record. He had heard that Mr. J. R.

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A SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. George J. Tovey Presented with a Rocking Chair by his Sunday School Class.

On Thursday last about fifteen young ladies of Mr. Geo. J. Tovey's Bible Class waited upon him at his residence, No. 129 Stewart street, where Miss Annie Allin, on behalf of the class, presented him with a handsome rocking chair, accompanied by the following address:

Mr. Geo. J. Tovey, Teacher of Girls' Bible Class, Charlotte Street Methodist Sunday School:

DEAR TEACHER,—At this season of the year when good cheer and well-wishes are abroad, we, the girls of your Sunday School class take occasion to express our kind feelings and loyalty to you, our teacher. You have been kind, generous and painstaking with us during our relations as teacher and pupils, and may this relation continue undisturbed is our sincere desire.

In presenting you with this chair we hope that this Christmas and many others will be merry and happy ones for yourself and family and may the Father and Saviour of whom you teach ever protect and guide you and yours. Again wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the class.

IDA SANDERSON,
IDA HULL,
ANNIE PEDLAR.

The recipient, who was greatly taken by surprise, thanked the class for their thoughtfulness, after which the evening was spent in social entertainment, music, games, etc., the party breaking up at midnight, after refreshments had been served.

THE DOG SHOW.

Kind Words From the Kennel Gazette Regarding It.

The Kennel Gazette speaks as follows concerning the dog show to be held next month: It is with an unusual degree of pleasure that we are able to make final announcement of a show to be held at Peterborough on January 18th, 19th and 20th next, at which Messrs. C. A. Stone and H. P. Mulloss will officiate as judges. Canadian Kennel Club rules will govern, so we may expect a decent-sized entry from those who are desirous that their dogs should attain a record. Money prizes of $4, $2 and $1 are offered all through, together with several specials. Open classes only are provided, and for the following breeds: Mastiffs, Great Danes, Greyhounds, Beagles, English Setters, Irish Setters, Cockers, other than black, Bull Terriers, Pugs and miscellaneous. The following breeds are favoured with separate classes for the sexes: St. Bernard's (rough or smooth) Foxhounds, Black Cockers, Spaniels, any variety (over 22 lbs.), Fox Terriers, wire, Fox Terriers, smooth, Dachshunds, Collies and Terriers, (any variety not classified.) The entrance fee is but one dollar, and entries positively close Monday, January 10th. The following gentlemen comprise the dog show committee: George Burnham, M.D., Henry Pigeon, M.D., B. R. Poole, V.S., James Head, A. Terrill, E. H. White, C. McCormack, John McKee, C. B. James, B. R. Poole, V.S., Secretary; Bernard R. Poole, V.S., Veterinary Surgeon. Now all the committee need to make them happy are entries, and we feel assured from both correspondence and personal enquiry that these will be forthcoming from both east and west.

Belleville has decided to hold a show on somewhat the same lines the two days following Peterborough's dates, i.e., 21st and 22nd. The dogs will be benched in the Armory and any funds accruing will go to aid the Belleville Hospital. We are not sure if the committee have decided to hold the show under C.K.C. rules, in fact at this writing details have not been worked out. Mr. C. Y. Ford has been asked to judge. As dogs can be sent direct from Peterborough to Belleville the entry for both shows should be increased.

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 129 Water Street.

THE MURRAY STREET SEPARATE SCHOOL.

REARRANGEMENT OF CLASSES FOR THE NEXT TERM.

Standing of the Pupils—The Result of Their Work During the Past Term—The Percentages Taken —Increased Staff of Teachers.

The following list presents the classes as they are to be conducted after New Year's, owing to the increased staff of teachers.

The results of the pupils' work during the term is also indicated by the stand taken by the individual pupils as shown below. Pupils classed as "excellent" have taken over 66 2-3 per cent. of the marks obtainable, while those marked "good" have taken over 50 per cent. The names are in the order of merit.

FORM V—SENIOR IV.

Excellent—J Dolan, H Sullivan, F McDonald, D Kane, John Mulligan, P O'Toole, Joe Mulligan, F Harley.

Good—C McDonnell, F Conroy, J O'Connell, A Delaire, T McGrath, G Pope, E Doherty.

JUNIOR IV.

Excellent—J Henry, S Giroux, F Flaherty, W McCormack, G Coughlin, E Fitzgerald, J Clancy.

Good—E Ferguson, L White, H Overend, J O'Brien, H Galvin.

Fair—J Primeau, B Vinette, B Phalen, F McDonnell.

FORM IV—SR III.

Excellent—Thos McManus, Jas Callaghan, Leo D'Russia, Jos. Heffernan, Victor Sullivan, Willie O'Toole, Willie O'Brien.

Good—Fred Pope, Wm Kelly, John Kearns, Patrick Flaherty, Jos Laronde.

Fair—Mattie J Kearns, John Heffernan, Willie Jayes.

FORM IV.—JR. III.

Excellent—Lionel Brennan, Albin Quinlan, Frank Hourigan, Frank O'Connor, Frank Fountain.

Good—Willie Judge, Joseph Gilman, Boniface Augleeye, Oscar Hallihan, Thomas Kelly, Charles Sullivan, Joseph White, Michael Jeffers, Herbert Fitzgerald, Raymond Mahoney.

Fair—Thomas Fitzgerald, Frank Hupple, Thomas Jeffers, Julius Woelke.

FORM III—SR. II.

Excellent—O Lalonde, C Primeau, V Sullivan, M O'Brien, K Overend.

Good—Harry Hayes, J Fitzgerald, Fred Clancy, L O'Riley, Fred Sharpe, R Sullivan, Fred Hickey.

Fair—Harbie Hickey, J Ferguson, E Redmond, Leo Sullivan, Leo Fountaine.

FORM III—JR. II.

Excellent—H Clancy, Fred Fraser, B Hayes, Leo Dancon, Jno Brady.

Good—D Conroy, G Kearns, Fred Delaire.

Fair—Ed. White, D Conroy.

FORM III—SR PT. II.

Excellent—W Heffernan, G Beauvais, T McIntee, H Fraser, L Vinette, Joe Devlin, J Costello, E Coughlin, E Kane, D Lalonde.

Good—M Brennan, E O'Donnell, O Giroux, O Storts, L Giroux, H Quinlan, Ferg Crough, Tom Connors.

Fair—Joe Lazer, R Halpin, J Miniccio, H Barrie.

FORM II.—JUN. PT. II.

Excellent—Geo Heffernan, D Vinette, H J Burns, F Spratt, F Conroy, L Diany, C Kane.

Good—R Lynch, L Primeau, T Riley, T Mercier, V Clancy, G McFadden, T Meade, S O'Toole, W Clancy, R Galvin, W Cahill.

Fair—H Heffernan, A Morency.

FORM II.—SR. PT. I.

Excellent—E Lefave, F Kearns, Tom Collins, A Sharpe, J Fihlan, J O'Toole, S Cadigan, Cyril Giroux, E Downey, J Vinette, O Woelke.

Good—J Hogan, E Barrie, J McManous, B Whaley, E White, A Fontaine, C Kylie, J Mercier.

FORM I—JR PART I.

Class A—Excellent—F Guerin, J O'Shea, J Hobbins, Leo Hogan, J Lalonde, Joe Primeau, G Brennen, L Lazer, J Murphy, L Shanahan, Frank O'Shea, Louis Dalgle, P White, C Clancy.

Good—J Blodgett, A Arsenault, D Quinlin, E Wall, T Sharpe, C Scarborough.

Fair—A Legree, A Decori, Roy Cavanagh, Geo Gonyou, G Blodgett, F Fraser.

Class B—Excellent—John Mahoney, T Kane, J Morris, Jos Kane, B Halpin, V Hourigan, F Sullivan, H Clancy, F Fitzgerald, Harold Hickey, John Hickey.

Good—J McIntee, P Galvin, Chas Conroy, V Crough, W Collins.

Fair—A Beauvais.

Class C—Excellent—P Anthony, J Huard, Jos Allen.

Good—O King, Freddie Collins, George Thibeault.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.....15° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	28°	23°

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PERSONAL.

Mr. Percy Roper is home for Christmas.

Mr. Will J. Thompson spent the holiday in Lindsay.

Mr. A. H. Lahane is in Rochester, on a visit to his mother.

Mr. J. W. T. Fairweather came down from Toronto for Christmas.

Mr. Will. Wilgar went to Toronto to spend Christmas with his parents.

Mr. Geo. Phillips, Toronto, spent Christmas with his mother in Ashburnham.

Mr. Ed. Lackie, formerly of town, was down from Toronto for Christmas.

Mr. J. Herbert Hall is spending Christmas week in Montreal with his sister.

Miss Mamie Mahoney is home from Lindsay Convent for the Xmas holidays.

Mr. Ozias Leplante is home from Osgoode Hall, Toronto, for Christmas.

Mr. D. Donoghue, of Gananoque, spent Christmas with his family, Simcoe street.

Mr. P. J. Kelly, of Ottawa University, is holidaying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Kelly.

Mr. John Ball, of Ottawa University, is spending his vacation with his parents, Park street.

Mr. Geo. Edmison, who is now in business in Woodstock, was home to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Joy, of Ashburnham, returned home to-day from Toronto, where they spent Xmas.

Miss Bella Morgan, of Toronto, is spending the Xmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Morgan, Ashburnham.

Mr. O. O'Boyle of Lindsay, who is attending the Peterborough Business College, was home for Christmas.

Mr. M. B. Kelly and wife, and Mr. Jas. Kelly, of Buffalo, N.Y., are visiting their father, Mr. John Kelly, Rubidge street.

Mr. Rob. Williamson, of Lehigh University, formerly of the Canadian General Electric Works, is visiting friends in town.

Misses Edna and Winnie Macfarlane, Homewood Avenue, leave this evening for Millbrook, where they will visit Miss Edna Givlus.

Mr. W. J. Drope, of Grimsby, formerly of the Collegiate Institute staff, is spending a few days at the residence of Mr. D. H. Buptite.

Mr. Councillor Graham, who has spent the summer in Port Hope, is home for the holidays and will return to the lakeside village after New Year's.

Dr. Greer has been confined to his room for some days. We are glad to say, however, that his condition is not serious and that he is improving.

Messrs. J. F. Tucker, Alf. Roper, A. R. Turner, A. E. Thompson, and Chas. Tucker, the Peterborough colony in Montreal, arrived on Friday, for the holidays.

Mr. F. D. McKay, of the Review, has been called to Toronto through the sudden death of his brother. The funeral will take place in Belleville, where the remains were conveyed to-day.

The many friends in town of Mr. C. H. Allison, formerly of the staff of the EXAMINER, will be pleased to learn that he is like all Canadian boys in the United States, taking a front rank. He has enjoyed promotion after promotion and has now become a "railway magnate," being secretary and a director of the Saltville and Mendota Railway, of Virginia. Congratulations, Charlie.

Mr. Rundle, formerly book-keeper at the Canadian General Electric Works, and who went to Montreal about a year ago to fill a similar position with the Royal Electric Company, was brought home from the Gravenhurst Sanatorium on Christmas night. Mr. Rundle had contracted a serious illness some months ago and was compelled to resign his position in Montreal and go to the Sanatorium, where he has been for some weeks. Not improving there, he sent a request to be brought home to Peterborough. Court Langton, Canadian Order of Foresters, of which Mr. Rundle had been a valuable member, in response to the telegram, delegated Mr. W. H. Isaacs, secretary of the Lodge, to bring him home, who accompanied by Mrs. Rundle left for that place on Thursday, and brought Mr. Rundle to his home on Park street.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Wm. Bothwell, in Cavan on Sunday Night.

The demise of Mary Jane Madill, wife of William Bothwell, occurred Sunday night at twelve o'clock at the family residence, lot 23, con. 9, Cavan. The deceased has been suffering from the effects of an attack of paralysis for the last fifteen months, during which time she has been a great but patient sufferer. She leaves five children, viz: Berthe A., William W., Robert H., John L., and Joseph T., the eldest being seventeen years of age.

The funeral will take place Tuesday from the family residence to the Fraserville cemetery, the ceremony being conducted by Rev. T. McKee, of Fraserville.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Reference to the special Christmas music in the churches will be made in to-morrow's issue of the EXAMINER.

Thanks.

The employees of the C. P. R., at Peterborough, desire to express to the ladies of the Women's Christian Temperance Union their full appreciation of their annual kind remembrance of them on Christmas.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Handsomely Remembered.

On Christmas day, Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, the popular incumbent of All Saints church was waited upon on behalf of the members of the congregation and presented with a splendid pair of Persian Lamb gauntlets. Rev. Mr. Armitage feels extremely grateful at such a thoughtful way of "strengthening his hands"—warming at the same time his hands and his heart.

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For pain in the back, sides or chest, a little "Quickcure" spread on a piece of linnen or cotton, and applied to the sore spot will remove the pain and inflammation at once. 50c. and $1.00 size "Quickcure" pots hold three and nine times trial size. Only a little is required.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 22, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

MAYORALTY ELECTION FOR 1898.

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In again offering myself as a candidate for the important and honourable position of Mayor of Peterborough, I have first to thank you for having twice returned me at the head of the poll. You are doubtless aware that, up to a very recent date, no one could be found to oppose my re-election, and while my opponent is a gentleman for whom I have the highest respect, it must be apparent that the auspices under which he is brought out, indicates that his election is sought for the purpose of serving the selfish aims of his principal supporters and as a reward also for what he has already done—for it was through him the Auburn Power Company, represented by Messrs. Meldrum and Kendry, obtained the remission of $400 00 a year for rent of poles, although, but a few months previously, a a bylaw had been solemnly passed imposing such rental. This course means a loss to the town of $2,000 00, and, if followed by a similar remission to the Light & Power Company, which would be no more than just, a further loss of $2,800 00 will ensue. I submit that, however honestly intentioned Mr. Davis may be his business connections are such, both as an insurance agent and a director of a real estate company, which has very extensive interests in the town, it is impossible for him to occupy the Mayor's chair impartially. The course Mr. Davis pursued in the case of Moncrief against the town, when he strongly opposed The Toronto Loan and Savings Company being made parties to the action, may be fairly taken as an evidence of his probable course under similar circumstances, had he prevailed in that instance the town would have been unable to make the favourable settlement which was effected.

It is clear that Mr. Davis considers himself a special protector of the capitalists of the town, and when action was proposed to compel the Street Railway Co. to carry out the extension agreed upon, Mr. Davis plainly stated it as his opinion that men who had invested their capital in the town should not be interfered with. It is evident, therefore, that the workingmen will have to look out for themselves.

It is nothing new for a policy of progress to be advocated; there is no citizen who is not most anxious for the welfare of the town, and I have never failed to heartily co-operate in every scheme of its advancement. I fail to see that the fact of Mr. Davis "being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers and feeling that he can look after their interests," is a qualification for the mayoralty. It is true that Mr. Davis, in a published interview, insinuates that he and he only is capable of "originating" a scheme for bettering the town's condition, but during the year he has served in the Council, when he had equal opportunity for the display of his ability, he failed to propose any measure in the direction indicated.

In conclusion I have to say that I am entirely untrammeled by business or other connections, and am so situated that my whole time is at the service of my fellow-citizens, to whom I cheerfully leave the issue.

I have the honour to be, ladies and gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

WM. YELLAND,

December 23rd, 1897.

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RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

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Egg Coal	$5.00 to $5.50 per ton
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He Was Ill—But Now is Well.

Mr. T. Sarchet, the well-known tailor, Court House Ave., Brockville, Ont., got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills sometime ago. He did this because he had been seriously troubled for over a year with pains in his

back across the kidneys, together with headache, dizziness, tired feeling and a general sensation of weariness and lack of ambition.

Referring to the result of the use of these pills, Mr. Sarchet says, "I can tell you that the pains in my back while sitting at work, made it almost impossible for me to keep on. I took a great many remedies, but they did me little or no good.

"When I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I had but little faith in them. Now I have the greatest faith in them, because I believe them to be the greatest specific in existence for all kidney and back troubles.

"I say this because they have completely cured me, and I say it out of gratitude, and so that others who suffer in a similar manner may derive like benefit from a knowledge of the virtues of these pills.

"I can recommend them highly to any sufferer from kidney or back troubles, and feel that if they are given a fair trial no case, however severe, can resist their medicinal effects. 292

Laxa-Liver Pills Cure Biliousness and Sick Headache.

GAG, WHIP AND DUNGEON.

Cruel Punishment Said to Have Been Resorted to in a Hospital.

New York, Dec. 24.—The Herald to-day prints detailed testimony and evidence tending to show that the gag, the whip, dark cells and bread and water diet and other forms of punishment long since discarded in humanitarian and charitable institutions generally have been in use in the Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy at Inwood, a home for girls. This evidence has resulted in the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus by Justice Smyth, directing that Fannie Hirschberg, one of the inmates, be produced in court to-day.

There are now in the House of Mercy and St. Agnes' Home, adjoining, about one hundred and fifty girls, most of whom are committed to the care of the Sisters of St. Mary by city magistrates at the request of parents or agents of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. In age they range from 12 to 21, and some, it is said, are even older. These commitments were made, in most instances, because the girls were wild or untractable, and it was thought they were not old or hardened enough to deserve imprisonment in the workhouse.

THEIR FAME WORLD WIDE.

Health, Strength, Happiness Mark Where Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Been Used.

Glencoe, Dec. 20.—From city to city town to town, village to village and over the broad fields of the Dominion, the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills, the medical marvel of the century, the only infallible cure on earth for *Bright's Disease*, Diabetes, Lame Back, and all other kidney diseases, is spreading.

London reported two wonderful cures by means of Dodd's Kidney Pills, within two weeks. Glencoe has a case quite as startling.

W. J. Nugent suffered for years with Kidney Disease and Piles. Doctors couldn't help him. Every remedy he tried failed till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A few boxes cured him.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are a unfailing cure for all diseases caused by impaired kidneys and impure blood.

Probable Enough.

"The feelings of woman are far deeper and finer than those of man," cried the lady orator in a fiery tone. "We are told by those who style themselves the stronger sex that we are much inferior. Is that so?"

A loud chorus of "No!" from the ladies greeted this question, and the orator went on:

"I say that woman feels where man thinks"—

"Is that the reason your husband is bald?" inquired one of the few male members of the audience.

It was lucky for him that he got two seconds' start in the race for the door.—Pearson's Weekly.

Costs of a Great War.

According to recent French statistics, France lost 136,000 men by death through wounds, sickness or accidents in her war with Germany, while 139,-431 men were disabled on the field of battle. Germany's losses were 79,155 dead and 18,543 wounded. The monetary loss is more evenly divided, that for France being 12,666,487,522 francs and that for Germany being 8,000,000,-000 francs.

After Typhoid Fever.

"After I had typhoid fever kidney troubles ensued. I had terrible pains in my back, head and shoulders, and felt tired, drowsy and dragged out and had annoying urinary troubles. I have grown daily better since I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have no pains of any kind, sleep well, feel rested; and the urinary troubles have completely disappeared." J. W. Douglas, Port Hope.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

THE MASSEY WILL.

The Plaintiffs' Claims Involve Some Startling Allegations—The Injunction Continued.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—There is another law suit over the estate of the late Hart A. Massey. The plaintiffs are John H. Hersey, A. L. Massey, Winona G. Massey and Bessie I. Massey. The defendants are the executors of the estate.

The suit is instituted to void the sale of 106 shares of Massey stock, made by the company to Hart A. Massey in January, 1885; also to void the sale of 42 shares made by Hart A. Massey "to himself" in March, 1886, and to have the plaintiffs declared owners of 50 shares which are referred to in a letter written to the official guardian, Mr. John Hoskin, Q.C., by the late Hart Massey.

Chancellor Boyd was asked yesterday morning to continue an injunction restraining the defendants from dealing with these disputed shares and for an order for an account of the dealings between the company and Hart A. Massey. The continuation of the injunction was allowed.

Arthur L. Massey, in his affidavit, says that he has for a long time believed that, after his father's death, the other shareholders of the Massey Company were unfairly treated by his grandfather. He declares "that the company, through its officers, has altered its books to facilitate the plans of the said Hart A. Massey in acquiring the shares of my father's estate, and of other shareholders, by writing off large sums from the accounts, which, after such writing off had served its purpose, were restored, and again treated as assets of the company."

He is also of the opinion that the production of these books will prove that the assets of the company were four or five times greater than represented.

MYERS, THE CENTURY KING.

Kingston's Long-Distance Rider Rode 11,500 Miles Last Summer.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—F. O. Myers, the century king of Kingston, arrived in the city yesterday on a short holiday visit and is looking none the worse for his hard season's campaign. He is a healthy-appearing, vigorous specimen of athletic manhood, scaling at about 150 pounds, and increased slightly in avoirdupois,

F. O. MYERS.

notwithstanding his long ride of 11,500 miles from May to October, averaging 100 miles a day. He rode 90 centuries in as many days from Aug. 2 to Oct. 31. He holds the record for America for accumulative centuries, besides these marks for fast long distance riding:—

200 miles in 12 hours 29 minutes.
100 miles in 5 hours 2 minutes.
50 miles in 2 hours 7 minutes.
25 miles in 1 hour 3 minutes.

Myers is satisfied that the course from Kingston to Belleville, over which he made almost all his centuries, is the surest in the country, although the road from Chatham to Leamington may be the fastest. He is going into the game again next year.

Seizure of Kiao-Chou Bay.

San Francisco, Dec. 24.—The following Oriental advices have just been received per steamship China from Yokohama via Honolulu:—

At an extraordinary meeting of the Japanese Cabinet, Baron Nishi, Foreign Minister, laid before the Ministers all the reports he had received from the Japanese Ministers in foreign countries relative to the seizure of Kiao-Chou by Germany. It was decided after a prolonged discussion not to meddle with the affair at the present time, but to await further developments, since nothing had so far transpired in Germany's action calculated to disturb the peace of the far East and justify the interference of a third power.

According to Chinese papers Viceroy Chang Chitkung has issued a proclamation, exhorting his people to be more friendly to foreigners, and warning them that any hostility manifested would be severely punished.

Can Work all the Time.

"My daughter was suffering with catarrh of the stomach, and tried many different prescriptions without benefit. Finally she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it helped her at once. She has taken fifteen bottles and is now able to work all the time. We prize Hood's Sarsaparilla very highly." ANNA MERRILL, Eaton, Que.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills, 25 cents.

Gertie Smith Drowned.

Kingston, Dec. 23.—Yesterday three children of Edward Smith, of Selby's Bay, while returning from school, were crossing the ice on the way home. All three children went through the ice. Two, however, succeeded in getting out, but Gertie, a girl about 14 years of age, was drowned. Her body was recovered by men passing near by.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung," says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont.; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

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For cold in the head use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

SMALL SPECULATORS WARNED.

A Suspicion That Leiter and Armour Will Pool Their Wheat Interests.

Chicago, Dec. 24.—The possibility that Leiter and Armour will pool their interests to corner May wheat is stirring traders on 'Change.

The Post says: George French, operating for the Leiter crowd, has piled up a line of at least four million bushels of May wheat, according to reports from the floor. Armour's radical change of front in bulling May wheat is common knowledge. It is equally well known that Armour has a pyramid of May wheat bought, which is supposed to come close to the Leiter holding.

As if to emphasize the bull talk, both Armour's and Leiter's men bought wheat to-day. Armour's movements are closely veiled, but Leiter's engineers made no secret of their dealings in May wheat. Already that option is regarded as being very dangerous for the public to handle.

Gives Them Two Years.

Albany, N.Y., Dec. 24.—The State Railroad Commission has decided to extend the time for the equipment by the railroads of the State of freight cars with automatic couplers to Dec. 31, 1899. This gives the railroads two additional years in which to comply with the law.

Kidnapper Sentenced.

Albany, N.Y., Dec. 24.—Albert S. Warner, the kidnapper, was sentenced by Judge Chester yesterday to Clinton Prison for a term of 15 years at hard labor. Blake and Hardy, his fellow conspirators, are serving terms of 14 years and six months at the same place for the same crime.

Pardoned for Christmas.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.—Wm. E. Burr, jr., ex-cashier of the St. Louis National Bank, now serving a sentence of five years at the Jefferson City penitentiary for the embezzlement of $20,-000, has been pardoned by President McKinley.

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By order of the Board,

E. R. WOOD,
MANAGER

Toronto, 6th December, 1897.

A GOOD LIST

FOR HOLIDAY GIFT BUYERS.

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—Dressing Jackets.
—Silk Umbrellas, tight rolling, with silk or leather covers.
—White Silk Handkerchiefs.
—White Dress Shirts.
—New Collars and Cuffs.
—White and Coloured Sweaters.
—Hockey Stockings.
—Fancy Velvet and Corduroy Vests.
—Silk Embroidered Suspenders.
—Natural Wool and Fine Scotch Underwear.
—Men's Good Wearing Ulsters from $3.75 up.
—Men's Warm Suits from $3.00 up.
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"I had been troubled for several years with sprain of liver complaint," writes H. N. Dransfield, Esq., of Centennial, Monroe Co., W. Va., "and about two years ago my health gave way. I tried a doctor and got worse all the time. I had a weakness in my left side and limbs, palpitations of the heart, cramping pains in the stomach after eating; nerves were weak and no energy. I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and began to mend from the start. I soon felt like a new person. I am now enjoying good health."

A DESPERATE MURDERER.

Shot the Chief of Police and Other Officers, But Was Captured.

Dubois, Pa., Dec. 24.—Chief of Police Iair and a dozen deputies made an effort this morning to capture Steven Spellan, who brutally murdered Michael Raher last night and then barricaded himself in the house, and opened fire on the officers as soon as he saw them approaching, shooting Chief Blair. Later, he wounded Officers Casey, Butterborough and Almots. The remaining officers pressed forward and forced the door. As they entered Spellan fled, the officers following and firing as they ran. Spellan in desperation halted and returned the fire. The officers fired another volley and the murderer fell wounded with four bullets in his body. The wounded officers will recover.

Fearful Fire in Cleveland.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Fire broke out in the business center of the city yesterday and destroyed property worth more than half a million dollars. The Power Block, on Frankfort street, six stories high, made of brick, was consumed above the second story, and the rear of the brick Wilshire Block, six stories high, and fronting on Superior street, was burned.

A New Railway Project.

Quebec, Dec. 24.—A deputation consisting of Hon. R. R. Dobell, J. G. Scott and others waited on the Local Government yesterday afternoon asking a charter to build a railway from Roberval to St. James' Bay, a distance of 300 miles, through a very rich country of the Lake St. John district. The assistance they ask is a grant of land.

Burns Hanged Himself.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 24.—John J. Burns, who was yesterday sent to prison in default of $3,000 bail for trial on a charge of perjury, committed suicide by hanging in his cell some time during last night.

Not Guilty of Murder.

Elmira, N.Y., Dec. 24.—The jury in the trial of George A. C. Orme yesterday rendered a verdict of not guilty of murder. The defence contended that X-rays killed the victim.

Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED. HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world to-day—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. Y.

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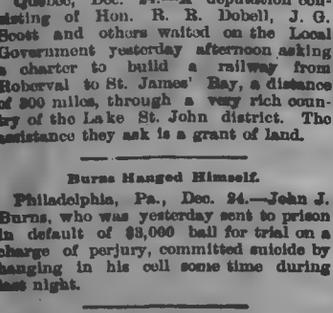

So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this grand old company now for the first time makes this startling offer:—

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Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

The Erie Medical Company's appliance and remedies have been talked about and written about all over the world, till every man has heard of them.

They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy vigor and new life.

They quickly stop drains on the system that sap the energy.

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They give full strength, development and tone to every portion and organ of the body.

Failure is impossible and age is no barrier.

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PERILS OF THE SEA.

Seamen Who Not Only Lost Their Vessel But Had a Battle With Pirates in Brazilian Waters as Well.

New York, Dec. 23.—On board the steamer Hevelius, which arrived to-day from Brazil ports, were Chief Officer Hoopes, Second Mate Bentley and three seamen of the American barque Marion S. Harris of Philadelphia, which went ashore Nov. 16 on a coral reef near Cape St. Rocque and became a total loss. The vessel sailed from New York on Oct. 9, bound for Rio Janeiro, laden with coal oil and lumber. All went well until Nov. 16, lat. 7, long. 32, when the wind became baffling and a heavy rain set in, with a strong set of currents from the northwest at 8.30 p.m. The weather being very thick, the vessel struck a coral reef about six miles off shore, where she remained hard and fast with the sea breaking over her. Capt. Dacey launched the lifeboat and proceeded to Natal in search of assistance. Meanwhile, the vessel was surrounded by a swarm of piratical natives from the coast. The crew with the greatest difficulty managed to keep them from boarding and looting the vessel of her stores and cargo. On the 17th the vessel commenced to break up. Toward night Capt. Dacey returned to the vessel with a lighter, but her crew refused to proceed to salvage the cargo, hoping she would quickly break up. There being no possible hope of saving her, she was abandoned, and the crew took to the boats and landed at Natal on the 22nd, where they were taken care of by the American Consul, who, after eight days, forwarded them to Pernambuco, where they took passage home by the steamer Hevelius. Capt. Dacey remained at Natal in order to attend to the owners' interests.

The Anti-Pelagic Bill.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—A number of New York manufacturers of fur garments and importers of furs called at the Treasury Department and had a conference with Assistant Secretary Howell in regard to the regulations which will be necessary to carry out the provisions of the bill recently passed by Congress, should it receive the approval of the President, prohibiting the importation of what is known as pelagic sealskins. The New York importers who favor the bill asked that every possible precaution be taken by the Department to prevent the bringing into the United States of the proscribed skins. Mr. John W. Foster, who accompanied the delegation, stated that all skins taken on the seal islands were numbered, so that United States consular officials would have little or no difficulty in determining which were contraband skins before issuing their certificate. The department's regulations will be issued as soon as possible after the bill has received the signature of the President.

The Struggle for Durrant's Life.

San Francisco, Dec. 23.—The attorneys for Durrant have filed notice that they will ask for a change of venue from the recent order of sentence by Judge Bains, on the ground that the court is prejudiced. An appeal to the Governor for a commutation of sentence will also be made, on the ground that a review of the co-relation of the Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams cases should be made. Another effort to get the case before the Federal courts will also be made.

Veteran Toronto Merchant Dead.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Mr. Marmaduke Pearson, of 12 Homewood avenue, one of the oldest merchants and best-known citizens in Toronto, died yesterday, after a week's illness, at the age of 82. Over 50 years ago he started the Mammoth House, in partnership with Mr. Thomas Thompson, and subsequently Mr. Pearson went into business at the corner of Yonge and Richmond streets, retiring about 15 years ago.

How To Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the blood. If you are pale and thin, you are poor in strength and nerve power. Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness pallor, and brings rich blood and nerve power.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 23.

FLOUR—The demand is fair, and prices steady. Straight rollers quoted at $3.05 to $3.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was somewhat irregular, with buyers less keen. Sales of red winter were made at 83c, high freights. No. 2 spring on Midland 88c, and goose 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 94c, Fort William, and is sold at 93c, Owen Sound.

BARLEY—The offerings are fair and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c west and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24c west, and at 25c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 45c, north and west, and at 46c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market was dull to-day. Sales were at 42c high freights and at 46c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, with a limited movement; prices rule at 26c to 26½c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 5c to 6½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9½c. Tanners quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece wool off the market. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7¾c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11¼c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9¼c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do. short cut, $15.25 to $15.50; do., shoulder mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 22.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9d to 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, 7s 9½d to 7s 10d; peas, 4s 9d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 23s 9d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 29s 6d; do. light, 28s 6d; do., short cut, 28s 6d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast and on passage easy for white and quiet for red. English country markets firm. Maize on passage rather easier.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 5½d for March, 7s 5¾d for May and 7s 6¼d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for Jan., 3s 1¼d for Feb. and 3s 1¾d for March. Flour 23s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast, buyers at a decline. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Mark Lane—English wheat quiet and steady, foreign wheat dull. Maize dull.

Paris—Close—Wheat easy at 20f 10c for Jan. Flour weak at 61f for Jan. Weather in France cold.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 7s 5½d for March, 7s 5¾d for May and 7s 6¼d for July.

DYING OF A BROKEN HEART.

Mrs. Ballington Booth's Illness Attributed to Alleged Cruel Treatment.

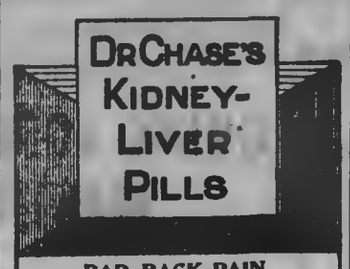
Buffalo, Dec. 24.—A special from New York to an afternoon paper says that a prominent member of the Volunteers of America stated yesterday that Mrs. Ballington Booth is dying of a broken heart, not only figuratively, but literally. The physicians diagnose her illness as a ruptured blood vessel of the heart, but we attribute it to the unjust and cruel treatment she has received from the Salvation Army ever since she and her husband were compelled to leave it.

Enormous Increase of Soo Canal Traffic.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 24.—The year 1897 shows an increase over all previous years of nearly 2,000,000 tons of freight traffic through the United States and Canadian Sault canals, 18,218,400 tons being carried through this year. The number of vessel passages this year shows a decrease of 1,447 from last year, but there was an increase in registered tonnage of 270,500, indicating decided increase in the size of lake vessels. The number of passengers carried through in 1897 was 40,900, an increase of 3,150 over last year.

Newspaper Men Shut Out.

Shanghai, Dec. 22.—The German Admiral commanding Kiao-Chou Bay refuses to admit newspaper men within the German lines. There have been no further developments at Kiao-Chou. All is quiet there.



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Being troubled off and on with pains in my back, caused by Constipation, I tried several kinds of pills I had seen advertised and so put the truth in a nutshell, Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the only Pills that have proved effectual in my case.

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Ask for Dunn's Pure Mustard

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J. C. Bell, of Fordwich, writes:

Will you please send me a dozen Sloan's Indian tonic. I got a supply from your agent a short time ago, also a supply from the London Drug Co., and have sold it all out, so please rush through as soon as possible. I must say your tonic is making some remarkable cures in and around this place. It is now taking the place of B. B. B. and other medicine.

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One what?
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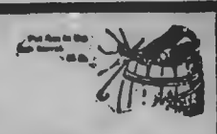

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A few lines were sold out but we are having them replaced at once from our workshops—**The Largest and Finest Stock of Furs in Central Ontario is now at your disposal.** Come and make an early selection.

We Wish All "The People" a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

(Continued from Fourth Page.)

Stratton had brought him out. He wished to say that he had never consulted Mr. Stratton. He

HAD NOT SEEN HIM

about the matter until he was in the field, when he had been greatly discouraged by Mr. Stratton's view of the case. It was also stated that he intended retiring from municipal life, but that Mr. Cox had an axe to grind and wished him to run. This was not so. He had not consulted Mr. Cox, who did not know of the matter until Mr. Kendry mentioned it to him. He had then sent word that he thought the action was very foolish. He was not in the council to represent Mr. Cox, and he had no axe to grind. He was representing himself in the interests of the ratepayers at large. It was further said that he had been brought out by a clique. Well, if the gentlemen who represented the manufacturing and business and all other interests of the town, and the Protestants and Roman Catholics alike, were a clique, then there certainly was a clique behind him. He was running in the interests of all classes in Peterborough. He was trying to conduct the contest in a manner which would be creditable to himself and to Mr. Yelland. He had never said one word in disparagement of the present mayor, and was therefore amazed to see Mr. Yelland issue a circular directed against himself and containing misrepresentations from beginning to end. He considered it a stab in the dark and didn't, heretofore, think that Mr. Yelland, an experienced public man, was capable of such an attitude towards a young man just beginning his municipal life. The circular of Mr. Yelland said that it was through him (Mr. Davis) that the Auburn Power Company had been relieved of taxation on its poles.

THIS WAS NOT SO.

Mr. Robertson had proposed the motion, and he, with the majority, had stood out for it. The statement regarding his connection with the Monorief case in the interests of the Toronto Savings and Loan Co., was false. The matter was brought before the Legal Committee, of which he (Mr. Davis) was a member, and it was decided to fight the claim. Judge Weller had put the company and Albert E. Dixon out of the case, and put the costs on the town. The matter then came before the council and he (Mr. Davis) didn't approve of the appeal. The case the went to Toronto and Judge Armour suggested making the Toronto Savings and Loan Co. a party to the suit. It was not until then that he raised his voice. He did it to keep the town out of costly litigation. Being interested in the company he knew that the case would be carried to the highest court in the land before it would be dropped. It was not the small sum that was involved in Peterborough but the precedent which would be set. Having this knowledge he opposed the action. The solicitor of the company also objected to the appeal being brought into court a second time after being thrown out by Judge Weller. The Legal Committee, on considering the matter, came to perceive that there was weight in his (Mr. Davis') protest, and they arranged a compromise with the company. The circular of Mr. Yelland was also intended to convey the impression that he had said that the men who had invested capital in the town should not be interfered with. This was false. In reply to another statement of Mr. Yelland, "that the working man would have to look out for themselves," Mr. Davis said that he voted to give the labouring man $1.25 per day for nine hours work. The policy of the town, however, should be to conserve the interests of capital which is invested in the town, so that establishments represented by such investment should be protected and helped in the interest of the labouring man. He had the honour of being chairman of the Charity Board during the year, and from the names of the members

ALL WOULD UNDERSTAND

that the affairs we equitably administered. There had been a saving of several hundred dollars over last year, but this was neither here nor there, as if there had been a larger expenditure it would have been because the poor of the town needed it.

He was charged in Mr. Yelland's circular with being an insurance man, but this fact did not give him the power to raise or lower rates. An association made the rates for all towns, and the agents applied them as directed. For the expense of a small sum of money Peterborough could be placed in Class A, and a saving of about $3,000 a year would then be secured for the citizens. He advocated such a move. When there was a chance of getting the Rubber Company to come to Peterborough he had spent a great deal of time and was willing to take stock in the concern, and if it had not been for an order in Court, the Company would have come here, expending $25,000 for buildings and $35,000 for machinery, the greater part of which would have been spent with the William Hamilton Manufacturing Co. and the Canadian General Electric Works. If he had made money in the town, he was willing to risk it. He had put money in the Canadian General Electric Co. when it changed hands. He had put $2,000 in the Carbon Company and lost it was also interested in the Lock Works. His interests were those of the property owners and manufacturers, and if the town went back no one would suffer more than himself, therefore it was to his own advantage to do his best to advance the town's prosperity. If elected, as he believed he was going to be, he would feel that it was because he had the confidence of the ratepayers of the town in seeking to advance its interests.

Mr. Yelland in rising to reply, stated that Mr. Davis had out of his own mouth convicted himself of working in his own interests in the council.

HE HAD ACKNOWLEDGED

having $2,000 invested in the Lock Works and this was one of the concerns wanting electricity for power from the Auburn Company. If there was no tax on the poles the Lock Works would get cheaper power. Mr. Davis was therefore voting for his own interests.

Mr. Davis stated that it was in the Carbon Company that he had $2,000 invested, although was interested in the Lock works also.

Mr. Yelland—"He put a piece in the paper saying that he hadn't time to attend to municipal duties, but Mr. Cox was down at Mr. Stratton's nomination on Saturday and on Monday Mr. Davis disclosed himself in the field."

Mr. Davis—"Mr. Cox had nothing to do with it—I deny it emphatically."

Mr. Yelland—"Mr. Kendry says that two years is enough, yet he had four."

Mr. Kendry—"I was not opposed but re-elected by acclamation."

Mr. Yelland—"Mr. Davis has succeeded in business no better than other men and I can prove what I say. He says it is mere occupancy of the chair on my part. This is not so. I watched the interests of the town and stopped him from voting, when his own interests were at stake. He says he would have influence at headquarters. He had forgotten that the Government. has changed, and that if anyone would have an influence at Ottawa it would be myself.

Mr. Kendry—"Do you want to run on that ticket then?"

Mr. Yelland—"No, I don't."

Mr. Kendry—"As a ratepayer, I ask where Mr. Yelland was when the matter of the electric lighting was discussed in council? He was back at the lakes. He shirked his vote on that question. He sits on the fence when any important question comes up. I challenge him as to whether or not he shirked his vote.

Mr. Yelland—I never shirked a vote. During my two years as Mayor I was only absent once.

Mr. Kendry—Weren't you back at the lakes fishing when the electric light matter came up for discussion?

Mr. Yelland—Maybe I was.

The meeting broke up with three cheers and a tiger for Mr. Davis.

No. One Ward.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

William H. White—Proposed by W. H. T Armstrong, seconded by W. Breckenridge.

Noah T. Leplante—Proposed by Angus Williams, seconded by Thos. Corkery.

Chas. B. Robertson—Proposed by John Hayes, seconded by Angus Williams.

Henry Best—Proposed by And. H. Webb, seconded by J. J. Turner.

Harry Evans—Proposed by Walter English, seconded by W. Breckenridge.

William Buller—Proposed by Thos. W. Moore, seconded by J. J. Turner.

Peter Hamilton—Proposed by Thos. W. Moore, seconded by J. J. Turner.

John J. Turner—Proposed by W. Breckenridge, seconded by Thos. W. Moore.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

William B. Bamford—Proposed by W. Menzies, seconded by J. J. Turner.

J. L. Hughes—Proposed by And. H. Webb, seconded by R. McClelland.

No. Two Ward.

COUNCILLORS.

D. Belleghem—Proposed by Macfarlane Wilson, seconded by W. J. Green.

C. W. Sawers—Proposed by T. E. Bradburn, seconded by McF. Wilson.

Andrew McFarlane—Proposed by D. H. Moore, seconded by W. H. Wrighton.

Augustus Gough—Proposed by T. E. Bradburn, seconded by H. Rush.

M. H. Quinlan—Proposed by W. H. Hill, seconded by C. W. Sawers.

T. H. G. Denne—Proposed by R. E. Wood, seconded by T. H. Hamilton.

T. H. Hamilton—Proposed by Ed. Brown, seconded by H. LeBrun.

R. Neil—Proposed by W. H. Hill, seconded by Aaron Cox.

TRUSTEES.

W. H. Hill was elected school trustee by acclammation.

No. 3 Ward.

COUNCILLORS.

Joseph Cobb—Proposed by F. J. Jameson, seconded by A. C. McCallum.

Robt. Weir—Proposed by W. G. Metheral, seconded by G. S. English.

John Sawers—Proposed by Albert Thorndyke, seconded by G. S. English.

J. B. McWilliams—Proposed by B. Shortly, seconded by Adam Hall.

R. Clinkscale—Proposed by B. Shortly, seconded by Albert Thorndyke.

Adam Dawson—Proposed by F. J. Jameson, seconded by R. F. McGregor.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

James Stevenson—Proposed by Adam Hall, seconded by F. J. Jameson.

Andrew McFarlane—Proposed by J. R. Metheral, seconded by Joseph Yelland.

Thos. Hay—Proposed by W. G. Metheral, seconded by Jason Smith.

Mr. Dawson had decided not to be a candidate again but at the earnest solicitions of his friends he allowed himself to be put in nomination. If elected his career will be in the future as in the past but he will be unable to find time to make a personal canvass.

No. 4 Ward.

COUNCILLORS.

Vincent Eastwood—Proposed by W. H. Hill, seconded by D. Breese.

James G. Graham—Proposed by D. Breese, seconded by J. Stinson.

John White—Proposed by Alex Grieve, seconded by T. Lee.

William Hill—Proposed by Thos. Rutherford, seconded by James G. Graham.

William Langford—Proposed by John McCarnie, seconded by James Bogue.

James Bogue—Proposed by Alex Grieve, seconded by Thos. Rutherford.

W. H. Hill—Proposed by R. J. Kidd, seconded by J. J. Hartley.

W. H. Meldrum—Proposed by W. W. Speer, seconded by John Dunkin.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

J. J. Hartley—Proposed by Jas. Kendry, seconded by John White.

Ashburnham.

FOR REEVE.

F. Adams—Proposed by A. Rutherford, seconded by H. Morgan. Elected by acclamation.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

John Smith—Proposed by T. Begley, seconded by R. Maxwell.

A. Rutherford—Proposed by Wm. Scott, seconded by Robt. Sheridan.

J. T. Craig—Proposed by James Fowler, seconded by Allan McCarthy.

W. Johnston—Proposed by A. McCarthy, seconded by — Hoskins.

Robert Pollock—Proposed by Joseph Craig, seconded by John Gilman.

John Weir—Proposed by A. McCarthy, seconded by Joseph Craig.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Robert Sheridan—Proposed by J. Smith, seconded by H. Morgan.

James Fowler—Proposed by J. Telford, seconded by Jos. Craig.

W. Manlece—Proposed by A. Rutherford, seconded by Wm. Scott.

A. McCarthy—Proposed by J. T. Craig, seconded by H. S. Armstrong.

Simon Weir—Proposed by J. T. Craig, seconded by James Telford.

E. A. Peck—Proposed by Henry Morgan, seconded by J. Smith.

Nominations Elsewhere.

DOURO.

Mr. James McCliggott, reeve by acclamation.

Councillors—Ward No. 1—W. J. Bullock and Thos. A. Jory. No. 2—Dennis Maloney by acclamation. No. 3—Jas. Condon by acclamation. No. 4—Robt. Campbell by acclamation.

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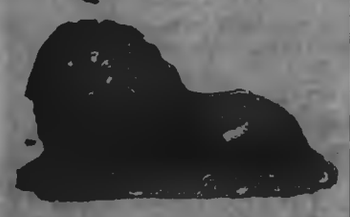

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A POLITICAL FIGHT.

Archbishop Bruchesi so Regards the School Question.

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The Pope's Pronouncement on The Manitoba School Question — The Archbishop of Montreal Hopes Still That the Liberal Majority in Parliament Will Pass a Law of Relief.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—Archbishop Bruchesi, who arrived in New York day before yesterday from Rome, gave an interview to the press referring to his visit to the Pope. After describing his reception Mgr. Bruchesi says: "His Holiness spoke of the school question, which he has since dealt with, and expressed the hope that the press would accept his views. It is not necessary to repeat his words to me. The encyclical gives his ideas. He plainly commends the bishops in their fight against neutral or non-sectarian schools in Manitoba. When Manitoba joined the Confederation, twenty years ago, the Catholics retained the right under the constitution of maintaining their own schools, the taxes levied on Catholics were applied to their schools and the taxes of Protestants went for Protestant schools. Entire harmony prevailed until the passage of the law of 1890, making the schools non-sectarian, and taxing Protestants and Catholics alike for their support. The newspapers have accurately related the history of the six years following. The Catholics established nearly ninety schools in that time. Last year came the settlement of the question by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who made this compromise: One-half hour in each school day is set apart for religious teaching, and the religion that predominates in each school is the religion taught. This caused the bishops to protest, and resulted in the appointment of Mgr. Merry del Val, a prelate of the Vatican, as a Papal delegate to Canada. On his report the Holy Father has based this encyclical, which plainly upholds the bishops and directs the Catholics to insist on our rights. Half an hour of religious services daily does not meet our desires. We wish to blend religion with the secular teaching. It is a political fight rather than a religious one. I am told by a serious man that the act denying us our schools was passed for the purpose of breaking up the harmony that existed among the Conservatives." He said he could not doubt that the Catholics would win, as right would triumph in the end. They wanted nothing but justice and their rights under the constitution. He said also that last year the Catholics in the Province of Quebec had contributed $15,000 to help their Manitoban brethren carry on their new Parochial schools. In the Quebec Legislature there are sixty-five Catholics to eight Protestants. They could turn the tables on the Protestants there in regard to schools, but when asked if there was any possibility of such retaliation his Grace exclaimed: "Oh, no! no! no! If such an impossibility should come to pass that one man should stand up and advocate such a thing the bishops would come forward to prevent it." The Archbishop said that a peculiar thing about the clause in the constitution guaranteeing separate schools for both religions in Manitoba was that it was inserted for the special protection of the Protestants, who were at that time a very small minority in that province, though now, mainly through immigration, they outnumbered the Catholics. His Grace said there was still hope that the Liberal majority in the Canadian Parliament at Ottawa would pass a law which will enable Catholics to again support their own schools and not pay double taxes to support two sets of schools, as they do now. If not, they must bear the burden and support their own schools. The Pope does not say that Protestants must pay for Catholic schools. Mgr. Bruchesi added that when he left Rome he had heard nothing about the appointment of a Papal Nuncio for Canada. He will arrive here on Wednesday and will be tendered a reception at the palace.

SEDITIOUS MATTER.

No New Instructions, But Attention Called to the Existing Law.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The last quarterly supplement to the Canadian Postal Guide contains the following paragraph: (4) Seditious matter.—It is generally understood that printed matter of an indecent or immoral character is not allowed transmission through the mails, but it is considered proper to mention that the law also prohibits the circulation of "seditious" matter or matter tending to excite resistance to lawful authority and established government. In any case of doubt as to the treatment of matter which may appear to be of this character, postmasters should consult the department.

It will thus be seen that the paragraph being circulated in the American press to the effect that new instructions have been issued by the Canadian Government to the postmasters on the matter are utterly unfounded. No new instructions have been issued, only attention has been called to the existing law. It was deemed wiser to authorize the sending of doubtful matters to the department, as it was thought the average postmaster was a better judge of immoral "matter than he would be of seditious."

A NEPHEW'S DEED.

Another Northern Tragedy. Through Which James Rankin Lies Dead—Tongues Set Wagging.

Bracebridge, Dec. 28.—In Stisted on Tuesday, the 21st inst., a boy named Frankum, about 15 years old, shot his uncle, James Rankin. It appears that Rankin was on a private road loading tan bark when his sister, Mrs. Stephens, nee Frankum, drove along the road. Rankin was asked to allow her to pass. He refused to get off the road. A quarrel ensued and Mrs. Stephens sent her boy for a gun. He obeyed and came back with the gun. He pointed it at Rankin and told him to get off the road. Rankin refused and the boy shot him in the leg. Rankin fell in the snow and was taken to his house. On Wednesday he was removed to Huntsville Hospital, where he died Sunday.

An inquest was opened before Coroner Rosco yesterday at 2 p.m., but was adjourned on account of the absence of Crown Attorney Johnson, who was unable to reach Huntsville until the evening.

For about a dozen years back James Rankin had kept the people of the township of Stisted in a state of turmoil, and this tragedy is the outcome. In Division Court trials and at the General Sessions he has long been a prominent figure. On three or four occasions he has caused the arrest on criminal charges of neighbors who had given evidence against him. Young Frankum has been arrested.

COULD NOT SAVE THEM.

Salvation Army Took a Hand With the Convicts in California.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 28.—The Salvation Army has abandoned its Prison Gate Home, in Contra Costa County. The lease of this fine farm of 800 acres will probably be given up, for the task of reforming the ex-convicts has been found too great. The ultimate fate of the movement will be decided by Commander Booth-Tucker, who will reach this city on Jan. 1. The ex-convicts did not seem to appreciate the efforts to rehabilitate them. One stole a horse, wagon and harness belonging to the home, and was sent back to prison for two years; another, while on his way to the home, robbed a house, and the penitentiary was again made his dwelling place.

Arrested After Thirteen Years.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 28.—Yesterday Wm. Schweiser, now 45 years of age, was arrested by two officers as he was coming out of the Klondike Cafe, No. 45 Miami avenue, this city. Schweiser is one of the three men who escaped from the jail in Sandwich, Ont., in August, 1884, when Jailor Leach was killed. He was born in Detroit and lived here until charged with burglary and confined in the Sandwich jail. What will be done with Schweiser is not exactly known, but if he can be taken to Canada and charged with complicity in the murder of Jailor Leach, it will probably be done.

Meeting of Canadian Prison Wardens.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The wardens of the Dominion penitentiaries will meet in this city about January 7th, which will be attended by every official in charge of these institutions in Canada, and will be the first ever held. Many matters of importance will be discussed, including the best methods to be pursued in order to induce the convicts to lead more useful lives during their confinement so that when they leave the penitentiaries their conduct will not be an injury to society.

Lumbermen Killed in the Woods.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—Christmas did not bring happiness, but grief, to the home of Napoleon Millette, of this city. Millette left here some weeks ago to work in the timber limits of the E. B. Eddy Company above Mattawa. While engaged in felling a tree the tree fell in an opposite direction to that intended, and Millette was pinned beneath it. His head was crushed to a jelly. The body was brought home yesterday. Millette had a wife and two children.

LETTER OF THE POPE

Advises Catholics to Accept the Concessions Made.

DUTY OF THE BISHOPS STATED

A Reliable and Intelligent Cabled Summary of the Document—The Rule of Moderation, Love and Brotherly Kindness Commended—Message Breathes the Spirit of the Age.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The encyclical of His Holiness, the Pope, in reference to education in Manitoba was not published in Rome until Saturday, so that the summary cabled by the Associated Press on Friday was a forecast rather than a condensation of what was actually known. The following, however, is a reliable and intelligent cabled summary of the document: After speaking in praise of Canada and of the Bishops it treats of the law of 1890, and condemns what was then done. It lays down principles of Catholic education and speaks of the rights of parents. The bishops are praised for resisting the law of 1890. The Pope recognizes the fact that something was done to remedy the law of 1890, and says that the Manitoba Government were inspired with a love of justice and praiseworthy intention in the decisions they arrived at. He says that the law made to remedy the evil is defective, imperfect and insufficient. The Catholics demand, and have the right to demand, much more, as the arrangements made may fall of effect owing to local circumstances. Enough had not been done in Manitoba for Catholic education. The bishops must aim at having justice done and must pursue the object with zeal and prudence. There must not be discord, yet as the object does not impose a line of conduct determinate and conclusive, but, on the contrary, admits of several, as is usual in such matters, it follows that there may be, on the lines to be followed, a certain number of opinions equally good and acceptable. Let none then lose sight of this rule of moderation, gentleness and brotherly love. Let none forget the respect due to his neighbor, but let all weigh the circumstances, determine what is best to be done, and do it in agreement and not without consultation with the bishops. As regards particularly the Catholics of Manitoba, the Pope expresses his confidence that, God helping, they will win and obtain full satisfaction. This confidence is founded above all on the goodness of their cause, next on the justice and wisdom of those who govern, and lastly on the good-will of all Canadians. In the meantime and until they succeed in their claims let them not refuse partial satisfaction. Especially wherever the law or circumstances, or good disposition of the people, offer some means of lessening the evil and warding off more danger, it is absolutely expedient and advantageous that they should make use of them and derive from them all possible benefit. Wherever, on the contrary, there is no other remedy, Catholics are exhorted to liberality. The Pope speaks of the necessity of highly-trained teachers for Catholic schools, and finally warns the press to be decorous and not personal. It is to be noticed that in this document Leo XIII. breathes the spirit of the age and enjoins an observance of constitutional usage which is characteristic of his enlightened policy. He practically condemns the dictatorial attitude of the majority of the bishops in Quebec and takes the more liberal view that Catholics are free to choose and to act. There does not appear to be a single word in the encyclical against the Public schools of Canada, and in proof that His Holiness considers Federal intervention at an end there is not a word from which to infer that the Catholics are to look to Ottawa to obtain that full measure of justice which it may be contended was not accomplished by the concessions of the settlement.

VICTORIAN ERA BALL.

A Magnificent Historical Spectacle at the Toronto Armories To-Night.

Toronto, Dec. 28.—Everything is now ready for the great Victorian Era Ball, which takes place to-night. The Armories have undergone a wonderful transformation. The great hall has been divided in two. The west end of the building, where the ball will be held, is now a ball room such as Toronto has never before seen. A dancing floor has been laid and around it and running back a great dais has been erected, covered with gorgeous colored bunting. Above that again are the galleries draped and decorated with bunting, flags, pillars with shields and evergreens. At the north side a stage has been erected similarly decorated. The whole is brilliantly lighted with hundreds of electric lights, making a most gorgeous scene. The other half of the building is reserved for the supper and dining room. Every precaution has been taken to prevent crushing and crowding. The floor cost $1,000, and the cost of the ball, outside of personal expenditures, will be in the neighborhood of $15,000.

There will be six groups of dancers, clad in appropriate costumes, representative of as many periods in Her Majesty's reign, and the historic spectacle will surpass anything for magnificence ever seen in Canada.

Toronto Man Pushed His Business.

Winnipeg, Dec. 28.—C. J. Mitchell, a manufacturer's agent of Toronto, is returning from a trip to Hong Kong, where he succeeded in materially extending his business. He finds the people in the far East anxious to trade with Britain and her colonies, but the competition of the other nations is very strong.

Farmer Burned Out in Romney.

Wheatley, Ont., Dec. 28.—The house and contents belonging to Joseph Pinch, 5th concession Romney, a few miles from this place, was totally destroyed by fire about noon yesterday. Cause of fire unknown. Loss between $700 and $800. No insurance.

Local Option Repealed.

Parry Sound, Ont., Dec. 28.—(Special.)—A by-law voted on here Friday to repeal local option was carried by a majority of 98.

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—Now Relieved.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—"I have had a good opportunity of noting the great medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My wife has been a sufferer from catarrh for the past four years, and the disease had gone so far that the bones of the nose had become affected and particles had come away through an opening in the left side. Her eyesight was also affected to the extent that for nearly a year she was unable to read for more than five minutes at a time. She suffered

Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURSMER.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1897.

A FORMIDABLE MINISTRY.

Toronto Star.

The cares of the Premiership have not robbed Mr. Hardy's hand of its cunning; he has laid down at this final session of the Assembly a strong, solid platform upon which to make the fight for return to power.

First, the Ministry congratulated Ontario upon the improvement in the times, and the prospect of abundant prosperity.

Then came the recital of the Mowat Cabinet's long and clean record.

Next there was a defence of the present Government's record, in which many charges were explained away to the eminent satisfaction of its followers, and which put the Opposition pretty much, with the country, where it was before Mr. Whitney's promising tour.

Then the Government proceeded to lay its platform for the fray.

A bill to prevent gambling at fairs was introduced—a necessary and beneficent measure.

Then came another beneficial bill, the measure to stamp out the San Jose scale.

The steps to be taken to preserve and renew the forests constitute another praiseworthy act.

Then came the budget speech, with the profits of Ontario's business for the year and the surplus.

Then the desirable changes in the mining law.

And, finally, a strong, patriotic timber policy, sure to become popular with the people, especially in Western Ontario.

Unquestionably the Liberals may go home happy for their Christmas holidays. The Cabinet has made a strong bid for a renewal of the people's confidence. Mr. Whitney and his supporters have a big task on hand, to assail and defeat a government so well entrenched and with so many beneficial measures proposed on the eve of the campaign.

THE attacks made on our educational system in many quarters are, says the Ottawa Free Press, it is to be feared, justified to some extent. The Public Accounts recently issued show in black and white so clearly that a boy who knows the four rules of arithmetic could figure them up that the Provincial Government has a surplus of assets of $5,258,324. Mr. Matheson is so much at sea in the use of figures that he makes out a deficit of $9,000,000. Put him on the dunce's block.

OTONABEE.

Council Meeting.

The treasurer presented a financial statement from the 15th Dec., 1896, to the 15th Dec., 1897, which was signed by the reeve and treasurer, and 100 copies ordered to be printed for distribution to the electors.

On motion Mrs Soucie was allowed a rebate of $1.74 on her 1897 taxes for error in assessment and Lewis Glover $1.50, his 1897 statute labour tax, the Otonabee Agricultural Society, $4.62, the taxes for the field leased by it for a driving track.

The following communications were received: From J Coyle Brown, I P S, re payment of cost of arbitration of School Sections 2 and 6, Asphodel and Otonabee. On motion the matter will be disposed of at the next meeting. From J B Laing, Provincial Municipal Auditor, re cash books for use of municipal treasurer, being prepared by Brown Bros., Toronto; the clerk was instructed to send for the books.

The council has been for some time desirous of taking the assessment during the summer months instead of winter as at present, as no assessor can rightly judge the value of farm land when covered with snow, and as county councils have power to pass a bylaw as provided by 55 Vic. C 48,§64 giving townships, formed of villages authority to assess them with the land of adjoining township and the 1st Tuesday in September and the 1st Tuesday in October. The council appointed the reeve to petition the county council to pass the necessary bylaw to enable this township to assess within those dates.

Messrs. Johnston and Dyell were authorized to purchase from John Johnston, for a gravel pit, half an acre of the east half of lot 14, con. 16, cost not to exceed $100.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—Dr. Pullyblank, inspecting and ordering to be slaughtered a cow affected with lump jaw, $5 00; Robert Esson, wire for snow fence, $4 00; John Deyell, timber for Emmerson's bridge, $1.84; Richard Hope, culverts, $27.94; Joseph Eaton, making rods for Stewart's bridge, $1.25; John Dinsdale, health inspector, $4.15; Patrick McMartin, cedar, $4 48; Charles Curtis, plank, tiles and gravel for roads, $8.75; W. F. Graham, gravel, $7.50; R. English, nails for culverts and sidewalks, $5.00; provisions for Jas. Metcalf, $18 00; John Anderson, gravel, $1 44; Wm. Anderson, cedar for culvert on 6th line, $44.00; Peterborough Hardware Co., iron and nails for bridge, $4.93; A. McDonald, cedar for culverts, $9; R. J. H. Short, gravel, $4 62; T. J. Johnston, sessional allowance $22, road commissioner $12; John Lancaster, sessional allowance $22, road commissioner $12; John Deyell, sessional allowance $22, road commissioner $12; A. Weir, sessional allowance $22, road allowance $12; J. Grady, sessional allowance $22, road commissioner, $12.

LEITER IS AFTER GOLD.

With Other Millionaires and the Duke of Teck He Will Go on a Hunt for the Yellow Metal.

Buffalo, Dec. 28.—A special from Chicago says: Levi Z. Leiter is out for gold as well as wheat, and on a scale that is likely to eclipse any previous operations in the Northwest Territory. It was announced yesterday that Mr. Leiter, John W. MacKay, Ogden Mills and the Duke of Teck were associated for the purpose of hunting for gold. Mr. Leiter admitted that the report was true. He said he was not familiar with the details, but that operations would be conducted on a large scale, and on valuable concessions in the Northwest Territory, secured by H. Maitland Kersey, former agent of the White Star Steamship Line, who was familiar with the country and had had experience in mining. He also said that there were others interested in the plan, some of whom were of high standing and great influence in England.

The details have been left entirely to Mr. Kersey, who has had the properties in question in his eye for some time.

"I believe," said Mr. Leiter, "he has had excellent opportunities for satisfying himself as to their values, and I should judge from what he said to me that they are promising. He is about to leave for England for the purpose of completing some business arrangements pushing his plans, and upon his return he will carry them into effect with as little delay as possible.

"As to the amount of money to be invested, I cannot say, nor how much I shall put into the venture. However, I think there will be no scarcity of funds for carrying out whatever projects Mr. Kersey may consider advisable.

"I have much confidence in his estimates. It may be possible that future developments will indicate the wisdom of extending the field of operations, but, as I understand it now, nothing but mining is under consideration."

NEW NORMAL SCHOOL

Will be Built in London at a Cost of $100,000.

London, Ont., Dec. 28.—Mr. Thomas S. Hobbs, M.P.P., says that the plans for the new Normal school for the city of London have been approved by the Ontario Government. Just where the school will be located has not yet been made public, but the fact that the $7,500 grant made by the Government was not found to be large enough would indicate that a central and convenient site would be chosen.

The school will be an imposing affair of brown stone and buff pressed brick. It will cost at least $75,000, and the land and furnishings will bring the total cost to nearly $100,000. The building will have a frontage of 150 feet and will be nearly square.

It will probably be built during the coming summer.

Dropped Dead at the Nominations.

Toronto Junction, Dec. 28.—Just at the close of the nominations in the Town Hall yesterday morning a sad fatality occurred, which sent a gloom over those assembled for the purpose of nominating candidates for municipal honors, in the sudden death of Councillor John Linton, who dropped dead just after seconding the nomination of J. C. Smith for Ward Four. Although Mr. Linton looked strong and hearty, he was troubled considerably with his heart and was warned by his physician to avoid excitement. Deceased has been clerk for the Eighth Division Court of York for about fifteen years and was born near Claremont, in York county, and was in his fifty-fifth year.

Orange Procession Prohibited.

Halifax, Dec 28.—Sir Herbert Murray, Governor of Newfoundland, has issued a proclamation forbidding an Orange procession projected for next Sunday, because in 1883, the last time an Orange parade took place, a riot ensued in which several men were killed.

An Irish Parliamentary Fund.

Toronto, Dec. 28.—Hon. Edward Blake, as treasurer of the Canadian Irish Parliamentary Fund for 1896, acknowledges the receipt of $7,093.95 in response to his appeal.

Dr. Chase's Cures Catarrh After Operation Fail.

My boy, aged fourteen, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

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AN OLD DISPUTE SETTLED.

The Dominion of Canada and the Province of British Columbia Agree on the Control of Lands.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—The agreement arrived at between the Government of British Columbia and Mr. J. A. J. McKenna and Mr. T. G. Rothwell on behalf of the Dominion Government, with a view to obtaining a settlement of certain questions as to the administration of lands in the railway belt upon the mainland of the province, has been approved by the Governor-General in Council.

The date of the provincial statute granting the lands in the railway belt to the Dominion, December 19, 1883, is agreed upon as the date of the transfer of the lands by the province to the Dominion.

From the tract of lands so tranferred are reserved all lands granted by the province or covered by pre-emption at that date, but all pre-emptions abandoned or cancelled prior to December 19, 1883, shall be regarded as having passed to the Dominion, and all pre-emptions abandoned or cancelled after that date shall be deemed to belong to the province. All lands covered at that date by sales or applications to purchase on account of which moneys had been paid to the province shall be under the control of the province, provided that all lands so covered by sales which had been cancelled or for which the applications to purchase lapsed prior to that date shall be regarded as having passed to the Dominion; but if the lands so sold were abandoned or the applications to purchase lapsed after that date the land shall belong to the province.

Provision is made for the identification of land in the belt and for the survey of its boundaries. It is also provided that the Provincial and Dominion Governments shall accept surveys made under the authority of either Government. A satisfactory arrangement has been come to respecting the registration of Dominion patents and for dealing with lands such as those known as the "Farwell grant."

The agreement, it is considered, will remove the difficulties which have impeded the administration of lands in the belt, and will provide for their being dealt with in a satisfactory manner in the future.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

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MAIN LINE.

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Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.05 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 4.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	2.00 a. m. and 6.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.00 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.30 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.30 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.40 a.m.	11.30 p.m.

WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 a.m.	4.40 a.m.
Toronto and Intermediate	7.30 p.m.	7.30 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p m.

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5 Small Men's Scotch Tweed Ulsters, Double Breasted, with Large Collar, Tweed Linings, regular price $8.00, clear at	4.68
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The Hull School Tax.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—An agreement has been reached in the dispute between the Protestant and Roman Catholic ratepayers of Hull over the maintenance of schools of the different faiths. The deputation has returned from Quebec, where they met Premier Marchand, before whom they laid their protest. The agreement arrived at in Quebec is to the effect that monthly school taxes shall be charged to the party whose children are benefited by the school for which the fees are charged.

Will Stay by the Settlement.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 28.—(Telegram Special.)—Catholics here who have stood by Premier Laurier's settlement of the school question are not alarmed at their previous attitude by the finding of the Pope. They say it is impossible to maintain Separate Schools without Government aid, therefore they must accept the situation and continue to support the settlement.

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RUSSIA GRABS AGAIN

The Bear's Paw This Time Falls on Kin-Chau.

CANADA'S INTERESTS PUT FIRST

In Lord Salisbury's Reply Declining the Anti-Sealing Proposal of the United States, Russia, and Japan—Sir Charles Dilke on the Chinese Situation—Cable News.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 28.—The Russians have occupied Kin-Chau, north of Port Arthur.

AN AUTHORITY

Considers the Situation in the Far East Threatening—Japan's Pacific Intentions Unreliable.

Vienna, Dec. 28.—The Neues Wiener Journal publishes an interview with Sir Charles Dilke, who is considered a high authority on foreign affairs. He says that the situation in Eastern Asia is very threatening, and that he knows for certain that Japan is making warlike preparations with great activity. That country seems to project an attack on China or Corea. Sir Charles declares that he has no faith in Japan's pacific professions. He reminded the interviewer that England occupied Port Hamilton in 1885 and 1887, and said that Great Britain greatly needed a naval station in North China.

U. S. SEALING PROPOSALS.

Premier Salisbury Declines to Enter Into an Agreement With the U. S., Russia and Japan.

London, Dec. 28.—Lord Salisbury, the Premier, has written to United States Ambassador Hay in response to America's latest proposals in the Behring Sea controversy her request that Great Britain should enter into an agreement with the United States, Russia and Japan to stop sealing.

Great Britain declines to enter into such an agreement. Lord Salisbury says, in substance, that he has communicated with the Canadian Government, which has the foremost interest in the sealing question, and that Canada is unwilling to become a party to such an arrangement as is proposed by the United States. Therefore, England, continues Lord Salisbury, whose interest is but slight, would not be justified in acceding to the proposals.

Lord Salisbury's answer emphasizes the policy of England not to interfere in Canada's foreign relations.

GERMANS WERE THE VICTORS.

The Reported Defeat of an Expedition in Africa Flatly Denied.

Berlin, Dec. 28.—The Governor of the Cameroons, the German colony on the West Coast of Africa, has cabled to the home Government saying there is no truth in the story received in London by mail on December 7th that a German expedition consisting of six white officers and two hundred natives recently met with a severe reverse at the hands of the Moboulies, a tribe which has long harassed the German trade concerns. On the contrary, the Governor reports that the German expedition has completely defeated the tribe and has captured its capital with slight loss.

Bismarck's Gout.

The Hamburger Nachrichten denies that Prince Bismarck's gout is better, and says he cannot walk or sleep and is unable to read or answer his friends' letters. The former chancellor is described as being very irate at the statement that his health is satisfactory and is quoted as saying: "If the gentleman who wrote that were in my place, he would be able to get an idea of what a 'satisfactory condition' is."

The Interests of the Church.

London, Dec. 28.—(Telegram Cable.)—In an editorial yesterday dealing with the Pope's encyclical on the Manitoba schools, the Times says that if the Canadian hierarchy, clergy and laity can be induced to adopt the Papal decision in the spirit in which it was given they will certainly be taking the best course to promote the real interests of the church.

Lieut.-Col. Wilkinson has been appointed to succeed Col. Leach in the command of the Royal Engineers in Canada.

A Beethoven Find.

Dresden, Dec. 28.—The composer Reinhold Becker recently discovered in the library of the Society of Music Lovers in Vienna a piece of music in Beethoven's writing. It proved to be a setting of Goethe's "Erl Koenig," which was composed by Beethoven in 1816. The melody is beautiful. The music has just been published in Leipsic.

Panama Canal Boodle Trials.

Paris, Dec. 28.—At yesterday's trial of the Deputies and others accused of participation in the Panama Canal intrigues the public prosecutor announced the abandonment of the charges against MM. Gaillard, Rigaud, Laisant and Boyer, and asked that an adequate sentence be imposed on MM. Arton, Saint-Martin, Maret and Planteau.

Attaches Too Great Importance to It.

Madrid, Dec. 28.—According to an official announcement, the Government considers that the Spanish press attaches too great importance to the Woodford note. The Government says the announcement continues to regard America's attitude as correct, despite "certain statements in the note requiring refutation."

Turks Made a Mistake.

Constantinople, Dec. 28.—The Turkish Government, replying to the representations of Greece, has explained that the firing upon the Greek gunboat at Actium by the Turks at Prevesa on Saturday last as the vessel was leaving the gulf of Ambracia was due to a misunderstanding.

Another Big Fire in Old London.

London, Dec. 28.—Fire broke out last evening in the dry goods store of Messrs. Jermyn and Perry, High street, King's Lynn (Lynn-Regis), Norfolk. The local fire engine collapsed and the flames spread rapidly, soon destroying a number of the adjoining business houses. The total damage is estimated at £100,000.

NEITHER SIDE WILL YIELD.

A Ballot Result That Shows That the Amalgamated Engineers Have Much Missionary Work Yet to do.

London, Dec. 28.—The ballot taken by the striking engineers as the outcome of the recent conference between the representatives of the employers and the men has resulted in the rejection of the proposed compromise by a hundred to one; while the trade unions' proposal of 51 hours weekly, instead of 48, has been rejected by a majority almost as large. The ballot, therefore, is practically tantamount to a vote of no confidence in the leaders of the men. It is understood that the conference will not be resumed. The lock-out will now continue, though it is reported that several firms intend to open their shops to men willing to work on the employers' terms.

BOXING DAY DIVERSIONS.

Weather Fine and All London Enjoyed the Various Amusements.

London, Dec. 28.—There has been a sudden change in the weather. The fog had dispersed and Boxing day was mild and beautiful. London turned out en masse to enjoy the Boxing day diversions. All the amusement resorts were crowded and the streets rang from morning till late in the evening with laughter, jollity and topical songs.

A score of pantomimes were produced in London and in the suburban theatres, each house giving afternoon and evening shows, with probably record takings.

Sixty-eight thousand three hundred and seventy-two people visited the World's Fair at Agricultural Hall, Islington; 24,897 visited Madame Tussaud's exhibition; 26,217 went to the Crystal Palace, Sydenham, and 23,661 passed the gates of Barnum and Bailey's mammoth show in the gigantic Olympia Building at Kensington, where many thousands were turned away from the opening performances, which was an immense success.

Duke of Newcastle Convalescent.

London, Dec. 28.—The Duke of Newcastle, who has been severely ill, has so far recovered that, according to the Daily Mail, he hoped to be able to leave his room in a few days.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS
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Choice selections in Solitaire Rings, Ruby and Diamond, Sapphire and Diamond, Diamond Stars, Crescents and Sunbursts.

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Ladies' China Satin Lined Jewel Cases and Trays, Celluloid Brush and Comb Sets, Fine Brassware, Artistic Brass and China Decorated Lamps, Brass and Onyx Top Tables, Japanese Chinaware, Fine Art Medallions, Leather Goods of all kinds, Portfolios, Music Cases, Letter Cases, and a Royal Stock of Ladies' and Misses' Purses, Pocket Books, Card Cases, etc.

In Gold & Silver Novelties--

Which form a large part of the Xmas trade, you would wonder ow such pretty tokens of friendship could be purchased for the price we ask:—Cigar Holders, Cigar Cutters, Match Boxes, Shirt Studs and Links, Knives and Erasers, Scarf Pins, Mirrors, Bracelets, Brooches, Pins, Thimbles, Combs, Hair Brushes, Manicure Sets, Bouquet Holders, Chains and Fobs, Fern Dishes and Pots, Opera Glasses and Fans, Puff Boxes, etc., etc.

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A large assortment of Gold and Silver, Steel, Shell and other materials of Spectacles and Eye Glasses. Oculists Prescriptions carefully ground and filled. Work guaranteed absolutely reliable. Adjusting Spectacles to suit the various conditions of sight our Specialty. Lorgnettes, Thermometers, Microscopes.

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"HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL."

Have Called for a Meeting of Creditors.

Milton, Dec. 28.—George Winn & Sons, boot and shoe manufacturers of Milton, have called a meeting of creditors for tomorrow, 29th inst. The firm did a large business, and is well known throughout western Ontario.

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THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

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No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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St. Andrew's.

St. Andrews's Primary Xmas Tree tonight at 5 o'clock. The Seniors meet tomorrow for tea at 5.30. Programme in the evening at 7.30, to which all the parents have been invited.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

Christmas Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLINE'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

Candidates for Councillors.

In the list of candidates printed in yesterday's issue, the name of Mr. W. L. Allen was omitted from No. 2 Ward candidates. Mr. Allen is in the field, and will heartily appreciate the support of the ratepayers of the ward.

Mr. H. Morgan is also a candidate for the village council, Ashburnham, and hopes the election will confirm his nomination yesterday.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolised by men. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment, Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

The Josie Mills Company

Open a week's engagement on Monday, Jan. 3rd. They come direct from their North-West tour, where they have played to large and delighted audiences. Miss Mills, the star, will be remembered in Peterborough as a conscientious and pleasing actress. She has surrounded herself with an excellent company, and a lot of new and clever specialties are introduced at each performance. The prices for this engagement have been reduced to a popular level—10, 15 and 25c., and an opportunity is thereby given to all to attend the performances.

Family Reunion.

The family of Mr. John Kelly, Babidge street, are enjoying a pleasant reunion during the holidays. The four eldest sons, who have all been absent from the parental roof during the past year, some for a much longer period, are all visiting at home, and participating in the pleasure of meeting each other together after their separation. These are Mr. Wm. Kelly, of Chicago; Mr. Michael Kelly, (accompanied by his wife) of Buffalo; Mr. John Kelly, of Hastings, and Dr. Thos. Kelly. Another son, Mr. James Kelly, in the employ of the American Graphophone Co., was unable to be present to join them.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

GOLDEN WEDDING BELLS.

Fiftieth Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerr of Ashburnham.

On Thursday, Dec. 23, 1897, a very pleasant gathering was held at the residence of Mr. Wm. Kerr, James street, Ashburnham, it being the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. Wm. Kerr and Ann Hayden, who were married at Coldsprings, in the township of Hamilton, on Dec. 23, 1847, by Rev. Wm. Hayden, the bride's father.

All the members of the family were present, including five sons and two daughters, along with eight grandchildren. These are:—George, of Coldsprings; James and William, of Cobourg; John and Annie, of Ashburnham; Maggie (Mrs. Carter) of Otonabee, and Edward, of Toronto.

The aged parents were the recipients of several handsome presents, including fifty dollars in gold, as tokens of the love and esteem in which they are held by their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr have resided chiefly in the township of Hamilton and in Ashburnham, where they enjoyed the respect and esteem of all who were acquainted with them. We join with these in wishing them many more years of wedded happiness.

HOCKEY SEASON OPENS.

With a Match against the Belleville Here on Friday Night.

The hockey season will open in town with a hockey match on Friday evening next against the Bellevilles, when a good game is expected to result.

The Bellevilles were the champions of the Quinte District League last year and are represented to be a very fast aggregation of clever stick handlers.

The admission fee has been placed at 15c, and it is expected that a big crowd will turn out to see of what material Peterborough's first team will be composed. Nearly all of last year's old players are available and some very promising young blood is aspiring to a place on the senior team.

No one should miss the first match of the season.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Of Holiday Remembrances of Hazel Bros.

The Superintendent of the Barnardo Home desires to return warm thanks for the undermentioned acceptable Christmas gifts:—Mr C N Brown, turkey; Mr Dobbin (Review Printing Co.), $5; Mrs. Dennistoun, candies, nuts, etc.; Mrs W Davidson, candies; Messrs Foote & McWhinnie, turkey; Mrs Haultain, doll's house; Mrs Hamilton, turkey, bonbons; Junior Endeavour, Charlotte street Methodist church, scrap books; Mr Mason, candies, nuts, apples; Kindergarten (per Miss Warner) scrap book; Mr. Stock, $5, bag of flour, currant loaves; Mr. Powell, two turkeys; Mr. L. Smith, goose.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.		6° below zero
Yesterday	15°	4°

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 429 Water Street.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

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Special brewings for Christmas of Ale, Porter and Lager, in kegs and bottles, kept by all the leading grocers. Quarts, $1.00 per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Pints, 75c. per dozen, ale, porter and lager. Patronize home manufacture and keep the money in town. Telephone No. 98. Call s up. 11d143

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

MASONS CELEBRATED ST. JOHN'S DAY.

THE ANNUAL INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS TOOK PLACE.

These Who will Sit in the Chairs for the Coming Term—The Banquet and Toast List—Officers of the Keene Lodge.

St. John's Day was observed as usual yesterday by the installation of the officers in the different lodges in the Masonic fraternity the world over and the two local branches held very largely attended meetings for the purpose last night. The ceremony was performed by V Wor Bro D Spence, assisted by Bt W Bro B Shortly, V Wor Bro R M Denniston, W Bro W H Walkay, W Bro H Rush, W Bro R Kingan and W Bro Logan. The officers installed were:

CORINTHIAN LODGE, NO. 161.

W Bro D H Burritt	W M
" " Arthur Stevenson	I P M
" " F D Mackay	S W
" " John Beatty	J W
R " " Rev V Clementi	Chap
" " T A Hay	Treas
" " W M Brown	Sec
V " " R Max Denniston	D of C
" " M A Morrison	S D
" " R H Kells	J D
" " H Nesbitt	S M
" " Dr T N Greer	J M
" " H B Maharry	Organist
" " D Walker	I G
" " W D Parker	Tyler

Trustees—Rt W Bro R E Wood.
Board of Relief—W Bro A Dawson, W Bro R A Peak, W Bro R P Boucher, W Bro R C Winch, W Bro H C Rogers.

PETERBOROUGH LODGE, NO. 155:

W Bro A C Herridge	W M
" " W B Bamford	I P M
" " W E Conway	S W
" " W L Armitage	J W
" " Geo McWilliams	Chap
" " R S Davidson	Treas
" " R W McFadden	Sec
" " J H Forster	D of C
" " G I Reazel	S D
" " W Stocker	J D
" " H J Grassett	S S
" " J Crane	J S
W " Robt Logan	Organist
" " W J Butcher	I G
" " L Dobbin	Tyler
W " W J Martin	Trustee

Board of Relief—Rt W Bro W B Shortly, W Bro H Rush, W Bro R W McFadden, W Bro A Gibson, W Bro R Logan.

A most elaborate banquet was served at the conclusion of the official business, when the following toasts were honoured:

"The Queen and the craft." This was honoured in a strictly Masonic manner, those present responding with the singing of the National Anthem.

"The Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Canada"—R. W. Bro. B. Shortly, R. W. Bro. Miller and R. W. Bro. R E. Wood.

The Newly Elected Officers—W. Bro. D. H. Burritt and W. Bro. A. C. Herridge.

"The Visiting Brethren" was proposed by R. W. Bro. R. E. Wood and responded to by W. Bro. E. A. Peak, Bro. T. W. Martin, Bro. H. Bell and Bro. A. P. Melrose.

W. Bro. H. C. Rogers proposed "The Retiring Officers." W. Bro. A. Stevenson and W. Bro. W. B. Bamford responded.

"The Installing Masters" was proposed by V. W. Bro. Dennistoun and responded by V. W. Bro. Spence.

"The Junior Wardens" was the last toast.

During the evening the toast list was interspersed with songs, etc., contributed by Bros. W. J. Drope, A. L. Davis, A. P. Melrose and Walter Stocker.

W. Bro. Peak has been associated with the Masonic fraternity for over half a century, and is a member of Corinthian Lodge. During the evening he occupied the seat of honour at the right side of the presiding officer.

KEENE LODGE, 374.

On St. John's night, at Keene, the following officers were installed by W. Bro. R. J. McCamus, assisted by V. W. Bro. Jas. McNeil:

W Bro A C McGregor	W M
" " R J McCamus	I P M
" " Baynes Reed	S W
" " J J Liddy	J W
V " " Jas McNeil (re-elected)	Chap
" " R M English (re-elected)	Treas
" " Jno M Shaw (re-elected)	Sec
" " Wm Sharp	S D
" " H J English	J D
" " W C McCrea	D of C
" " W T Mathers and J Lancaster	S S
" " A D Anderson	I G
" " W J Humphries	T

After Lodge was closed a very pleasant time was spent around the festive board.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Court Littlejohn, Canadian Order of Foresters.

The following officers were elected last night for next term at a largely attended meeting of Court Littlejohn, C.O.F.:

Bro R Morrison	C R
" J Concannon	V C R
" W Kemp	R S
" Wm Hartley	F S
" R Mulligan	Treas
" W M Green	Chap
" Thos Laing	S W
" Alf Kingscote	J W
" W J Taylor	S B
" Wm Taylor	J B
" Dr Clarke	Court Physician
" W Taylor	Auditor

Delegates to the High Court—Bros E A Kemp, R Morrison, R Mulligan, Joseph Sanderson.
Trustees—Bros Menzies, Saunders and Wm. Kemp.

Six candidates were initiated in good style by Court Peterborough team and prosperous times may be predicted for Court Littlejohn during next term.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

Programme of the Christmas Entertainment of the Sunday School.

On Christmas night a delightfully successful entertainment was held in the town hall, Ashburnham, under the auspices of the Mark street Methodist Sunday school. The children of the Sunday school and their friends were out in full force, and the following programme was successfully presented:

Chorus, "God bless our school"	
Prayer	Rev J E Moore, Ph B
Chairman's address	
Address by Supt	M W Matchett
Recitation	Maggie Edwards
Dialogue, "The Doll's Hospital"	
Solo	Miss Katie Hooper
Club swinging	Jennie Kindred
Motion song, "Our Dollies"	
Dialogue, "Competing Railroads"	
Chorus, "Loyalty to Christ"	
Instrumental	Mr J Armstrong
Dialogue, "Vicia's Answer"	
Solo	Mr H S Armstrong
Recitation	Ida Russell
Dialogue, "The Schoolmaster Abroad"	
Recitation	Miss Minnie Hamilton
Instrumental	Mr Jack Armstrong
Club swinging	Misses Gillespie and Long
Duet	Misses McKenny and Armstrong
Reading	Mr M W Matchett
Solo	Miss Edna Armstrong
Dialogue, "Laying a Trap"	
Looking for Santa Claus	
Distribution of presents	
Doxology	

At the conclusion of the programme the "fruits" of the liberally laden Christmas tree were distributed to the delighted youngsters. The entertainment was a great success.

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ANOTHER TEACHER REMEMBERED.

Presentation to Miss Nelle Griffith by Her Class.

On Christmas Day, the class in the George street Sunday school, of Miss Nelle Griffith, waited upon her and presented her with a handsomely framed group photo of the class and teacher, accompanied by the following address:

Miss E. Griffith:

DEAR TEACHER,—We, the scholars of your Sunday school class, could not let this festive season pass without in some way expressing our appreciation of your services. We are indeed grateful for your kind attention to us and for the valuable instruction we have received at your hands. We pray that God's blessing may rest upon you and that you may long be spared to spread abroad the love of the Lord Jesus.

Please accept this gift as a token of our esteem.

Signed on behalf of the class.

The address was read by Miss Jessie Manley, and the presentation made by Miss Violet Greer. The welcome visitors were handsomely entertained with refreshments, music, etc.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. H. A. Fife Presented With a Picture of his Bible Class.

Last Thursday evening about twelve young ladies Mr. H. A. Fife's Bible class gathered to his residence, 77 Harvey street, when Miss Letty Pascoe and Miss Edith Sutton, on behalf of the class, presented him with a beautiful picture of same, as a slight token of the esteem in which he is held.

The recipient, who appreciated the gift very much, thanked the class for their thoughtfulness and also for attendance and attention, as scholars, to the class.

A very pleasant evening was spent in games, etc., refreshments being served at 11 p.m., after which the party dispersed to their several homes, having thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A special meeting of the council is called for to-morrow evening.

—Considerable local matter is held over for to-morrow's issue, being crowded out by press of matter.

—Mr. Robert Jackson, of Cow Bay, Rice Lake, was in town yesterday. He states that he is the first to cross the lake with a span of horses this season.

—Mr. W. L. Allen, of Kingan & Allen, a candidate for the council for No. 2 ward, is a live business young man. He has large business interests at stake in the ward and if elected could be counted on as a progressive councillor.

Y. M. C. A. BASKET BALL.

The basket ball game Saturday morning between the Working and Junior Boys resulted in a defeat for the juniors by 13 to 11. The Working Boys outplayed their opponents in putting the ball in the basket from the field, but made more fouls, thus giving the juniors an advantage to win, as they have a free throw for every foul.

The teams lined up as follows:

Working Boys.		*Juniors.*
Geo Nichol	centre	Henry Cleaves
A Proud	R forward	Stanley Bradd
Gordon Douglas	L "	Elmer Best
W H Waram	R back	R Devereux
Hammond Lee	L "	John Laing

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

A meeting of the Thistles is called for to-morrow evening at the rink for the purpose of electing skips and selecting the rinks for the season. A full attendance of members, or of any wishing to join the club, is requested.

Diaries for 1898.

Now is the time to secure your diaries while the stock is at its best. Those accustomed to using a diary know how convenient it is to get just what they want. Our new styles of office, desk and pocket diaries in leather and cloth contain a lot of valuable information and dates, and are very conveniently arranged. Have you got your Canadian Almanac for 1898? A. H. STRATTON & Co., Peterborough Bookstore.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

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The Mayoralty Election!

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PERSONAL.

Miss Irene Noble, of Water street, is spending a week in Toronto.

Mr. Frank Reid of Toronto, spent his Christmas holidays at his home.

Mr. Robert Dormer, of Gananoque, is visiting his parents, Auburn.

Miss Irene Perks of Gilmour street, is spending the holidays in Port Hope.

Mr. William Maxwell, of Toronto, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. W. H. Meldrum.

Mr. John Brooks, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting his mother, London street.

Miss Eva Tivey, of Ottawa, is spending holidays with her parents, Ashburnham.

Mr. Gordon Logan left this morning on an extended visit to his parents in Toronto.

Miss Dot Hackett, of the Ville Marie Convent, Montreal, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Lou Mercier, of Michigan, is home on a visit to his parents, Lake street, Ashburnham.

Mr. John Scott, of Port Hope, is spending the holiday season with Mr. John Butcher, Ashburnham.

Miss Maude Macfarlane, Homewood avenue, left at noon today for Millbrook, where she will visit Miss Katie Carveth.

Miss Eleanor Courtney is spending the holidays with her parents, and has as her guest, Miss Christine McClennan, of Cavan.

Mrs. Wm. McGregor, of Port Hope, spent Christmas with her father, Mr. Geo. Lipsett, of the Maple Leaf Hotel, Ashburnham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, of Toronto, who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gobell, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rounds, who have been spending the last few months in town at the Snowden House, left for Mexico this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gough, of Lindsay, and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Gough, of Toronto, spent Christmas in Peterborough, and returned home again yesterday morning.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., addressed a largely attended meeting of the electors of West Durham on Monday evening, at the village of Hampton, in the interests of the Liberal candidate, Dr. Mitchell.

Mr. W. L. Allen, "Billy" Allen as he is better known, by his interest in healthy sport especially curling, is very popular and is sure to poll a big vote. He has a solid business side to his character too and would be a good councillor for No. 2 ward.

A Mother's Story—Her little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having used your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Colds and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too highly of.

Mrs. F. W. Bond.
20 Macdonald Street, Barrie, Ont.

LIEUT. HAL ROGERS IN THE TIRAH WAR.

A LETTER FROM THE CAMPAIGN IN INDIA.

Skirmishing is Going on Continuously and the War is Causing Even More Bloodshed Than That With the Afghans—Only One Tribe Out at the Date of Writing.

The following interesting letter is written en route by Lieut. H. S. (Hal.) Rogers, son of Col. H. C. Rogers. He is in the Royal Engineers, and is on duty under General Lockhart in the Tirah expedition in North Western India. Lieut. Rogers is Assistant Field Engineer on the line of communication, making the way clear for the troops and also keeping the line open in the rear. He has in charge 1,200 coolies. Lieut. Rogers is a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston—of 1889.

MASTURA, (beyond the Sampagha,)
November, 14th, 1897.

You see I am getting on more and more, but I doubt if I shall go much farther " I have not been in very great danger, however, although several times I have been under fire. In fact, the evening before last I was going down to the coolie lines about something, when bang! whizz! a volley went past my head. It turned out to be a few snipers, who had crept down to fire into the coolies, and I coming down on a sky-mach was a fairly good mark, so they tried a bang at me to start with. They only fired about a dozen rounds, and a few volleys from the sappers and miners and pioneers sent them off. They managed to kill three coolies, however, and kill a donkey and a camel. That was at a camp on the Sampagha, where there is a company of sappers, two companies of Madras Pioneers, and Turner and I had about 1,200 coolies there, all improving and widening the road over the Sampagha. We have got a splendid camel road there.

I came on then from Kurappa last Sunday—a week ago. I had been rather a worm, as my "innards" had got out of order at Shinawari, and I had

LIVED ON MILK

alone for ten days, as that is the only way to keep from getting dysentery when you once get wrong. I had two days fever, too, as my work up to then was roadmaking in stony nullah beds, (canyons) when the heat was intense all day and the nights very cold.

However, the Sampagha camp was awfully nice, and I am braced up and happy again and hope to be all right.

Poor Cowie had to be invalided back with pneumonia, and Gus Joly has gone back, too, with a sort of dysentery. This show is costing us an awful lot of officers in sick, wounded and killed. Yesterday I got orders to come on here and improve the road towards the Sampagha. I was to have brought 400 coolies, but the firing the other night has frightened them and a lot have skipped and so I have only some 250. However I can get more over from Turner and Nathan, who have taken Cowie's place. I run my own show here and it is an awfully nice place and my being on the line of communication I get lots of transport and have all my kit, Dido and the two Gees with me.

I AM ALONE,

of course, at present, as I only got in this afternoon, but Devon's camp is just beside me and I have just had a long talk with Eddie Morris and am going to live in their mess from to-morrow, which is better than being alone. Of course I know dozens of men here.

Things are at a standstill now as General Lockhart has announced the terms and gives the tribes till the 2nd Dec. to consider, so I hope I shall stay here until then and then goodness knows what will happen. There is small fighting here and in Maidan every day with the foraging parties that go out but nothing serious although they seem to wound a lot of our chaps. They don't "snipe" often at night here and that's a good thing. I have not the slightest notion when it will be all over, but can't see how it can last much longer.

It is jolly and cold now and I enjoy my eiderdown and two blankets at night. They have frost at night in the next valley and we shall soon have it and snow too.

I am very comfortable but the commissariat does not give one luxuries in the eating line, and this being a hostile country, eggs and milk are not forthcoming as they were on the other side.

I have work from dawn till dark, more than most people, and some of it not quite the sort one cares about. We, on the line of communication, get the work without the fun (fighting), that is, all drudge and no glory. However, we must take the fortune the gods give and be thankful.

A WEEK LATER.

Masturia, Nov. 21st, 1897.

You see I am still at Mastura having been here a whole week. I shall probably go on through in a day or two as I have finished the road between the Sampagha and Arhanga passes, and in fact I have sent on 150 coolies to camp at the latter place to day, and am now working down into the Maidan Valley.

They are fighting there day and night, and yesterday I and another officer with about six sowars (native cavalry men) as escort, just missed being caught by the Afridis by about five minutes on three occasions.

I have orders to take over the road right into Maidan, and was out with the commandant, Capt. Young, to see what the work on that side was, and, as we went down, the picquets above us

OPENED FIRE,

and not being able to see anything we retired.

We found that a convoy coming towards us just round a turn in the valley had been suddenly attacked and the drivers killed, and 20 donkeys carried off. The fire from the top was a bit too hot and they dropped the animals after losing about six men. As they left the animals in an open valley under the fire of the Gordons, who garrisoned the Arhanga Young and I descended to have a try at

GETTING THE BEASTS

back. So we asked the Gordons to keep picquets up above us and cover us, and we went on to where the convoy had been captured. The loads were scattered about the road and they had taken them up a nullah at the top of which there was a saddle with a thick pine wood. Young and I, with about three sowars, advanced carefully up the nullah stream with loads and found a few donkeys. It was rather jumpy work, for if a few of the Affridis had remained in the wood they would have got us to a certainty. However, all was quiet and, revolver in hand, we got through and emerged at the top of another nullah with some 5 or 6 dismantled villages about five or six hundred yards down from there. These nullahs are all terraces, sloping away with

HIGH RETAINING WALLS,

the fields being the top of the terraces. The donkeys were quietly feeding about 200 yards off in the open, between us and the villages. I, with two sowars, started out, covered by Young and the others, with carbines to catch anyone who appeared, and I had not gone ten paces into the open and was just going to jump down on the terrace below, when whizz! bang! there were bullets all around, and one cut up the ground between the sowar and me, and we were not three yards apart. A rabbit never got to his hole quicker than I did behind a bush, and of course the Gordons opened fire from above. If the silly fools had only waited five minutes until I had got down far enough not to get hurt to cover quickly, they would have been able to pot to their hearts' content, and I don't think your third born would be writing to you now.

Well, as six of us could do nothing, and as we had no business to be there, and would be sure to be set on if anyone was hit, we thought "discretion, etc.," and retired. As we got back to the road we met three companies of the Northamptons sent out to

RELIEVE THE GORDONS,

and we got them to have a try. They came along until the enemy opened fire on them about the same place that they did on us, and the major in charge said it was not good enough and would not go on.

Young and I were awfully disgusted as we knew that the enemy were few in numbers and if attacked would have to take to the open and the Gordons would get them from the top. But no, the officer in command had been in that disaster which no doubt you read about when the Northamptons were ambushed in a nullah and the losses were so fearfully heavy.

Anyhow both he and his men were jumpy and not for it and he retired. Young and I had to go back and so we left them and came on and I heard this morning when up at the Arhanga that these devils followed the companies back (as they always do if you don't go for them) and attacked a convoy near them and killed two and wounded two of the men in the camp as we had left not 15 minutes before. So I was out of both fights after all and perhaps just as well as it is no fun being potted from behind a rock. They have put a whole battalion on the Ashango. I am glad to say to-day or my coolies might have it hot.

They have been fighting in Maidan almost continuously for the

LAST THREE DAYS

and nights, and the losses are not nice to think about. In fact up to date the casualties are greater than in the Afghan war. These men are well armed and wonderfully good shots, and they are most wonderful at taking cover. We can't get at them and they pop away from all sides all day. I am speaking of Maidan and not Mastura, the latter being quite quiet, and Oakzaris having come in and submitted to the terms.

Maidan is being razed as far as General Lockhart can do it, and the whole valley is for miles filled with the smoke of burning villages, or rather homesteads. The Zakka Khils is the tribe that is holding out, and they are scoring off us to some considerable extent.

We have only been fired into once since I came into this camp, and that was a few nights ago and not many were sniping.

I am writing in bed with an eider down blanket, great coat and poshteen (fur Afghan coat) over me and a woollen cap on, for it freezes every night now and, golly, ain't it cold before daylight when I get up in the morning. Am quite fit and if I weren't so overworked would be happy.

I feed in the mess of Eddie Morris' regiment and we dine together, that is at the same table every evening.

I am out all day in the saddle mostly, or climbing hillsides and have to do my writing at night. It is 10.30 and as 5.45 sees me up again with a long day in front, I had better sleep. I don't know how long we shall be on this show but we must come out soon or freeze.

Your loving son,
H. S. ROGERS.

[It is worth mentioning as a somewhat remarkable coincidence that the Capt. Young mentioned in the letter above is a brother of Dr. Young, of Peterborough, who, by the way, is Surgeon to the Prince of Wales Dragoons, of which Lieut.-Col. Rogers, whose son writes the letter, is commanding officer. It may also be noted that the "Eddie Morris" spoken of is a brother of Mr. "Jim" Morris, formerly in the Ontario Bank here, and that the "Gus Joly" mentioned is a son of Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, and brother of Mrs. H. S. Greenwood, town.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

Julius Cæsar	*Fowler*
Christopher Columbus	*Irving*
Pericles	*Abbott*
Old Lamps for New Ones	*Dickens*
Scottish John	*McLennan*
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MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,
A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

MAYORALTY ELECTION FOR 1898.

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

In again offering myself as a candidate for the important and honourable position of Mayor of Peterborough, I have first to thank you for having twice returned me at the head of the poll. You are doubtless aware that, up to a very recent date, no one could be found to oppose my re-election, and while my opponent is a gentleman for whom I have the highest respect, it must be apparent that the auspices under which he is brought out, indicates that his election is sought for the purpose of serving the selfish aims of his principal supporters and as a reward also for what he has already done—for it was through him the Auburn Power Company, represented by Messrs. Meldrum and Kendry, obtained the remission of $400.00 a year for rent of poles, although, but a few months previously, a bylaw had been solemnly passed imposing such rental. This course means a loss to the town of $2,000.00, and, if followed by a similar remission to the Light & Power Company, which would be no more than just, a further loss of $2,800.00 will ensue. I submit that, however honestly intentioned Mr. Davis may be his business connections are such, both as an insurance agent and a director of a real estate company, which has very extensive interests in the town, it is impossible for him to occupy the Mayor's chair impartially. The course Mr. Davis pursued in the case of Moncrief against the town, when he strongly opposed The Toronto Loan and Savings Company being made parties to the action, may be fairly taken as an evidence of his probable course under similar circumstances, had he prevailed in that instance the town would have been unable to make the favourable settlement which was effected.

It is clear that Mr. Davis considers himself a special protector of the capitalists of the town, and when action was proposed to compel the Street Railway Co. to carry out the extension agreed upon, Mr. Davis plainly stated it as his opinion that men who had invested their capital in the town should not be interfered with. It is evident, therefore, that the workingmen will have to look out for themselves.

It is nothing new for a policy of progress to be advocated; there is no citizen who is not most anxious for the welfare of the town, and I have never failed to heartily co-operate in every scheme of its advancement. I fail to see that the fact of Mr. Davis "being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers and feeling that he can look after their interests" is a qualification for the mayoralty. It is true that Mr. Davis, in a published interview, insinuates that he and he only is capable of "originating" a scheme for bettering the town's condition, but during the year he has served in the Council, when he had equal opportunity for the display of his ability, he failed to propose any measure in the direction indicated.

In conclusion I have to say that I am entirely untrammeled by business or other connections, and am so situated that my whole time is at the service of my fellow-citizens, to whom I cheerfully leave the issue.

I have the honour to be, ladies and gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,
WM. YELLAND,

December 22nd, 1897.

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1 lb. No. 1 Almonds	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Filberts	10c
1 lb. Spanish Grapes	18c
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TO THE RATEPAYERS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

At the request of many ratepayers of Ward No. 2, I have decided to accept the nomination as Candidate for election as one of your Councillors for 1898.

I ask the hearty support of all ratepayers and if elected will do all in my power to further the interests of the town and to ensure, as far as possible, practical and economical administration of affairs during the year. As the time is short I am unable to make a thorough personal canvas, but trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,
T. H. HAMILTON.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — NO. 2 WARD

GENTLEMEN:

My numerous business engagements for the year 1898 will prevent me from again accepting your kind nomination as Councillor for this important ward.

Thanking my nominator and seconder as well as the electors for the confidence they have already bestowed upon me.

Faithfully yours,
ROBT. NEIL.

Peterborough, Dec. 28, 1897.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been urged by a number of the influential ratepayers of Ward No. 2 to become a candidate for Councillor in this important Ward, I have decided to accept nomination.

I therefore beg leave to respectfully solicit the votes and influence of the electors of the Ward, and promise that the interests of this Ward and the town shall receive my best attention, in case I should be elected by your valued support.

As I may be unable to make a personal canvas of all the electors before polling day, I trust those whom I may not be able to see will lend me their valuable support and influence.

Respectfully yours,
W. L. ALLEN.

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Mrs. A. Simpson spoke to our reporter as follows, at her cosy residence, 118 Locke St., Hamilton, Ont. Said Mrs. Simpson, "For the last two years I have suffered greatly from heart and nerve troubles,

also pains in my head. My appetite was very poor, and I felt very miserable all the time, hardly able to do my household work. My heart was so bad that I frequently fainted away, and was liable to drop down at any place or time.

Sometimes my heart seemed to bound into my throat so that I thought I would smother. My rest was very much broken, and I grew quite discouraged after using so many medicines without relief.

When I heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I decided to try them, and procured a box at John A. Barr's drug store, and now after having used two boxes can say that I am completely cured. My appetite is good, indeed it seems as if I wanted to eat all the time. I sleep well and am thoroughly toned up. Truly I am better than I have been for many years."

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THE RETIRED BURGLAR.

His Curious Experience in a House With Creaking Stairs.

"You know how the stairs puff up," said the retired burglar, "after you stop using 'em nights? You crowd 'em down close together, solid, treading on 'em all day long, and then when you let up on 'em the fibers of the wood lift up again, and the stairs seem to swell. You know how they creak, sometimes, and snap a little, when you go down 'em first in the morning, and some of the steps yield a little under the tread? That's them settlin' down into place again.

"I love to hear 'em in the morning. It seems kind o' like the stairs wakin' up and speakin' to you as you go along down. But I don't like to hear 'em at night. And at the time I go about they've had a chance to do considerable puffin' and no matter how velvet-footed a man may be he can't lessen his weight very well, and so I learned early to tread near the wall or near the banisters going upstairs, and not on the bow in the middle. The creak, or the little soft snapping, that sounds so pleasant in the morning, and that nobody wouldn't notice then, sounds mighty loud at night, when everything is still. If anybody was awake, you could hear it from one end of the house to the other. To be sure, it might not alarm anybody, because there's other sounds in a house at night; sounds that just make themselves. Due, I suppose, to changes in temperature. Boards swell and shrink and shift a little, and you might hear a little snap somewhere in the house at any time of night. But I always hated to hear the stairs creak when I was going up 'em, all the same. Because I always thought that as likely as not it would wake up somebody, and that I should find somebody sitting up in bed looking for me when I looked into the door of a room, and, as a matter of fact, that did sometimes happen.

"I looked one night, after a wretched pair of stairs, into a half-lighted room, where I saw a man sitting up in bed, over on the other side of the room, and looking plumb at the door that I was standing in. As I told you, I was always on the lookout for just this thing, but this man surprised me, for all that. He sat there in bed all keyed up, and looking square at me. I could see him perfectly plain, and I knew he could see me just as plain, and I expected every minute he'd find his voice and begin to holler.

"But, instead of that he threw the clothes back off his legs and swung his legs around out of bed, and stood up. He put his right hand out to locate a chair that stood by the head of the bed and then started for the door, hands out a little each side of him, and feelin' out a little on both sides and sort of ahead of him as he came along.

"Humph! Blind! He'd heard the noise and was going to look for it. I might have stood there and slugged him easy as he went by, but I didn't want no 'rastle with a blind man. I just went out and left him there looking."—New York Sun.

When they put a man in jail, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is it not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in jail. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and billousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The poison is being reabsorbed into the blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any disease. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that.

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Pelagic Sealers Warned.

Washington, Dec. 27.—Assistant Secretary Howell has instructed the collectors of customs at San Francisco and Port Townsend, Wash., to inform all persons in their districts contemplating engaging in pelagic sealing of the passage of a bill prohibiting sealing in the Pacific Ocean north of the 55th degree of north latitude, under a penalty of forfeiture and a fine of $2,000 and imprisonment for not longer than six months.

Volcanic Eruption in Iceland.

Copenhagen, Dec. 27.—Advices from Reykjavik, Iceland, say that a volcanic eruption that occurred on Dec. 18 covered the districts of Skaptafells, Rangarvalla, and Arnes with ashes. No details are given.

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THE COLISEUM AT CHICAGO

Burned to the Ground in Less Than Half an Hour—Loss $700,000—One Life Lost.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—The fire which burned the Coliseum on Christmas Eve was the quickest on record here. In twenty minutes from the time of the first spark originated by the crossing of two electric light wires in the X-ray booth, used for an exhibition of X-rays, there was not a girder standing. All the walls went down except those on the ends, and all that marked the place where the building had stood was a mass of twisted iron and brick. The building was twice as large as Madison Square Garden, New York.

According to the figures given by the exhibitors and managers of the various concerns, the total loss is $702,350. The principal losers are: Coliseum Company, on building, $400,000; Coliseum Company, on interior properties, $100,000; Carroll's toboggans (F. C. Hostock), $100,000; Biblical paintings (Dr. Valentine), $35,000; Streets of Cairo and Congress of Eastern Nation stock, $20,000. The insurance on the Coliseum aggregates $120,000.

The fire claimed only one victim. He was H. H. Johnson, whose remains were recovered from the ruins yesterday. Johnson was a fireman employed about the building. He had evidently remained at his post until the last moment. Then he rushed toward an exit. Within a few feet of the door an immense piece of glass fell from the roof, pinning him to the earth.

MISTRESS STILL OF SEAS.

All the Correspondents of the New York Papers Say So of England in the Far East Embroglio.

New York, Dec. 27.—The London correspondents of the leading dailies here devote considerable space to the situation in China. Strange as it may seem, the correspondents are unanimous in saying that, come what may, England reigns supreme in the far East, and has only to move her great Asiatic squadron to the troubled centre to prove that, isolated as she may be, no combination of fleets can force her to relinquish that supremacy.

SOME GERMAN GOSSIP.

Nothing But Chinese Question Talked of—Russia's Occupation Permanent.

Berlin, Dec. 27.—China has occupied public opinion to the exclusion of everything throughout the week. The Government and the Foreign Office continue reticent, even the occupation of Port Arthur haivng failed to elicit any official statements, with the exception of denial of the extravagant utterances of the Cologne Gazette and other usually inspired papers. The reason for this exceptional taciturnity lies in the simple fact that Germany herself does not know where she stands, or how far the other powers will permit her to go. Germany, Russia and France are still negotiating, and while there is strong pressure to bring about another joint action of these three powers in the far East, equally potent influences are working to frustrate such plans. It depends largely upon the outcome of these negotiations as to what instructions Prince Henry of Prussia will find awaiting him when he arrives at Hong Kong early in February.

Russia's Occupation Permanent.

A prominent diplomat in an interview with the correspondent here of the Associated Press, says:—

"Russia's occupation is permanent. She thereby secures a much desired terminus for the Siberian Railroad, which will forthwith be extended from Vladivostouk to Port Arthur, making Russia the undisputed mistress of Manchuri and the whole of North China. Her interests in China in no way collide with those of France, whose sphere of action is in South China. Between them is an immense territory, which may eventually be disputed between Great Britain, Germany and Japan. A movement is now on foot between Japan and Germany to arrive at an understanding, as Japan sees clearly that this course is the wisest. Russia will not tolerate Japan in Corea, as it would upset all the schemes she has been preparing for the past two years. Therefore, Germany is the only friend and ally Japan can look for in the coming events. That is if she knows how to play her cards and establish a basis of mutual interests, for which I hear there is considerable prospect."

Kiao-Chou Not So Valuable.

From a missionary the correspondent here of the Associated Press learns that the Bay of Kiao-Chou is by no means so valuable as at first believed. Part of the harbor freezes during three months of the winter, and ice breakers are required to keep it open. The Hinterland is barren and treeless and the nature of the ground necessitates the erection of costly large fortifications in order to hold the bay and the adjoining territory against attacks. If Germany concludes to retain it she will have to spend large sums of money.

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The Mixed Mess.

The traveling men in eastern Maine have added a new story to their repertory, a Hancock county man being the subject. During the musical festival at Bangor, they say, John stepped into a Bangor hotel for dinner. Now it happened that the hotel man had leased the off side of his bill of fare to a local carriage manufacturer, who placed an "ad." thereon, with illustrations. John sat at the table. The waiter, being in something of a hurry, by mistake passed the bill wrong side out. John saw the wheels, put on his spectacles, curled his mustache with his left hand, straightened up, looked at the girl and said: 'I'll take scrambled eggs, a Bangor buggy, a couple of punts and a road cart. Got any wheelbarrows?" The girl flew.—Lewiston Journal.

The Good Die Young.

One Neighbor—Don't you ever have any fears that you won't be able to raise that boy of yours?

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"I wasn't thinking of that. I was wondering if you had no fears that some maddened man would brain him with an ax for blowing that tin horn all day long."—Indianapolis Journal.

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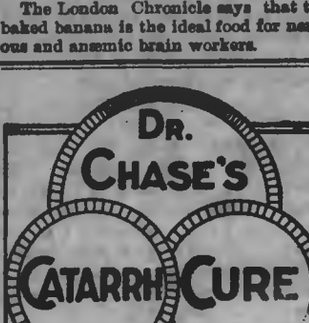

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The Pitfalls That Lie About a Champagne Supper In a Temperance Town—The Hotel Man Was a Good Fellow, and He Had to Be Saved at Any Cost.

"The discussion about the sale of liquors at the Princeton inn recalls an amusing experience that I had in a strictly temperance college town a dozen or more years ago," said a man at the University club. "Amherst was the college, and for several years it had been a prohibition town. The townspeople made a great effort to enforce the excise law very strictly, and there were times when they accused the college men of not being in sympathy with them. It is quite possible that the accusation had some foundation in fact. There are occasions, as every college man knows, when excise law must not be permitted to obstruct hospitality.

"We had a small class society in my senior year which was composed of several men from each of the regular fraternities, and it made a point of entertaining at supper such distinguished visitors as came to Amherst with the reputation of being good fellows. Bob Burdette, the humorist, was the last guest of the club. Burdette delivered a lecture at Amherst, and our senior society intimated that we should feel ourselves highly honored by his presence at a little supper after the lecture. Burdette sent back word that the pleasure would be his, and so the supper was ordered at a hotel then very popular with the students. The steward of the society was ordered to see that a reasonable amount of champagne should be near at hand in case Burdette or any one else was tempted to drink a glass.

"He was instructed not to compromise the proprietor of the hotel in any way because he was a good fellow, and a conviction of violating the excise law would bring a heavy fine and imprisonment on him. When the supper was served, Burdette was on hand, and so was the champagne. For obvious reasons the hotel waiters were not asked to serve the wine. When a bottle was called for, the man who sat at the head of the table opened the folding doors behind him, stuck his hand through and brought back a bottle. No one knew who had placed it in his hand or where the wine had been purchased, except the member of the society who had acted as the steward for this occasion.

"It was a pleasant little supper. Burdette told us some stories that were new, and we told him some that he had never heard. Incidentally the champagne disappeared in the way it was intended to go, and every one supposed that nothing further would be said about it. Burdette left town for the west the next morning, and a week later the man who had entertained him were surprised to receive subpœnas to appear at the trial of the hotel keeper on the charge of violating the excise law. It developed later that a livery stable keeper who had a grudge against the hotel man had given the information on which the complaint was based. We were very much bored about the affair, and it was decided that the hotel keeper must be protected. As a matter of fact, he was really innocent.

"When the case was called, the first witness summoned was a member of the society who hailed from Chicago. The prosecutor learned from him that a supper had been given at this hotel on the evening mentioned in the complaint to Mr. Burdette.

"'Was any wine served?' asked the prosecutor.

"'Yes.'

"'What was it?'

"'It looked and tasted very much like champagne.'

"'Where did it come from?'

"'Why, from behind the folding doors,' answered the Chicago man innocently.

"'Who put it there?'

"'I don't know. Perhaps Mr. Burdette did.'

"Another senior was called, and he couldn't testify definitely about the champagne.

"'Who brought it to the hotel?' asked the prosecutor.

"'Perhaps Mr. Burdette did,' was his reply.

"Ten more seniors were put on the stand, and as each one in turn suggested that Burdette was the wicked one the smiles in the courtroom broadened and the prosecutor got angry. By persistent questioning he brought out the fact that at least a dozen bottles of champagne had been emptied at this supper, and from the evidence a guileless listener might have concluded that Burdette had not only brought the champagne, but had drunk most of it. Every senior who testified seemed to be anxious to do what he could to clear up the mystery, and each one gave his evidence in an ingenuous fashion. There was no possibility of getting Burdette to testify, and the prosecution failed to prove its case. The complaint was dismissed.

"The story was too good to keep, however, and it went all over the country. Whenever Burdette was invited to a supper after a lecture, he was asked, 'Did you bring your champagne with you?' It so happened that three years after Burdette lectured in Kansas City. Half way through his lecture he saw one of the men who had entertained him at Amherst. He told the story of that experience in a pathetic fashion. After the lecture the Amherst man went up and shook hands with him.

"'Why did you all make me the scapegoat for that excise case?' asked Burdette, with an appreciative grin.

"'It was because we found after comparing notes that every story you told us that night was old,' was the reply.

"'Didn't you know that I was a church deacon?' asked Burdette.

"'That simply aggravated the offense and gave point to our retaliation,' said the Amherst man. He told me afterward that Burdette's left eyelid drooped until it lay dead on his cheek for half a minute, and then the conversation was turned. So far as I know, Burdette hasn't been back to Amherst since."—New York Sun.

Popular Hotel Man.

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and head which caused me much annoyance. After trying many remedies without benefit I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped me and I took four bottles. I am now completely cured." JAMES REILLEY, Proprietor Chapman House, Sarnia, Ont.

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A Household Hint.

Entering the house of a friend some weeks ago, I was struck with the superb polish of her walnut stair rails. They were fairly dazzling—so much so that I could not but remark it.

"What polish do you use?" I asked.

"None at all," she replied. "I encourage my three small boys to slide down the banisters, and there you are."

The idea struck me as a good one, and I offer it herewith to all readers of The Chatterbox.—Harper's Bazar.

God is love, and you can never escape from love. No sorrow, no sin, no estrangement, no darkness, can enable you to escape from love. The omnipotence is the omnipotence of love, and the omnipresence is the omnipresence of love. You may loosen your hand, but he will not loosen his.—Lyman Abbott.

Time's Changes.

In 1830 Goethe wrote to a friend that it seemed almost inconceivable that now that the Gothard wagon road had been opened it was possible to go from Frankfort to Milan in a single week. It is now done in a day.

Oldest Sailing Craft.

The oldest sailing craft in the world is the so called Gokstad ship, a viking vessel which was discovered in a sepulchral mound on the shores of Christiania fiord. It is 1,000 years old.

A Model Town.

Hoopestown, Ills., a town of 4,000 inhabitants, has never had a saloon. The mayor receives a salary of 50 cents a year, the remuneration of each of the councilmen is half that amount, and no fees are accepted. Last year the combined salaries of the mayor and the city fathers were given to help a needy widow pay her taxes.—New York Tribune.

Extenuation.

"I can tell when my wife buys something she considers extravagant."

"How can you tell?"

"She always explains that she bought it with a $5 bill she happened to have tucked away."—Chicago Record.

The citizen who is determined to take care of himself alone is of very little use to a community, and few tears are shed when he takes his final departure.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The cost of a patent in Germany is $100, which includes the taxes for six years.

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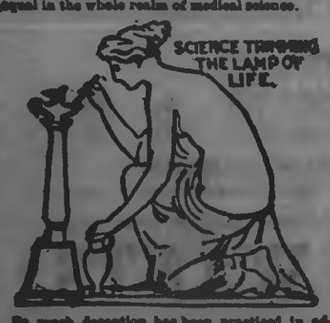

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 24.

FLOUR—The market is quiet and prices steady. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was quiet, with feeling firm. sales of red winter were made at 83c to 83½c, high freights. No. 2 spring on Midland 83c, and goose 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 94c, Fort William, at 90c Midland, and at $1.03, Toronto freights.

BARLEY—The offerings are fair and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c west and No. 3 at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24c west, and at 25c on Midland; mixed, 23c west.

PEAS—The market is steady, with sales to-day at 45c, north and west, and at 46c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is unchanged, with sales at 30c west and at 31c east.

RYE—The market was dull to-day. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm at 26½c to 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

British Markets.

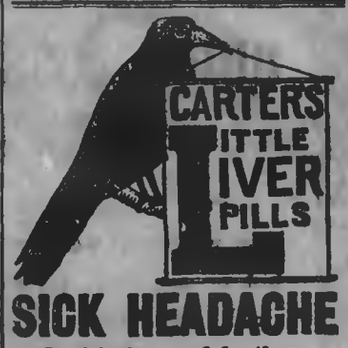
Liverpool, Dec. 23.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9d to 7s 10d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 4d to 8s 4½d; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 9d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 24s 0d; bacon, heavy, i.e., 29s 6d; do. light, 28s 6d; do., short cut, 30s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 5½d for March, 7s 4d for May and 7s 0¼d for July. Maize firm at 3s 1½d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb., and 3s 1¼d for March.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 7s 5¾d for March, 7s 4½d for May and 7s ¾d for July. Maize steady at 3s 2d for Jan., 3s 1¾d for Feb. and 3s 2¼d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage firm. No. 1 Manitoba hard, Nov. and Dec., 33s 1½d. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 20f for Jan. Flour firm at 60f 90c for Jan. Weather in France cold.



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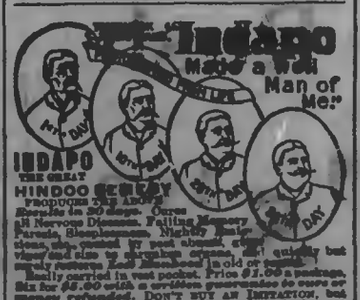

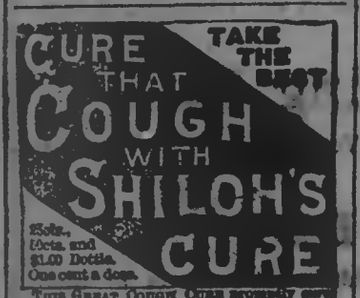
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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

The Christmas services in All Saints' church were very largely attended and were characteristic of the joyful season. The morning service consisted of Morning Prayer and Holy Communion and sermon by the incumbent. An unusually large number communicated. The music was special, hymns and anthems. The anthem was "Behold *I* Bring"—Hall, and was sung with charming spirit by the choir. The solos were well taken by Mrs. Good and Mrs. Gilbert. The Christmas offering was very liberal.

At the morning service on Sunday the sermon was preached by the rector, Rev. J. C. Davidson, and the choir sang the anthem, "While Shepherds Watched," by Best, Messrs Shepherd and Kingscote taking the solos. In the evening the Christmas music was repeated, and Rev. Mr. Armitage preached a special sermon on the subject, "Striking a yearly balance."

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

The music furnished by the choir of the George street Methodist church Sunday, at both services, was strictly in keeping with this festive season of the year, and was voted by all who heard it as being excellent, the choir surpassing all their former efforts. The solos were exceedingly well taken, whilst in the chorus work the attack was good and excellent taste was shown in the shading of the various selections. This was particularly noticeable in the (unaccompanied) ladies' trio, and also the unaccompanied chorus to Mrs. Seward's obligato solo, "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem."

The following is a list of the music performed:—

Opening voluntary, "Chorus of Angels," Scotson Clarke.

First anthem, "Ye Nations all be Joyful." The alto solo was exceedingly well taken by Miss L. Pascoe, and the soprano solo and duet by Misses Clara and Annie Bellegham.

Second anthem—magnificent full chorus—"Behold I Bring you Glad Tidings," by Caleb Simper.

Concluding voluntary, "Christmas March," by G. Markel.

In the evening a Christmas song service was held. The first anthem was "Glory to God in the Highest," by Caleb Simper. The soprano solo in this anthem was taken by Miss L. Lamsden. Second anthem, "Hark, hark my Soul"—Shelly. The first solo was well taken by Mr. W. Wesley, and the second was admirably rendered by Mrs. Seward, the obligato solo being taken by Miss Clara Bellegham. Between the lessons Marston's celebrated solo, "It came upon the midnight clear," was sung by Miss C. Bellegham. The third anthem, selections from the cantata, "Joy to the world"—Lorenz. The first part was an unaccompanied chorus, "Angel's Song," by the ladies of the choir. Second part—Male chorus, "Arise, shine"; ladies' chorus, obligato, "Glory to God." Third part—Bass solo, "Behold the darkness," taken by Mr. Frank Turner. Fourth—"Oh little town of Bethlehem," unaccompanied solo and chorus, Mrs. Seward taking the solo in splendid style. The fifth selection was "Daughter of Zion," by F. C. Maker. Full chorus, the tenor and bass solos being magnificently taken in unison by the male members of the choir. Organ voluntaries—"Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's Messiah; "Overture to William Tell," arranged by Dudley Buck.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.

The Christmas services at St. Peter's Cathedral were of an unusually bright and cheerful nature. First mass was celebrated at 5 30, and masses were continued until 10 30, when Pontifical high mass was celebrated by Bishop O'Connor, assisted by the Cathedral clergy. An appropriate sermon on the gospel of the day was delivered by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, who, together with the Bishop, extended the Christmas greetings to the congregation. The music at this service was especially grand. Under the leadership of Mr. F. W. Miller, the choir rendered Mozart's beautiful Twelfth Mass. The soloists were Miss M. Dunn, Mrs. J. J. Lynch and Messrs. Geo. Ball and J. A. Henderson. At the offertory Mrs. Geo. Ball rendered in beautiful voice, "Noel."

Pontifical vespers were sung by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, and Ven. Archdeacon Casey preached the sermon. The music at this service was of a high order. Lambillotte's "Magnificat" was rendered by the full choir, as well as Rossi's "Tantum Ergo." The duet "O Salutaris," by Weighland, rendered by Mr. and Mrs. George Ball, was an excellent number. The beautiful altar decorations could be seen to advantage at the vesper service. There was a large number of communicants at the morning services, and the Christmas offering was a liberal one.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, ASHBURNHAM.

The services at 8 and 11 a.m on Christmas day were, as usual, attended by a large number of communicants, especially at the earlier service. The church was tastefully decorated, the principal new feature being two banners made by Mrs. Spence, bearing respectively the mottoes, "Unto Us a Child is Born," and "Unto Us a Son is Given." The offertory was liberal and in excess of last year. The special service was well rendered, the solo parts in the anthem being taken by Mrs. Grassett, Miss Burnham, and Mrs. J. J. Turner. Mrs. Davies' new composition "Jubilate" was tendered for the first time. It is, we think, fully equal if not superior to his Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, which have been published by the Parish Choir, of Boston.

Sunday morning Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed preached an appropriate Christmas sermon in St. Luke's. In the evening there was a very large congregation, when the Christmas music was repeated and the Rector gave the last of his series of sermons on "School of Thought in the Church of England."

Rev. H. Symonds has had several invitations to deliver his Lenten lecture on "The History of the Reformation." He will next Friday visit the little village of Ilfracombe, Muskoka, and lecture there on New Year's eve.

The theological graduates of Trinity University, Toronto, will hold their annual conference and reunion commencing on Jan. 11th next. The following papers will be read and discussed: "The Relation of Evolution to Christian Thought," by Rev. J. G. Lowe, B.D., of Almonte; "The Inspiration of Holy Scripture" by Rev. Prof. Clark, D.C.L.; "How can we encourage theological study amongst the clergy," by Rev. H. Symonds, M.A.; "Co-operation with other religious bodies," by Rev. T. G. A. Wright, M.A., and "The preparation of candidates for confirmation," by Rev. C. B. Kenrick, M.A.

MARK STREET CHURCH.

On Sunday morning Mr. Moore conducted a children's service. The Sunday school members occupied the centre seats. He took as his text, II Chronicles 34, 3, "While he was yet young he began to seek after the God of David his father," and gave an interesting and profitable sermon. This, and all the other services of the day, were well attended.

At Sunday school the attendance was the largest for any Sunday in the year. A special collection was taken for charitable purposes, and a good sum was realized.

In the evening the pastor preached a special Christmas sermon. The attendance was large.

Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8, in the church.

Thursday evening there will be cottage prayer meeting at Mr. R. Record's, Stewart street. Mr. Jas. Tighe is to lead it.

The choir and congregation are to be congratulated on securing the services of such an efficient organist as Mr. J. Armstrong, who was appointed last week. He entered on his duties Sunday.

The next regular monthly meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the W. M. S., will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 5th, 1898, in the church at 3 o'clock. All ladies, whether members or not, will be welcome.

HARVEY.

Address and Presentation to Mr. Robt. Renwick.

On Friday, December 24th, even the Harvey Agricultural Society was stirred up by the Christmas spirit. In the afternoon a large gathering of the members of the society assembled at the residence of Mr. R. Renwick, the president, and after the exchange of hearty greetings, Mr. Robtert Shaw read the following address:

To Robert Renwick, Esq., President of the Harvey Agricultural Society:

DEAR FRIEND,—We, the Lakehurst and Hall's Bridge members of the Harvey Agricultural Society, with other of your friends, learning of your intended departure from amongst us, felt that we could not allow you to go away without an expression of regret at your removal.

You have been one of the pioneer settlers of this township, and a thoroughly good agriculturist, and one who was desirous of seeing an improvement in the stock usually kept by the ordinary farmer.

You have also taken a deep interest in church work in connection with the Presbyterian church, and we can fully testify to the high estrem in which you are held by all classes of the community. We have always found you a good kind neighbour, and can assure you of a warm place in our hearts.

We would now have much pleasure in presenting you with this cane, as a token of our good will, not that we give it to you to help you out of Harvey, but that it may be a support to you while travelling through the Kent mud, and also with it you may point out Harvey on the map, where you leave behind a great many sincere friends.

We would also ask Mrs. Renwick to accept of this pair of fur mits, and as they keep her hands warm, may she keep a warm place in her heart for those who wish you all a safe journey to your destination, and that God's richest blessing may rest on you and yours during the remaining years of your lives.

Signed on behalf of the members.

ARCHIE JOHNSTON,
JAMES O. WEIR,
THOMAS ELLIOTT,
ALEX THOMPSON,
ROBERT SHAW.

The presents referred to in the address consisted of a silver headed cane for Mr. Renwick, and for Mrs. Renwick a pair of fur gauntlets, and a beautiful purse, with a liberal "silver lining."

In reply, Mr. Renwick, who was much moved by the kindly spirit that animated his fellow members, most heartily thanked them on behalf of Mrs. Renwick and himself for the thoughtfully kind address and the accompanying beautiful gifts. He referred also to the prosperity of the society which was no surprise, when, as they had evidence that afternoon, the members worked together in a spirit of harmony. He hoped that this would continue and that when he severed his connection with the society, which he was compelled to do by removal, that the society would continue to prosper. He left it with its finances in good condition and he felt sure that there would be no difficulty in finding an efficient successor, who would take up the work where he had laid it down. Mr. Renwick then dealt generally with the subject of farming, setting forth what a noble, healthy, independent calling it was, and one whose success depended not upon hard work alone but upon a judicious combination of brains and toil. During his residence in Harvey, he had made many warm friends, and he would not soon forget the unvarying kindness he had experienced at the hands of his neighbours. He said he might better his condition in the new home he was going to, at least he hoped to do so, but he had no hope that he would find kinder friends or better neighbours than he left behind him in dear old Harvey. In conclusion he repeated his thanks for the kind remembrance he and Mrs. Renwick had received that evening, and concluded by wishing his guests a very Happy New Year.

The guests were then entertained at a sumptuous supper, spread with the generous hospitality and housewifely taste of Mrs. Renwick. Shortly after the older members of the party repaired to their homes, and the young people of the neighbourhood assembled, and "on went the dance, and joy was unconfined" till "the wee sma' hours" had lengthened into full dawn;—

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Gold Bracelets and Lockets,
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Gold Rings,
Gold and Silver Pocketbooks,
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Silver Mounted Hand Mirrors,
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Plated Silverware,
Napkin Rings,
Silver Mounted Pottery,
Gold Rings,
Souvenir Spoons,
Gold and Silver Mounted Canes for Presentation,
Gold Ornaments,
Coffee and Sugar Spoons,
Gold Bracelets,
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RESUME DUTY AGAIN.

Ontario Legislature Return to Their Work.

TO SET APART FOREST RESERVES

Was the Purport of a Government Bill Read a Second Time Yesterday—To Control Water Powers—No More Gambling—In Supply—Members Not Satisfied.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—There was not a full attendance of members at the Legislature yesterday, many of the representatives having remained at home until after the New Year. Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition, was not present, though three important Government measures passed their second readings and were sent on to be dealt with in Committee of the whole House. There was no evening session, many of the members on both sides of the House desiring to attend the fancy dress ball given by Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

New Forest Reserves.

Hon. Mr. Gibson moved the second reading of his bill to establish forest reserves. He said much had been done during the past few years in gathering reliable information upon this important subject. Many States of the American Union had been moving in the same direction and their representatives and experts had given the Ontario officers the benefit of their knowledge. The want of more care in cutting up the forests of the United States had been productive of very dire results which would be guarded against in Ontario. (Hear, hear.) Owing to the devastation of the timber in certain parts of the United States many rivers had overflown and there had been a consequent destruction of property along the banks. No such state of affairs would be permitted in Ontario. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Southworth's report of last year was most instructive and interesting since it dealt with this subject. The provisions of the bill were restricted to the newer parts of the province, those parts that had been stripped of their timber either by cutting or fire. There were larger tracts of land in Ontario which because of their rocky nature would never be used for agricultural purposes, but where pine timber might be grown in abundance. The idea was to have these lands reserved.

Mr. Matheson: "Is it the intention to replant in these districts, or simply to set them apart?"

Hon. Mr. Gibson: "For the present we intend simply to set them apart, although personally, I don't see why we should not seed and replant. This, however, is a matter for future consideration."

Mr. Marter: "Unless seeding is done I can't see what good will be accomplished."

The bill was then read a second time.

To Control Water Powers.

Hon. Mr. Gibson moved the second reading of his bill respecting water-powers. He said the bill would enable the Government to make regulations respecting such powers in connection with the sale of Crown Lands. The practice had been to make such water powers available to the general public as far as possible, instead of creating a monopoly for one or two individuals. This, however, had not always been done, for the reason that when the lands were sold in many cases the Government had not been aware of the powers. The bill would give the Government power to adopt necessary regulations to cover such cases in future. The bill passed its second reading.

No More Gambling.

Hon. Mr. Dryden moved the second reading of his bill to prevent gambling and games of chance at agricultural fairs. He said during the fall it was the practice of certain swindlers who resided at Toronto and Montreal to go about the country from fair to fair with their wheels of fortune and three shell games. They were admitted to the fair grounds upon payment of certain fees to the directors of the fairs and allowed to swindle the public. He knew that many respectable farmers and others had refused for years to attend these exhibitions because of this gambling and horse racing or "trials of speed," as they were now designated. He wished to put a stop to these things. The bill was read a second time.

In Supply.

The House then went into Committee of Supply.

Members Not Satisfied.

It turns out that a majority of the members of the Legislature were not invited to attend the Governor-General's ball last evening, though most of them had registered at Government House weeks ago. Many of them who are from the country would have liked very much to have witnessed so grand an affair and are much disappointed that His Excellency had not placed so important a matter as the invitations in the hands of a more considerate and competent committee.

In Honor of Sir Oliver.

On Jan. 6 Mr. Speaker will give a dinner in honor of the new Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

THE CHAPLEAU LETTER.

An Investigation Into the Question of How Mr. Piche Became Possessor of It.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Mr. Camille Piche, President of the Club Nationale, who boasts of having in his possession private letter written by Sir J. A. Chapleau to Hon. J. Israel Tarte, will be given an opportunity of making an explanation as to how he got it, according to the following story in the Star last night: "A prominent member of the Club Nationale stated to a Star reporter to-day that a meeting of that organization will be held shortly to investigate the charge that a member of the club had dishonestly acquired possession of a letter written by Sir Adolphe Chapleau to Hon. J. Israel Tarte, Minister of Public Works. The letter in question, which was in the possession of Mr. Gelinas, private secretary to the Minister, when it disappeared, has formed the topic of a great deal of discussion for the past two or three weeks in political circles. It is felt by many members that it is a very disagreeable charge connected with the leading French-Canadian Liberal organization in the city. The Star's informant stated that if a meeting was not soon called, in the ordinary course of events, a sufficient number of names would be inscribed to a requisition calling on the executive of the club to call a special meeting for the purpose. The same gentleman predicted that when the meeting is held it will be one of the liveliest ever held in political circles in this city. It is a pretty well-known fact that the Club Nationale is divided into two sections, known as the Tarte and anti-Tarte followers. When the letter-purloining episode comes up for discussion, it is said, the friends of Hon. Mr. Tarte will make it interesting for certain members of the club."

HON. G. W. ROSS NOMINATED.

West Middlesex Liberals Unanimous in Support of Their Old Representative.

Mount Brydges, Dec. 29.—The Liberal convention of West Middlesex was called to order by Dr. Whitehead, Chairman, at 11 o'clock yesterday. Mr. McMullin, of Caradoc, nominated the Hon. G. W. Ross, seconded by Mr. McCallum. Mr. Waterworth, ex-M.P., then moved, seconded by Mr. Grigg, that the usual formalities of examining credentials be dispensed with and Mr. Ross be elected by unanimous vote, and on the chairman putting it to a vote it was carried unanimously. Mr. McMullin and Mr. Dufton, of Wardsville, spoke on the good work Mr. Ross had done for the country.

Mr. Ross spoke for about an hour, and held the attention of the house very closely. He touched on the principal questions before the country at the present time. He explained Sandfield Macdonald's surplus and its disposition, and also claimed that at the present time there was a surplus on hand in cash to the credit of the Government which was larger than that on hand when the present Government was elected, and that if they had acted on the principle of the miser in hoarding up their surplus for some future Government to dispose of instead of expending it judiciously year by year they would have a much larger surplus on hand now. He claimed that a great many expenses which were formerly paid by the County Councils were now paid by the country at large. He upheld his system of education, claiming it was in advance of that of the United States or Great Britain. He was followed by a number of others, who gave very interesting speeches.

The meeting broke up about 5 o'clock. There were a great number of electors present.

G.T.R. Employes Censured.

Belleville, Dec. 28.—Trainmaster Irwin has issued a circular to all the employes in his division, from operators to switchmen, censuring them because the G.T.R. have lost the hog and meat traffic owing to failure to make the time agreed upon. The official points out that this not only means a serious loss in wages to employes, but also loss of revenue to the company. In future he states that avoidable delays will be severely dealt with.

Appointed a Judge.

Ottawa, Dec. 27.—D. B. McTavish, Q.C., of this city, has been appointed Judge of the County of Carleton, in place of Judge Ross, who has retired.

THE TRADE OF CANADA

Returns Making a Comparison for the Past Two Years.

THE EXPORTS AND IMPORTS.

The Preferential Tariff—British and American Trade—A Wonderful Expansion of Trade But With a Lower Collection of Duties—The Business of the Past Year.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—An examination of the exports and imports of the United Kingdom, the United States and of Canada for the last fiscal year, and for the nine months of the current calendar year 1897, may throw some light on the course of trade generally, even if it does not gratify curiosity as to the effect of the preferential tariff on Canada's foreign trade. At all events, the figures are of interest and importance, and are in every instance official, the British being taken from the British returns, the American from American, and the Canadian from Canadian.

The working of Canada's preferential tariff will not be shown in the Canadian blue book for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, not yet published, because it had only been in operation a little over two months. The returns for the six months just ended of the current fiscal year might show it, but they will not be made up until the fall of 1898, although in Great Britain, as well as in the United States, similar returns will be published six weeks after the year ends. That Canada should be so behind in these matters is a reproach to the country. Our statistics are the worst arranged of any in civilized countries, and are practically out of date when made public.

The trade and navigation returns, which will be published in full shortly, and will show that during the fiscal year 1896-97 the total imports entered for consumption were $111,294,031, as against imports of $110,887,480 the preceding year. The duty collected amounted to $19,891,997, as against $20,219,087, a decrease of $327,090.

Exports amounted to $123,959,888, an increase of $17,581,086. The average rate of duty is 17.6 per cent. on the total imports for consumption and 30 per cent. on the dutiable imports, which is about the same proportion as last year.

Great Britain still remains Canada's best customer. During the year there were exported to the United States Canadian products to the value of $43,991,455, as against $34,460,428 in 1895-96. Great Britain took out of our exports $69,533,-859; yet our imports from the Old Country were but $29,419,188, a decrease of $3,567,554, as compared with the previous year, while from the United States we imported to the value of $61,649,041, an increase of $3,075,093 over our imports of American products of the year before.

Upon the total imports of British goods there was collected duty to the amount of $6,205,367, an average rate of 21 per cent.; upon total imports from the United States the sum of $8,147,075, an average rate of but 13 per cent. Even upon the dutiable portion of imports the average duty on American imports was only about 26 per cent., as against 30 per cent. on imports from Great Britain.

The balance of trade in 1896-97 as between Canada and Great Britain is in Canada's favor by $40,121,664 for the year. As between Canada and the United States it is in favor of the Americans by $17,657,556. In other words, while we sell 50 per cent. more to Great Britain than to the United States, we import more than twice as much from the latter as from the Mother Country.

Models for Public Statues.

The time for submitting models for statues of the Queen and Hon. Alexander Mackenzie closes with the year, and a number of models are coming in. Herbert, of Montreal, to-day deposited models for both, and Alwyn, of Toronto, and Hill, of Montreal, have already sent in. The models will be on view to the judges on Jan. 5 and 6 and afterwards to the press and public.

Will Have Pauper's Funeral.

Mrs. French, of Billing's Bridge, who committed suicide on Christmas night because her lover did not keep his promise to visit her that evening, will have a pauper's funeral at the city's expense. Her husband, who has disowned her for years, refuses to pay the funeral expenses, and no other friend volunteers the duty.

They've Come to Terms.

The Ottawa and New York Railway Company have at last come to terms with the Canada Atlantic Company, which has given them permission to come over their line from a point five miles outside the city limits. This agreement will stand until August 1, when it is expected the Ottawa and New York will have its own line completed to the head of the Deep Cut.

A Good Man for North Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 28.—George Anderson, of the Royal Oil Co., will probably be the Liberal candidate in North Toronto for the Local House. A number of prominent Liberals in the riding have taken him up and are pressing him upon the party. He will be a strong candidate if he gets the nomination. Since the advent of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to power Mr. Anderson has visited Japan as a trade commissioner for the Federal Government and his services were of considerable value.

Willie Marsh Was Drowned.

Consecon, Ont., Dec. 29.—A very sad accident occurred in the village yesterday. Willie Marsh, aged about 13 years, son of the late Marshall Marsh, while playing on the mill pond, broke through the ice and was drowned before assistance could reach him.

Crimean Veteran Dead.

Hamilton, Dec. 29.—Dennis Shea, an old veteran of the Crimea, died yesterday from heart failure. He served in Canada with the Royal Canadian Rifles, and later was a corporal in the Governor-General's Foot Guards at Ottawa. The Army and Navy Veterans will bury him.

Mother's Advice

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1897.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

A happy New Year.

Mr. F. W. Tanner, and wife, of Toronto, spent Christmas here.

Mr. W. T. McIntyre, wife and son, are the guests of Mrs. Wallace, sr.

Mr. John Dinwoodie, of Thorold, spent Christmas with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Baptie are visiting friends in Norwich.

Hon. J. C. Patterson, Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba, spent Christmas here, the guest of Mrs. Rollaston.

Mr. Walter R. Strickland, Miss Strickland and Mr. W. Strickland, of Toronto, are the guests of Mr. E. Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McDonald, of London, are the guests of Mr. T. G. Graives.

Mr. J. Waddel, of Carman, Man., is the guest of Mr. Wm. Hamilton.

Mrs. James Finney, of Grand Forks, Dakota, is the guest of Mrs. Finney, sr.

Mr. Blackwell, of Peterborough, spent Christmas in the village.

Mr. Evans Atwood, of Montreal, spent Christmas with his parents.

Mr. R. G. Cotton, wife and son, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., are the guests of W. Adams.

Mr. Fred Grylls, of Westmeath, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Herbert Graham has secured a school near Nogie's Creek, Harvey.

Miss Alice Sherin, of Barrie, is home spending her holidays.

Miss McCallum is holidaying at Port Hope.

Mr. J. H. Sherin went to Port Hope for Christmas.

Miss Clara Sanderson is home from her school at Penetanguishene on her holidays.

R. Graham & Son for bargains in overcoats, ulsters, men's suits, pants, overalls, etc.

Mr. Pethick, of Rochester, spent Christmas in the village.

Messrs. Hugh MacKenzie and George MacKenzie, of Montreal, were the guests of Rev. A. W. McKenzie, Christmas.

Miss Gwynneth Tate is home from Miss Veals school, Toronto, for her Christmas holidays.

Miss Leonard, of Geneva, N.Y., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. MacKenzie.

Mr. W. F. Trade is recovering. He was out during the week.

Mrs. R. J. McWilliams, of Peterborough, is the guest of Mrs. S. Nelson.

Mr. John Young is down with the measles.

Mr. J. A. MacDonald has chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bottrell, of Grimsby, are the guests of Mr. F. E. Kline.

Rev. John McEwen, of Toronto, is here for the Christmas holidays.

R. Graham & Son carry a very large and choice stock of groceries at lowest prices. Have you tried their teas? They are extra good value, as they import their teas from place of growth.

The following officers of Clementi Lodge, No. 635, A. F. & A. M., were duly installed to office:

Wor Bro	R J Munro	W M
"	W M Graham	I P M
"	J W Ridpath	S W
W "	R Graham	Chap
"	R O Deneh	Secretary
W "	W H Cassement	Treasurer
"	F Thompson	S D
"	F Webster	J D
"	G G Orrlvie	S S
"	Chas Reeves	J S
V W "	John Hall	D of C
"	Jas F Moore	A D
W "	Geo B Hilliard	Tyler

After the installation Bro. Munro invited the members to the Queen's, where an elegant spread was served. After the inner man was satisfied the remainder of the evening was spent in toasts, speeches, etc.

OMEMEE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Sleighing for Christmas could not be more desirable and the people took advantage of same.

The funeral of the late W. H. Hunt, B.A., principal of the High School, was largely attended last Friday starting to Omemee station and thence to Omemee Mt. Pleasant cemetery. Amongst those of his friends in attendance was Prof. Hunt, of Washington, D.C., his mother and Miss Hunt, of Toronto, and Miss and Mr. House of Dunnville, brother and sister of the widow of the deceased. The late Mr. Hunt was formerly a resident of Peterborough.

The memorial service conducted by Prof. Hunt, assisted by the local clergymen, in the Presbyterian church last Sunday were of the most impressive nature there being being about 600 present.

Amongst those present here visiting friends on Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tully, the former being head clerk at Mason's City grocery, Peterborough; Miss Bellegbem and Mr. H. D. Williamson, of Peterborough, who ably assisted at the L.O.L. concert, and Mr. John Kincaid, also of Peterborough.

L. of L. concert, No. 113, was a grand success, there being no disappointment of performers. Prof. Rish and Ramsay kept the audience in roars of laughter for over two hours, while Miss Bellegbem and H. D. Williamson gave a very pleasing variety on the programme. Miss Bellegbem made quite a favourable impression here as a vocalist. Miss Rose Williamson played all the accompaniments with skill. Proceeds of concert amounted to about $150, expenses about $60. Proceeds to be devoted to lodge properties.

There were an unusually large number drove to Peterborough on Friday last and came home well pleased with their various transactions, and many here now call at their old acquaintance, D. Thornton, corner Aylmer streets.

The nominations on Monday were of an unusually quiet nature. The new nominees of the township are W. S. Graham against J. Mitchell for deputy reeve; Wm. Brown for councillor, and W. Adams against R. Boates for reeve. For the village, Dr. Cornwall, the ex-reeve, is again nominated against Thos. Stephenson as reeve. Ed. Adams and Geo. English were nominated for councillors.

Those here during Xmas to see friends were Messrs. Irons, McCrae, Toronto, Jas. Norris, A. Parson and McCormick, Toronto.

Mr. J. D. Thornton, insurance agent, has been kept very anxiously and busily engaged during the past month waiting on his mother, who is a victim of heart and nerve trouble, which appears to baffle the best efforts of Drs. Halliday of Peterborough, and Cornwall, Omemee.

The Commercial House, Omemee, managed by Peterborough parties, was exceedingly well managed during the holidays, and the best of order existed. Every attention is paid to guests and visitors.

GALWAY.

Council Meeting.

The Galway council met on Dec. 15th, Reeve Cohen and Councillors James Allen, John Gilmore and Michael Collins being present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by Councillors Gilmore and Allen that the taxes and percentage on lot 18, con. 18, be taken off the collector's roll.

Moved by Councillors Collins and Gilmore that this council instruct the collector to accept the sum of $10 in full payment of all arrears of taxes on lot 23, con. 12, from Nicholas Cheevers.

The treasurer presented the financial statement and the clerk was instructed to publish it.

Accounts were presented and orders drawn: Wm. Hunter, pail clerk, $3; P. Collins, express on assessment roll and auditors' report, 55c.; stationery and voters' list, 55c.; selecting jurors, $1.25; D. Sheehan, selecting jurors, $1.25; Chas. Coben, selecting jurors, $1.25; Chas. Coben, council fees, $2 10; John Gilmore, $2.50; James Allen, $2 50. M. Collins, $2.50; Mrs. Hartnett, use of house for council, $0.25.

After the bylaws appointing returning officers was passed, the council adjourned.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined!

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then comes the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

BEWDLEY.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Baptist church erected a neat chapel near here, which was opened a few weeks ago.

The pastors' and Deacons' Conference of this association was held in this church on the 14th and 15th inst.

On the evening of the 15th inst Evangelist Pugsley, of Toronto, opened a series of special meetings, which have been very well attended and remarkably blessed. Mr. Pugsley is suited for his work. On Sunday evening the building was filled. Careful attention was given by all. The meetings are to be conducted through the present week at least.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

None So Excellent.

"I have been troubled with sick headache for over a year. Lately I have used Laxa Liver Pills, and find that they help me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. They are an excellent pill, causing no pain or griping, and leaving no after ill effects."

MISS MARY ELLEN HICKS,
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How to Cure all Skin Diseases.

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the *hour and time of need.*

Is prepared in two degrees of strength.

No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.

No. 2 for special cases—10 degrees stronger—sold by druggists. One box, Three Dollars; two boxes, Five Dollars.

No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company,
Windsor, Ontario.

☞No. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Nugent, Druggist.

MR. SIFTON IN WASHINGTON.

The Expected Conference With Secretary Alger Postponed.

Washington, Dec. 29.—The Canadian Minister of the Interior, Mr. Sifton, and his secretary, Mr. McKenna, were waited upon at their hotel yesterday morning by Assistant-Secretary Melklejohn of the War Department and welcomed in the name of Secretary Alger. They were then driven around the suburbs, including the Soldiers' Home grounds, until noon, when Secretary Alger entertained his visitors at luncheon. It is learned that Mr. Sifton, in accepting Secretary Alger's invitation to come to Washington for the purpose of consulting respecting Klondike relief measures, telegraphed that his Government was heartily in favor of co-operation with the United States authorities in the effort to aid the miners in the Klondike. The expected conference between Secretary Alger and Mr. Sifton did not take place in the afternoon. Secretary Alger had overrated his strength and found that he was not sufficiently recovered from his illness to undertake the work of arranging details of the relief expeditions. The Canadian visitors are to remain in Washington for a few days, however, so that the conference is simply postponed for a short time. Captain Brainard has been authorized to issue to-day the advertisements for the supplies that are to be carried on the expeditions.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Last Minute Cables and Telegrams Boiled Down to Pithy, Readable and Meaty Paragraphs.

The Japanese Cabinet has resigned.

General Sir Charles William Adair is dead in London.

Mrs. Ballington Booth is much improved in health.

The Queen received the Venezuelan Minister at Osborne House.

Kingston, Ont., harbor is frozen over. The date is unusually early.

The Heineman building in Detroit was gutted and the Free Press building badly damaged by fire. Loss $75,000.

Peter French, the largest cattle owner in Oregon, has been killed by a man named Oliver, over a land dispute.

The steamship George W. Elder has sailed from Portland, Ore., for Dyea with 125 passengers and 500 tons of freight.

The Very Rev. William Corby, of Notre Dame head of the Order of the Holy Cross in America, died at South Bend, Ind.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, M.P.P., leader of the Opposition in the Assembly, was yesterday re-nominated as the Conservative candidate for Dundas.

The Official Gazette of Havana publishes a decree establishing an autonomic Government and administration for the Island of Cuba from Jan. 1.

A raft containing 5,000,000 feet of lumber is being constructed in Portland, Ore., to be towed to San Francisco. The raft will be 356 feet long and 54 feet wide.

Dr. Chase's Cures Catarrh After Operation Fail.

My boy, aged fourteen, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

H. G. Ford,
Foreman, Cowan Ave. Fire Hall

It Heals the Lungs.

GENTLEMEN,—I was troubled for years with weak lungs and could not get relief, but on trying Norway Pine Syrup found it acted splendidly, healing and strengthening my lungs. E. J. FURLONG,
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Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

Anxious Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

Are You Wedded To Any Particular Store?

Or do you seek the place where the best goods can be found? We don't know much about selling Groceries or Shoes, but we have made a study of Clothing for years, and we are still learning.

That's why this store has gained the reputation of being the best clothing house in the town. Men of taste like to buy here both for themselves and their boys. Don't cost any more for that extra touch of style and quality here, than for the cheap grade garment in many establishments. We would call your attention to the values we are offering in Overcoats in order to clear them out before stock taking.

OAK HALL

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CHARCOAL FOR STARTING YOUR ...COAL STOVES....

One-Half Bushel Bag	10c
One Bushel Bag	20c
WOOD.	
The Best 4-foot Maple	$4.00
The Best 22-inch Maple	$4.00
The Best 4 ft. Tamarac	$3.25

Also Best Lehigh "Hard" Coal at Lowest Cash Prices.

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Now Ready!

CHINA HALL is now ready for the Holiday Trade with the finest selection ever shown in Peterborough. Every article in the immense assortment suitable for a Christmas Present.

China Tea, Breakfast and Dinner Sets at Special Prices, Chamber Sets, Lamps, Cutlery, Glassware, Etc., in Endless Variety to Choose From.

In Silverware We lead the trade, showing over a ton weight of new goods, bought from only the best makers and marked at prices that defy competition—Knives, Forks and Spoons, Carvers, Fish Helpers, Fruit Forks and Knives, &c., &c.

Sterling Silver Sugar Bowls, Gravy and Cream Ladles, Sugar Shells and Tongs, Butter Knives, Berry Spoons, Tea Spoons, Coffee Spoons, etc., bought direct from the makers.

Lamps Special attention is called to our more than extensive stock of Banquet, Reception, Library, Hall and other Lamps. Nothing is more suitable for a Christmas present. We have them in every form, with China Shades and Globes, Paper and Silk Shades and Fancy Glass and other Globes.

Fancy Goods Our stock of Fancy China and Glassware is very complete and includes Cocoa and Chocolate Sets, Five o'clock Tea Sets, Salad, Berry and Butter Sets, Salad Dishes, Water Jugs, Flower Pots, Ornaments, Cups and Saucers, Fruit Plates, Porridge Sets, etc., etc.

Japanese-ware The only house in town carrying a complete line of Japanese China. The present stock of these goods was bought at a big bargain and we are giving some special bargains in these goods. See the 15c and 25c Cups and Saucers, worth three times amount charged.

AN INVITATION. Everyone is asked to pay China Hall a visit before buying; it will pay you, it will enable you to see the newest goods at the lowest prices. The store will be open till TEN o'clock till after Christmas.

China Hall and Silver Bazaar

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A Large Stock of Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, Stoves and Tinware

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The Sale will continue until the stock is entirely cleared out. This will afford an excellent opportunity to buy regular lines at very much reduced prices

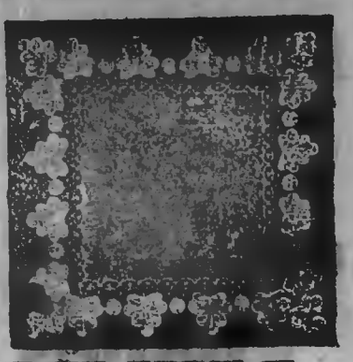
Remember the Clearing Sale at 137 HUNTER ST., PETERBORO'.

N. B. All Accounts due the firm must be settled by 1st Dec. next.

What Shall I Give?

This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store will suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c.
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 10c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

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A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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Colds lead to coughs, coughs to pneumonia and consumption; therefore, it is all important to check a cold before it reaches the lungs. Munyon's Cold Cure will positively break a cold inside of twenty-four hours. Old colds, new colds and obstinate colds cured in a few hours. When the cold reaches the lungs or bronchial tubes the Cough Cure should be used alternately every half hour with the Cold Cure. The Cold Cure is guaranteed to prevent pneumonia if used in the beginning of a cold. Pneumonia, or inflamation of the lungs can be controlled by the use of these two cures.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25c a vial.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease

BRITAIN AND JAPAN.

Reported Junction of Fleets at Port Hamilton.

JAPANESE CABINET RESIGNS.

Fleet of the Flowery Kingdom Waiting the Order to Strike—Russian Aggression Opposed—Strength of the British Squadron in Chinese Waters—Indian Campaign Ended.

London, Dec. 29.—A special despatch from Shanghai says the British fleet has anchored at Port Hamilton. The despatch further says that a report is current at Che-Foo to the effect that the Japanese fleet has also arrived at Port Hamilton.

Over 90 British Warships.

London, Dec. 29.—The Globe says a private telegram received London yesterday evening announcing that over 90 British warships have arrived at Port Hamilton.

Port Hamilton, according to the maps, is a small island south of Corea, and not far from Quelpart Island.

British Battleships and Cruisers.

London, Dec. 29.—The British fleet now stationed in Chinese waters under the command of Admiral Sir Alexander Buller and Rear Admiral Oxley embraces the following vessels: First-class battleship Centurion (flagship), 14 guns, tonnage, 10,500; first-class cruisers (second flagship), Grafton, 12 guns, 7,350 tons; Immortalite, 12 guns, 5,600 tons; Narcissus, 12 guns, 5,600 tons; Undaunted, 12 guns, 5,600 tons; first-class gunboats, Peacock, 6 guns, 735 tons; Plover, 6 guns, 755 tons; Pigmy, 6 guns, 755 tons; Rattler, 6 guns, 715 tons; Redbreast, 6 guns, 805 tons; Redpole, 6 guns, 805 tons; second class cruisers, Aeolus, 8 guns, 3,600 tons; Rainbow, 8 guns, 3,600 tons; Piquo, 8 guns, 3,600 tons; third class cruisers, Archer, 6 guns, 1,770 tons; Porpoise, 6 guns, 1,770 tons; second-class gunboats, Fire Brand, 4 guns, 445 tons; Linnet, 2 guns, 756 tons; Spartan, 8 guns, 3,600 tons; Swift, 2 guns, 756 tons; sloops, Daphne, 8 guns, 1,140 tons; Wild Swan, 6 guns, 1,180 tons; torpedo destroyers, Handy, 6 guns, 260 tons; Hart, 6 guns, 260 tons; despatch boat Alacrity, 4 guns, 1,700 tons, and the store boat Humber of 1,640 tons.

BRITISH WARSHIPS ON THE MOVE.

Will Make the Esquimalt Squadron the Strongest Ever Assembled There.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 29.—The British cruiser Leander and the torpedo destroyer Virago have arrived on their way to Esquimalt. The two warships left Portsmouth, Eng., last August, sailing at an average speed of 12 knots. They called at the principal ports of South America. The Leander is a second-class cruiser of 4,300 tons, and has a speed of 16 knots. The Virago is one of several torpedo destroyers built last year. She is reputed to have a speed of 30 knots. The two vessels will coal to-day and will sail for Esquimalt, calling at San Francisco on the way.

The cruiser Phaeton, with the destroyer Sparrowhawk, is following the Leander and Virago, and is expected to arrive here within two weeks. The Phaeton and Leander are sister ships, as also are the Sparrowhawk and Virago.

With these vessels added to the Esquimalt squadron, Great Britain will have the strongest fleet by far that has ever assembled in the north.

Japanese Fleet Outside Nagasaki.

London, Dec. 29.—A special despatch from Shanghai, dated yesterday (Tuesday), says: "It is reported that a Japanese fleet of over 30 warships is waiting near Goto Island, outside Nagasaki, fully equipped for war, and only awaiting instructions. This includes the Yashima and the Fuji, two of the finest vessels in the Japanese navy, and the Chen Yuen, that was captured from China. The Japanese fleet, it is understood, is acting in close touch with the British squadron, under Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Buller, Commander-in-Chief of the China station.

"Japan will certainly oppose a permanent Russian occupation of Port Arthur. The sudden dissolution of the Japanese Diet was owing to the war spirit. It is expected that the Japanese fleet will attempt to prevent the landing of reinforcements from Odessa for the protection of the Russian Trans-Asiatic Railway in Manchuria."

A despatch to the Times from Kobe, Japan, says the dissolution of the Diet has greatly angered the political parties. It is probable that the Marquis Ito, former Premier, and Count Okuma, a former Minister, will form a coalition Ministry with a vigorous foreign policy. The military party is eager for action; extraordinary activity prevails at the military and naval depots, and warships are assembling at Nagasaki.

China is Becoming Alarmed.

Pekin, Dec. 29.—The German question is unsettled. China's difficulty is increased owing to the uncertainty of the attitude of the powers. Germany's withdrawal from Kiao-Chou Bay is said to be conditional upon her finding a suitable naval station elsewhere.

China is becoming alarmed at the present situation. The Government appears to be utterly powerless. No answer has been received from Russia concerning the proposed loan, and there are calamitous forebodings connected with the sun's eclipse on the Chinese New Year's Day.

What Has China Done?

New York, Dec. 29.—In an interview with the World, Wu Ting Fang, Chinese Minister to the United States, explains the Eastern situation:—

"What has China done," he asked by way of preface, "that she should be divided up and parceled out among the powers? What is her offence against the nations or against civilization?

"Germany is incensed, we are told, because two of her subjects have been murdered. If this be true, my Government will make all the reparation in its power. It has never refused to do that, and, never having refused, there is no reason for German ships of war to seize Chinese territory.

"They talk of dismembering China. Why do they not partition Turkey? Everybody knows she was long the scourge of Europe and time and again has made bloody conquests, some of which she still holds. On the other hand, the Chinese have kept well within their own territory, and have never disturbed the peace of Europe.

"As for Russia, I have no notion that she intends to take any of our territory without our cordial consent. Russia may get concessions, but I do not think that means that we shall be divided up and handed around like cake."

What Started the Racket.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 29.—A copy of the peculiar and remarkable contract under which Russia seized the Corean finances and customs, and thereby forced out McLeavy Brown, the representative of English interests, recently, and which so offended England that the British Pacific squadron has been despatched to Chemulpo, near Seoul, the capital of Corea, has been received here, and a translation reveals the fact that Russia not only seized the finances and customs of Corea, but proposed to hold forever the same, notwithstanding that in her treaty with Japan after the China-Japan war she specifically agreed to join with Japan in maintaining the independence of Corea, and not to do any act that would jeopardize Japan's influence there. Japan has thus far observed the Russian-Japanese treaty regarding Corea, but in the above contract Russia has not only offended Japan, but aroused England. McLeavy Brown, however, refused to accept his dismissal and returned his discharge to the King and Emperor of Corea. He appealed to the British consul, and the latter reported the situation to England.

THE BRITISH VICTORS.

The Indian Tribesmen's Rising Crushed and Britain's Troops Return to Peshawur—New Routes Discovered.

London, Dec. 29.—A despatch from Peshawur says: "The British columns have returned from Khyber Pass, after punishing with slight opposition the Zakka-Khels in the Bazar Valley. Military operations on the frontier are now concluded. Every Afridi and Orakzai Valley has been visited.

"It now appears that the enemy's loss has been more severe than was at first believed, and out of all proportion to its possible fighting strength. Their trade with our centres for the necessaries of life has been closed and their autumn tillage prevented. The complete submission of the Orakzais is now accomplished.

"Many hitherto unknown strategical frontier routes have been surveyed and mapped out. The vaunted prestige of the Afridis has been lowered, and their punishment has paved the way for the permanent settlement of the country. It is firmly believed that, cut off from India and threatened with a reinvasion of their country in the spring, they will now submit. It is also expected that the internal friction resulting from the operation will prove almost as severe a punishment as the operations themselves."

Pallid faces indicate pale, thin blood. Rosy cheeks show the pure, rich blood resulting from taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

ALL IS LOVELY NOW.

Britain and Venezuela Will Again Do Business With Each Other.

New York, Dec. 29.—Mail advices from Caracas, Venezuela, report that the official reception by the Government of Venezuela of Mr. William Henry Doveton Haggard, accredited as Minister resident of the British Government to Venezuela, took place at Caracas on Dec. 11. The resumption of diplomatic relations means a resumption of commercial and trade relations between England and Venezuela. Pledges of mutual confidence and esteem were exchanged between Minister Haggard and President Crespo, and there is every indication that the former friendship that existed between the two countries has once more been firmly established. At 4 p.m. the carriage of the President, which had been sent to take Minister Haggard to the Federal Palace, arrived, and the Minister was driven between the double line of troops that saluted his arrival, while the national band played "God Save the Queen." Minister Haggard, in the full uniform of a Minister, was met at the entrance of the Elliptic Salon by Dr. Rojas, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and was introduced to President Crespo.

Physical strength and energy contribute to strength of character, and both may be had by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

THE MARKETS.

Wheat Markets Steadier—The Close Was Strong in Chicago and Liverpool Cables Were Higher.

Toronto, Dec. 29.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4.00, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market rules steady. Red winter sold at 83c high freights, and white same price. No. 2 spring on Midland quoted at 83c, and goose 72c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 93c, Fort William, at $1.03, Toronto freight. It sold at 98c Midland.

BARLEY—The offerings are moderate and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east, No. 3 extra at 27c west and feed sold at 25c west, and at 26c east.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24½c west, and at 25½c on Midland; mixed steady at 23½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales at 46c, north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c west, and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is unchanged. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, and prices firm, at 27c to 27½c west.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $8.25 to $9.00 middle freights. Shorts sold at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

Toronto Live Stock.

The run of live stock at the Western Cattle Market was light to-day, 10 loads being all that was delivered, composed of 150 cattle, 100 sheep and 300 hogs. Trade slow, few cattle being wanted. The heavy Xmas supplies have not yet been disposed of. The bulk of the cattle offered to-day were butchers' stuff of fair quality.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 75	$4 00
Bulls, heavy exports, good quality	3 50	4 00
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 25	2 75
Stockers and medium to good	2 75	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 65	3 87½
" good	3 37	3 53
" medium	2 90	3 40
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	40 00
Calves, each	4 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	3 00	4 75
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75	4 87½
" light fats	4 65	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 50	....
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 7s 5¾d for March, 7s 4¾d for May and 7s 1½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 2½d for January, 3s 2¾d for February, 3s 2½d for March and 3s 2¼d for May. Flour, 21s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Leading Wheat Market.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 99½	$0 94½
New York	1 01¾	0 95⅝
Milwaukee	0 98	0 93⅛
St. Louis	0 98	0 97
Toledo	0 95½	0 95
Detroit	0 98	0 94⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 98	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 96	0 92½
Toronto, red	0 88	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Dec. 28.—Cattle receipts three cars of Canadas that came in late. The market was considered strong and firm for good fat butchers' cattle and good shipping steers, and all of these kind were sold, with the general outlook fair for the immediate future.

Veals and calves—Offerings were light, only about 30 head. The market ruled with a fair demand. Fair lots of veals sold at $7 to $7.50, common $6 to $6.50, extra quotable at $8.

Stockers and feeders—The receipts this week were light, only about 20 loads of Canadas and 12 loads of natives. The market on Monday opened slow, and it was late in the day before buyers and sellers got together. Prices ruled weaker for all but choice light, well-bred stockers and good feeders by fully 10c per cwt., but about all were sold before the close of the day's trade. Choice to extra Canada feeders, 800 to 900 pounds, sold at $4 to $4.10; fair to good, do., $3.60 to $3.90; Canada yearlings and stockers, $3.50 to $3.80; do. culls and rough lots, $3 to $3.40.

Hogs—Receipts 11 cars. The market opened with a fair demand and prices for all grades stronger, except pigs, these kind generally selling from 2½c to 5c easier, but the bulk of supply was composed of pretty fair weight hogs. Good to choice yorkers $3.65 to $3.70; mixed packers' grades $3.65; medium weights $3.65 to $3.70; heavy hogs $3.65 to $3.70; roughs $3 to $3.25; stags $2.60 to $3; pigs $3.25 to $3.70.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts were fair, about nine cars of fresh sale stock and eight loads that held over. The market was very dull and slow for lambs, with a number of end ones still unsold, and what was sold was at full weak to 10c off from yesterday's closing prices. Sheep were in light supply and about steady. Lambs, yearlings, choice to prime, $4.80 to $5; fair to good, $4.50 to $4.75; culls to common yearlings, $4.25 to $4.40; native lambs, choice to extra, $5.15 to $5.25; fair to good, $5.75 to $6; culls to common, $4.50 to $5.60. Native sheep, choice to selected wethers, $4.60 to $4.85; good to choice mixed sheep, $4.25 to $4.50; common to fair, $3.85 to $4.15; culls to common sheep, $2.50 to $3.75.

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License Inspector, East Peterborough.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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Friday Market.

The special New Year's market will be held on Friday next as New Year's day falls on Saturday this year. Good market to-day.

Foresters Meeting To-night.

The Executive Committee on the High Court Reception, meet this evening in the Committee room of the Foresters Hall, Simcoe street. Court Langton meets this evening in the Foresters Hall.

Agricultural Implements, etc.

Mr. Joseph Sucss, formerly of Bridgenorth, will move in a short time to town. He has taken the store next to the fire hall, which will be the headquarters for Massey-Harris implements and machinery. He will also carry a full line of carriages, buggies and harness supplies.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4 00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

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Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

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Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolised by men. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment, Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

Acknowledgement.

The board of management of the Children's Aid Society wish to publicly acknowledge the following generous contributions towards the furnishing of the shelter: Treasurer of Peterborough Lodge No. 111, I.O.O.F., $10 00; Gen. Hawtain $5.00; Miss Warner, $5 00; Mrs. W. Roger, $2.00; Mrs. A. L. Davis, six white counterpanes; Mrs. J. Best, dress material; complete equipments for children's cots from Mrs. Beck and friends, Mrs. Walsh, Miss M. Dickson, Mrs. McPherson and Mrs. Birdsall; quilts, from Mrs. D. H. Barrits, Miss Greer and Miss Forsythe; from Mrs. Walsh and Miss Dickson in addition, two washstands and crockery, toilet articles, looking glass, pictures, chair, etc.

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialities never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in Garman silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

Meeting of Committees To-day to Award Various Tenders.

A meeting of a committee of the County Council was held this morning to receive tenders for the construction of Steel's Bridge. There were present the Warden, Messrs. Middleton and Pearce, and the County Engineer. Decisive action in regard to the tenders were deferred until Tuesday next in order to give the County Engineer an opportunity to examine them.

The Committee on Supplies also met this afternoon and awarded tenders for cordwood for Court House to Mr. E. Trannum, son of Joseph Trannum, Smith, and to Mr. J. H. Garbutt and James Davidson.

ANNUAL MEETING.

St. Andrew's Women's Foreign Missionary Society.

The annual meeting of the St. Andrew's Women's Foreign Missionary Society was held last Tuesday and was largely attended.

Miss I. B. Waddell, secretary, read the annual report, which was in every sense encouraging, although a note of regret was expressed that there were many Christian women who had not identified themselves with the foreign work.

During the year lectures had been given, regular meetings held, and clothing and suitable articles sent to India.

In November a Mission Band was organised, and this was noted as a decided step forward.

There are now thirty members on the roll, and the treasurer's statement shows $150 received.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Maple Leaf Lodge L.T.B.A.

At an enthusiastic meeting of Maple Leaf Lodge L.T.B.A. last evening the following officers were elected for the year:

Sister	Mrs C Rome (re-elected) ..... W M
"	Mrs G Sloan ..... D M
"	Miss J Chattes ..... Rec Sec
"	Mrs Wilson ..... Fin Sec
"	Miss Phronie Tighe ..... Treas
"	Mrs R Thorndyke ..... Chap
"	Mrs J Ballaghem ..... D of C
"	Miss Ada Thorndyke ..... Lecturer
"	Mrs W R G Armstrong ..... 1st Com
"	Mrs T Lang ..... 2nd Com
"	Mrs C Smith ..... 3rd Com
"	Mrs J Chattes ..... 4th Com
"	Mrs E Hetherington ..... 5th Com
"	Miss L Ballaghem ..... Inside Tyler
"	Mrs J Saunders ..... Outside Tyler
"	G Sloan } Auditors
"	W Jones } Auditors
"	Rome } Trustees
"	Thorndyke } Trustees
"	Chattes } Trustees

The officers will be installed at their next regular meeting in January by Bro. W. H. Wilson, D.D.G.M.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. will hold an afternoon and evening reception in the rooms of the Association, 168 Brock street, on New Year's Day. A good musical and literary programme will be provided and refreshments will be served. The young women of the town are urged to co-operate with the various committees in making the occasion a success. Contributions from the public in the form of games will be gladly received.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	15° above zero	
Yesterday	15°	6° below

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Rye Meal is a delicious substitute for oat meal or wheat meal when one wants a change in porridge. It is becoming very popular and equals many of the breakfast cereals and is cheaper. E. F. MASON & Co. 429 George street.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
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Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

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For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, motioes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, hall rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 434 Water street.

NOMINATIONS

For Separate School Board Trustees To-day.

At noon to-day nominations were received for the Separate School Board, as follows:

1st Ward—Joseph Gosslin, acclamation.
2nd Ward—T. B. McGrath and John Coughlin.
3rd Ward—J. J. Lynch, acclamation.
4th Ward—Joseph Hickey, acclamation.

As will be observed the trustees in Wards 1, 3 and 4 are returned by acclamation, but there will be a contest in Ward 2 unless one of the nominees retires.

A GAY NIGHT AT COURT LITTLEJOHN, C. O. F.

Splendid Initiation Ceremonies—Slate of Officers for 1898—All-night Enthusiasm Among the Followers of Robin Hood.

Monday night was a record-breaker at Court Littlejohn, No. 92, Canadian Order of Foresters. There was an unusually large attendance of the members, which was increased by the presence of a large delegation of visitors. Interest was enhanced by the fact that six new members were to be initiated into the mysteries of Forestry, and that the degree team of Court Peterborough was to be present in full initiatory robes to assist in the impressive ceremonies.

Bro. Robert Morris, Chief Ranger, presided, and after the opening ceremonies had been disposed of, preparations were made for the initiations and the reception of the team. Great interest was manifested in this event. The candidates were duly prepared, and handed over to the captain of the team, who marshalled his staff of brilliantly robed officers with a precision and skill that would have done honour to Robin Hood himself.

The beautiful ceremonies of the new ritual were then picturesquely exemplified and the candidates submitted to their first baptism of the forest from start to finish with a heroism and fortitude which elicited the admiration of the brethren.

After a unanimous vote of thanks had been passed by the court to the members of the team for their very efficient services, the Chief Ranger announced an adjournment for refreshments, which were served up in the adjoining dining room, under the direction of Mine Host McCallum.

On the re-opening of the court the nomination and election of officers was proceeded with, and after a two hours animated contest resulted in the selection of the efficient staff of officers published in yesterday's EXAMINER.

AT HOME AND SMOKER.

Held by the Non-Commissioned Officers on Monday Evening Last.

Monday evening a successful "At Home and Smoker" was held in their new rooms, Simcoe street. A number of visitors from a distance were there, including Band Sergt. R. Irwin, of Montreal, Sgt. H. Hounsell, of Montmorency, Que., Sgt. B. Roberts, Ottawa; Sgt. F. Cox, Toronto, and Corp. Tom Baker, Pisquet.

A number of the officers were present, including Lieut.-Col. Bell, Major Edwards, Chaplain Davidson, Capt. Miller, Lieut. Mills, Lieut. Ball and others.

Pipes and tobacco having been brought forward the evening's enjoyment commenced, and the following first-class programme was rendered:—

Instrumental	Staff-Sgt W F Green
Song	W Moncrief
Recitation	Major Edwards
Song	Prof J Henderson
Song	Sgt Bert Roberts
Reading	Corp Tom Baker
Stump Speech	Col-Sgt Alf Gaskin
Song	Col-Sgt Wes Edwards
Duet	Messrs Miller and Moncrief
Slight of hand exhibition	R M Bell
Song	W Miller
Recitation	Capt Miller
Song	Prof J Henderson
Speech	Lt-Col Bell
Duet	Miller and Moncrief
Song	Col-Sgt Wes Edwards
Song	Sgt Bert Roberts
Song	Sgt H Sherwood

The Rev. J. C. Davidson, Chaplain of the battalion, was present and made an address.

"Major" Smith, a member of the 5th Royal Scots, was present in full uniform.

The accompanist of the evening, Mr. J. Henderson, played to the entire satisfaction of all.

During the evening the 57th Batt. Band serenaded the non-commissioned officers.

The evening's enjoyment was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem, and everyone voted it the most successful smoker they had ever attended.

A CHRISTMAS TREE.

For the Primary Class of St. Andrew's Church Last Evening.

The Primary Class Xmas entertainment in St. Andrew's church last night was in every sense highly satisfactory and intensely pleasing to the children. Tea was served at 5 o'clock and after various games a dialogue was very well rendered under the direction of Miss Landy. After choruses by the children, Santa Claus distributed the presents from the trees. The decorations of the hall were very beautiful, being gaily coloured with flags and evergreen while the tree and platform were illuminated with coloured incandescent lights.

The hearty thanks of all present were given to Mrs. VanEvery and Miss Trimble for the complete success of the evening's entertainment.

Tonight the Sabbath School and Bible Class have their concert and after tea, which will be served at 5 30, the programme, to which all parents and friends are invited, will open at 7 o'clock.

PERSONAL.

Miss M. Potvin, Lake street, is visiting friends in Trenton.

The Misses Dixon of Toronto, are visiting Mrs. James Hamilton at the Grand Central Hotel.

Miss Nellie Sauvis of Trenton, returned to her home last evening, having spent the last few weeks in town.

Miss A. Case of Bracebridge, who has been visiting here for some time past, returned home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wanless of Toronto Junction have returned home, after spending Christmas with the latter's mother, Mrs. Geo. Rickey.

Trooper Joseph J. Duffis, of C Squadron, 3rd Prince of Wales Canadian Dragoons, having completed his course of instruction at the Royal Military School of Cavalry, Toronto, has returned to his home in Peterborough.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Diaries for 1898.

Now is the time to secure your diaries while the stock is at its best. Those accustomed to using a diary know how convenient it is to get just what they want. Our new styles of office, desk and pocket diaries in leather and cloth contain a lot of valuable information and dates, and are very conveniently arranged. Have you got your Canadian Almanac for 1898? A. H. STRATTON & Co., Peterborough Bookstore.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

The Superintendent of Grace Church Methodist Sunday School Remembered by his Fellow-Workers.

The proceedings in Grace church Sunday school were varied in a most pleasant manner on Sabbath last, when an address was read to superintendent, Mr. Might, and a presentation made.

Mr. D. W. Dumble read the address, which was very encouraging in its nature, and was accompanied by the gift of a year's subscription to the Christian Herald, and a Bible.

Mr. Might replied in a few suitable words, thanking his friends for their kindness and expressing the hope that they might continue to work harmoniously and successfully together in the Sunday school work.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

The Bible Class of Miss Nicholls Handsomely Remember Her.

Last night the members of the girl's Bible class in the Murray street Baptist church Sunday school, called on their teacher, Miss Nicholls, at her residence, 216 McDonel street. After being warmly welcomed, Miss Maud Taylor read the following address:

Dear Miss Nicholls:

At this season when the spirit of peace and good will animates all those who own allegiance to the Prince of Peace, your pupils of the girls' Bible class of the Murray street Baptist church Sunday school, desire to show their appreciation of the patient and faithful efforts you have bestowed upon our spiritual improvement. To mark this appreciation we ask your acceptance of this copy of Peloubets Notes for 1898, believing that to one whose trust is a higher help, it will serve to make your devotion to the service of the Master even more fruitful in the future than it has been in the past. With loving good wishes for a happy New Year, we remain, dear teacher,

ON BEHALF OF THE CLASS.

Miss Nicholls, who was very deeply affected by this evidence of the regard of her class, returned thanks in a suitable manner, after which refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening of music and social recreation was enjoyed.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT.

For the Pupils of the Charlotte Street Sunday School.

The Christmas entertainment of the Charlotte street church Sunday school was held last evening, when a free tea was provided for over three hundred pupils. Afterwards Rev. D. O. Crossley took the chair and the following programme was presented:

Chorus	School
Recitation	Tora Moore
Solo	Helen Dyer
Recitation	May Jory
Chorus	School
Duet	Tora and Myra Moore
Recitation	Olive Huffman
Instrumental duet	Eva and Stanley Stradd
Reading	Lois Ostrom
Chorus	School
Recitation	Mabel Brown
Instrumental trio	Miss Winnie Dobbin, Miss Boyer and Alf Cox
Chorus	School
Recitation	Lena Thorndyke
Selection	Choir
Reading	Master Nicholls
Recitation	Ida Kirk
God Save the Queen	School

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 429 Water Street.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 289 Georges treet.

BIRTH.

McLACHLAN—In Havelock, on Monday, 13th Dec., 1897, the wife of Mr. Josh McLachlan of a daughter.

SCANLAN—In Havelock, on Tuesday, 7th Dec., 1897, the wife of Mr. P. J. Scanlan of a son.

MARRIED.

ALLEN—PHILPS—On Wednesday, Dec. 15th, 1897, at the residence of Mr. Ebenezer Jenkins, 9th con. of Dummer, by Rev. Mr. White, Mr. Thos. Allen, of Asphodel, to Miss Alberta Philps, of Dummer.

DIED

REDMAN—In Peterborough, on Sunday Dec. 26th, 1897, Mary Redman, wife of Mr. Robert Redman.

TULLY—At the Nicholls Hospital, on Sunday, December 26th, 1897, Thomas Duncan Tully, only son of the late Andrew Tully, aged 24 years.

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THE LATE JOHN BURNHAM, Q. C.

Sad Death of a Prominent and Much-Respected Citizen.

Drowned in the River at the Foot of his Grounds this Morning—Business Troubles, Despondency and Self-Destruction—Details of the Sad Occurrence—Sketch of the Deceased Gentleman's Life.

The town was greatly shocked this morning by the report that Mr. John Burnham had, in a moment of unsettled reason, taken his own life by throwing himself into the river at the foot of his residence grounds in Ashburnham.

Great excitement was occasioned by the rumour, amongst the business men and small groups discussed the matter on almost every street corner, whilst the greatest solicitude was expressed for the affliction which had been occasioned the family.

Mr. Burnham has been so greatly oppressed by business troubles, which accumulated during the last few months, that he has been unable to sleep at night. This fact told upon his nerves to a considerable extent, and at times he complained greatly of his head. During the last several weeks his worry appeared to increase, as the strain on his nervous constitution grew greater, through the tension created by the need of sleep.

He was in and out of his office yesterday attending to business, but last evening at dinner he talked incoherently to such an extent as to occasion uneasiness amongst the members of the family, and when several friends called during the evening, he did not apparently notice their presence, although usually the most courteous and kindly of hosts. Later on he retired to his library, and asking

NOT TO BE DISTURBED,

threw himself on the lounge in an endeavour to obtain sleep. Members of the family having occasion to visit the library, saw him at intervals during the evening as he lay on the sofa, but as the change in his demeanour had been gradual, no alarm was felt and the family retired at the usual hour, with the exception of some of the younger members who were out spending the evening. On their return Mr. Burnham was still occupying the library, and in answer to their inquiries he stated that he was still troubled with insomnia.

This morning when Mrs. Burnham came down stairs she noticed that the library was vacant, and on entering found on the desk a slip of paper on which was written: "I have hardly slept for a month, I can't endure it, my brain is going. God help me." This was unsigned, but as it was in the well-known handwriting of her husband, the note aroused the greatest apprehensions, and the family was at once aroused and Mr. R. B. Rogers was immediately telephoned for, this was at seven o'clock.

Tracks were noticed leading from the front door across the garden in the direction of the river, and Mr. Burnham's eldest son, Harold, followed them out across the ice to

THE RIVER'S EDGE,

where he found one slipper and a smoking cap belonging to his father, and as there was no further trace, the terrible conviction was forced home that in a moment of temporary aberration his father had taken his own life.

There is no doubt existing as to the unfortunate ending of Mr. Burnham's life as the footprints led directly to the edge of the ice across the snow and there was but the one track and no way of returning without leaving some trace. The spot on the ice to which the footprints were traced was to a point just opposite the Peterborough Canoe factory where the river was frozen to some distance out.

It seems strange that up to this time no one has appeared who saw the regrettable act committed, although it must have occurred in broad daylight.

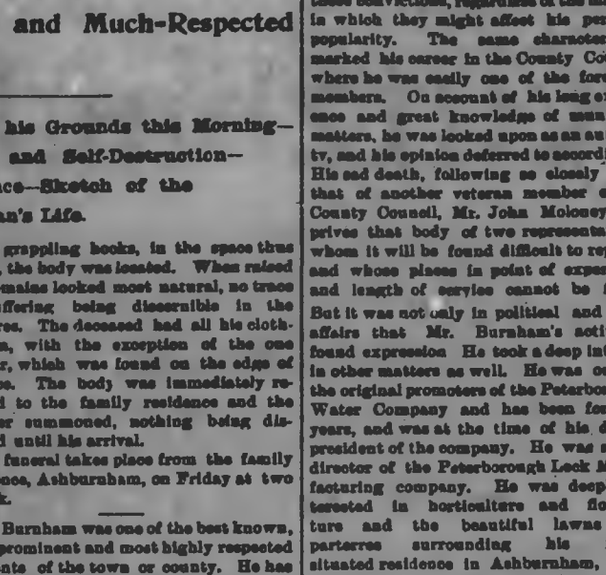
No one has made any statements, as yet, regarding seeing Mr. Burnham at any time this morning, and the evidence therefore as to his death though purely circumstantial, is of a nature which now leaves no room for doubt as to the facts connected with it.

THE BODY FOUND.

The entire staff from the Trent Canal offices turned out to assist in the search for the body, and a large number of citizens also gathered along the edge of the river on the ice. At about two o'clock, or shortly before, the remains were located in about four feet of water not far from the point to which the footprints were traced. Large blocks of ice had been cut out and floated away in the river channel to allow a row boat to be used, and when using grappling hooks, in the space thus made, the body was located. When raised the remains looked most natural, no trace of suffering being discernible in the features. The deceased had all his clothing on, with the exception of the one slipper, which was found on the edge of the ice. The body was immediately removed to the family residence and the coroner summoned, nothing being disturbed until his arrival.

The funeral takes place from the family residence, Ashburnham, on Friday at two o'clock.

Mr. Burnham was one of the best known, most prominent and most highly respected residents of the town or county. He has been before the public all his adult life, and has taken an active part in public affairs, with credit both to himself and the interests he was associated with. He was, at the time of his death, a few days over fifty-five years of age, having been born in St. Thomas, Ontario, on Dec. 3rd, 1842. At ten years of age he came to Peterborough with his father, the late Rev. Mark Burnham. He received his preliminary education in Peterborough, and at the Galt Grammar School under the late Dr. Tassie. He was called to the bar in 1866, and began the practice of his profession, which he has since conducted with marked success. He



THE LATE JOHN BURNHAM, Q. C., Ex-M. P.

was made a Q.C. by the Dominion Government in 1869. Mr. Burnham was a public-spirited citizen, and during all his adult life, has taken an active interest in public affairs, much success attending his efforts in this direction. He became reeve of the village of Ashburnham, where he resided (though his law offices were in Peterborough), in 1875, and has continuously represented the village in the county council, till last year, when he retired to accept the position of one of the representatives of the Otonabee Division in the county council, to which he was elected by acclamation. In 1877 he was elected warden of the county and occupied that position for three years. He entered the Dominion Parliament, as representative of East Peterborough and a supporter of the Conservative Administration, at the general elections of 1878. He was again returned at the general election of 1882, but was an unsuccessful candidate in 1887. He was, however, returned at the general election of 1891, and was an unsuccessful candidate in the last general elections. Mr. Burnham was a pronounced Conservative, but an honourable opponent. In Parliament he was not a frequent speaker, but when he did speak he commanded the attention of the House. He was more distinguished for his solid qualities as a representative and for his grasp of public questions, than for frequent participation in debate. He was not a man that made any special bids for popularity, and it was respect for his abilities and direct decision of character that commanded the esteem of his constituents. He had the courage of his convictions, and seemed to give expression to these convictions, regardless of the manner in which they might affect his personal popularity. The same characteristics marked his career in the County Council, where he was easily one of the foremost members. On account of his long experience and great knowledge of municipal matters, he was looked upon as an authority, and his opinion deferred to accordingly. His sad death, following so closely upon that of another veteran member of the County Council, Mr. John Moloney, deprives that body of two representatives, whom it will be found difficult to replace, and whose places in point of experience and length of service cannot be filled.

But it was not only in political and civic affairs that Mr. Burnham's activities found expression. He took a deep interest in other matters as well. He was one of the original promoters of the Peterborough Water Company and has been for ten years, and was at the time of his death, president of the company. He was also a director of the Peterborough Lock Manufacturing company. He was deeply interested in horticulture and floriculture and the beautiful lawns and parterres surrounding his finely situated residence in Ashburnham, were evidences of his taste in that direction. He was an active member of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society, and a frequent, and successful, exhibitor. In religious matters he also took a prominent part. He was at the time of his death church warden of St. Luke's, and had held that position continuously since the organization of the congregation, twenty-two years ago. Previous to that he had been church warden of St. John's. He took a deep interest in the advancement of all the plans of the Church. Personally, Mr. Burnham was somewhat distant and self-contained, but this peculiarity of manner covered a warm heart and a genial disposition. In personal intercourse he would unbend, and few could be found to be more entertaining conversationalists. He was a good reader, good thinker, and he had the faculty of putting his ideas into practice with the minimum of parade and the maximum of effectiveness.

In every way Mr. Burnham was a model citizen. He was thoroughly genuine in character, and throughout the county and throughout the country the intelligence of his inexpressibly sad death will be received with deep regret. In 1868 he was united in marriage to Maria, daughter of the late R. D. Rogers, Esq., who survives him, as well as five children.

STONY LAKE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. George Grant is not any better. He is now seriously ill, and if he does not soon get a change for the better will not last long.

The teacher of our school had an entertainment and concert on the last day of school, which was a grand success, and a crowded house.

About a dozen of the young people from here drove out one night last week to near Lakefield, and spent a very enjoyable evening with a friend there. They enjoyed the drive immensely.

The ice "took" on Stony Lake about a week ago, but on account of the recent snow it is not making any and is unfit for travel.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

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OUTLYING NOMINATIONS.

These who will Contest for the Reeveships and Township Council Chairs.

ASPHODEL.

The old council has been elected by acclamation as follows:
Reeve—James Andrews.
Deputy-Reeve—Wm. Oakman.
Councillors—P. McNulty, R. A. Scott and John Harrison.

BURLEIGH AN ANDSTRUTHER.

For Reeve—William Galton and William Tucker.
For Councillors—Duncan Brown, Wm. Hales, John Kilborn, Thos. Lean, George Mathews, Wm. Wilson, and Andrew Wilson.

CHANDOS.

Reeve—J. Monague.
Councillors—John Ballied, M. Couche, W. J. Rossbash, D. S. Campbell, John Hales, Andrew Wilson.

DUMMER.

For Reeve—H. A. Moore, acclamation.
For Deputy Reeve—J. Darling and T. Webster.
For Councillors—Nathan Payne, John Kelly, William Mills and John Williamson.

GALWAY AND CAVENDISH.

For Reeve—Charles Coben and Michael Mansfield.
For Councillors—James Allen, Michael Collins, David Curtin, John Gilmour, John Lambert, Thomas McNamara, William Rose, John White.

HARVEY.

For Reeve—Arthur Dewdney and A. G. Shearer.
For Councillors—Thos. Flynn, James McOliver, W. J. Oliver, Thomas Elliott and John Tate.

LAKEFIELD.

On Monday the nominations were held in the town hall at 12 o'clock, when the following gentlemen were nominated to fill the different positions for the next year. There promises to be a lively contest:

For Reeve—J. F. Lillicrap and John Hull.
For Councillors—C. J. Burgiss, R. H. Braden, Dr. J. R. Fraser, J. H. McWilliams, J. E. Richardson, F. J. Moore, John Isbister, J. F. Lillicrap, John Hull, Wm. Harper.
For School Trustees.—Dr. D. Fraser, R. O. Dench, Wellington McDonald, R. C. Strickland.

The school trustees were elected by acclamation.

Mr. J. H. McWilliams retired from nomination as councillor.

Messrs. Hull and Lillicrap were nominated for both reeve and councillors, but have decided to run for reeve.

Speeches were made by the different candidates, Mr. G. J. Galvin occupying the chair in a very efficient manner.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

For Reeve—John McIntosh, M Johnson, Jos Barnard and Jos Forster. The last three withdrew their names, thus leaving Mr John McIntosh reeve by acclamation.
For Councillors—Jos Madill, T M Hunter, Geo May, T E Bradburn, *Wm Whitfield, W G Yelland, *Dr Galloway, *Newton Maybee and Andrew Young.
*Retired from the contest.

SOUTH MONAGHAN.

In this township the council were all elected by acclamation and are as follows: Reeve—W. H. Hutchison. Councillors—Alex. Anderson, jr., John Buckham, J. W. Dawson, Herbert Perrin.

OTONABEE.

The old council was re-elected by acclamation, viz., T. J. Johnston, reeve; John Lancaster, 1st deputy-reeve; John Devell, 2nd deputy-reeve; John Grady and A. Weir, councillors.

SMITH.

Reeve—John G. Armstrong by acclamation.
For Deputy-Reeve—Wm. McIlmoyle and Wm. Carter.
For Councillors—H. C. Garbutt, Geo. E. Elliott, Samuel Stinson and Edward Fitzgerald.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful; active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

Before we bid good-bye to the Old Year, we expect a busy Holiday week. As an extra inducement, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments until New Years. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

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1 lb. No. 1 Chocolate Drops	15c
1 lb. Mixed Candies	8c
4 lbs Gum Drops	25c
1 lb. No. 1 Walnuts	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Almonds	10c
1 lb. No. 1 Filberts	10c
1 lb. Spanish Grapes	18c
1 lb Table Raisins	12c
1 Bottle Unfermented Wine, for your Christmas Dinner, all kinds, Grape, Rasberry, Black Currant, Black Berry, Tokay, Black Cherry, Orange, etc., quart Bottles at	30c

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TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of No. 1 Ward to again become a candidate for Councillor, I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit your votes and support.

Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,

NOAH T. LePLANTE.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having again been honoured with the nomination as Councillor for the "Banner Ward," I hereby solicit your votes and influence to place me in the council for 1898. If you do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to continue to insist upon as rigid economy in civic expenditure as is consistent with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE RATEPAYERS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

At the request of many ratepayers of Ward No. 2, I have decided to accept the nomination as Candidate for election as one of your Councillors for 1898.

I ask the hearty support of all ratepayers and if elected will do all in my power to further the interests of the town and to ensure, as far as possible, practical and economical administration of affairs during the year. As the time is short I am unable to make a thorough personal canvas, but trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,

T. H. HAMILTON.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 28th, 1897.

At the request of numerous ratepayers of this, the most important business ward of the town, I have accepted nomination as Councillor for 1898. I therefore take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and influence—of the ladies as well as of the gentlemen. If you do me the honour of electing me for this important position, I pledge myself to use my best judgment to forward the interests of Peterborough as your representative.

Being a large manufacturer and property holder in town, it will certainly be to my interest to support whatever will assist in advancing the interests of the municipality, so as to make it one of the most important business centres in the province. As far as lies in my power, I will also favour rigid economy in civic expenditure consistent with the efficient management of our town affairs.

Yours truly,

D. BELLEGHEM.

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TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been urged by a number of the influential ratepayers of Ward No. 2 to become a candidate for Councillor in this important Ward, I have decided to accept nomination.

I therefore beg leave to respectfully solicit the votes and influence of the electors of the Ward, and promise that the interests of this Ward and the town shall receive my best attention, in case I should be elected by your valued support.

As I may be unable to make a personal canvas of all the electors before polling day, I trust those whom I may not be able to see will lend me their valuable support and influence.

Respectfully yours,

W. L. ALLEN.

Dec. 29th, 1897. 4d

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having been nominated a candidate for ward No. 2, I respectfully solicit your support. If elected I am prepared to give my best attention to the affairs pertaining to that office, to promote the best interests of the town, to support a policy of progress and industry in a legitimate and fair manner, governed by strict economy and even-handed justice.

Yours respectfully,

M. H. QUINLAN.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for Councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage an economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN M. WHITE.

December 28th, 1897.

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doubled up and could hardly walk, except in a stooping position. Very often I was unable to work, suffering agony both day and night. I had severe pain in the lower part of my stomach, and other symptoms which proved conclusively that my kidneys were in a very unhealthy condition. My appetite was lost and my strength declined rapidly.

"I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills in March last, and after using three boxes of them was completely restored to health. I have not had the slightest pain or stiffness in any part of my back, or any indication of my former trouble, since using these wonderful pills.

"With the restoration of my kidneys to a healthy condition, my appetite was restored, and my strength returned, so that I am now strong and hearty. I make this statement of my cure by Doan's Kidney Pills with the greatest pleasure, because when I commenced taking them I did not really expect so remarkable a cure as that which followed their use. I am very thankful that I hit upon this remedy, and gladly recommend it to all sufferers." 267

One Laxa-Liver Pill every Night for Thirty Days Cures Constipation.

CAR HORSE'S WORST FATE.

It Is to Be Made a "Helper" on Up Grades.

No worse fate can befall a street car horse than to be condemned to do service as a helper. It is a life sentence in most cases and is a punishment, not for misconduct or poor work, but for faithful service and loyalty to his masters. When a horse has proved that he is strong and honest and faithful, he is taken from the ranks of the regular street car horses and assigned to some hill or grade to help spring the car up it.

There could be no more heartbreaking labor. Literally it is all "up hill work." Never a gentle slope where he may catch his breath or a level stretch where he may shake out the cramps in his legs, nothing but pulling a burden up hill all his days.

They don't live long. The best horses are put into the service, but the pace is too fast for them. They break down, as a general thing, before they have finished the first year.

Aside from the tremendous physical strain which the work demands, the helper is exposed to all sorts and conditions of weather. Seldom is a blanket thrown over him even on the coldest days when he is steaming from his exertions. After pulling one car up a grade he is compelled to return to the foot of the hill on the run in order to meet the next car. It is not to be wondered at that his knees give way, his wind becomes broken, his eyes sightless and that he breaks down altogether in less than 18 months.

As for the other street car horses, the regulars, the sympathy which the public always has expended on them is more or less wasted. Their lot does not begin to be as hard as persons believe, and, compared to that of the truck horse, it is a sinecure. He does not have to work more than four hours a day and has only two trips of eight miles each to make. The average horse, whether a brougham aristocratic or a dumpcart plebeian, considers himself lucky if he has no more than 16 miles a day to travel.—New York Press.

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No Name on Earth So Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

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Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a purely vegetable, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night or thirty days will cure constipation.

A TIPPLER'S JOKE.

It Was of the Practical Kind and Might Have Resulted Seriously.

One of the best known men about town, who died a few years ago, often told a practical joke that was played on him which forever left its mark. The man in question was a great sportsman, and nothing could keep him away from angling and shooting when there was the least chance to do a good day's work. In earlier years he was in the habit of going to a little village in Wisconsin famous for its well stocked streams. A man named Beech kept a little hotel here, and the colonel—we will call him that—often put up with him. He arrived there one night in July and retired soon after supper, determined to get a good night's rest. The landlord was in the bar and somewhat worse for what he had imbibed.

"I suppose I can have my old room?" said the colonel as he shook hands with him.

"Certainly, certainly, my boy. But you'll have to sleep with the major—you know the major—as the house is full."

There may have been a merry twinkle in his eye as he said this, but the colonel took no notice of it. Yes, he knew the major. The major was a pleasant old chap who had lived in the village for years and made his headquarters at the tavern. There was a new moon that night, and the colonel found it light enough to retire without a lamp. Besides, he didn't want to disturb his roommate, who appeared to be fast asleep. Very much fatigued with his day's tramp, he tumbled into bed and was just dozing off when he heard the door open and some one come into the room. In the dim light the colonel distinguished the outlines of a young man and woman. They sat down on the sofa, where the rays of the moon fell upon them. The colonel could not understand the situation, but he waited to see what would come of it.

"Dearest," said the man in dulcet tones, "I don't want you to have so much to say to Billy Jones."

"Why, Charley, you know I don't care a rap for him. I love you. You ought to know that."

There was a kiss and then another. The colonel nudged his friend, the major, well knowing that his sense of humor would render the scene all the more enjoyable, but he didn't move. The sweet talk went on very quietly and decorously. Again the colonel jabbed his bedfellow. Somehow the major was sleeping very soundly, and the colonel raised himself on his elbow and took his first good look at him. Imagine his horror when he discovered little square pieces of damp cloth over his eyes and a bandage around his head to keep his jaw in position. The major was dead.

The colonel gave one yell and sprang from the bed. Another bound and he was out of the door and tearing down the stairs. Not until he reached the taproom and swallowed a large goblet of whisky did he recover sufficiently from his fright to ask for an explanation from the landlord, who by this time was thoroughly intoxicated.

He confessed that he had played a joke on his guest and hoped it had not given him much of a turn. The best part of the joke was on the young couple, who had volunteered to sit up with the corpse. When the colonel jumped from the bed, they thought it was a veritable resurrection. The bold lover threw himself out of the window, and the girl fainted dead away. A sprained ankle was the extent of the injuries received by her sweetheart. The landlord settling the bill. The landlord was quickly sobered by the commotion, but the colonel never went back to that place, no matter if the fish did bite better there in July than anywhere else in Wisconsin.—St. Louis Republic.

THIN GLASS TUMBLERS.

Effects of the Haste With Which Some of Them Are Made.

The thin glass tumblers which have recently been put on the American market in such enormous quantities have surprised many a housekeeper by cracking suddenly while standing on the shelves. It has needed ocular demonstration to convince some housekeepers that tumblers could behave in this manner. When one of these tumblers is found cracked, the first thought is that a careless servant must be in fault. Hot water or rough handling was always the cause of the breakage of the old fashioned flint glass goblets. The difference between the old and the new kinds of tumblers seems to be in the haste with which the latter is prepared, thus necessitating a very short stay in the annealing furnace. The molecules of the glass in this case have no chance to arrange themselves in lines of least strain, so that every new fashioned tumbler is filled with torsion stresses tending to fracture its substance with any slight external aid, as, for example, the cool air from an open window striking the proximate sides of the tumblers set on a dining room table. Of course the advantage of using the new kind of tumblers is that their cost is only one-fifth or one-sixth of the old kind.

Looking at the matter more broadly, the tendency of the new glasses to spontaneous fracture is only another illustration of crystalline degeneration. Herbert Spencer, in perhaps the most fascinating chapter on evolution which he has ever written, points out that all substances which have been rendered colloid by the application of heat sooner or later radiate this heat, which has been acting as a cement between the molecules and become crystalline. Mr. Spencer gives as illustrations of this process the igneous rocks in their various stages, from molten lava to granite, and jam, which becomes gritty when kept too long, owing to the crystallization of the contained sugar.—Cassier's Magazine.

THEIR FAME WORLD WIDE.

Health, Strength, Happiness Mark Where Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Been Used.

Glencoe, Dec. 20.—From city to city town to town, village to village and over the broad fields of the Dominion, the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills, the medical marvel of the century, the only infallible cure on earth for Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Lame Back, and all other kidney diseases, is spreading.

London reported two wonderful cures by means of Dodd's Kidney Pills, within two weeks. Glencoe has a case quite as startling.

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Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

HEAVY DAMAGES CLAIMED

By Montreal Importers From Newspapers Which Charged Customs Frauds.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 28. — Messrs. Fitzgibbon, Shafheitlen & Co., importers, have entered actions for $100,000 against the Shareholder, the Sunday Sun, and Les Nouvelles, because of sensational reports regarding alleged customs frauds published by the newspapers. Some time ago there was a rumor on the street that the customs officials were looking into some affairs in connection with the firm, when the latter sent their lawyer to the collector, inviting inspection of their books and offering security for any deficiency that might be found.

Got a Bad Tumble.

Bell River, Ont., Dec. 28.—While training a young horse on the river yesterday, Horace Markham's cutter struck a snag, and he was thrown out. He was picked up senseless, and is now confined to his room with serious injuries.

London's Little Army to be Reduced.

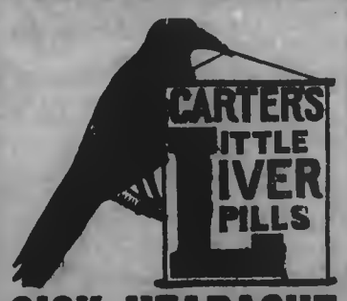
London, Ont., Dec. 28.—Word has reached Wolseley barracks that an order is likely to go into effect which will reduce the staff considerably. The present force numbers about 67 in all, including commissioned officers, non-coms. and men. In all probability the number will be reduced to 40.

Cotton Operatives' Overtures Rejected.

Fall River, Mass., Dec. 28.—The cotton manufacturers yesterday rejected the counter proposition made to them by the operatives. The leaders of the 20,000 operatives affected purpose to refer the question of strike or acceptance of reduction to the unions.

Toronto's Mayoralty.

Toronto, Dec. 28.—Yesterday Mayor Shaw, Ald. Preston, ex-Ald. E. A. Macdonald, Dr. Barwick and Ald. Hallam were nominated and late last night were still all in the field. It is, however, anticipated that the two last named will retire and make the fight a triangular one.



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The best thing for you, if you feel that your full bodily energy is lacking, is to seek the strengthening, power-producing help of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery which confers upon the digestive organs that keen zest of appetite and assimilation which transforms the food into nourishing, health-building blood, active muscular force, nervous energy and rugged endurance.

Do not wait until dyspepsia spreads into "liver complaint" and that turns into bronchial trouble which finally verges into consumption. Do not rely upon the delusive stimulus of malt extracts and sarsaparillas and oily compounds; do not allow a designing druggist who seeks only his own profit rather than your health to foist any "boom" medicine upon you. Insist upon the remedy which is backed by thirty years of steadily increasing sales to attest its constant usefulness and popularity.

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IN THE HINTERLAND.

WEALTH OF WEST AFRICA THAT FRANCE AND ENGLAND ARE AFTER.

The Tradesmen of the Two European Countries Are Engaged In a Struggle For Conquest Which May Call For Arbitration to Prevent a War.

James Pinnock, African merchant of Liverpool, who was one of the original promoters of the Royal Niger company and director for many years, in the course of an interview with a representative of The Daily Mail, said: "I went out to west Africa 40 years ago and visited almost every port and place in that region, including the Niger, many times, and my business has been with west Africa ever since. In 1870 I built a steamer, called the Rio Formoso, specially for service on the river Niger, and with her I explored and opened up, for the first time in history, the river Forcados. This river flows into the Atlantic and is one of the entrances to the Niger.

"The importance of this great river Niger and the hinterland is well known to those who are engaged in the African trade, but we can only expect it will slowly dawn on the mind of the British public. I am convinced, however, the more they look into it the more important they will see it is to the interests of British trade not to lose any of it.

"Fifteen years ago there were four firms trading on the Niger. They were the West African company, the Central African Trading company (and with this latter Taubman Bros.—one of them now Sir Taubman Goldie—were connected), Miller Bros. and myself. We all four firms joined and called ourselves the United African company, which was subsequently changed to the National African company and after that again to the Royal Niger company.

"The position today," continued Mr. Pinnock, "would be better understood if a good map could be put before the public of the whole hinterland of our west African colonies. Such a thing unfortunately does not exist at present. The strict geography of the country is only understood by a very few. Our knowledge of the hinterland, however, has increased immensely during the past few years, and to instance one particularly large territory I would point out that the French flag is already flying at innumerable towns and stations extending from 4 degrees east longitude to 2 degrees west longitude and from about 6 degrees north latitude (in the neighborhood of Porto Novo and the Dahomey country) to the town of Say on the Niger, which is between 13 degrees and 14 degrees north. The English flag is to be found to the east of Porto Novo, and extending inland to the neighborhood of Nikki (now occupied by the French) to various degrees of latitude wherein are found the three British possessions and protectorates of Lagos, the Niger Coast protectorate and the Royal Niger company.

"It is from the interior, however, that the future great wealth of Africa will be derived, and if all this is allowed to fall into the lap of France she will be possessed of an empire second only if not equal in the future to the whole of our Indian empire.

"See what South Africa has already developed into, and as far only as minerals are concerned. The soil of Africa has not yet been barely scratched. The population of this part of Africa, with the advent of railways, stoppage of the slave trade, cessation of internal tribal warfare, will increase in equal ratio to that of the most favored parts of the southern states of America—I mean as far as the multiplication of the negro population is concerned.

"The development of this hinterland will, in my opinion, exceed all the dreams of the most enthusiastic colonial party in France. Both France and England have sacrificed many men and much money in the race to grasp this priceless treasure, and the difficulty of apportioning it will, I believe, be so great that it is more than probable, to avert extremes, it will have to be referred to some other nation, or council of nations, to arbitrate on, as the matter is far too weighty for easy or speedy settlement.

"As evidence of the activity of the French I may point to the railway from Senegal to the upper Niger. This is being pushed forward with a further vote of 1,000,000 francs from the Caisse des Depots et Consignations, thus cutting and heading off all our possessions from Gambia, Sierra Leone, the Gold Coast and Lagos down to the river Niger.

"A very great deal, if not the whole of the trouble on the Niger," added Mr. Pinnock, "would never have arisen but for the obnoxious charter given to the Royal Niger company. By reason of this charter every trader, white and black, British or otherwise, is entirely excluded from the country. Had the river and adjacent country been thrown open to free and legitimate trade, as all merchants have been clamoring so long for, backed up by the chambers of commerce of Liverpool and Manchester, all the places in question would have long since been full of British subjects, white and colored. Trade would have developed a thousandfold, and the French would never have gone near it."—London Mail.

This One Especially.

From a Paris paper we take the following conversation in a police court:

The President—It appears from your record that you have been 37 times previously convicted.

The Prisoner (sententiously)—Man is not perfect.—London Globe.

Practise Economy

In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

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The Same Old Plea.

One of the richest men in England, whose wealth makes him a target for many applications for help from poorer people, was visiting Paris, and the manner in which he repelled one of the applicants for his generosity is worth repeating.

On the opposite side of the hotel table sat a woman who had once been rich.

"Monsieur," she said, "you Englishmen are so chivalrous, so ready to assist those in distress."

"Yes," said the man of wealth, hesitating. He had heard that before and thought he knew what was coming next.

"Would you, with your usual generosity, do me a favor and a great kindness?"

"Yes, madame—that is, it depends somewhat"—

"Think well, monsieur, before you promise, for it is a great kindness."

It was the same old plea that he had heard many times before from people who wanted a loan.

"I am afraid that I shall have to, but what is it you wish?"

"Only that you would be kind enough, monsieur, to pass me the mustard. You have everything on your side of the table."—Pearson's Weekly.

Linseed Oil From Flaxseed.

Flaxseed oil, or linseed oil, is obtained by pressure from the seed of flax. The seeds are usually stripped from the dry flax stalks, a handful at a time, through a set of iron teeth, standing in a row, half an inch at the top and a quarter of an inch at the bottom. The seed bolls are then well dried and thrashed and winnowed, to remove the outside hull, or capsule, from the seed. The latter are then ground in mills and the powder is subjected to powerful hydraulic pressure, which extracts the oil. Sometimes the seed is roasted before grinding because the heat destroys the gummy matter in the interior coating of the seeds. The oil is therefore secured more free from mucilage, but it is of a higher color and of more acrid taste than that expressed from the raw seed.—St. Louis Republic.

Peking's Old Paper.

Peking's Kin Pan is the oldest newspaper in the world, having been published continuously for nearly 1,000 years. It began as a monthly, became a weekly in 1361, and since the beginning of the century has been a daily. It now publishes three editions a day, and, in order to prevent cheating by the venders, prints them on paper of different colors, the first being yellow, the second white and the last gray.

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Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N.Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 28.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, and prices unchanged. Straight rollers quoted at $3.95 to $4.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand is moderate, and prices steady. Red winter sold at 82½c to 83c, high freights. No. 2 spring on Midland quoted at 82c, and goose 77c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is held at 98c, Fort William, at $1.03, Toronto freight, and at 99c Midland.

BARLEY—The offerings are moderate and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c east. No. 3 extra at 27c west and feed sold at 25c west, and at 26c east.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24c to 24½c west, and at 25c on Midland; mixed steady at 23c to 23½c west.

PEAS—The market is firmer, with sales at 46c, north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is firmer, with sales at 31c west, and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is unchanged. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, and prices firm, at 27c west.

BRAN—Business quiet, with cars quoted at $7.50 west. Shorts $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

Leading Wheat Market.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 98½	$0 94
New York	1 01½	0 95⅝
Milwaukee	0 81½	0 93
St. Louis	0 97½	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 93½	0 94⅝
Detroit	0 92⅝	0 94
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 96	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 93	0 92⅛
Toronto, red	0 87	....
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Montreal, Dec. 27.—There were about 230 head of butchers' cattle, 10 calves and 70 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. Trade was very dull, as the butchers will not be wanting much beef for another week. A bunch of extra cattle were held at 4½c per lb., but none of them were sold during the early part of the day. Pretty good cattle sold at from 3¼c to nearly 4c per lb. Common dry cows sold at from 2c to 3¼c per lb. All the calves, excepting one, were of small size and sold at from $2.50 to $5 each. One of the calves was sold at $12. Sheep sold at from 3½c to 3¾c per lb.; lambs sold at from 4¼c to 4¾c per lb. Hogs quoted at 7 cents.

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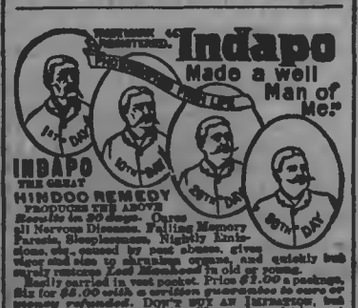
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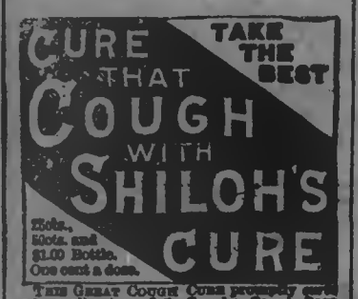
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Temperance and General	$ 142.448	$ 151.319	8.871	
Ontario Mutual	590.163	601.617	11.454	
Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170	
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115	
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825	
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700	
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435	
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408	
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448	
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752	
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.484	349.263	
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441	

From the above it will be seen that the Sun Life's increase was more than that of all the other Company's combined. These figures are taken from the Official Report of the Government Superintendent of Insurance, and cannot, therefore, be disputed.

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We Wish All "The People" a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

At the Concert and Christmas Tree Entertainment in Ennismore.

From Our Own Correspondent.

A very pleasing event took place at O'Reilly's school, Ennismore, on Thursday, evening, Dec. 23rd, the eve of the departure of the teacher, Miss O'Leary, when a large gathering assembled to spend a few of the most pleasant hours that the season has afforded, in listening to a long and varied programme rendered by the school children, assisted by some of the young people of the section, who so cheerfully gave their talent towards the enjoyment of the evening.

The school was tastefully decorated with evergreens, a profusion of roses and the red, white and blue. When the curtain was drawn at a few minutes past six, the stage disclosed a scene from fairyland, when twenty-four bright, happy little faces stood before the audience to greet them with an opening chorus, each wearing on his breast a red rose, the characteristic decoration of the evening.

The chairman appointed was Mr. John Telford, who ably filled the position, and by his witty and humourous remarks, repeatedly brought down the house. It would take too much space to go into the details of the programme, but one cannot omit "The Philosopher from Dublin" by Master Michael O'Reilly, which received great applause. Also a song, "She may have seen better days" by Misses Emma and Lizzie O'Donnell, who responded to an encore.

Mr. J. Mahoney also favoured the audience with a comic song, which was loudly applauded; but the chief feature of the programme was a recitation, "The Highway Cow," which was exceedingly well rendered in his own comic style by Mr. M. Conway.

The music for the evening was furnished by Messrs. Turner, Curtin, Conway and O'Donnell. The programme closed by a tableau, "Simply to the cross I cling," after which two little girls, Maggie Morrison and May Sullivan, stepped forward and presented the teacher with a handsome pair of fur gauntlets and the following address, which was very ably read by May Sullivan:

To Miss O'Leary, teacher of S. S. No. 2, Ennismore.

DEAR TEACHER,—We, the pupils of this section gather about you to-day to express the [illegible] and esteem which we have for you. During the past year you have laboured earnestly and diligently to promote our educational welfare. You have not spared yourself when labouring in our behalf, and have always shown us great kindness and consideration. Under your [illegible] patient and gentle treatment we have made rapid progress in our studies. Your example also has been such that we can follow it with great profit to ourselves. We desire, therefore, dear teacher, on this occasion to thank you for the kind interest you have taken in us. Ingratitude is a mean vice which we trust has no place in our hearts, for we can say with truth that we are very grateful to you for the patience and kindness you have always shown us. As a slight proof of our regard we ask you to accept these gauntlets. It is a small gift, very small indeed when compared with the love and respect that prompts the givers. We hope your life may be long and happy. We extend you all the compliments of the holiday season, and sincerely wish you a Merry Christmas and a very happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the pupils,

MAGGIE MORRISON,
MAY SULLIVAN.

As Miss Leary was too visibly overcome with emotion to reply, the chairman delivered a very effective address in her behalf.

After a vote of thanks had been tendered the chairman for the manner in which he had conducted the evening's entertainment, Santa Claus came forward, and in capital style disrobed the heavily-laden Christmas tree of its gifts, which caused much joy to the eager little ones, and much merriment to the grown members of the audience, who also were not forgotten. When the echoes of the laughter had subsided a fare well song to the teacher was sung by Mr. W. O'Donnell, then the entertainment was brought to a close by the singing of the "National Anthem."

A Mother's Story—Her little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having used your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Colds and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too highly of.

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MILLBROOK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Sam Hunter, cartoonist of the Toronto World, is in town visiting his father, Mr. John Hunter.

Mr. Walter Allen, barrister, Toronto, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his father, Rev. Archdeacon Allen.

Dr. Harry G. Needler, of the Toronto University, is spending his holidays in town.

Messrs. Joe Bradley and Frank Marrett, of Marmora, two old Millbrook boys, spent Christmas in town with friends.

Master Morgan Carry, who is attending Trinity College School, Port Hope, is home on his holidays.

Mr. George McBean, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. John Dawson.

Miss May Eakins is home from Bishop Strachan's school for her holidays.

Mr. Norman Armstrong, of Ottawa, is in town, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Armstrong.

Mr. W. A. Buchanan, of Peterborough, was in town on Christmas day, the guest of Mr. Fred Pendrie.

Mr. Fred Burton, of Barrie, was in Millbrook on Sunday.

Miss Maud Elliott, of Peterborough, is in town visiting at the home of Mr. Geo. F. Elliott, Centre street.

Mr. Walter Wood, of the Bank of Toronto, St. Catherines, was in town over Sunday, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood.

Mr. Fred Tully, of Peterborough, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Fred Clarry, of Hastings, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. R. Ruddy, barrister, spent Christmas at his home near Uxbridge.

Municipal matters are beginning to assume a quite lively appearance and the fight for the reeveship is going to be a decidedly hot one. The two candidate are Messrs. W. S. Pickup, who has so ably filled the position for the last two years, and Mr. S. Bateson, who has been in the council for five or six years. It is to be regretted that politics are being brought into municipal matters in this place, and we understand that Councillor Bateson is is using this means to quite an extent, well knowing the village to be Conservative.

For the council we have Messrs. John Clark and R. W. Clark, of last year's council, and Messrs. R. Ruddy, G. W. Green, Wm. Thexton, W. W. Gilliott and Isaac Needham.

The following trustees were elected by acclamation: Messrs. A. Leach, John Allen and George Campbell.

At the present time the chances for the opening of the rink, appears to be as poor as ever. The hockey club intend to have an open rink and fight out the O. H. A. series at any rate.

Miss Maud Macfarlane, of Peterborough, is in town visiting her friend, Miss Kate Carveth.

Dr. J. L. Sutton, has returned from Lindsay, where he has been spending his holidays.

Mr. Bruce Whyte returned home from Colborne, where he has been visiting friends.

Dr. Couch occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday last.

The Rev. Mr. Barkwell, of Toronto, is in town visiting his sister, Mrs. S. Pickup.

The gentlemen of Millbrook intend giving an assembly on January 6th.

DECEMBER HONOUR ROLLS.

S. S. No. 8, Harvey.

III. Sr.—Maggie Northey, Edna Shearer, Sue Weir, Maggie Thompson, Annie Northey, Ella Shearer, Ethel Clarkson. III. Inter.—Jennie Weir, Mabel Thompson. III. Jr.—Eva Hiscutt and Flora Long, equal. II. Sr.—Maggie Shaw, Ida Long. II. Jr.—Beatrice Clarkson, Harry Shearer Willie Shearer, Will Thompson. Pt. II.—Louella Shearer, Arthur Long, Willie Northey. Average attendance, 18.

S. S. No. 14, Otonabee.

V Class—Lizzie Dixon, Fred Dixon. IV Class, Sr—Maggie Miller, Will Hunter, Alice Webster, Wilbert Hatherly, Charlie Thompson. IV Class, Jr—Lillie Hatherly, Maud Dixon, Clara Armstrong, Edith Henderson, Jennie Dixon. III Class—John Thompson, Eddie Hunter, George Henderson, Jennie Edwards. II Class, Sr—Aggie Thomson and Ellie Thompson. II Class Jr—Jas Hatherly, Ethel Armstrong, Jas. Edwards. Pt II—Olga Edwards, Emma Dixon, Ethel Hatherly, Annie Henderson. Pt I Sr—Myrtle Webster, Laura Webster, Mara Henderson.

THE GREAT VICE-REGAL BALL.

An Historic Event That Will Long Linger in the Memory of Those Who Were There.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen have honored many cities in the Dominion by their hospitality and splendid entertainments, but Toronto has been especially favored in that it was the scene last night of the celebration of the Victorian Era ball, than which there has been nothing more magnificent given in Canada. It was nothing short of an historic event in the social history of the Dominion, and will always be associated with the names of their Excellencies, who spared neither time nor expense, nor thought that this ball, in honor of Her Majesty's long reign, should pass off without a flaw, and linger long in the memory of those who participated, either as spectators or dancers, as one of the most beautiful and enjoyable of affairs.

The decorations of the Armouries were wonderfully beautiful, and the costumes of the six periods of Her Majesty's long reign were ravishing creations. Everything was on a magnificent scale, and passed off successfully throughout.

The brilliancy of the spectacle may be imagined but not described when the fact is seized that at one time there were a thousand dancers on the floor and 3,000 gorgeously costumed people looking on.

After the "Empire" dance was completed the Governor-General rose and said: "In presenting to the Queen most loyal good wishes for Christmastide, I submitted to Her Majesty some information regarding the Victorian Era ball, designed to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee year, now about to close. I have this afternoon received in reply a most gracious message from Her Majesty, which we may gladly regard as a token of Her Majesty's kindly thought of us all gathered here to-night. God Save the Queen."

Perth Man Dropped Dead.

Rat Portage, Dec. 29.—William O'Brien, of Perth, dropped dead on Kewatin street. He was unmarried and 40 years of age.

THE CAWTHRA MILLIONS.

How the Estate is Divided—Ontario Government Gets $136,048.47.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—The late Mrs. Cawthra-Murray left an estate valued at $2,685,909.40. Of that sum Cawthra Mulock, aged 15, son of Postmaster-General Mulock, gets $2,250,800. The will was filed for probate yesterday, application being made by the Hon. William Mulock, sole executor. His petition sets forth that the value of the personal estate is under $2,502,000, that of the real estate is under $185,000.

The beneficiaries are:—

W. Cawthra, nephew	$ 50,000
Sarah E. C. Mulock, niece	50,000
Mary Ryerson, niece	50,000
Hon. William Mulock, grand nephew of late William Cawthra, husband of deceased	50,000
Children of James Cawthra, grand nephew and grand nieces	50,000
Gregory, servant	400
Harris, servant	400
Cawthra Mulock, residuary legates	2,350,800
	$2,501,200

Of these Cawthra Mulock will not be paid his legacy until he is between 21 and 30, at the discretion of the executor, his father.

The Ontario Government gets 5 per cent. under the Succession Duties Act, and the probate and stamp fees. These will amount to $134,295.17, $2,503 and $1,251 respectively, a total of $135,048.47.

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Gold and Silver Mounted Canes for Presentation.
Gold Ornaments,
Coffee and Sugar Spoons,
Gold Bracelets,
Children's Sets,
Sterling and Plated Mounted Mirrors,
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Bill to Strengthen the Lord's Day Act.

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Corporations Will Also Come Within the Scope of the Measure—Some Necessary Exceptions—The Piggery Matter Again—Important Bills Read—Demands of Labor Stated.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Yesterday was a very busy day at the Legislature. Many private and public bills of importance were advanced a stage. An important Toronto bill extending the franchise was allowed to pass its second reading and go on for discussion to the Committee. The Government measure dealing with the Lord's Day Act will be read with interest and will doubtless stir up considerable discussion in the country. The bill that caused the debate of the day was that of Mr. Smith to prevent dual voting for County Councillors. Two-thirds of the members of the House spoke upon this subject and there seemed to be no politics in the discussion.

First Readings.

These bills were read a first time:

Mr. Garrow—Respecting the town of Goderich. The bill provides that the town may take stock to an amount not exceeding $50,000 in the elevator situated there, or to grant aid by bonus or loan to such elevator and for leave to sell certain old cemetery lots.

Mr. Stratton—To amend the Municipal Act. This is to enable villages adjoining towns to purchase fire engines and other fire appliances and make arrangements for the management of the same.

The Lord's Day.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a Government measure to secure a better observance of the Lord's day. He said a large number of deputations had waited upon the Government urging strenuously that action should be taken in this direction. There had been recent decisions in the courts exempting corporations from the penalties of the present Act. It had been pointed out that while individuals employing labor could be punished the judges had held that corporations could not, because it would be impossible to send them to jail. He thought it wrong that unnecessary labor should be employed on the Lord's day. (Hear, hear.) The bill provided fines to cover such cases. It would apply to excursions, etc., whether by rail or boat. Farmers were exempt under the old Act, but had been included in the present bill. The new law would apply to all persons except milkmen, icemen, liverymen, oabmen, newspapermen, bakers and telephone and telegraph companies. The bill did not touch the question of travel; this would be left to the courts. (Hear, hear.) He had introduced the bill between the holidays so that it might be discussed by those interested in the country. In this way the members would when home for the New Year holidays learn the wishes of their people and be prepared to deal with the question upon their return.

A Toronto Bill.

Mr. Marter moved the second reading of his bill to permit persons in municipal elections in Toronto to vote upon an assessment of $300. The second clause provided that municipal elections should be held on New Year's day, and the last that the polls should be kept open until seven o'clock p.m.

Hon. Mr. Hardy opposed the bill. He stated that it came before the Legislature yearly about election time and had been again and again thrown out by the Municipal Committee. Under these circumstances it was but natural the City Council of Toronto should wait until a new Parliament should be elected. He agreed, however, to let the bill go again to the Municipal Committee.

Against Dual Voting.

Mr. Smith moved the second reading of his bill respecting County Council elections. It provides that the voter may cast but one vote for any one candidate. At present should there be two or more candidates the voter could plump for one candidate, thus giving him two votes. The bill forbids this. Many members upon both sides of the House spoke for and against the measure, including Messrs. Stratton, Pattullo, Hiscott, Beatty, Gibson, Kidd, Reid and others. At an early stage of the debate it developed into a trial of the County Councils Act passed in 1896. It did not appear to be a party matter, since many Conservatives spoke in favor of the new Act, while there were Reformers who thought it was a mistake. Mr. Haycock said that even though the House did pass the present bill and prohibit dual voting it would be quite wrong to say it would be a condemnation of the County Councils Act. (Hear, hear.) Upon that basis of reasoning every Act that had ever been amended would be considered bad and this would be absurd. No doubt weak spots would be found in the Act from time to time and they could be dealt with as they arose. As to the dual vote he did not think it a matter of importance one way or the other.

Mr. Caven thought the bill one of the most popular that had ever been passed. It had reduced the expenses of County Councils just one-half. (Hear, hear.) He intended moving in the same line with reference to Town Councils. He would support the amendment, however, because he believed in "one man, one vote."

After considerable further discussion the bill was read a second time and passed on to the committee for future action.

Mr. Kidd moved the second reading of his bill to permit citizens to register the death of any relative with the nearest postmaster in order to save in many cases the travelling of great distances in the country as is now necessary. The bill was sent on to the committee.

Can't Kill Deer in Water.

Mr. Kidd moved the second reading of his bill to permit the killing of deer in the water.

Hon. Mr. Gibson asked that the bill should be withdrawn for the present, as he intended issuing a circular to all persons who were in the habit of taking out licenses to shoot deer asking them whether or not in their opinion such an amendment should be made to the game law. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Langford made a strong plea for the settlers. He asked that all fees in connection with settlers should be remitted.

Mr. Haycock said he thought settlers were the very men who should pay. He read a letter stating that in one of the northern districts over two hundred deer had been killed by settlers during December and sold to the shanties.

The bill was withdrawn.

Through the Committee.

These bills passed through the committee stage and will come up for their third reading next week:

Respecting the City of Ottawa—Mr. O'Keefe.

To incorporate the Shebandowan Mining Company, and incorporating the Frue Shebandowan Gold Mining Company, (Limited)—Mr. German.

Respecting the Consolidated debt of the town of Cobourg, and for other purposes—Mr. Field.

Respecting the Railway Debenture debt of the township of Amabel—Mr. McNaughton.

Respecting the Sisters of St. Joseph for the Diocese of Toronto in Upper Canada—Mr. McKee.

Repecting By-law No. 205 of the town of Rat Portage—Mr. Conmee.

Respecting the Hamilton and Dundas Street Railway Company—Mr. Flatt.

To consolidate the Floating Debt of the town of North Bay—Mr. Loughrin.

Respecting the Sydenham Glass Company of Wallaceburg (Limited)—Mr. Pardo.

Second Readings.

These bills were read a second time:

To incorporate the Ottawa Stock Exchange—Mr. O'Keefe.

Respecting the town of Walkerton—Mr. Truax.

Respecting the corporation of the town of Midland—Mr. Biggar.

To amend the Acts relating to Victoria University—Mr. Davis.

Respecting waterworks in the city of Windsor—Mr. McKee.

Respecting certain by-laws concerning drainage in the townships of Grey, Elma and McKillop.—Mr. Gibson (Huron).

Respecting the village of Huntsville—Mr. Middleton.

To confirm a certain agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada; the St. Clair Tunnel Company and the town of Sarnia—Mr. Biggar.

Labor's Wants.

The Executive Committee of the Dominion Trades Congress, which met at Hamilton last September, waited upon the Government last evening and requested that legislation should be introduced to remove the numbers from ballots in provincial elections; that local factory inspectors may be appointed in cities outside of Toronto; that two-acre farm lands in cities shall not be exempt from full taxation, and that the Government shall include the union label in trades mark legislation. The Premier said he would place all these matters before the other members of the Cabinet.

Large Deficits.

The first report of the Municipal Auditor was laid on the table yesterday afternoon. He began his audit last May and stated he had made investigations which disclosed deficits as follows: County of Simcoe, S. J. Sandford, treasurer, $62,857.02; County of Frontenac, W. T. Van Luven, treasurer, deficit $31,380.80; Town of Niagara Falls, J. H. Peckham, treasurer, deficit $8,000. The last enquiry was not considered to be fraud, but a case of bad bookkeeping, but the money was lost, just the same.

Investigations were also held in the town of Niagara, the townships of Manvers, Roxborough, St. Joseph and Ridgetown Collegiate.

The auditor suggests these changes in the law:

(a) All municipalities should have the same privilege as towns and cities, that is, of appointing one skilled auditor;

(b) Auditors should be compelled to have a stamp, to be used when passing accounts. Owing to want of this precaution the same debentures have been used twice by defaulting treasurers;

(c) Auditors should be appointed in November or December.

It may be noted here that Mr. Jos. Haycock has a bill before the House now which provides for such remedies as the auditor now suggests.

Those Pigs Again.

Mr. St. John received a set back in the Public Accounts Committee yesterday. When proceedings opened he stated he could prove that the Government had been a party to selling diseased pork. Witnesses were called to prove that many of the hogs at the Humber piggery were diseased and had been killed in consequence, a fact that had never been disputed, but when he attempted to prove his charge that the Government had sanctioned the selling of meat known to be diseased he failed utterly. Dr. Andrew Smith, the Dominion Government veterinary, was called and stated the matter had been placed in his hands by the Government as soon as it was discovered the hogs were diseased. He had ordered all the hogs killed and was quite prepared to assume all the responsibility. Mr. St. John is not satisfied yet, however, and intends keeping the subject before the committee for some time in the hope he may discover something in the evidence.

MANITOBA'S CAPITAL.

Failure of a Private Banker at Holland—Icelander Killed—A Spur Line Wanted.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—Mr. John Hall, a private banker at Holland, assigned a few days ago, with liabilities said to total somewhere in the neighborhood of $39,000. The failure has greatly shaken some of the leading men of the town, but it is not expected that anything serious will result just at present. Mr. Hall is now in the hospital in this city. The assignment was very unexpected.

Run Over and Killed.

John Stevenson, an Icelander, in the employ of Blackwood Brothers, of this city, was run over by a train at Yorkton last night and killed. Both legs were cut off. He was about 40 years of age, married, but no children.

A Spur Line Wanted.

A deputation waited on Manager Whyte, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, this morning to request that a spur line be constructed from Lariviere to Snow Flake, a distance of about 12 miles. They strongly urged the necessity for such a line, referring to the richness of the country for agricultural purposes, the settlement already there and the addition that will naturally follow if the company could see its way to construct the line.

3000 PEOPLE HOMELESS.

Eight Hundred Houses Burned at Port au Prince, Hayti.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 30.—At 11 o'clock last night a fire, which assumed considerable proportions on account of lack of water to supply the pumps, broke out and destroyed 800 houses, including a number of warehouses, a hotel, the Church of St. Joseph and its parsonage. About 3000 people were rendered homeless.

In the morning at 6.40 o'clock there was an earthquake, the disturbances running from north to south, lasting half a minute and causing slight cracks in the earth. There were no accidents, but the population was greatly alarmed.

The Cruelty of Robbers.

Onondaga, Dec. 30.—While John Clark of this place was at church Sunday evening last, two masked men entered the house and tied Mrs. Clark to the stair door. They then blew out the light, lighted a dark lantern and proceeded to search the house for valuables. They got about $10 in money and some jewelry. They also took two gold rings off the fingers of Mrs. Clark, after which they put a towel around her neck, and, attaching the other end to the ceiling, they left her. By raising herself on tiptoe she managed to keep from choking to death until her husband returned and took her down. The jewelry was found next morning. No arrests as yet.

A Very Large Irishman.

Buffalo, Dec. 29.—Sir Henry Lynch Blosse, of Athvallie, Castlebar, Ireland, arrived in this city this morning and registered at the Iroquois. Sir Blosse attracted considerable attention in the hotel on account of his appearance. He is at least six feet six inches in height and finely proportioned. He has been in California and is on his way home to Ireland. In an interview he said the outlook for Home Rule was very black at present, and he thought the people would have to be educated up to it.

Sued the Typographical Union.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—A suit to test the right of a union to force a non-union man out of employment has commenced here. Fred Hess has sued the Typographical Union for $25,000 damages. He was in charge of the Linotype machines in a local office. He applied for membership in the union and was rejected, on the ground that he had not served his apprenticeship. The union demanded his discharge, and the printers struck to enforce the demand.

Forger and Prevaricator.

Regina, Dec. 30.—H. H. Harding, the $3,000 forger, who was arrested here, acted on the advice of his lawyer, W. C. Hamilton, Q.C., and consented to be taken back to the States. When arrested he said he had only $81 about him, but on closely searching the police discovered the proceeds of the forged check hidden in the lining of his coat and toe of his sock.

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Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. E. GREY, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1897.

"BRITONS, HOLD YOUR OWN."

THE FAMOUS CALL FOR A MEETING IN DUNDAS.

Mr. Whitney's Name at the Foot of It—Liberals Described as Archbishop Lynch's Tools.

(From the Brockville Recorder.)

In an article characteristically bilious, the Times charges this journal with trying to stir up religious strife. Knowing what every man, woman and child in Brockville knows of the conduct of the Times a few years ago on this very question, the temptation to review a bit of that history, in order to show its blathering hypocrisy, is very great. However, every person understands the situation perfectly, and its attempt to pose as the apostle of peace and good-will, merely that its leader may be spared, will deceive no one.

Whatever other failings the old Recorder may have exhibited, that of stirring up religious strife is not one of them, and it has strenuously resisted all the attempts of others to do so, sometimes at no small financial loss to itself.

What the Times bases its attack on is the fact that The Recorder, in a recent issue, called attention to the inconsistency of the present Opposition leader in palavering over Sir Oliver Mowat, or delivering eulogies on the late C. F. Fraser, in the face of the historical fact that both he and his newspaper had abused Sir Oliver most thoroughly, and had denounced C. F. Fraser and everybody else suspected of leaning toward Popery. In this connection it was recited that Mr. Whitney warned all and sundry of the threatened evil, on every poster and announcement, in these words, "Britons, hold your own." To substantiate this assertion, the following was given, which seems to have caused great annoyance:—

"Here is a notice which appeared in Mr. Whitney's organ, the Morrisburg Courier, of November 10, 1898:

"The Liberal Conservatives of the County of Dundas are requested to meet at Winchester Springs, on Tuesday, November 29, 1898, at 1 p. m. sharp, to take such steps as may be deemed advisable to bring out a candidate for the Legislature, the elections having been fixed for the 22nd and 29th of December. Let every Conservative in the county make it a point to attend.

"Britons, Hold Your Own!

"By order,
J. P. WHITNEY, Sec'y.

"D. RAE, Pres."

On November 26, the Courier had a report of this meeting and here are the opening sentences of that report:

"Notwithstanding the bad roads and disagreeable weather, there was a large attendance at the meeting at Winchester Springs on Wednesday, fully 400 being representatives from every section of the county. This is the best evidence that the Conservatives of the old county of Dundas are prepared to rise in their might to check the little game of Mowat, the tool of Archbishop Lynch and Christy Fraser, etc., etc."

Now, Mr. Whitney is not only a public man, but the leader of a party, and as he asks the electorate to make him the First Minister of this Province, his public record is fair subject for criticism, and the people have a right to know what position he has assumed on Provincial affairs in the past, so as to be able to form correct opinions as to what he would be likely to do in the future. On the eve of an election the record of a candidate is often more reliable than his promises, and it certainly cannot be an unpardonable sin to refer to the record of a gentleman who asks the people to put Hon. A. S. Hardy out of power, and place him in his stead.

The Recorder takes the ground that no man who is a narrow extremist on any question is a safe man to have at the head of a Province, the population of which is mixed. So far from wishing to incite any religious feeling, the Recorder, in opposing Mr. Whitney, is doing its best to allay that feeling and keep a man out of power who has, as will be shown fully by his record, not hesitated to appeal time and again to the creed prejudices of his own constituents in election campaigns.

The Liberal Government of Ontario has put its foot upon that kind of thing in the past, and the people of Ontario have stood nobly for the rights of all, in the face of appeals to prejudice by Mr. Whitney and others. If the leader of the Opposition will declare that he regrets having hitherto fought on such narrow lines, and intends looking at things with a more liberal vision, the Recorder will be inclined to hail the repentance with delight, but so long as that is not done he will be held strictly to his record, notwithstanding the piteous appeals of the "Eye-opener's" erewhile twin, the Brockville Times.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. John Calder, of Toronto Junction, was home for Christmas.

Miss K. Lewis, who has been teaching school here during the past term, has secured a position in Lakefield.

Rev. F. D. Roxburgh, M.A., of Bridgeburg is spending high holidays at home.

Mrs. Andrew Davidson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Anderson, in Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox and Mr. and Miss McGirvin, of Toronto, spent Xmas with Mr. Geo. Nelbis.

Miss B. Roxburgh, of Keene, is home again.

Dr. and Mrs. Jory, of Bloomfield, spent Saturday at Dr. Ford's.

Mr. Wm. Cameron, who has been attending the School of Pharmacy, Toronto, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Bert Cross is again in town, being night operator on the C.P.R.

Mr. Robt. Richardson, of Madoc, spent Christmas at home.

Misses Mary and Jennie Rork, of Toronto Junction, are home for the holidays.

Mr. E. Elcome, of Peterborough, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday and delivered a very interesting on "The Birth of Christ."

Miss Lily Scott, of Toronto, is spending her holidays at home.

Mr. Thos. Finlay returned from a business trip down east on Thursday and reports having had a very successful trip.

Mr. John Chandler, of Oshawa, was home for Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cameron, of Peterborough, spent Saturday and Sunday at "Cosswick."

Miss Jennie Whitney, of Kempville, is visiting at Mr. Thos. McMillan's.

Mr. Geo. Rose, of Queen's University, is spending his holidays at Mr. Thos. Rork's.

On Thursday evening Mr. Thos. Dodds, of Knox College, Toronto, will address a meeting of the Christian Endeavourers.

Mr. Brethen has been visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Stillman was in town on Sunday.

Miss A. Wilson, of Stony Lake, is home for the Xmas holidays.

Mr. James Cameron was in town on Saturday.

Mr. Wilson Cameron is spending a few days in Peterborough.

Mr. A. J. Raddon, of Peterborough, paid a visit to his parents last week.

Miss Mary A. Kirkpatrick, of Orillia, is home for the holidays.

We are pleased to see the name of Mr. U. Cameron among the list of successful candidates at the recent examinations at the Toronto School of Pharmacy.

Monday being St. John's Day, the Masonic lodges, as is their custom, installed their officers. The following are the name of those installed in Norwood:

Wm Hutchison	W M
E A Scott	S W
J B Powell	J W
W E Roxburgh	Treasurer
W H Stephenson	Secretary
R Stuart	S D
W A Richardson	J D
Thos Rork	Chaplain
W B Hutcheson	I G
W H Minaker	Tyler
H Douglas	S S
F Johnston	J S

The Christmas entertainment held in the Presbyterian church was a success in every way. The following was the programme:

Sunday school report
Recitation ..... Miss Roxy Ray
Dialogue—"The School Teacher"—Mr Anderson's class
Recitation ..... Miss E Hutchison
Solo ..... Miss J Robson
Dialogue ..... Miss A Davidson's class
Chorus—"God is Love" ..Miss Roxburgh's class
Recitation ..... Mr John Anderson
Magic lantern views....The Lives of Joseph and David

A very pleasing event took place on Wednesday last at the residence of Mr. Alex. Gardner, when his daughter, Miss Zella Edith, was united in the bonds of matrimony to Mr. Paul Jenkins. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss May and the groom by Mr. Thos Jenkins. Rev. Mr. Somerville performed the ceremony. The couple will live in South Dummer.

The Board of Education met on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22nd. Present W. E. Roxburgh in the chair, also Messrs. Thos. Fraser, Wm. Webster, Thos. Rork, Thos. Robson, Jno. McNaughton, J. L. Squire, P. W. Stevenson, W. H. Stephenson, secretary.

The minutes of last meeting were read and no objection being made, were ordered to be signed.

A communication was received from Mr. Scovell, in regard to the resolution made by the Board not allowing a teacher to leave except at the end of a term, and then only on giving notice at least one month before the end of the term.

Moved by Messrs. Rork and Webster, that Mr. Scovell's communication be left over till next meeting—Carried.

The Board then considered the applications, of which twelve were for the position of teacher of moderns and sixteen for the position of science masters.

Moved by Messrs. Rork and Robson, that Mr. McPherson be appointed as teacher of moderns—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Squire and Webster, that, Mr. McPherson failing to accept, the position be offered to Mr. Reid—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Squire and McNaughton, that the position of Science Master be given to Mr. Snowden—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Squire and Rork, that if Mr. Snowden does not accept, the position be given to Mr. Forbes—Carried.

The following accounts was presented: Messrs. Ackerman & Rork, nails, etc., $14 18.

Moved by Messrs. Fraser and McNaughton, that the account be handed to the Finance Committee, and if found correct, be paid—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

After the meeting of the Board Mr. McPherson and Mr. Snowden were telegraphed to, and both accepted.

A meeting of the ratepayers was held in the town hall on Monday evening for the purpose of nominating the councillors, etc. for the coming year, when the following were nominated and put in by acclamation:

Reeve—H. G. Buck.

Councillors—John Walker, Wm. Ebbs, J. W. Bork, John Iles.

Trustees — P. W. Stevenson, Thomas Fraser and Wm. Buck.

The Y.P.S.C.E. in connection with the Presbyterian church met on Monday evening, when the following officers were appointed for the ensuing term:

Miss M Pengelly ..... President
John F Roxbourgh ..... Vice-President
Miss Annie Wilson ..... Treasurer
Miss M Eaton ..... Secretary
Convener Prayer Meeting Committee—Mr. Thos Finlay.
Convener Lookout Committee—Miss Eaton.
Convener Missionary Committee — Miss L Chandler.
Convener Social Committee—Miss Lily Chandler.
Music Committee—Misses A Raddon, M Pengelly and Mr John F Roxburgh.

Court Rob Roy, Canadian Order of Foresters, met on Dec. 22nd, in their lodge room in the Reynolds block and installed the following officers for the coming term:

James Collinson	P C R
James Paget	C R
S J Brooks	V C R
W H Brethren	R S
James Calder	F S
Thos Waller	Treas
W Cuthbertson	Chap
J R McKelvie	S W
Robert Patterson	J W
W C Doughty	S B
Thos Doughty	J B

On Thursday last, Agnes, relict of the late Thos. Searight, passed away in her 69th year at her home, Peterborough street. The funeral took place on Saturday and the remains were interred in the Norwood cemetery.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

Boycott of Harland & Wolff.

Glasgow, Dec. 29.—A newspaper of this city says the Employers' Federation is considering the question of boycotting Harland & Wolff, the shipbuilders who refused to join the federation. The Federated Employers propose not to deal with firms furnishing materials to Harland & Wolff.

Interview on the Sealing Question.

London, Dec. 29.—Col. John Hay, the United States Ambassador, had a conference yesterday with Sir Thomas H. Sanderson, the permanent secretary of the Foreign Office, on the sealing question. The Marquis of Salisbury was absent.

Turks Fired Again.

London, Dec. 29.—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: As the Greek gunboats yesterday were leaving the Gulf of Ambracia they were fired on a second time by all the Prevesa forts. The garrison, which was outlining the quay, also fired repeated volleys, though no damage was done. This action, after Turkey had apologized, is supposed to be intended to create a precedent for closing the Gulf.

Dr. Chase's Cures Catarrh After Operation Fail.

My boy, aged fourteen, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

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Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

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That's why this store has gained the reputation of being the best clothing house in the town. Men of taste like to buy here both for themselves and their boys. Don't cost any more for that extra touch of style and quality here, than for the cheap grade garment in many establishments. We would call your attention to the values we are offering in Overcoats in order to clear them out before stock taking.

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—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c.
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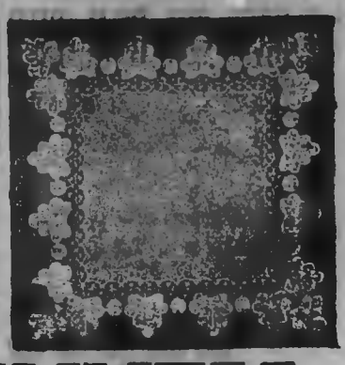
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 15c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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Lamps Special attention is called to our more than extensive stock of Banquet, Reception, Library, Hall and other Lamps. Nothing is more suitable for a Christmas present. We have them in every form, with China Shades and Globes, Paper and Silk Shades and Fancy Glass and other Globes.

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Japanese-ware The only house in town carrying a complete line of Japanese China. The present stock of these goods was bought at a big bargain and we are giving some special bargains in these goods. See the 15c and 25c Cups and Saucers, worth three times amount charged.

AN INVITATION. Everyone is asked to pay China Hall a visit before buying; it will pay you, it will enable you to see the newest goods at the lowest prices. The store will be open till TEN o'clock till after Christmas.

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IF YOU'RE BUSY BAKING FOR XMAS.

Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the

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A pair of Gold Spectacles or Eye-Glasses make a most acceptable Christmas Gift.

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SEIZURE OF HAI-NAN.

French Flag Hoisted on a Chinese Island.

C.P.R. STEAMERS REQUISITIONED

Japan's Views on the Pacific—Is Ambitious to Be the Britain of the Pacific—Marquis of Hertford May Succeed Lord Aberdeen—Cable News.

Shanghai, Dec. 30.—It is reported here that the admiral of the French fleet has hoisted the French flag on Hai-Nan Island (between the China Sea and the Gulf of Tonquin). The Chinese offered no opposition.

Hai-Nan Island is off the south coast of China, and separates the Gulf of Tongking from the China Sea. It has an estimated area of 12,000 square miles, and a population of a million Chinese, exclusive of wild tribes in the interior. Some of the mountains in the centre rise above the snow line. It has several large rivers. The coasts are generally rocky; but the west coast is low and the south coast has some good harbors. Timber is a principal product. This is sent to Annam, Siam and Singapore. Other exports are rice, sugar, wax, pearls, coral, salt, and a little gold and silver. Its capital is Kiong Choo, a populous city on its north coast.

The Report Confirmed.

London, Dec. 30.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Singapore confirms the report of the seizure of Hai-Nan Island by the French.

Japan is Ambitious.

London, Dec. 30.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail has had an interview on the Chinese situation with M. Kurino, the Japanese Minister to France. M. Kurino represented that Japan was committed to a peaceful role for three years, after which time her fleet would be second only to Great Britain's. Japan, he added, intended to be the Great Britain of the Pacific. M. Kurino refused in detail to the sixty-five warships and 126 torpedo boats that are now under construction for Japan.

A despatch to the Morning Post from Paris says that negotiations have been proceeding in that city between representatives of Russia and France to raise a loan of $80,000,000 for the purpose of paying the indemnity due from China to Japan, and thus securing the Japanese evacuation of Wei-Hai-Wei.

France was determined that a French bank should head the loan, while Russia demanded that the Russo-Chinese Bank should do so. The difficulty resulted in the breaking off of the negotiations and a coolness between the negotiators. The obvious object of the loan was to enable Russia to occupy Wei-Hai-Wei.

CANADA'S NEXT GOVERNOR.

The Marquis of Hertford, a Conservative, Spoken of for the Post.

London, Dec. 30.—It is rumored that the Marquis of Hertford will succeed the Earl of Aberdeen as Governor-General of Canada.

Hugh de Grey Seymour, sixth Marquis of Hertford, was born in 1843, and married a daughter of the First Viscount Bridport. The Marquis was formerly a captain in the Grenadier Guards, was member of Parliament in 1869 for County Antrim, and in 1874 he was member of Parliament for South Warwickshire. He is Deputy Lieutenant for Warwickshire, was Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household in 1879, and is a Conservative in politics.

OSOBRI HAS FALLEN.

The Last Important Post Between Kassala and Khartoum in British Hands.

London, Dec. 30.—A despatch to the Times from Kassala says: "After six days of siege and heroic defence, the dervishes' post at Osobri has fallen. Many of the dervishes were killed and the remainder of the garrison fled, leaving all of their property behind. Osobri is the last important place between here and Khartoum.

Gladstone's Birthday Anniversary.

London, Dec. 30.—Yesterday being the birthday of the Right Hon. William E. Gladstone, the usual congratulations were sent to Hawarden and Cannes, where Mr. Gladstone is improving, though still suffering from neuralgia.

The Right Hon. William Ewart Gladstone was born Dec. 29, 1809.

Replying to a Christmas greeting, sent to him by the National Liberal Club, Mr. Gladstone says that his health has been greatly benefited by his stay at Cannes and that he hopes to be back at work again at Hawarden by the middle of February. He adds that Mrs. Gladstone's health has also improved.

Plague Returns in India.

Bombay, Dec. 30.—There has been a recrudescence of the plague, especially in the Mandvie district, where the inhabitants are seeking safety in flight. There were 54 fresh cases of plague and 37 deaths from that disease yesterday. The total plague returns for Bombay up to date are 14,257, and 11,886 deaths.

France Makes a Grab.

Paris, Dec. 30.—The French, it is announced, have occupied Odienne and Sambatigila. It is believed this indicates that an advance against Chief Samory is imminent.

Chief Samory is a West African chieftain, who for over 12 years past has been the most dangerous antagonist the Europeans have had to deal with. After ten years of guerilla warfare, he was driven out of the Soudan, but he made a swoop upon the fertile region of Kong, a dependency of the French Ivory Coast. Since then Chief Samory has repeatedly been heard from.

After a Severe Cold.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of scrofula. I was weak and debilitated and Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well. After a severe cold I had catarrhal fever. I again resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla which accomplished a complete cure." SARAH E. DEVAY, Annapolis, Nova Scotia.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy to operate.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Brantford's free postal delivery will be inaugurated in a few days.

One of the C.P.R. steamers on Kootenay Lake has been destroyed by fire.

The Merchants and Traders' Bank of Brunswick, Georgia, has failed. The capital of the bank was $100,000.

Winnipeg is now the third postoffice in Canada in point of business, the order being Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg.

The Paris Figaro says that the young Countess Castellane, nee Anna Gould, gave birth to a boy, her second son.

Rear Admiral Lord Charles Beresford has accepted the invitation of the Unionists of York to contest that seat in Parliament, made vacant by the death of Sir Frank Lockwood, Q.C.

Richard Arthur Prince, known as "Mad Archer," the super who assassinated William Terriss, the actor, on Dec. 16, was formally committed for trial at the Bow Street Police Court.

Colonel W. D. Hagar, who has been one of the managers of Barnum's show for many seasons, and is well known all over the country, died last night at Wauseon, Ohio, aged 50 years.

The criminal charge against Dr. Hutchinson, of Ingersoll, has been dropped, owing to the marriage in that town of Augustus Frezelle and Lizzie Deehan, the other parties in the case.

Miss Susan Galbraith, a domestic, is suing David Smith, farmer, of East Luther, Dufferin County, for $5,000 damages for injuries to her feelings for refusing to carry out his promise to marry her.

Three hundred and fifty prominent citizens of Collingwood voted unanimously at a public meeting in favor of granting the G.T.R. a $35,000 bonus on the completion of a new elevator in the town.

Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador at Washington, has about recovered from a long and painful attack of rheumatism, which has kept him in bed for a good part of the last three months.

The 25th annual meeting and election of officers of the Commercial Travelers' Association of Canada was held in Toronto. Mr. Middleton, M.P.P., addressed the meeting on his Departmental Store Bill now before the House.

Mgr. Bruchesi arrived at Montreal yesterday, and stated that he had not yet seen the text of the Papal encyclical, which has about reached Quebec, and will be read from the church Jan. 9. His Grace is in the best of health.

Lawrence Walters, an aged farmer of Cass County, Mich., had no faith in banks and buried his savings, about $6,500, in a hole under the barn. Yesterday he found that robbers had got away with his fortune, and he is almost crazy about it.

The Lee murder case, which was adjourned from last week, was continued at Coboconk. No new evidence of importance was brought out. A Government detective has been investigating the case, but has failed to throw any light on the affair, and it will likely be dropped by consent of the prosecution.

"A" Battery men at Kingston have received $30 from Richardson Bros. and $50 from the General Hospital governors for aiding in subduing fires. These amounts and $50 realized last night at a concert have all been cheerfully turned over to the hospital governors to aid in rebuilding the wing recently destroyed by fire.

At the Eastern Ontario Poultry Show, now being held in Cornwall, over 1,000 birds are on exhibition, 300 having been shut out because they arrived too late. One of the most attractive features is a display of dressed poultry, as required for the British market, prepared by Prof. Gilbert of the Ottawa Experimental Farm.

In a lonely portion of Rosedale last night an unknown man shot himself through the heart and the body of the suicide is now on a slab at the Morgue awaiting identification. It is that of a rather delicate man, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches in height, weight 130 pounds, of dark complexion, hair and mustache, the latter not very heavy, drooping somewhat.

How To Get Rich.

We refer to the richness of the blood. If you are pale and thin, you are poor in strength and nerve power. Scott's Emulsion drives away thinness pallor, and bring rich blood and nerve power.

Feudalism In America.

"Belated Feudalism In America" is the title of an article in the Atlantic by H. G. Chapman, who endeavors to ascertain a true basis for American art and letters. Mr. Chapman asserts that cultivated people do not like the writing that represents American literature, because it is rough and coarse compared to the European form. Yet America's good writing must come out of this way of dealing with words and thoughts and not from England. We have given a fair trial to imitation and have not been successful, for we have had no English writer of the first class except Hawthorne. This influence of foreign literature has befuddled the brains of our professional critics. We live on an American plan, but our standard authors have written on a European plan. The result is that we undervalue much good American work.

Horse Talk.

"I know I'm going to win the high jump," said the sorrel jumper to the roan.

"Not on your life!" said the roan. "I've got rubber shoes on."

"Bah! I've been fed for a week on roast oakes, and I'll ris a mile!" retorted the sorrel.—Harper's Bazar.

After Typhoid Fever.

"After I had typhoid fever kidney troubles ensued. I had terrible pains in my back, head and shoulders, and felt tired, drowsy and dragged out and had annoying urinary troubles. I have grown daily better since I commenced using Doan's Kidney Pills. I have no pains of any kind, sleep well, feel rested; and the urinary troubles have completely disappeared." J. W. Douglas, Port Hope.

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The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 289 George street.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

Sometimes It Pays To Lose!

We are intensely in earnest to Reduce our Matchless Stock of Cold Weather Clothing before the New Year "checking" time comes. We do not by any means intend carrying over any more Winter Goods than we can possibly help, and there is but one remedy and that is to make the Price an inducement to sell the stock.

QUICK LOSSES TO MAKE QUICK SALES

Pity that sacrifices must be made just at a time when cold weather makes all our stocks boom, but we are ready to make the sacrifice, leaving Profits to be made when money is more plentiful.

You may need Clothing now—we need money now. We will give you a lot of our Clothing for a very little of your money—if you come quick enough.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

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The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Salisbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

Mr. Davis' Supporters.

Mr. Davis desires a full attendance of his supporters at the committee rooms to-night, as matters of importance have to be considered.

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All young men from sixteen to ninety-nine years are invited to the New Year's reception at the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday. The ladies are preparing to entertain 500.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Clothing Wanted.

The Children's Aid Society would thankfully receive contributions of clothing for two girls aged nine and eleven years and a boy of eleven years. All kinds of clothing wanted — immediate necessity. Kindly send to or notify Children's Shelter, corner of Charlotte and Stewart streets.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolized by men. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment, Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

Not a Candidate.

Mr. Andrew Macfarlane, Homewood avenue, having been nominated for the council for Ward No. 2, without his consent, while thanking his proposer and seconder for the honour implied in his nomination, wishes it to be distinctly stated that he is not a candidate. Although through a misunderstanding his name appears on the ballot, Mr. Macfarlane requests his friends to kindly refrain from voting for him, for he is not a candidate.

Diaries for 1898.

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The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, including biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

In St. Andrew's Sunday School Last Evening.

The Sunday school room of St. Andrew's church was well filled last evening with parents and friends who had come to attend the Christmas entertainment.

The programme was an excellent one and much enjoyed by all. The room was most beautifully decorated by the Epworth League members and numerous incandescent lights produced a pretty effect on the Christmas tree.

The programme was as follows:

PROGRAMME.

Remarks.....Pastor
Recitation, "The Crisis".....Master Leonard Patterson
Instrumental duett.....Miss Grant and Master John Laing
The Calendar.....Miss S Anderson's class
Recitation, "Santa Claus and the Mouse".....Miss Maud McCrae
Dialogue, "Advertising for help".....Miss Hannah's class
Song.....Mr John Peace
Reading.....Miss Eva Morrison
Flag drill.....Mr Anderson's class
Dialogue, "Punch and Judy".....five persons
Recitation.....Miss Ella Matthison
Gipsy Chorus.....six girls
Distribution of diplomas and medals.....
Christmas Carol.....Miss Gladman's class
Recitation.....Ernest Moore
Chorus.....Miss Weddel's class
Recitation.....Aggie Patterson
Chorus.....Mrs VanEvery's class
Conclusion.....Doxology

Those who won medals were Aggie S. VanEvery, E. Christina Maude, Georgina M. Laing, Mattie Barrett and Willie Richardson.

Those who received diplomas with honours, were John Laing, Evelyn Morrison, Libbie Currie and [illegible] Logan.

The scholars who have taken the whole of the marks obtainable during the year 1897 or seventy-five per cent. thereof, are as follows:

BOYS.

Class 4—W. Richardson, 409—highest among boys; J. Laing, 407.
Class 5—W. Morrison, 389; H. Van Every, 384.
Class 11—John Ross, 395; Malcolm Brand, 408; R. Robertson, 380.
Class 16—Stewart Laing, 337; Arthur VanEvery, 343; Maldrum Corbett, 362.
Class 21—Robt. Reid, 356; Ernest Reid, 340; Walter Reid, 340; Fred Richardson, 352; J. Morrison, 327.

GIRLS.

Class 3—May Laing, 410.
Class 10—Mattie Barrett, 410.
Class 19—T. Maude, 410; M. Robertson, 410.
Class 2—Eliza Martin, 359.
Class 1—Aggie VanEvery, 409; Ethel Robertson, 393; Lena Richardson, 400; Lizzie Garrow, 336; Lizzie Allan, 327; Georgina Bailey, 332.
Class 6—Florence Wade, 395; Jessie Garrow, 393; Jennie Kennedy, 408; Bella King, 364.
Class 7—Louisa Telford, 379; Bella Campbell, 337.
Class 10—Gertie Currie, 348; Amy Jamieson, 355; Eva McCrae, 323.
Class 12—Evelyn Morrison, 407; Jemima Holdrum, 315; Hattie Reid, 393.
Class 13—Libbie Currie, 404; Lottie Boyce, 343.
Class 14—Lucy Anderson, 372.
Class 17—Winnie McFarlane, 401; May Bailey, 381; Maud McCrae, 348.
Class 18—Ivy Jameson, 355; Maggie Gillespie, 313; S Brightman, 320.
Class 19—H. Thompson, 345; N. Logan, 409.
Class 22—Ray Logan, 393.

Miss Forsythe claims that Aggie VanEvery should have full marks. It was the general wish of the teachers at the beginning of the year that the scholars in the youngest classes should not be required to take 75 per cent. of the whole marks to entitle them to a prize.

This list is made up from the teachers' books, according to the markings there given.

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Holiday Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLUBB'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

LAST MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF 1897.

THE FILE CLEARED OF COMMUNICATIONS AND ACCOUNTS.

The Police Investigation Matter Again Comes up for Discussion—A Resolution Passed Clearing Town Solicitor Edwards—Tribute to the Town Officials.

A special meeting of the town council was held last evening for the purpose of authorizing the payment of some accounts and clearing up the last of the year's business. The mayor was in the chair with the following councillors present: Best, Leplante, Robertson, Deane, Neill, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Maldrum, Graham and White.

On motion of Councillors Best and Dawson, an account of $53 from the Town Engineer was ordered to be paid.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From the Town Solicitor, stating that in the case of Rossal vs. McNairn, which was appealed at the Sessions, the conviction had been quashed, with costs to be paid by the town. In the case of Rossal vs. Legros, judgment was reserved—Referred to the Finance Committee, with power to act.

From E. B. Edwards, enclosing his bill of disbursements—Ordered to be paid.

From F. Fairen asking that a fine of $9.95, imposed for having a refreshment stand on the boundary road be refunded, as Wm. MacNairn's conviction on a similar charge had been set aside by the county judge—Referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.

From Wm. Millar, asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From Wm. Hutchinson, asking for street signs to put up on the corner of Park and Bolivar streets.—Referred to the chairman of the Property Committee, with power to act.

From Mrs. Robinson, asking for remission of taxes.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From the chief of police asking that his expenses in defending the charges against himself be paid, amounting to $25.00.—Ordered to be paid, on motion of Councillors White and Graham.

From Margaret McDonald, asking for refund of dog tax.—Referred to Court of Revision.

From the town solicitor, containing particulars of the case of Peterborough vs. North Monaghan, in which Judge Street held that in the face of the agreement the township's application was improperly laid.—Received.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as appended:

A McDonald	$31 70
Brown Bros	3 40
P P Home	4 00
Note & Lush	13 25
Wm Buller	73 80
"	11 00
Jas Murty	62 70
Geo Elliott	84 25
C Rutherford	1 00
Jas Lynch	1 00
Wallace Madill	5 00
Canadian General Electric Co	3 00
Jos Morrison Co	1 80
Rathbun Co	76 17
W S Cooke	4 30
Bithority	1 00
J & W Metheral	35
R M Ray	2 00
W Donnell	1 00

On motion, the accounts of Wm. Buller and Geo. Elliott were ordered to be paid, as were the accounts of Brown Bros., Jas. Murty, C. Rutherford, W. Madill and E. Lush.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

Councillor Dawson presented the report of the Committee of the Whole, as follows:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—Your Committee of the Whole to which was referred the charges against the Chief of Police, beg leave to report that the charges were not sustained, and that the Chief is exonerated from deserving any censure in connection with any of the charges.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ADAM DAWSON,
Chairman.

The report was adopted.

In speaking to the report Mr. Dawson paid a tribute to the efficiency of the town officials, making special mention of Town Clerk Armstrong and Treasurer Brownscombe. The town, he thought, had a most capable staff from the lowest to the highest official. Before resuming his seat he brought up another matter in urging that the fire hall drivers be ordered to turn out with their snowploughs in case of snowstorms instead of waiting until the storm was over.

Councillor Maldrum spoke to the same effect.

Councillor McWilliams stated that he had been trying to do this for some time and he was glad the council was getting educated up to his ideas on the subject, but it would have been better if they had thought this way eleven months ago instead of just prior to the election.

Councillor Leplante thought that as the Chief of Police had been exonerated by a resolution, similar action should be taken in respect to the Town Solicitor, who had been unjustly spoken of in the same connection.

Councillor McWilliams stated in reply that if the investigation had gone on before a judge when the witnesses had been under oath there would have been revelations made which would have opened the eyes of the council considerably. Since he had taken the matter up fresh evidence was being brought to him every day, the nature of which was astounding. He had been told of a young man who, after being on a spree was locked up for three or four days and on leaving the cells was given a glass of whiskey and a flask by the police, and then asked to try and trap a hotelkeeper. When he made the motion regarding the investigation, he did it as a member of the council and as a man who had sworn to do his duty in the interests of the community. He was the wrong man to try and pound in the council as he came there to do his duty and the matter of the investigation was not buried yet by any means.

Councillor Neill stated that whilst in Toronto recently he had been informed by a prominent legal firm that Mr. E. B. Edwards was one of the best municipal solicitors in the country. If he had made a false step it should have been taken up in a different manner. He moved, seconded by Councillor Leplante, that "Mr. Edwards has done his duty to the satisfaction of this council."—Carried.

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Councillors Robertson and Deane, the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association, was granted the use of the market building for their exhibition in January.

Councillor McWilliams, chairman of the Street and Bridge Committee, reported, verbally, that he had called a meeting of the Peterborough Light and Power Co., the Auburn Power Co. and the Bell Telephone Co., and that they had come to an amicable agreement as to the placing of the poles of the Auburn Co.

Councillor Maldrum reported that Supt. Tiffin, of the G.T.R., had called him up over the telephone to say that as the frost had set in it would be impossible to obtain gravel to widen the embankment at this end of the Auburn bridge, and, therefore, there was no other way of laying the proposed sidewalk but upon posts and stringers. Supt. Tiffin, however, will be here next week to settle the matter definitely.

The time for the completion of the sewer section under contract to Kennedy & Wade was extended to August 1st, 1898, and releasing the contractors from any penalty incurred through not finishing the work on Dec. 15th as agreed upon. The contractors had great difficulty to contend with in the way of water on Aylmer street south, but under the careful supervision of the Town Engineer, the operations on the sewer system have been most satisfactorily carried on this fall.

Just before adjournment Councillor McWilliams rose stating that he was sure the members all felt very keenly over the regretted death of Mr. John Barnham and as a last mark of esteem he moved that the council turn out in a body and attend the funeral on Friday. The motion was seconded by Councillor Best and carried on a standing vote.

THE NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION.

How the Y M C A Will Extend Holiday Hospitality.

The following is the programme in connection with the annual New Year's reception to young men in the Y.M.C.A. building on Saturday.

The day will commence with a union prayer meeting in Association Hall at 9 o'clock.

In the senior department commencing at 10 o'clock. Checkers and other games will be a prominent feature.

The Junior Department will give an exhibition in the gymnasium commencing at 10 o'clock to which all citizens and particularly parents are invited. The following is the order of the exercises:

10 to 10.15—Marching.
10.15 to 10.25—Calisthenics.
10.25 to 10.40—Chest weight drill.
10.40 to 11—Thrust wand drill.
11 to 11.10—Work on horse.
11.10 to 11.20—Game, club passing.
11.20 to 11.35—Basket ball game.

Boys under 16 will not be allowed in the afternoon.

AFTERNOON PROGRAMME.

2.10 p.m.—Refreshments served to all comers by the Ladies Auxiliary.
3.30—Dumb bell drill.
3.30 to 4.00—Class work on apparatus.
4.00 to 4.45—Basket ball, Blacks vs. Whites.

EVENING.

In Association Hall at 8 o'clock, programme in charge of Debating Club, Mr. A. E. Dixon, president, in the chair. Debate, "Resolved that the prevalent bicycle craze is detrimental to the business interests of the country." Affirmative—Rev. J. G. Potter and W. J. Stubbs; negative, Messrs. F. H. Dobbin and A. C. McCallum.

There will also be a choice musical programme commencing at 8 o'clock.

Select and standard Baltimore Oysters, prices right.—"Spot Cash."

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—To-night will be the last meeting of Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, I. O. O. F., this year. Election of officers and other important business. All members are expected to be present.

—M. L. Henry & Co. are presenting their customers with a very attractive calendar for 1898. It is a happy hit, and is a forcible contribution to the gospel of cleanliness. It shows two laughing urchins, bare-footed and bare-headed, with tattered pants and shirts, but with their skins and scanty clothing as clean and spotless as marble, because they have used Henry's soap.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1897.

THE MAYORALTY CONTEST.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—On my arrival home this morning from Paris my attention was drawn to Mr. Yelland's address to the electors and also to the report of his speech on nomination day, where he makes some very grave and most untruthful charges, both against Mr. Davis, Mr. Kendry and myself, and practically against everyone of Mr. Davis' supporters. As a prevaricator of the truth Mr. Yelland has shown himself capable of making any statement to bolster his own cause. As for example he says, "My opponent is a gentleman for whom I have the highest respect." These are words of a friend, but in the next sentence he eats his own words and taking pattern from a cloven-footed gentlemen, reptile-like, spits out his venom in these words, "It must be apparent that the auspices under which he (Mr. Davis) is brought out indicates that his election is sought for the purpose of serving the selfish aims of his principal supporters, and as a reward also for what he has already done, for it was through him the Auburn Power Co., represented by Messrs. Kendry & Meldrum, obtained the remission of $400 a year for rent of poles, although but a few months previously a bylaw had been solemnly passed, imposing such a rental." No doubt it was a solemn scene with the mayor calling out—'Where are we now?' Ratepayers of the Town of Peterborough, I ask you, would you call the above venomous insult to Mr. Davis the words of a friend, for whom he (Mr. Yelland) says he has the highest respect? Answer by your ballot. It is, however, on a par with the actions of the same. Mr. Yelland suing his own grandchild, an infant, in his greed for money, a thing so disgraceful that it merits the contempt of every member of our community, the perpetrator of which is not fit to hold the office of poundkeeper, let alone that of Mayor of Peterborough. He practically charges Mr. Davis with being a purchasable commodity. The statement of Mr. Yelland that it was through Mr. Davis that the Auburn Power Co. obtained the remission of $400 is doubly false. First, that Mr. Davis had nothing more to do with it than Mr. Yelland had till the vote was taken, and second that all the town could have compelled the Auburn Power Co. to pay was $200 instead of $400 as stated by Mr. Yelland. And legally, I am told, under the existing bylaw, the town could not collect a cent. Where was Mr. Yelland when the lighting contract came up last year, when the Auburn Power Company offered to supply, and light the town for $57.50 per lamp? Mr. Yelland, instead of looking after the interest of the town, and saving ratepayers' money, went off fishing and shirked the vote that would have saved the town thousands of dollars in the next seven years. Last year Mr. Yelland, as head of the council, bound this town of Peterborough and its citizens for seven years to pay the sum of $65.00 per lamp per year to the Peterborough Light and Power Co. A difference of $7.50 per lamp per year, or over $5,000.00 in seven years of the ratepayers' money thrown away, or rather given away as a premium to the Peterborough Light and Power Co. for lighting the town. And he now wants to make the Peterborough Light and Power Co. a further present of $400.00 per year or $2,400.00, to what end? He says it is impossible for Mr. Davis to fill the mayor's chair impartially. Fellow citizens, does it not strike you that Mayor Yelland's offer is a bribe for the Light & Power Co., and the Dickson Co's. support in the present contest? Is this what you elect a mayor for? I say, "no." In reference to the supply of electric power or the Auburn Power Co., the only interest I have, as I stated in the council, is as a member of the Auburn Woollen Co., and for which company I act as manager of the Power Co., and look after, in connection with my own business, the electric department of their business. I felt with the large majority of the council that the best way to induce manufacturers to locate here and help to build up the town was to offer cheap power delivered anywhere in the town, and thus give employment to labour, as many mechanics can start a small factory that have not the means of starting in a large way. The Auburn Power Co. only have exemption on their poles so long as they confine themselves to the supply of power, if they touch light, then they must pay the rental. The people, to make progress, must of necessity have cheap power and cheap light. Can we get it by putting a tax on it? Neither myself nor any other member of the Power Company approached Mr. Davis or any other member of the council asking their support for the exemption on their poles, neither did we wait on Mr. Davis and ask him to come out for mayor, although with all good citizens we were glad to see a man come out whom we could all respect in the chair, satisfied he would give fair play to all. Mr. Yelland practically charges Mr. Kendry and myself with buying Mr. Davis. I want to tell Mr. Yelland that a more untruthful statement was never made, for a greater libel perpetrated on an upright and respected citizen of our town than the statement in his address, and no man knows it better than Mr. Yelland that Mr. Davis has been a consistent and respected member of the Methodist church his whole life time, and in libelling Mr. Davis he practically casts a slur on the whole Methodist body.

Regarding Mr. Yelland's spite against myself, it is so childish and petty that I would brush him off like a blue bottle fly in summer—lots of noise and nothing in him.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space and your courtesy, I am,

Your truly,
W. H. MELDRUM.

Peterborough, Dec. 30th.

THE W.C.T.U. AND THE ELECTIONS.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Here are a few lines I hope you will insert in the interests of the W.C.T.U. As this is a very busy time among our electors, I thought that, as we had no votes as a Union, we could say a little to the lady friends in town who have votes. In reading both sides of the candidates, there is something wrong it seems to me. If we have good men in the field, as they claim to be, I don't see there is any need of their being so busy in sending their cards or addresses and calling at the houses, for I am sure you won't see them till another year comes round again. They don't know you after that. But, Mr. Editor, there is very little said about the curse that is blighting many a home in this town. Both rich and poor are sharing alike in that respect. And as for some of them to tell you they are temperance men, we will judge the future by the past; and we won't need to wait long either, by appearances. But it is to the ladies who have a chance to vote I would say, be careful whom you vote for. If I had a vote and voted for the liquor side I would be ashamed to think I had done such. Just think for one moment how many places in town sell liquor groceries. These are the places where more harm is done than in hotels. I ask the women of the town to vote for God and Home and Native Land.

Yours very sincerely,
MEMBER OF W.C.T.U.

CARD TO THE ELECTORS.

The rumour having been circulated by an interested person in No. 2 Ward, for the purpose of injuring my candidature, that I, and another candidate, are brought out by a clique with the object of dropping or injuring the Chief of Police, I wish on behalf of myself to most emphatically deny any such statement. It is absolutely without foundation. My sole object in seeking to enter the council is to advance the interests of No. 2 Ward and the town.

W. L. ALLEN,
(of Kingan & Allen.)

Dec. 30th, 1897.

WHAT IS A "SHARD?"

In Rudyard Kipling's "Recessional" an expression occurs which has puzzled some readers almost as much as a bit of Browning:

"For heathen hearts that put their trust
In reeking tube or iron shard."

He is evidently deprecating that mere Jingoism that vaunts its brute force. Reeking tubes are the big guns, but Iron Shard is the expression that puzzles most. A shard is the hard outside wing case that some beetles wear, and in poetic imagination corresponds to the armour of our big battle ships. Their "wings" are now in the vital body of the ship, and these "wings" are protected by a shard, or a case of armour plates. Hence the expression "iron shard."

—Many specials at "Spot Cash" for Friday. Call in person if you would secure the bargains.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday.....	28°	19°

—Teas and Coffees "Spot Cash."

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle man—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

HURRAH FOR THE THISTLES.

They do on the Ice This Season Stronger Than Ever and With Renewed Life.

At a largely attended and most enthusiastic meeting of the Thistle Curling Club last evening the skips and rinks were chosen for the season, and as the result of the gathering new life appears to be infused into the curlers and the season's sport will be entered upon with the keenest zest.

The arrangement of the schedule of matches will allow every curler his full share of the ice in the evenings. Two of the three rinks will be almost continually occupied for the next month in running off the LeBrun Medal, Kendry Cup and Innes Medal series, and the third rink will be left open for scratch matches. By the reserving of the ice for the scheduled matches every player will have an equal opportunity of getting his full share of the curling without having to be at the rink door before it opens, which will make it far more equable for all.

The rinks and skips were chosen as follows:—

I.	II.
R A W Hay, Wm Hamilton, Wm Salisbury, Miles Hamilton, sk	H Snowdon, Jno D Baptie, C McGill, T Rutherford, sk.
III.	**IV.**
J W Garvin, Harry Meredith, G S Ames, Geo Brown, R H Kells, sk.	W H Robertson, Dr Bradd, C N Brown, D Davidson, W G Ferguson, sk.
V.	**VI.**
Thos Hamilton, Dr Caldwell, C LeBrun, Thos Ferguson, Jas Connal, sk.	Thos Brightman, Harry Phelan, John McClelland, D Bellegham, sk.
VII.	**VIII.**
W E Loch, Alf Terrill, John Stanger, Sam Ray, sk.	Lem Fetcher, A J Gough, Frank White, R B McKee, Harry LeBrun, sk.
IX.	
Herb Hall, Robt Kerr, W J Thompson, E Rutherford, sk.	

The schedule of matches for the LeBrun medal series was arranged, and will be pulled off next week. The draws have been arranged as appended:

FIRST DRAW.

1 R H Kells vs Thos Rutherford.
2 D Bellegham vs Jas Connal.
3 M Hamilton vs S Ray.
4 W G Ferguson vs H LeBrun.
5 E Rutherford, bye.

Monday Evening—
Kells vs Rutherford.
Ferguson vs LeBrun.

Wednesday Evening—
Hamilton vs Ray.
Bellegham vs Connal.

SECOND DRAW.

A—Winner III vs winner V.
B—Winner IV vs winner I.
C—Winner II a bye.

THIRD DRAW.

Winner C vs winner A.
Winner B a bye.

The management committee was instructed to confer with the Granites with the object of arranging a bonspell on New Year's day to decide the ownership for the season of the cup won by the Peterborough Colts in the Midland Association. Each club will furnish six rinks and three matches will be played off in the morning and three in the afternoon, if the arrangements can be completed.

PERSONAL.

Miss Quirk, of Ashburnham, left yesterday to visit friends in the West.

Mrs. P. J. Zettler, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. J. Taber, George street.

Mr. M. O'Brien of the Collegiate Institute staff, is visiting friends in Lindsay.

Miss Maude Elliott is visiting at the residence of Mr. Geo. F. Elliott, Millbrook.

Mr. Arthur Birch, of Winnipeg, formerly of Peterborough, is in town visiting relatives.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. G. Potter, who has been suffering from an attack of lagrippe, is convalescing.

Mr. Edward Calcutt, of Russell, Manitoba, is visiting his brother, Mr. Harry Calcutt, Ashburnham.

Mr. Walter Stubbs is home visiting his parents. He intends going to the great northern gold fields in the spring.

Mr. Alex. Cutting, of the York County Loan and Savings Co., formerly of Peterborough, is down from Toronto for a few days.

Mr. Geo. L. Blatch, C.A., of Ottawa, is registered at the Oriental. Mr. Blatch is engaged in the regular audit of the books of The Geo. Matthews Co.)Ltd.), town.

Mr. W. J. Drope, proprietor of the Grimsby Boys' School, returned home today, after spending a pleasant week in town as the guest of Mr. D. H. Burritt.

Miss Elve Best and her cousin, Miss Louise Best, left to-day at noon for Nyack, New York, at which place they will enter the training institute of the Christian Alliance.

Dr. Edwy Stratton, son of Mrs. James Stratton, Gilmour street, is home on a visit from the Pacific Coast after an absence of eleven years. He is practising in Orting, Washington State.

Miss Maggie Raine was summoned to Port Hope last evening on a very sad mission, word having been received of the death of a much loved brother. She was accompanied to Port Hope by Miss Emma Deane.

Mr. A. E. Finnemore, who has been connected with the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, as accountant, for nearly two years, has been moved to Guelph, his place being taken by Mr. Miles Hamilton, son of the late Hon. Robt. Hamilton, formerly of town. During Mr. Finnemore's residence in town his unfailing courtesy in the bank made him very popular. Both he and Mrs. Finnemore, who made a most charming hostess, will be greatly missed in social circles. They went to Guelph to-day.

—Oranges and Lemons "Spot Cash."

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The boys are getting into good shape for their match against Belleville on Friday evening. A big crowd was out for practice last night and the fastest of the lot are to be picked for the first game of the season. Dr. Perry Goldsmith is playing with the Belleville's this year.

The team for Friday evening will be composed as follows: Goal, Wasson; point, Montgomery; cover point, Hollingshead; forwards, B. Bellegham, W. Phelan, R. Davidson and Lionel King.

Mr. Miles Hamilton has kindly consented to referee the game.

A Mother's Story—Her little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having used your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Colds and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too highly of.

Mrs. F. W. Bond,
20 Macdonald Street, Barrie, Ont.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 389 Georges treet.

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

Mr. Allan McCarthy has withdrawn from the contest as a school trustee, leaving five candidates in the field. Three are to be elected.

Mr. John Weir is not a candidate as councillor. He also has withdrawn.

The village council will attend Mr. Burnham's funeral in a body.

Cottage prayer meeting this (Thursday) evening at Mr. Richard Record's, on Stewart street.

"Spot Cash" has just received Christie Brown & Co.'s choicest line of fancy Crackers. Order what you want for New Year's festivities.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50cat Grafton & Co.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,
A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, December 17th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for Councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage an economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs.

Your obedient servant,
JOHN M. WHITE.

December 28th, 1897.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS NEXT WEEK, AT

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SILVER PLATED BELLS—various chimes.
BRASS AND METAL BELLS—any desired kind.

JUST RECEIVED BY

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Hardware Merchants, 392 George Street.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of No. 1 Ward to again become a candidate for Councillor, I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit your votes and support.

Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,
NOAH T. LePLANTE.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having again been honoured with the nomination as Councillor for the "Banner Ward," I hereby solicit your votes and influence to place me in the council for 1898. If you do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to continue to insist upon as rigid economy in civic expenditure as is consistent with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,
Your obedient servant,
CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE RATEPAYERS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

At the request of many ratepayers of Ward No. 2, I have decided to accept the nomination as Candidate for election as one of your Councillors for 1898.

I ask the hearty support of all ratepayers and if elected will do all in my power to further the interests of the town and to ensure, as far as possible, practical and economical administration of affairs during the year. As the time is short I am unable to make a thorough personal canvas, but trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,
T. H. HAMILTON.

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EYE EAR AND THROAT

60 College Street, Toronto

May be consulted at Oriental Hotel Peterborough, Saturday, Jan. 29th.

HOURS 11.30 to 4

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having been urged by a number of the influential ratepayers of Ward No. 2 to become a candidate for Councillor in this important Ward, I have decided to accept nomination.

I therefore beg leave to respectfully solicit the votes and influence of the electors of the Ward, and promise that the interests of this Ward and the town shall receive my best attention, in case I should be elected by your valued support.

As I may be unable to make a personal canvas of all the electors before polling day, I trust those whom I may not be able to see will lend me their valuable support and influence.

Respectfully yours,
W. L. ALLEN.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—Having been nominated a candidate for ward No. 2, I respectfully solicit your support. If elected I am prepared to give my best attention to the affairs pertaining to that office, to promote the best interests of the town, to support a policy of progress and industry in a legitimate and fair manner, governed by strict economy and even-handed justice.

Yours respectfully,
M. H. QUINLAN.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 28th, 1897.

At the request of numerous ratepayers of this, the most important business ward of the town, I have accepted nomination as Councillor for 1898. I therefore take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and influence—of the ladies as well as of the gentlemen. If you do me the honour of electing me for this important position, I pledge myself to use my best judgment to forward the interests of Peterborough as your representative.

Being a large manufacturer and property holder in town, it will certainly be to my interest to support whatever will assist in advancing the interests of the municipality, so as to make it one of the most important business centres in the province. As far as lies in my power, I will also favour rigid economy in civic expenditure consistent with the efficient management of our town affairs.

Yours truly,
D. BELLINGHEM.

Before we bid good-bye to the Old Year, we expect a busy Holiday week. As an extra inducement, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments until New Years. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

A. Mercerlo

On With The Rush ....AT.... Kutzbach's Two Stores

From Now until New Years' a particular purpose influences us at our Two Stores. We had a great success before Christmas for which we cordially thank our hundreds of kind patrons. Now we go in for

A Rounding-up Clearing Sale.

Shoppers who have yet to make their purchases for New Years will have things pretty nearly all their own way. Prices will never be lower than ours.

OUR GREAT TOY DEP'T.

In Both Stores is the talk of the town. Prices caught on like wildfire. We expect to wind up the old year with a big bounding Clearing Sale in both stores.

Enough for Another Christmas in Both Stores.

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 379 George Street.
2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

HER INTERESTING STORY.

A well-known Brighton lady tells what she thinks regarding Heart Trouble, and how to cure it.

Mrs. Stephen P. Clapp tells what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills did for her.

Mrs. Clapp says, "I have been a sufferer from extreme nervousness for years, and for the last two years my heart has

troubled me greatly. I could not sleep soundly, and would often awaken with a start, together with a curious feeling as if my heart had stopped beating, and it would be some time before I could recover myself. At times I became very dizzy, and a mist gathered before my eyes. I have taken many kinds of patent medicines, but could get nothing to relieve me. Finally I received a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and am glad to say that they gave me relief in a very short time. I now sleep well, my nerves are steady and strong, and I am better in every way than I have been for years.

I can recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills very highly to those suffering from any trouble affecting the heart and nerves, for I know that they have been a great boon to me."

(Signed) Mrs. Stephen P. Clapp,
216 Brighton, Ont.

THE FOUNTAIN OF LOVE.

[Lines suggested by Jean Ernest Aubert's painting of the above title.]

O happy pair! What is't you see
Reflected in this glassy stream?
Two faces lit with ecstasy,
Like faces in a blissful dream.
Behind you stands with ready dart
Young Cupid, love's own messenger,
O maid and man, ere you depart
Your lips will something sweet aver.
But could this purling brook reveal the future, too,
Would love be welcome then, fond hearts, to both of you?

Love is a sweet and dangerous thing,
A story told with subtle tongue,
An insect with a grievous sting
We know not of till we are stung.
A bird of golden plumage, sought
With avidness; a budding tree
Not yet in fruit. We know not what
The fruit of two young lives will be.
Young may be roses. Alas, alas, was one time leaves.
What more? Was not Rebekah's Esau? Cain was Eve's.
—St. George Rust in Good Housekeeping.

D-O-D-D-S

THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth [so Famous—No Name [More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

One Bad Effect.

Wife—John, don't you think you had better give up trying to shave yourself and go back to the barber?

Husband—Why, of course not. See how much I save every month.

Wife—Yes, I know that, but then Willie is always around you when you shave, and he is learning so many bad words.—London Fun.

An Exception.

Fuddy—There's much truth in the saying, "Seeing is believing."

Duddy—But it has its exceptions, like all other rules. I have seen your friend Archer a great many times.—Boston Transcript.

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UNCLE SAM'S MENAGERIE.

Animals Kept at the Department of Agriculture For Experimental Purposes.

It is not generally known that the department of agriculture has a menagerie in connection with it, but such is the case. The menagerie is not a very large one, nor does it contain any rare or strange animals. Most of them are of the domestic variety.

It is a part of the division of animal industry, and the animals are used to develop interesting cases of disease and to illustrate the effects of an epidemic of a particular kind which the division may wish to experiment on with a view of stamping it out and to test various kinds of foods of which a trial is thought to be efficacious.

Comprised in this collection of animals are rats and mice, guinea pigs, rabbits, different sorts of fowls, some cattle and sheep and a few others. The larger of the animals are kept at the breeding place of the department, on the Benning road, while others are domiciled in the basement of the division of animal industry laboratory, near the bureau of engraving and printing.

Down in the basement, under the laboratory, which was visited recently by a reporter, were seen a number of coops and cages, in which were grouped guinea pigs, rabbits and chickens. The animals seemed to be perfectly at home and formed a seemingly happy family, as some guinea pigs were in the cage with rabbits. One of the little white and black creatures was nibbling at the whiskers of a sleepy looking rabbit, which blinked contentedly, as if it enjoyed the operation or was too lazy to resist any trespass on the part of the guinea pig.

A dilapidated looking chicken, which had much the same appearance as has a trump who has been forced to saw wood for a meal at a "friendly inn," rested on top of a cage. The guinea pigs seemed to be the life of the place and ran in and out with apparently little or no concern whether "school kept or not."

On some of the cages where the rabbits were confined, printed in large black letters, was the word "rabies." Upon the cards also were the warnings to the attendants and others not to put their hands in the cages. This meant that the animals had been inoculated with hydrophobia virus, and it was therefore dangerous to handle the animals. A further precaution taken in such cases, it is said, is not to inoculate animals carnivorous by nature, as they become terribly ferocious, or any animals whose chief means of defense is by biting.

A cat or dog, for instance, will strive to bite when afflicted with the disease, while a rabbit, which is purely a vegetarian, will simply mope and die without making any resistance.

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"I don't think so, ma," responded Tommy timidly.

"How's that?" asked Manders sternly before mamma could interfere. "Haven't you been behaving yourself? Why won't you get a prize for good conduct? Answer me at once."

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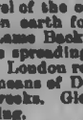

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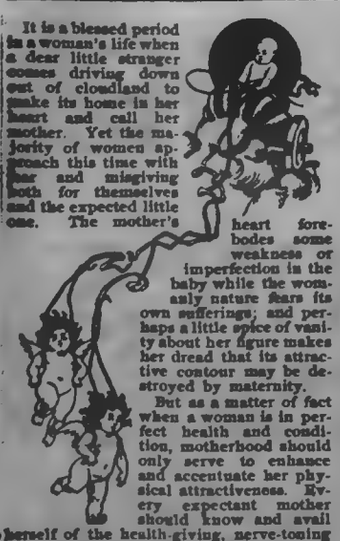

It is a blessed period in a woman's life when a dear little stranger comes driving down out of cloudland to make its home in her heart and call her mother. Yet the majority of women approach this time with fear and misgiving both for themselves and the expected little one. The mother's heart foreboded some weakness or imperfection in the baby while the womanly nature fears its own sufferings; and perhaps a little spice of vanity about her figure makes her dread that its attractive contour may be destroyed by maternity.

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A MAD CAPTAIN.

BY CHARLES D. LEWIS.

On the 3d of October, in the year 1860, the British bark Arab left the mouth of the Ganges for a run to Liverpool, and that was the beginning of as strange a voyage as a vessel ever made. She was a small and tidy craft, carrying a crew of 12 men, and Captain Thomas Johnson had sailed her for five years, and was accounted a thorough seaman and reliable in all respects. He was then about 40 years old, and there were few men on land or sea who were his match in strength. A dead weight which two sailors could not move at all did not seem to call for half his muscular powers, and at a pull on a rope he could drag any three of his crew across the deck. We had been lying at Calcutta two months before the start for home, and during the last two weeks of this time the captain had been ashore and left things entirely to Mr. Samples, the mate. He came aboard only a few hours before we sailed, and the four or five men in the crew who had sailed with him before noticed a change in him. He was moody and sullen and fault finding, and there was a change in his voice, which grated harshly. Instead of overseeing things, he retired to his cabin, and it was only when we were clear of the river that he came on deck. Then he had very little to say to his mates, and his conduct was so unlike him that there was a good deal of talk fore and aft.

This was my third voyage in the Arab. I had been entered on the first as cabin boy and on the second and third as an apprentice, although I still had certain duties to perform in the cabin. I thus saw more of the captain than any one else, and perhaps had more speech with him. We were scarcely out of sight of land before I found him weeping. An hour later he detained me to hear a droll story, and he laughed over the climax with seeming heartiness. His sleep was broken at night, and during the day he prowled about like a caged animal. I couldn't make him out at all, and others were equally puzzled, and we passed three very uncomfortable days and nights before anything particular happened to explain matters.

On the morning of the fourth day, as the men of the morning watch were washing down the decks and as a large ship was approaching us from the south, Captain Johnson came on deck only half dressed, and without a word to any one he ran up a signal of distress with his own hands. Then he ordered sail reduced and the bark brought to the wind, and when Mr. Samples asked what was wrong he received no reply.

The stranger, who proved to be an American, was brought to the wind within a cable's length of us, and Captain Johnson went off to her in a boat. He told the American that his mates had threatened his life and he wanted protection. The stranger returned with him, questioned mates and men and advised that the Arab return to Calcutta. It was his opinion that Captain Johnson was crazy, and a continuance of the voyage would be almost certain to lead to disaster. The advice was good, but the trouble was to follow it. The captain of a man-of-war could have acted according to his judgment, but when it came to the mates taking possession of the ship and restraining their superior officer it was a different case. Unless a court decided that the captain was really insane such action on their part would land them in prison. The person of a captain at sea is about as sacred in the eyes of the law as that of a king on his throne.

While Captain Johnson did not hear what the American proposed, having retired to his cabin as soon as he returned aboard, he suspected that he was being plotted against. He called me down to him and said that the mates intended to take his life and then turn the Arab into a pirate craft. An old woman had put him on his guard when ashore, and he had prepared for trouble. He ordered me to get out a box which was stored in his room, and when I had opened it I found that it contained six revolvers and a thousand cartridges to fit. By his direction I loaded all the weapons, and he placed two of them in his pockets and said he would kill the first man who laid hand on him. We went on deck together. The American had resumed his course, while our own craft was lying to. The captain took out one of the pistols and walked up to Mr. Samples and quietly said:

"I am master of this craft. She is bound to Liverpool, and to Liverpool she will go. I have my eye on you and all others, and the first move made against me will result in the death of every man aboard. Get the bark on her course, sir, and say to the crew that the conspiracy is discovered and my preparations made to take care of myself."

There was only one thing to do—obey. The yards were running, the Arab headed on her course, and after promenading up and down for an hour the captain went below and locked himself in his room. While I watched at the companionway, the mates and two or three of the oldest men forward held a conversation. While all were agreed that the captain was "queer" in his conduct, it was also agreed that he could not be interfered with unless his actions menaced the safety of ship and crew. There was hope that he might grow better, and it was understood that he was not to be interfered with unless he became a positive menace. The next four or five days passed without incident of importance. The navigation was left entirely to Mr. Samples. During most of the day Captain Johnson stuck to his cabin, sometimes sleeping for three or four hours at a stretch and again sitting with folded hands and gazing into vacancy. At night he would pace the deck for hours at a time, walking with bent head and stooped shoulders and seeming to be utterly oblivious of all surroundings. He spoke to no one, and no one addressed him. He ate his meals regularly, but did not have much appetite. On the eighth day of the voyage, soon after midday, a British man-of-war coming out of the gulf of Aden hove into view, and Captain Johnson ran up a signal of distress and lay to as before. As the stranger came down on us and prepared to answer the signal, the Arab was suddenly headed on her course by order of the crazy captain.

This maneuver excited the ire and suspicion of the man-of-war, and a gun was fired as a command for us to lie to. No heed was given it, and then came another, and a third, and then she spread all sail in pursuit and followed us until midnight before giving up the chase. During the first hour of the chase Captain Johnson chuckled and laughed and was greatly pleased, but by and by he went to his cabin and threw himself down for a nap. Some of the crew demanded of Mr. Samples that he reduce sail and permit the bark to be overhauled and the captain's mental condition investigated, but he refused to take the chances.

The ninth and tenth days passed without incident. If there was any change in Captain Johnson's condition, it was for the worse. He no longer spoke to me or seemed to notice my presence in the cabin, and, though he sat down to his meals as before, he scarcely tasted of them. He never went on deck without his pistols, and they were always within reach as he lay in his berth or sat at the table.

On the forenoon of the eleventh day we sighted a Dutch brig, and the captain ran up the signal of distress and stopped her. He called for two men to row him aboard, and he took with him four of the six revolvers. As soon as he was aboard of the stranger he commanded her crew to go below. He recognized her as a noted pirate, he said, and had sworn to capture her single handed if he ever fell in with her. He was at first laughed at, but when it was realized that he was in earnest a rush was made to disarm him. He at once opened fire and killed two men and wounded three, and he might have exterminated the crew had not one of the men who rowed him aboard resorted to a ruse. He called to the crazy man that the Arab was making ready to sail away without them, and the next moment the captain was down in the boat and urging them to row for their lives. It was feared that he might use his weapons as soon as he got aboard, but he went directly to his cabin, washed his hands and combed his hair and seemed to have forgotten that anything unusual had occurred.

Mr. Samples got the bark on her course without orders, but when he had learned the full particulars of the tragedy aboard the brig he decided that something must be done. I was set to watch while the men concocted a plan. It was finally decided to seize the captain as he came on deck after supper, which was his usual custom. A man was stationed on either side of the companion, and I was to get hold of the pistols if I could and empty the chambers. When I entered the cabin with this object in view, the captain sternly ordered me out and locked and barricaded all the doors and windows.

Here was a new complication and a bad one. No one dared move against the cabin, and the mates were hurried out of their quarters. No chart or instrument could be got at, and the time had come when the law would back us in any step we might take. Mr. Samples was a very cautious man, however, and after a long consultation it was agreed to wait and see what the morning would bring forth.

It was well that such an understanding was reached. About sunrise the next morning we were overhauled by a Russian man-of-war, and as she came up we signaled our distress. Mr. Samples went off to her and reported, and she sent an officer and ten marines aboard to secure Captain Johnson. He had not once been heard from during the night, and some of our crew believed he had committed suicide. As the marines came over the rail the captain suddenly rushed on deck, pistols in hand, and he fired two shots and killed two men in their tracks. Then he rushed back to the cabin and called out that he would defend himself to the last. The Russian officer returned to his ship for instructions, and a paper was drawn up and signed by every man of our crew. Then the marines were ordered to attack the cabin and shoot Captain Johnson down if he refused to surrender. The crew of the Arab went aloft to be out of the way, and at about 10 o'clock the attack began.

The first shot was promptly replied to, and it wounded a marine and sent him out of the fight. Ten minutes later one was killed, and soon after that a second was wounded. Then six more men were sent for, and when the fight had been going on for nearly two hours a sudden rush burst open the cabin doors. The mad captain stood there, defiant as ever, and fired a shot which dropped a man, but ere he could pull the trigger again he was riddled with bullets and the reign of terror was over. The Arab was conveyed back to Madras and the case went to the courts. We were cleared by the verdict after weeks of delay, and it was the opinion of medical experts that poor Captain Johnson had been attacked by what is familiarly known in India as the "jungle madness." Instead of betraying itself as a fever it took the form of insanity, and it was considered surprising that he did not attack his own crew and wipe them out to a man.

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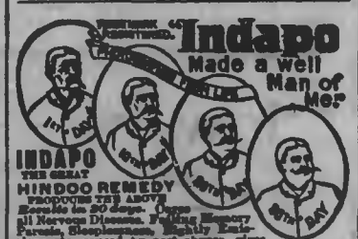

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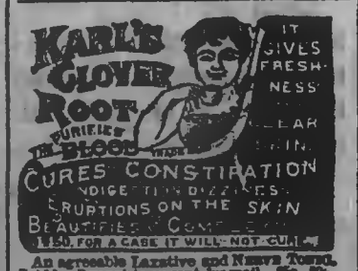

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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,301.221	1,650.464	349.263
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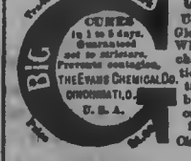

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LETTER ON DEER AND WAYS OF DEER HUNTING.

AN ENTHUSIAST VENTILATES THE SUBJECT.

The Subject Broadly Treated—All the the Aspects Dealt With—Practical Suggestion as to Eliciting Real Opinion.

The following letter appeared in the Globe on the 27th:

SIR,—I observe that there is a bill before the Local Legislature to permit the shooting of deer in the water "so long as hunting with dogs is allowed." For several years the proper mode of killing deer has been much discussed, and the operation of the law forbidding the shooting of deer in the water has been thoroughly threshed out by all who hunt, and by many who have a taste for sport. With your permission I will present my views, knowing that I represent in them a very large proportion, if not a large majority, of hunters.

As to the deer—Why preserve them? Certainly not because in their native woods they are objects of interest, for they are rarely seen, and then only by the backwoodsman, who complains that they eat his crop, or by the trapper or forest-ranger. Ninety-nine per cent. of the people never saw a live deer in the forest. Why, then?

There are only two reasons. One that a food supply may be preserved, and the other that the hunter may have sport. Now as to the food supply, the settler is chiefly to be considered. I know that many loads of venison are brought by the settler or pot-hunter to the lumber shanties, but that is something that neither law nor public sentiment upholds. I admit that venison is to the backwoodsman an object, but these backwoodsman raise large quantities of beef and mutton, and at the season of the year when venison may be lawfully got, beef and mutton will keep without trouble.

But admit that the settler should have special license to kill deer, if you bear in mind that all summer long the deer have been round the settler's shanty, and that he and his children know every haunt and runway, and on the first day of the season, if he waits that long, he can go out and pot his two deer. Remembering this, it will be realised that the law preventing him from shooting in the water affects him but little. If careful enquiry is made I think it will be found that the backwoodsman gets his venison at times and in manner to suit himself and pays little regard to the law.

But the deer question from the food supply aspect is not of very great importance, for but a small proportion of the people ever taste venison; it is not a tenth of a tenth of 1 per cent. of the meat consumed. Even to the settler the sport in the hunt is more than the meat.

Who then should be considered in the legislation respecting the game law? I answer: the hunter, whether he be a settler or from the front. Both classes look forward to the time when they may go into the forest to enjoy the outing, the relaxation, the fresh air, the new life, with companionship and the health-giving invigoration of the exercise in our glorious fall weather. "A life in the woods for me." This, the greatest pleasure which many enjoy, is what our law should preserve for those who thus appreciate it.

Now, who are the people who have been shaping the law? Are they hunters, sportsmen, who above all men will respect a good game law which they approve of, or are they so-called humanitarians who, with sanctimonious face have spoken of killing "a poor deer in the water, when, helpless, it turned its pitiful eye on the man with the gun?" The motive of these laster was no doubt good, but they wholly misunderstood the subject. I remember one in the House speaking of this manner of shooting deer as "butchery"—the sound of the word passed for argument.

Suppose the men who kill our cattle were compelled by act of parliament to get the beast on the run with dogs, and then the butcher in the wood, with rocks, and the stumps and brush, to give variety to the pace, were to empty the magazine rifle or buckshot at the flying steer, piercing him in all parts of the body, shooting off his limbs or jaws, and then dragging or carrying the blood-saturated body perhaps for miles over rocks or fallen timber to the slaughter house to be cut up, what would you say? And if the lacerated beast escaped to die in some swamp, by what name would this be designated? If our humane friend found his butcher offering black, bloody and spoiled meat, would it be sufficient to say that the beast had been killed in manner prescribed by law? No, the way the butcher kills the steer, the way called "butchery," is the kindest way; it puts the animal quickly out of pain, it prevents it escaping to die a lingering death, it saves the meat, it enable the "butcher" to get the meat to camp in the best form and with least labour.

To shoot a deer on the run may be more sport to the crack shot, but it is anything but kind to the deer. So long as the deer runs the hunter will shoot, and the poor thing may carry away into the swamp and escape, with five times as many bullets or slugs as would have settled its fate in the water. If you say that the dogs and canoes must both go, then you rule out all but the backwoodsman who, living in the forest, can shoot when the deer presents itself, or after the snow falls, by still hunting, but the amateur hunter, who goes for his annual outing, cannot leave known ground and tramp into a wilderness from morning till night in hope that he may get a shot at an animal which sees, or smells, or hears him long before it is seen. No amateur dare wander thus far from camp at a season when there are not even his own footmarks in the snow to guide him home. And if perhaps he did shot a deer a few miles away, even if he knew where he was, it would be more than it was worth in a rough, roadless country to get it to camp.

If the Game Wardens knew what the hunters know, and were candid, they would admit at once that the present law is little observed, and the men who desire to keep it are handicapped by hunters who shoot in the water the deer raised by dogs not their own.

Most of the deer killed are killed in the water. Hundreds of deer are brought in with their tell-tale heads removed, others are smuggled in at night or dressed, and every hunter will tell you that the law is not respected and therefore not observed. The hunters know it is wrong, and so have little compunction in breaking it.

There is no requirement on the hunter to make a return of the number he kills, or as to sex, or age of the deer bagged, nor how they were killed, nor how many escaped to die in the woods, and there is no way by which the number killed can be known. Then our seasons, weather and conditions vary one from another, and so the kill will vary, and a comparison of one season with another is useless.

If it is decided to permit less deer to be killed, let every man's kill be limited to one—make shooting of fawn prohibitory—and change the season. The time now limited for hunting is the season when the deer are pairing, and the hunted does are separated from their mates, and so hunted that the result is observed of an unusual proportion of dry does. The men who know the most about this business are the hunters; they are more interested than any others in preserving the deer.

Let a series of interrogations be sent out to every man who last season got a permit to shoot; it may be that the settler and sportsman from the front may not be identical in their interests and and answers, but in this way, and only in this way, will such information be obtained as will lead to the promulgation of laws that will best preserve this splendid game and sport.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,
D. W. DUMBLE.

Peterborough, Dec. 21.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined!

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On this the old judge, to help him out, says: "Tut, tut, Jim. Suppose I were to set fire to your house and burn it down, what would that be?"

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You deserve the thanks of the people for the grand bill of fare you presented to the public at the Christmas Season, and for the nicely dressed window you have; the display of Turkeys, geese and other fowl was simply grand and I am not surprised that you did such a good trade and sold a lot of goods. I saw a load of Hogs at your door the other day, fat, and nicely dressed, what do you intend to do with them? Well, we pickle them, and then smoke them, then sell the Hams and Bacon; and let me whisper a secret to you, the people that buy them year after year, say there is nothing to equal them sold in this town.

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Sterling Silver Pieces,
For the Ladies Writing or Toilet Table
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Bronze, Marble and Brass Clocks
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Gold Booklets and Pendants,
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Gold and Silver Penholders,
Silver and Ebony Brushes,
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Ornamental Clocks,
Sterling Silverware,
Cuff Buttons and Studs,
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Plated Silverware,
Napkin Rings,
Silver Mounted Pottery,
Gold Rings,
Souvenir Spoons,
Gold and Silver Mounted Canes for Presentation.
Gold Ornaments,
Coffee and Sugar Spoons,
Gold Bracelets,
Children's Sets,
Sterling and Plated Mounted Mirrors,
Gold Brooches,
Gold Chains,
Plated Ware for the Table and Toilet,
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Was What Mr. St. John Wished to Be Yesterday.

HIS CHARGES ALL MELTING AWAY

His Attempt to Bluff the House, on an Alleged Question of Privilege, Seen Through by Members—The Premier's Calm Strength Ends the Matter With a Laugh.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—When the Legislature met yesterday afternoon the members' seats were nearly all filled. There was a general air of expectancy. Mr. St. John was not satisfied with the way the Public Accounts Committee was being run. He had made certain charges with reference to the Humber piggery and when the committee met yesterday he wished to assume control, act as judge, lawyer and witness and run the affairs of the committee generally. He read off a list of witnesses he wished examined and would be satisfied with nothing but an immediate carrying out of his wishes. He forgot that Mr. Garrow had made the first move to investigate the killing of the hogs at the piggery. At the first meeting of the committee Mr. Garrow had moved a resolution requiring certain witnesses to be called and placed upon oath. This resolution was passed without opposition. After several witnesses had been called Mr. St. John found his charges against the Government melting away before the strong sun of fact. He therefore decided to put a stop to proceedings and call his own witnesses. When he found he would have to go on with the business of the committee in the regular way he sulked, and, springing to his feet and followed by the other members of the Opposition, he left the committee, threatening to bring the matter up in the House. This he could have done with perfect propriety on a motion to adjourn if he was anxious for an immediate hearing, or he could have moved in the matter in the regular way when the House was moved into supply. Mr. St. John did not adopt either of these courses, but chose rather to be out of order by attempting to refer to the matter on a question of privilege. It is the opinion of many of the members that Mr. St. John knew this would not be allowed and simply adopted this course to make a bluff and give the country the impression the Government was attempting to burk inquiry. The fact he was out of order prevented the Government replying to his statement and this was evidently Mr. St. John's motive in bringing the matter to the attention of the House in an irregular manner. The Premier allowed him to state fully his charge and simply contented himself by drawing to his attention the proper form to lay the matter before the House, and there the matter ended and the members all laughed.

Important Legislation.

The House then settled down to business. The Premier introduced a Government bill to amend the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act. The bill facilitates the working of the board of registration, extends the Act to county towns, and makes some changes in the form of oaths. The bill was sent to the committee.

Absent Limited Companies.

Hon. Mr. Davis introduced a Government bill to amend the Ontario Companies Act, which provides that two years time shall be given all limited companies in which to have their signs, billheads and other printed matter changed from the abbreviated form to the regular manner set out in the Act. The bill permits the abbreviated form in marking goods. It also provides no action for infringement of the Act shall be brought except by the consent of the Crown. The Government is given power to remit all costs in actions already commenced.

To Help Settlers.

Mr. Carnegie introduced a bill to enable settlers to kill deer for their own use between Oct. 24 and Nov. 22. The bill was read a first time, but will receive some rough handling in all probability from both sides of the House when it arrives at the committee stage.

Electric Light in Towns.

Mr. Auld introduced a bill to extend the powers of towns of 5,000 and less to the same as enjoyed by towns and cities of 5,000 and more in the matter of erecting civic electric light works. The bill was read a first time and will receive attention after the holidays.

San Jose Scale.

Hon. Mr. Dryden's bill to permit the Government to pay 25 per cent. of the value of condemned fruit trees passed its second reading after considerable discussion. The Government seems determined to stamp out the pest. It was suggested this matter should be left to the municipalities, but the Government contended the matter was too important to leave it to anyone but the regular officers over whom the Government had control and who could be called to account.

Druggists Are Happy.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt introduced a bill to enable druggists and others to sell patent medicines containing alcohol without a medical certificate. Under an Act passed last session druggists were forbidden to sell any medicine that contained liquor of any kind. This bill enables druggists to sell all kinds of patent medicines and other drugs containing spirituous liquor provided they are sold in their original packages. The bill was read a first time.

The House then adjourned until Tuesday next.

KLONDIKE RELIEF.

Mr. Sifton Leaves Washington After the Expedition Has Been Provided For—The Plans.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The arrangement effected between Mr. Sifton in behalf of Canada and the War Department contemplates that the relief expedition shall be executed jointly by the United States army and a force of the Mounted Police of Canada, which constitutes the military arm of the Dominion. The United States force will proceed with the relief stores to Skaguay, where they will be joined by the Canadian Mounted Police, about 40 in number, and the two forces will then proceed together to the points where the relief is to be distributed. The determination as to Skaguay is, however, still open. The Canadian officials concede much latitude to the American authorities in the actual distribution, recognizing that the expedition is fitted out on this side, although a considerable part of the work will be done on the Canadian side of the border. No duties will be imposed on the stores carried by the relief expedition.

Mr. Sifton also held a conference with Secretary Gage, and discussed the unsatisfactory condition of customs regulations along the border and at coast points where goods are received by one country for transportation to the other country. It was the mutual feeling that an improvement of the system could be made, and negotiations are in progress which are hoped to effect changes advantageous to both sides.

Sifton Favors White Pass.

Mr. Sifton says that the only practicable route to Dawson City is what is known as the White Pass, or commonly called the Lake route, commencing at Skaguay or Lynn Canal.

He stated that Canada has 85 men in the territory and expects to have 50 more at Skaguay on or before Jan. 5. They have 20 tons of supplies now stored at Skaguay for transportation over the pass, to which will be added 10 more tons within the next 10 days for transportation over the pass.

The Canadian authorities have a post at Lake Bennett, another at Tagish, at which latter place 20 men are stationed; another post at White Horse Rapids, and two posts intervening between the latter point and Fort Selkirk.

It is the intention of the Canadian Government to have a detachment of 250 men in the territory within the next 30 days. This detachment will be ready to leave Skaguay on the 15th proximo, but the Minister has kindly consented to hold the expedition that they may accompany the expedition of the War Department, which will leave Skaguay on or before Feb. 1. The Canadian Government has kindly consented to grant escorts to the American expedition, provided the co-operation cannot be consummated.

The Government duties upon all supplies sent in under military control will be waived by the Canadian Government. The Minister was over the pass in October last. He stated that the Government would be very glad to grant the United States expedition the use of their posts on the route, and grant all other facilities to the movement of the expedition over their territory.

Mr. Sifton left for Ottawa at 4 p.m.

Ontario Teachers Barred

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 31.—War has been declared against Ontario teachers and all others residing outside of Manitoba and the Territories, and hereafter no teacher will be engaged in Manitoba schools who has not secured a western certificate at a regular teachers' examination. This is paying Ontario back in her own coin. Manitoba teachers' certificates are not recognized in the offete east, though the examination is even higher in standard than in Ontario. The law goes into effect at once. An agency in Toronto has been flooding the west with Ontario teachers, as report goes.

THE LIBERAL POLICY.

Hon. G. W. Ross Lays It Down in Nine Articles.

APPLICATION OF THE REVENUES.

They Should be Used for the Maintenance of the Service of the State, Lightening the Taxpayers' Burdens, and for Developing Latent Resources—Enforcement of Law.

Mount Brydges, Dec. 31.—Hon. Geo. W. Ross in his speech here gave the following concise and lucid summary of the policy of the Liberal party:

(1) To apply the public revenues solely for the maintenance of the service of the State; for lightening the burdens of the taxpayer, and for the development of the latent resources of the province.

(2) To apply the product of the forests and mines of the province from year to year in such a way as will best minister to the immediate wants of the whole people, without imperilling the interests of the lumberman or the miner, or without impairing the future productiveness of these sources of wealth.

(3) To promote agriculture by disseminating information with respect to husbandry in all its branches, so as to increase the fertility of the soil, the profits of the farm, dairy and orchard, and the comfort and happiness of the rural population in all parts of the country.

(4) To maintain in their integrity and efficiency all schools aided by the Government; to provide for the thorough training of teachers of every rank and grade; to increase the facilities for self-improvement by means of public libraries and to insist that every child domiciled in the province shall receive such a liberal and comprehensive education as shall prepare him for discharging intelligently the duties of citizenship as becomes a broad-minded, progressive Canadian.

(5) To provide generously for all citizens who suffer from mental aberration or the loss of any sense or faculty, and to minister to the wants of all persons compelled by misfortune, sickness or poverty to seek the shelter of any hospital, house of refuge or other charitable institution.

(6) To enforce without fear, favor or affection the laws respecting the liquor traffic, and to impose from time to time, as may be practicable, such restrictions on the sale of intoxicating liquors as will promote public morality and protect society from drunkenness and all kindred vices.

(7) To recognize Canadian citizenship as embracing all nationalities and creeds, and so to administer every law placed upon the statute book by the authority of Parliament that the rights of every subject of Her Majesty may be guarded against innovation or restriction from any source or by any influence whatsoever.

(8) To maintain the rights of the Province of Ontario as guaranteed by the British North America Act, and to exercise all the powers conferred by the constitution to preserve inviolate to the people of Ontario, the workingman as well as the capitalist, the legitimate profits of their enterprise and industry.

(9) To foster and strengthen our relations with the empire to which we belong, and to adopt on all questions such a resolute, honorable and progressive policy as will guarantee to the Province of Ontario at all times that influence in shaping the future of the Dominion of Canada to which it is entitled by virtue of its area, wealth and population. (Cheers.)

That, said Mr. Ross in concluding his address, has been our policy for 26 years. It is our policy still. In vindication of that policy we ask you to examine our record—a record which does not falsify a single principle of Liberalism, nor reveal a single broken pledge, nor disclose a single corrupt act nor the betrayal of a single trust. With that record we feel perfectly safe in the hands of an electorate too intelligent to be misled by false cries, too shrewd to be deceived by platitudes and mere platform declarations.

IMPORTANT FREIGHT CHANGES.

The Grand Trunk and the C. P. R. Will Reduce Rates on Jan. 1, 1898.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—According to a circular just issued, the two big railways will, commencing January 1st, make a number of important changes in their freight rates. On wheat, oats, barley, rye and corn products a reduction will be made to 20 cents per 100 pounds, on the basis of the haulage from Chicago to New York. It applies to freight for the Atlantic seaboard, from western points in the United States. On October 15th last the rate was raised to 22½ cents from 20 cents, so that it is now placed on its former standing. The second section refers to corn only, for domestic use or for export, from western points in the United States to the seaboard, on which a reduction of 2½ cents per 100 pounds is also made, the former figure being 20 cents. It is thus reduced to 17½ cents per 100 pounds. Another change affecting more directly Canadian traffic will also go into effect on the first of the new year. From main line points in Canada, on both railways, the tariff will be reduced 2½ cents per 100 pounds on export traffic for the seaboard, or from 17½ cents to 15 cents.

A Police Magistrate's Libel Suit.

Hamilton, Dec. 31.—Police Magistrate Jaffs has instructed his solicitor, George Lynch Staunton, to take proceedings against "Fidelis" (Mrs. Annie Billings) and the Herald for defamatory libel for the former's criticism of the magistrate in the paper. A cruelty to animals case was the moving cause.

Birth of Greater New York.

Washington, Dec. 31.—A salute of 100 guns from Governor's Island will be fired on the morning of January 1, to celebrate the birth of Greater New York.

The Turk Sat Upon.

Constantinople, Dec. 31.—The representatives of the powers have refused to permit the Turkish Government to replace 4,500 time-expired troops on the Island of Crete.

Nervous Prostration

Sick Headache and Dizziness—All Cured.

Little Girl Has Grown Plump and Rosy Since Taking Hood's.

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Only Chance for Life

was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKENBOTH, 203 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1897.

THE OLD YEAR AND THE NEW.

The close of the year is naturally suggestive of retrospect, and in the case of Canada this retrospect is one to be proud of. We have enjoyed the blessings of domestic peace and experienced a harmony of sentiment among the different classes of our population that we had not enjoyed for years before a Liberal premier, by the exercise of wise statesmanship, removed the apple of discord from the national arena. And to the same premier is very greatly due the course of events that has led to the enrolment of Canada in the sisterhood of nations, not in name only, but in essence. The visit of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the old world and the added glory that has come to Canada through the splendid representation of the country he constituted, is not a source of mere party, but of national, pride. His visit, heralded by the action of parliament early in the year in extending preferential treatment to Great Britain, served to draw Canada and the mother country more closely together, served to draw attention through her distinguished son to her loyalty to the empire, to her high national spirit, to her thorough and honest national character, to her unlimited opulence of of natural resources, of field, forest, fishery and mine. At the same time that our allegiance to the glorious empire has been strengthened, our national integrity, our national entity, so to speak, has been emphasized. We are bound more closely to the great mother across the sea, yet we have a larger measure of national independence, especially in commercial matters than ever before. It may be felt by some that Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit to England had principally a spectacular significance. But it had a much deeper and more far-reaching influence; it brought the British in touch with Canada; it revived, if it did not originate, a genuine interest in the colonial elements of the Empire; it aroused the British people to the value and importance of the colonies, especially Canada, in the process of imperial expansion. Our magnificent natural resources, our capabilities for the development of mutually beneficial, commercial intercourse, almost without limit, the opportunities we present for the profitable investment of British capital—all these added to the tie of kinship, and the pride of Canada in her place in the Empire, forecast a future in our relations with the Mother Country, whose magnificent promise, almost certainty would, a generation ago, have been regarded as the veriest dream of an impossible optimist. In obedience to that promise, Canada has taken new hope, new hope has prompted more decided and energetic action, enterprise has been stimulated, and coincident with, if not in consequence of, the spirit indicated by such conditions, a new era of commercial prosperity has dawned, a new confidence has moved the national life, and the universal impulse in regard to all our national conditions is to thank God and take courage. Thus, while the past year has rolled its round full of magnificent performance, the coming year approaches with encouraging promise, and each a promise will nerve the national arm to new achievement. With such a spirit of confidence animating our people, with such auspicious conditions, national and moral, as a solid basis for such confidence, can THE EXAMINER, with a similar trust in a happy realization, wish our fellow-Canadians, and all the readers of THE EXAMINER,

A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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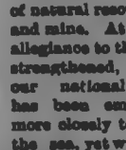

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UNFOUNDED CLAIMS.

In their bid for power Mr. Whitney and his friends are by no means modest in making claims for the credit they think they deserve. The more absurd these claims are, the more they are insisted upon. The Opposition claim that they deserve the credit for originating the most of the beneficial legislation that has been placed upon the statute book of Ontario—something too self-evidently absurd to merit attention. While they can find no fault with the timber policy of the Government, looking to the manufacturing of logs in Ontario, they have the impudence to claim that they forced the Government to take such action. There is nothing in this claim. The policy of the Government on the timber question, though but recently crystalized in the form of a legislative bill, has long since been asserted and adopted, so long before the present agitation indeed, that it seems to have escaped the conveniently short memories of Mr. Whitney and his friends. The matter of complaint about logs is of recent origin, the export of logs across the line being but trifling till within the last few years. The Government years ago had in mind the interests of our lumbering industries. The first sale of timber lands after Hon. Mr. Hardy, the present Premier, became Commissioner of Crown Lands, contained the principle of the bill brought down this session by Mr. Gibson. One of the conditions of this sale was that all timber cut on the lands sold at that sale should be manufactured in Ontario. This was in 1890. Three years after, the Opposition, which claims to have forced the Government to action, through Mr. Miscampbell moved a resolution to the effect that timber on Crown lands should be sold subject to the condition of its being cut in Ontario, no more than what was provided for by the Government three years before. This was in 1893. A sale was made of timber lands in 1893, in which the manufacturing clause was not inserted, for the simple reason that the limits sold were on the Ottawa, and export of logs from these limits is practically impossible for geographical reasons.

Then Mr. Whitney's claim of forcing the Government to take action is further disproved by the delay he showed in "forcing the Government." We did not hear a word from him on the subject till after a meeting of lumbermen held in Toronto early last fall, in which a resolution in reference to cutting logs in Ontario was adopted. And even then Mr. Whitney took his time in entering upon his crusade. In the first meeting of his Provincial tour held in June in London, Mr. Whitney laid down his platform, but there was not a word about timber in the connection in question. It was only after three or four of his meetings subsequent to the meeting of the lumbermen in Toronto, that he found courage to take up the question, and then he put his foot into it—he urged the Government to take action by order-in-council, a course that would have been a breach of faith with licensees of our limits who, on the faith of the terms of their leases, had made contracts, employed labour and made other arrangements, which, had they been nullified, would have resulted in great loss and would have exposed the Government to endless and costly law suits for breach of contract. Such a course would, besides, have stained the honour of the Crown. The United States government may monopolize the glory of kicking against the award of arbitrators and refuse or delay payment; they may have sole use of the glory of accepting money awarded in excess of just claims, and never paid out, but Ontario, as a British dependency, must stick to the letter of the code of British honour and keep the terms of a bargain, even if it involves loss.

In taking their action in regard to our timber interests, the Government have acted like honourable statesmen and not like school boys that rued a bargain. Having established the principle of cutting in the province, they could afford to wait till the proper time to give that principle statutory effect. They would not be driven by the clamour of designing politicians anxious to make political capital to take a course that would be dishonourable and dishonouring to the province. The course of the government was not affected by the Opposition. They acted upon the principle they themselves had laid down, and the Opposition had no influence upon their course. The government acted when the time was ripe. They acted in a perfectly open and above-board manner. They have taken the House into their confidence, submitted their legislation in Parliament and have given opportunity for the fullest discussion in order to arrive at the best course in the interests of the Province.

It is as absurb for the Opposition to claim any credit for the action taken by the Government in respect of our timber, as it is for them to make a score of other equally wild claims.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

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HALL'S GLEN ITEMS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The shooting match at the Victoria Hotel, McCracken's Landing, was postponed owing to the non-arrival of the turkeys in time. No doubt many were disappointed at not being able to bring home a plump turkey for dinner.

Mr. Thos. J. Crowe, of Kingston, is home for a few days visiting his mother, Mrs. Jordan Crowe.

Mr. Joseph Madill, of Lakefield, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. A. Madill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Little had a pleasant re-union of their large family Christmas day. There were 45 children and grandchildren, all being present with the exception of Mrs. J. C. Clarke, of Dakota.

Mr. Stewart Payne took charge of the service here on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Robinson being called away to conduct the funeral service of a much respected member of his former circuit.

D-O-D-D-S

THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth so Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

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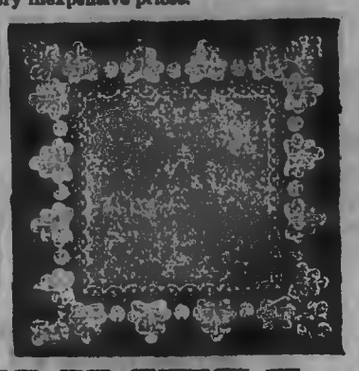

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TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto.....Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....5.00 a. m. and 5 40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 6.30 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.40 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.52 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, North west	11'25 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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BRITISH AT COREA.

Eight Ships and Four Torpedo Boats at Chemulpo.

JAPAN IS MAKING PREPARATIONS

The British Naval Reserves to be Mobilised—It Would Require 10,000 Men—The Hai-Nan Incident Denied—Likewise That the C.P.R. Steamers Will be Called On.

London, Dec. 31.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai dated yesterday (Thursday) says:

"A British fleet of eight ships and four torpedo boats has arrived at Chemulpo (the port of Seoul). It is reported that there are two Japanese cruisers in the Yang-Tse-Kiang River. Japan is working night and day, preparing for war. It is believed that the British and Japanese fleets are in close touch."

Japan Making Preparations.

London, Dec. 31.—A letter from Kobe says: "Military manoeuvres of great magnitude were executed in Japan last month for the first time since the war with China."

SIGNIFICANT.

Announcement That the British Naval Reserves Will be Mobilised.

London, Dec. 31.—A news agency announces that the British naval reserves will be mobilised.

According to recent estimates, the reserve forces of the British navy number about 28,000 men. Of this number it is calculated that at least 10,000 men would be required in case of war to complete the manning of the warships of Great Britain, which are understood to require a complement of 110,000 men, whereas only 100,000 are said to be actually in service. The naval reserve problem has long been discussed by British authorities, and the general opinion appears to be that the number of men available is far short of the number which would be required in case of war.

In addition to the men of the naval reserve, Great Britain has a large reserve fleet and a number of reserve merchant cruisers, including such vessels as the Campania, Lucania, Etruria, Umbria, Majestic, Teutonic, on the Atlantic; and Empress of India, Empress of China, Empress of Japan and others on the Pacific.

This is Another Denial.

Paris, Dec. 31.—The officials of the French Ministry of Marine regard the report of the occupation of the Island of Hai-Nan, off the south coast of China, by the French fleet in those waters, as an invention.

During the day a semi-official contradiction was issued to the report that the French flag had been hoisted over the Island of Hai-Nan.

An Emphatic Denial.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—The Vice-President of the C.P.R. gave an emphatic denial to the report that the three Empresses had been requisitioned by the British Government. "They are still doing business at the old stand," observed Mr. Shaughnessy.

"STARTLING" INFORMATION

Which an Ottawa Correspondent Furnishes to a Minneapolis Paper.

Chicago, Dec. 31. — The following "startling" information is contained in a special despatch to a morning paper from Minneapolis, Minn.:

"Advices from Ottawa indicate that the British Government is preparing to actively resist Russian occupation of Port Arthur and Russian influence in Corea; also that the co-operation of the Japanese fleet with that of Great Britain is a well settled fact.

"Information has been received from an inside source that the Ottawa Government thirty days ago notified the Canadian Pacific officials to be in readiness for the immediate transportation from Montreal to Vancouver and Esquimault of 3,5[illegible] men, the contingent consisting of eng[illegible]ers, gunners and deck officers. Accord[illegible] to information at hand the road has prepared for handling 10,000 men, five trains being held in readiness for this service. The officers included in the first contingents are intended to reinforce the Japanese fleet, which is said to be very short on engineering talent and deficient in gunnery.

"The despatch adds that a secret agreement has been concluded between Great Britain and Japan by the terms of which the Russian pretensions in Corea are to be overcome and Russian aggrandisement in Asia permanently checked.

"Captain Ronald Rolfe, R.N., on inspection service, just returned from the West and on his way to England via New York, says that in his opinion the force above referred to is intended to increase the efficiency of the forts at Esquimalt and relieve the crews of the North Pacific Squadron."

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Munyon's Asthma Herbs will stop the most paroxysm of Asthma in three minutes. They are compressed into triangular pastilles, the most convenient form for burning ever discovered. Used with the Asthma Cure they will positively and permanently cure the worst forms of Asthma. Box of Asthma Herbs with Asthma Cure, $1.

A separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25c a vial.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon, 11 and 13 Albert street, Toronto, answered with free medical advice for any disease.

CHINESE IMPERIAL DECREE.

Emperor Attempting to Excite His Subjects Into Stubborn Resistance.

New York, Dec. 31.—A Washington special to the Herald says: "The Emperor of China is attempting to excite his subjects into stubborn resistance to the partition of his Empire by the European powers. This is the explanation placed by Administration officials upon a decree issued by the Emperor a month ago, a copy of which was received at the State Department to-day from Minister Denby. The fact that an eclipse of the sun will take place on the first day of the Chinese new year fills the Emperor with foreboding, and in his decree he declares that the phenomenon betokens an impending calamity."

Appreciating how distracted the Emperor is over the landing of the Germans at Kiao-Chou, the stationing of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur, and the danger of the distribution of his Empire among the great powers growing out of these occupations, Administration officials say it is not surprising that he should have attempted to make his people understand the grave possibilities of the future by appealing to their superstition.

Reichsrath Ordered to Be Closed.

Vienna, Dec. 31.—An autograph letter of Emperor Francis Joseph, addressed to Baron von Gautsch von Frankenthurn, the Austrian Premier, is gazetted, ordering the session of the Reichsrath to be closed.

PORT ERIN CLAIMANT DEAD.

And This Has Revived an Interesting Story of Attempted Fraud.

London, Dec. 31.—Henry Johnson, the Port Erin claimant, died at Huddersfield yesterday.

Henry Johnson and his brother Thomas were small boot and shoe dealers at Huddersfield. In July, 1896, they went to Port Erin, Isle of Man, hired a small boat and rowed seaward. Later Henry was picked up by fishermen on Bradda Head. He told the fishermen that his boat had been capsized and that he feared his brother had been drowned.

The fishermen searched for the missing man, but were unsuccessful. The life of Thomas Johnson was insured for $70,000 in several companies, the largest policy, for $50,000, having been issued by the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York. Henry Johnson and the other heirs made a claim for the insurance money, but one of the English companies interested refused to pay, asserting that Thomas Johnson was not dead.

The matter was referred to an arbiter, who decided in favor of the insurance company. The evidence adduced at the hearing tended to show that Johnson's disappearance and the report of his drowning were pre-arranged.

WEYLER'S MEMORIAL.

He States Cuba's Case and His Own to the Queen Regent.

Madrid, Dec. 31.—General Weyler, the former Captain-General of Cuba, in his memorial to the Queen Regent on the subject of President McKinley's message to Congress, says he is honored by the attack made upon him, and his conduct as Governor-General, he insists, was that of a soldier animated by honor and patriotism.

Continuing, the General remarks that such attacks, therefore, will do him no harm, as they are aimed at him, he asserts, simply because he has done his duty. Nevertheless, the General further remarks, "Since the message contained insulting observations of the Spanish troops in Cuba," he believes it to be his duty to address a protest to the Crown. General Weyler affirms that the so-called pacificos, whom he concentrated in the fortified districts, were the prime abettors of the rebellion. The protest of the General is couched in courteous language.

THE DREYFUS CASE.

Matthew and Leon, Brothers of the Spy, Liable to Get Into Trouble.

Paris, Dec. 31.—Le Soir recently asserted that Matthew and Leon Dreyfus, brother of ex-Captain Dreyfus, who is now serving a life sentence on the Isle du Diable, off the coast of French Guiana, for having betrayed French military secrets to a foreign government, offered a bribe of $40,000 to the late Col. Sandhen, who, in 1894, was intrusted with an investigation into the charges made against Captain Dreyfus, if he would make a report favorable to their brother.

Commandant Ravary, who is conducting the Esterhazy inquiry, caused the Soir's assertion to be investigated, with the result that Examining Magistrate Bertulus has now instructed that judicial proceedings be taken against Matthew and Leon Dreyfus for attempted bribery.

THE TRUCE ENDED.

Employers' Federation Stands by Its Guns, and the Deadlock Continues.

York, England, Dec. 31.—A largely attended meeting of the members of the Employers' Federation yesterday unanimously passed a resolution endorsing the action of its representatives at the recent conference with the delegates of the striking engineers, reiterating the opinion that it is impossible to shorten the hours of labor, maintaining that the proposed arrangements for the management of the works in no way interfere with the proper functions of trades unionism, and acknowledging the receipt of the engineers' vote.

The employers' committee will write to the engineers' committee that the "truce, therefore, is ended."

Dr. Chase's Cures Catarrh After Operation Fail.

My boy, aged fourteen, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the General Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.

H. G. Ford,
Foreman, Cowan Ave. Fire Hall

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 359 George Street

Nature's Medicine.

Nature's medicine for constipation, liver complaint, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and sallow complexion is Laxa Liver Pills. They are a perfect laxative, never griping or causing pain. One pill each night for thirty days will cure constipation.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; if used rightly would save a world of trouble.

BOTH COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

The Inquest Into James Frankum Concluded at Huntsville.

Huntsville, Ont., Dec. 31.—The adjourned inquest on the body of James Frankum was continued last night in the Court House. The father and wife of deceased and other witnesses were examined. Evidence was brought out showing that Margaret Stevens, sister of deceased, had ordered her son to get the gun, which he did, and after some altercation shot James Frankum in the leg, between the knee and the ankle, from the effects of which he died. Drs. Howland and Hart, who held the post-mortem examination, gave evidence that all the organs of the body had been in a healthy state, and that death resulted from acute gangrene, which they had tried to stop by the amputation of the leg.

The jury brought in a verdict that deceased came to his death from a gun shot wound having been caused from a shot from a gun whilst in the hands of Walter Frankum, with intent to do grievous bodily harm, being influenced by his mother Margaret Stevens. The coroner committed for trial Walter Frankum and Margaret Stevens.

Convicts in Revolt.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 31.—One of the guards of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, while serving a meal last night to one of the refractory prisoners, opened the cell and was struck by a brick. He received a deep cut and is now in the prison hospital. The howling still continues and between 40 and 50 convicts, the worst in the revolt, are now locked up in the punishment cells in the north wing. A perfect reign of terror exists among the villagers and especially the women folks. The superintendent of the tailoring department has been dismissed and a convict appointed in his place.

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more easily than if the Cold is permitted to run on.

Those who keep "Seventy-seven" handy, and take a dose at the first sneeze or shiver, never have a bad cold and are saved from Pneumonia and other pulmonary diseases.

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Birds, Animal Fish and Snakes Stuffed and Mounted in and out of cases in the best life-like style at Lowest Prices. DEERS HEAD a specialty. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale

Residence—176 Harvey street, Peterborough

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For Evening Parties you can get from LONG BROS. delicious Ice Cream by the quart in any shape you like—Diamonds, Hearts or Spades. Also Oyster Patties, Charlotte Russe, Trifles, Jellies, Blocks of all kinds and Pyramids in any desired quantity. Leave your order with us—we will please you.

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Are made with special reference to the needs of Canada's daughters. Fits you like a glove and you like to wear them. Sold by R. FAIR 208 George St. c&w

On With The Rush
....AT....
Kutzbach's Two Stores

From Now until New Years' a particular purpose influences us at our Two Stores. We had a great success before Christmas for which we cordially thank our hundreds of kind patrons. Now we go in for

A Rounding-up Clearing Sale.

Shoppers who have yet to make their purchases for New Years will have things pretty nearly all their own way. Prices will never be lower than ours.

OUR GREAT TOY DEP'T.

In Both Stores is the talk of the town. Prices caught on like wildfire. We expect to wind up the old year with a big bounding Clearing Sale in both stores.

Enough for Another Christmas in Both Stores.

1.—The Old-Established Headquarters—No. 379 George Street.
2.—The Corner Store on Water and Hunter Streets—Opposite Post Office.

Flowers
— AND —
Plants
For New Year's.

Could we have a happy New Year's without flowers? Blooming Flowers and Showy Plants are one of the beautiful attractions of our homes.

We have many kinds to select from.

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GREENHOUSES
465 PARK STREET, (at Residence of G. M. Roger.) Telephone No. 21.
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MRS. G. VINETTE'S
HAIR PREPARATION
Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. Refer-ences if required.
Residence—469 Reid St., north of Wm. Hamilton Mf'g Co's Works, Peterborough.

IF YOU'RE BUSY BAKING FOR XMAS.
Dont attempt to look after the Washing and Ironing. Don't have too many Irons in the fire this month. You'll enjoy the Holidays better if you send the Family Washing to the
Peterborough Steam Laundry
CHARLOTTE STREET.
A. PARKER, Proprietor.

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ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES
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Office—FURNITURE WAREROOMS

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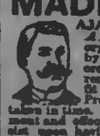
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ALL Nervous Diseases—Failing Memory, Impotency, Sleeplessness etc., caused by Abuse or other Excesses and Indiscretions. They quickly send surely restore Lost Vitality in old or young, and fit a man for study, business or marriage. Prevent Insanity and Consumption if taken in time. Their use shows immediate improvement and effects a CURE where all other fail. Insist upon having the genuine Ajax Tablets. They have cured thousands and will cure you. We give a positive written guarantee to effect a cure in each case or refund the money. Price 50 CTS. per package, or six packages (full treatment) for $2.50. By mail, in plain wrapper, upon receipt of price. Circular free. AJAX REMEDY CO., 75 Bearborn St., Chicago, Ill.
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For the Holidays:
Beautiful Roses and Carnations
Holly and Mistletoe
Smilax and Wreathing
Beautiful Plants in Bloom for the Table and Window.
Mason's Seed and Plant House,
Corner Water and Brock Streets, Peterborough.

HOLIDAY
CARNIVAL
— AT —
H. LeBrun & Co.

We are looking forward to Stock-Clearing time. The two great principles that govern this store is to supply every demand of the season and to close out all Overstocks and Odds and Ends when the season's business is drawing to a close. This week we commence an additional

BREAK IN PRICES!

and every section of the store will feel it.

SOMETHING SUPERIOR IN READY-MADE CLOTHING

For twenty-four years we have sold the best Ready-to-Wear Clothing for the money. This week we are offering remarkable values and you'll do well to look into these special offers.

Mens' Canadian Tweed Suits	$3.50 to $ 8.00	Young Men's Single Breasted Sack Suits, in tasty effects, in all the stylish shades	$4.00 to $8.00
Mens' Single and Double Breasted Tweed Suits	$5.00 to $ 9.00	Boys' Two-Piece Suits, the very latest styles	$1.25 to $2.50
Mens' Overcoats and Ulsters in all new cloths	$3.75 to $11.00	Boys' Three-Piece Suits, in heavy winter tweeds	$2.00 to $5.00
SPECIAL—Our own make of All Wool Beaver Overcoats, single and double breasted, silk velvet collar	$10.00	Boys' Reefers	$1.25 to $3.00

How is Your UNDERWEAR

Mens' Scotch Finish All Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, neatly trimmed and finished. Special (a garment) 50c

Mens' Natural Scotch Finish All-Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, double breasted, sateen trimmed, soft and comfortable. Special (a garment) 75c

We believe we have the best values in Peterborough. Take our Underwear home—compare it with what you get from other stores. If it is not best bring it back and get your money. ☞See our Canadian Underwear at 50c a suit, best value in town.

Neckwear by the thousand, Ties, Dress Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, Flannel Over-Shirts, Hosiery, Gloves, and all sorts of Furnishings.

In ORDERED CLOTHING

We are anxious to interest every man in the land who wants a New Suit or Overcoat Made to Order. We have the finest and largest stock of cloth to choose from.

$15 SUITS and - -
$15 OVERCOATS for $12

These Suits will be made and trimmed as well as though you paid us $18.00 for them—all wool, farmer's satin linings, silk stiched and our guarantee.

Natty Things

Holiday Presents... FOR

Gifts for personal use are among the most acceptable things one can bestow for the wearer ever has the donor in mind.

GLOVES

We have a line of beautiful Kid Gloves, the best and thoroughly stylish, all shades. The styles with fancy stripes are correct and popular.

TIES

The Popular Silk Ties; also Chiffon and Net Ties, white and in all shades. Very stylish and natty.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Special line of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, particularly nice and pretty goods. Something new in Handkerchief Boxes.

Our Millinery claims attention and is always stylish and correct.

Miss Delaney

"THE WHITE STORE," GEORGE STREET.

THE NUMBER

Who have signified their intention of entering the

PETERBOROUGH BUSINESS COLLEGE

when the new term begins on January 3rd, 1898, is the largest in the history of the College.

The improvement we have made in our already efficient course are meeting with the warmest recommendations from Business Men.

Enter a school having their confidence, as their opinion, to a great extent, decides the success of graduates of any school. We use the most approved methods of the careful business man of to-day—not of past days.

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DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Cash buys more at the Spot Cash Grocery than elsewhere.

The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Salisbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

Teachers Entertained.

The teachers and officers of St. Andrew's Sabbath school were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mulligan, at their residence on Rubidge street, last night.

G. E. Whiten's Photo Studio, 186 Hunter street, will be open on New Year's day. All work done on the best Platino finish. Cabinets only $3 per doz., Gems 50c per doz., family groups reduced away down in price.

W. C. T. U.

The W.C.T.U. will hold a praise service on Monday, Jan. 3rd, at 3 o'clock at Mrs. Paton's, it being the anniversary of Mrs. L. Youmans, the first W.C.T.U. worker in Canada. All are cordially invited.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The Law Association.

At a meeting of the Peterborough Law Association yesterday a resolution was passed regarding the lamented death of the late John Barnham, Q. C., and resolving that the association attend the funeral in a body.

Not a Candidate.

Mr. V. Eastwood, who was nominated for councillor in No. 4 Ward last Monday, has sent in his resignation to Town Clerk Armstrong, and is not a candidate. He appreciates the good will of his nominator and seconder, but prefers not to be a candidate this year.

Endeavour Rally.

The local Christian Endeavourers will hold their annual consecration meeting on New Year's morning between 9 and 10 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. hall. Rev. Mr. Dykeman will conduct the meeting. Everybody is invited. Come one, come all. This is always the brightest union meeting of the year. None should miss it.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolised by men. But the feminine nerves are still hers and she suffers from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment. Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

St. Andrew's Church.

New Year's service will be held tomorrow morning at 10.30 in St. Andrew's church. The address, which will be preparatory to Communion, will also be given by the pastor. Collection for Session and Poor Fund. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed on Sunday at 11 a.m. The opening service of the Week of Prayer will be held in St. Andrew's on Monday night at 8 o'clock.

Information Wanted.

The Chief of Police has received a letter from Patrick Kennedy, 70 Lombard street, Toronto, asking help to locate a lad, James Kennedy, who left Sunnyside Orphanage Home at the end of the year 1896 to go to work for a farmer in the vicinity of Peterborough. Mr. Kennedy has heard nothing from the lad since and would be glad to receive information of his whereabouts. Any person able to furnish such information will kindly communicate with the Chief of Police, Peterborough, or the EXAMINER office.

OFFICERS ELECTED

For Court Young Peterborough Canadian Order of Foresters.

The members of Court Young Peterborough, No. 5, C. O.F., held a largely attended meeting last evening and elected the following officers for the year:

Gilbert Harris	P C R
Frank Trollope	C R
F Fuller	V C R
A Milliken	Rec Sec
E Cookston	Fin Sec
H Stanton	Treas
A Hawkins	Chap
H Dormer	S W
H Brewer	J W
E Trollope	S B
H Hillier	J B
Dr W E Brown	C P

The installation will take place at the same time as that of the officers elect for Court Peterborough, No. 29, Jan. 7th.

A PROTRACTED "DRY SPELL."

The Cork Inserted "Drink Tight" for Fifty-nine Hours.

The chief of police desires the EXAMINER to remind the public that the bars of the hotels of the town will be closed at 7 o'clock to-morrow evening, and remain closed till 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning. Of course Saturday night and Sunday always means closed bars, and Monday being election day, by statutory enactment, the bar will not be "at home" to its usual patrons. Therefore the town will have a taste of total prohibition for fifty-nine hours. It is probable that there will be a big run on flasks and growlers the coming few hours. The thorough-going "sport" who cannot comfortably or consistently (with his record) put in a holiday without a "jag on," will doubtless promptly institute negotiations for an advance "jag" for the festive season.

NO EVIDENCE.

Manley Discharged in Cobourg, where he was Tried for Horse Stealing.

It will be remembered that one Henry Manley was arrested here by the police several weeks ago on a request from Cobourg. The charge was horse stealing, it being alleged that Manley sold a horse which was being pastured on his land. At his subsequent trial in Cobourg the prisoner was honourably acquitted by the Magistrate on the ground that there was no evidence against him.

NORTH MONAGHAN.

The Elections "Amicably Adjusted."

In the North Monaghan elections Mr. W. G. Yelland by arrangement with Mr. Geo. May retired in the latter's favour. This elected the following councillors by acclamation, Mr. John McIntosh having been returned last Monday by acclamation as Reeve—Messrs. T. M. Hunter, J. Madill, T. E. Bradburn and Geo. May.

The Spot Cash Grocery Co. for your New Year's Groceries and Fruits to-day, 353 George street.

Monthly Song Sermon.

The monthly song sermon will be given in the Charlotte street Methodist church on Sunday evening, Jan. 2nd, by the pastor.

Change for Breakfast.

Rye Meal is a delicious substitute for oat meal or wheat meal when one wants a change in porridge. It is becoming very popular and equals many of the breakfast cereals and is cheaper. R. F. MASON & Co. 439 George street.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Grafton & Co's., Boys' Overcoats, $1.95

50 Boys' Double Breasted Frieze Ulster Overcoats, in Brown and Fawn Shades, warm tweed lining, half belt, deep storm collar, slashed breast pockets, silk stitched. Regular price $3.00 to $4.00, Grafton & Co's. Special Price $1.95.

A Heavy Loss.

Mr. T. H. Graham, of Grand Forks, North Dakota, who came east to spend his holidays, was yesterday called suddenly home by a telegram announcing the total destruction of his departmental store in Grand Forks. His loss, which is large, is protected by an insurance of $35,000. The safe and books came through the fire uninjured. Grand Forks has suffered from an epidemic of incendiarism, Mr. Graham's being the fifth large fire within a few days. Mr. Graham's many friends sympathise with him in his loss.

Holiday Furniture.

Here are some lines that will interest you just now: Parlour tables, never better value; five o'clock tea tables, fancy rockers, some rare bargains in these; arm chairs, easy chairs, pictures selling at 25 per cent. reduction, easels in great variety music cabinets, etc. The store is full to the roof with all kinds of staple and fancy furniture. CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms.

TWO PRESENTATIONS

By the Members of the George Street Church Choir Last Evening.

The members of the George street church choir to the number of over thirty assembled last evening at the residence of Mr. Thos. Pascoe, Water street, where several hours were passed very pleasantly. During the evening Mr. George Schneider, organist, was presented with a handsome gold headed cane, accompanied by the following address:

PETERBOROUGH, Dec. 30, 1897.

Mr. Geo. Schneider:

DEAR SIR,—We, the members of the George street Methodist church choir, feel that we can not let this festive season of the year pass without taking advantage of the opportunity presented to let you know that the services which you have rendered us as organist and choir leader are thoroughly appreciated on our part. It is our wish, therefore, that you accept of this small token of esteem.

Wishing you the compliments of the season and a very happy New Year, we remain,

Yours faithfully,
THE GEORGE STREET CHOIR.

After Mr. Schneider had made a suitable acknowledgment Mrs. Seward, soloist, was presented with a picture, and the appended address was read at the same time:

Dec. 30th, 1897.

Mrs. Seward,—

DEAR MADAM,—Allow me on behalf of the George Street Methodist church choir to present you with this picture as a token of the many pleasant hours we have spent together in the service of praise; trusting that every time you look upon it we will be recalled to your loving remembrance.

Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year,

We remain,
Yours faithfully,
THE GEORGE STREET CHOIR.

Mrs. Seward suitably acknowledged the gift, after which refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening brought to a close.

RECEPTION TO YOUNG WOMEN

In the Y. W. C. A. Rooms on New Year's Day.

A reception will be tendered to the young women of the town in the Y.W.C.A. rooms on the afternoon and evening of New Year's Day. The programme will consist of vocal solos by Mrs. Brodigan, Mrs. Seward, Miss Pascoe and others; duet by Mr. Squires and Mr. Steers; recitations by Miss Pascoe and others; instrumental solos by Miss Roger, Miss Bellegham, Miss Hubbs, Miss Sutton, Miss Snyder and Miss Patterson.—Refreshments served. All young women are cordially invited to attend.

Y.M.C.A. NEW YEAR HOSPITALITY.

Everything indicates a good time for the young men who visit the Young Men's Christian Association on New Year's Day.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will serve refreshments, commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and continuing until 10.

Every man in town over 16 years of age is invited to call during the day. The Reception Committee are sparing no pains in decorating the building and they will be in attendance all day to-morrow to welcome guests.

The programme by the Juniors in the morning in the gymnasium will give an opportunity to the parents to see what is being done there, and the senior programme in the afternoon should induce young men who are not members to join.

The programme in Association Hall will be in charge of the Debating Club. The subject for debate will be: "Resolved that the prevalent bicycle craze is detrimental to the business interests of the country." Affirmative—Rev. J. G. Potter and W. J. Stubbs; negative, Messrs. F. H. Dobbin and A. C. McCallum.

It will be a case of Greeks against Greeks, as the speakers are all experienced debaters. Everybody should come and enjoy the evening.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Ferguson, of Port Hope, has returned home after a pleasant visit in town.

Miss Edith Owens, of Campbellford, has been visiting Miss Edith McKee for the last few days.

Miss Minnie Dormer, of Gananoque, is visiting with her cousin, Mr. Isaac Dormer, Ashburnham.

Mr. Geo. W. Bennett, township clerk of North Monaghan, is seriously ill with an attack of la grippe and quinsy.

Judge Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, a cousin of the late John Burnham, Q.C., was in town to-day attending the funeral.

Mr. R. B. McKee and Miss Edith McKee leave in the morning to spend New Year's in Campbellford at the residence of Mr. C. Owens.

Mr. Stephen F. Collins, of Montreal, is home spending the holidays with his parents in Ennismore, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins.

The Bowmanville Statesman, in its report of "one of the largest and most enthusiastic political meeting ever held in the town hall," Hampton, West Durham, has the following paragraph: "Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., of West Peterborough, was the speaker of the evening, and he well sustained his reputation as one of the ablest platform speakers of the Ontario Legislature. His clear and lucid explanations of the surplus of the late John Sandfield Macdonald, how much it was and how it was expended, the present financial position of the Province, the expenditures in connection with the management of the Provincial affairs, the timber question and the Engelduc mining deal, were very ably given to the satisfaction of the electors present."

Select and standard Baltimore Oysters, prices right.—"Spot Cash."

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50c at Grafton & Co.

Acknowledgment.

The Committee of Management of the P. P. Home acknowledge with thanks the following donations for December:—Mrs McGill, Toronto Daily papers; Mrs Vernon, Goose; A Friend, bag of flour; Mrs Dr Burnham, goose; J B Oke, turkey and holly; Mrs Haslitt, turkey; Mrs Walsh, plum pudding; Mrs Joseph Crowe, roast beef; Mrs Joseph Armstrong, parcel of reading matter; Mr C N Brown, two turkeys; Mrs J G Hall, candles; Mrs Jas Edgecumbe, box of raisins; Mr R H Hunter, butter and apples; Rev V Clementi, roast of beef; Mr J Crane, oranges; A Friend, goose; A E Sims, currant loaf; Mr B Shortly, roast of beef; Mrs W H Hamilton, oranges, turkey and bonbons; Mrs J B McWilliams, apples; Miss Roger, jam, currant loaf, cake; Mrs A Hunter, evergreens; Mrs T Petrie, Evergreens; Mr Turner, flags for decorations.

Elegant Silver and Decorated Gifts.

The Peterborough Hardware Company have just opened out a very special line of the most elegant designs in silver plate and decorated porcelain. The stock consists of a line of specialties never before shown here, the patterns embracing every requirement. Silver plate is shown in tea sets, salad bowls, nut bowls, celery dishes, chocolate pots, cake baskets, sugar bowls, flower pots, fern dishes and flat table ware. The decorated porcelain goods are very handsomely bound in German silver, include biscuit jars, butter dishes, tart plates, bread trays, tea pot stands, etc. Lovers of reliable goods desirous of making handsome and serviceable gifts, will find the prices very low indeed. THE PETERBOROUGH HARDWARE CO.

THE LATE JOHN BURNHAM, Q.C.

His Funeral This Afternoon was Very Largely Attended.

The funeral of the late John Barnham, Q.C., took place this afternoon, at two o'clock, from the family residence, Ashburnham, and was very largely attended.

The service was conducted by Rev. H. Symonds, of St. Luke's church, assisted by Rev. W. L. Baynes Reid, and the pallbearers were Col. H. C. Rogers, Col. J. Z. Rogers, Mr. R. B. Rogers, Judge Weller, Mr. H. T. Strickland and Judge Ermatinger, of St. Thomas. The corporate bodies in attendance at the funeral were the county council and officials, the Peterborough town council, directors and staff of the Water Works Company, directors of the Little Lake Cemetery Company, the Peterborough Law Association, the Ashburnham School Board and the Ashburnham council. Large numbers were present from every part of the riding, and the streets of the town were lined with citizens as the cortege passed through on its way to the Little Lake Cemetery, whilst many flags floated at half mast in respect to the memory of deceased.

MAYOR YELLAND'S POSITION.

He Will not Again Make a Fight for the Mayoralty.

In conversation with Mayor Yelland today he was asked as to his prospects in the present contest. He said that he was confident of the result, but he was rather tired of the hard work involved in the canvassing necessary to run a mayoralty contest successfully and he added that, whatever the issue, he would not again accept a nomination for mayor that involved a fight for it. Mayor Yelland concluded the conversation by saying:—"If the people want me for mayor another term after next year they must give it to me, for I won't fight for it."

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The first hockey match of the season should be well attended this evening. The visiting team from Belleville is reported to be very fast, but a crack team has been picked to play against them.

CURLIANA.

A couple of rinks came up from Millbrook last night and spent a pleasant evening on the local ice being accommodated with games by Skips Edwards and Kells. The visitors succeeded in defeating the local rinks by two shots on the evenings play, the results being as follows:

Millbrook.		*Peterborough.*	
Leach,		G Giroux,	
Dean,		C N Brown,	
Hampton,		D Davidson,	
Hetherington, sk.	12	R H Kells, sk.	9
Doak,		H Snowdon,	
Hunter,		Geo Edmison,	
Smith,		D W Dumble,	
Needler, sk.	15	E B Edwards, sk.	22
	39		31

Majority for Millbrook, 2 shots.

On New Year's day a bonspell is to take place between six rinks each from the Thistles and Granites—three rinks from each club play in the morning and three in the afternoon and the prize to be contested for is the trophy won by the local Colts in the Midland Association. It has been donated by the Colts to be contested for every year between the clubs. The draw for to-morrow's games has been arranged as appended:—

Morning—10 o'clock sharp—

Thistles.		*Granites.*
Miles Hamilton	vs.	E B Edwards
W G Ferguson	vs.	H M Allen
R H Kells	vs.	Judge Weller

Afternoon—2 o'clock—

T Rutherford	vs.	Geo Edmison
S Ray	vs.	J Jeffries
D Bellegham	vs.	T P Attrill

"Spot Cash" has just received Christie Brown & Co.'s choicest line of fancy Crackers. Order what you want for New Year's festivities.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Appropriate Decorations.

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 494 Water street.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 429 Water Street.

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COUGHS,
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Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage Licence from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness.

MORAL—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—W. J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses, 146 Hunter St.

Commences With The New Year.

Our Annual Unloading Sale commences with the New Year. That means that we invariably Reduce Prices to reduce the stock. Large Discounts are now made in every department. Come and see the way we undervalue our stock for the month of January.

Blank Books---for 1898.

1898—Looks odd, doesn't it? Have you written it many times? We have, in honour of the New Year—in order to get familiar with the figures. Commence practising in your new set of Account Books. We have all the different sets of Rulings in Ledgers, Journals, Cash Books, Day Books, Blotters, Bill Books, in good paper and sound bindings.

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1897.

LOCAL LEGAL.

The following from the Globe of yesterday refers to the case tried here recently before Chief Justice Rose, in which judgment was reserved:—

"High Court of Justice—Before Rose, J.—Brown vs. Village of Lakefield.—Judgment in action tried without a jury at Peterborough. Action for damages for injuries to plaintiff's property in the village. The complaint was that, by reason of having no culvert along the south side of Reid street, across Regent street, the water falling on the south side of Reid street, between Queen and Regent streets, was diverted from its natural course down Regent street east to a direction southerly along Regent street, so as by percolation or by means of the culvert across Regent street, opposite the plaintiff's property, to reach that property and to do the injury complained of. Action dismissed, but without costs and without prejudice to the right of the plaintiff, if the condition of affairs of which he complains can be more directly traced to the action of the defendants, to bring a fresh action. The learned Judge does not suggest the desirability of further litigation, for it seems that the matter is very trivial, and by a little expense on the plaintiff's part he can save his property from any annoyance that may come from the water diverted from its ordinary course. On the other hand, the defendants might well consider the desirability of placing the culvert along the south side of Reid street, across Regent street. W. R. Riddell and Stone (Peterborough) for plaintiff. D. W. Dumble (Peterborough) for defendants.

—Teas and Coffees "Spot Cash."

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

The ratepayers of the village are evincing a deep interest in the elections for councillors and school trustees. Monday will be a busy day.

Ashburnham Public School re-opens Monday, Jan. 3. Pupils have been given a list of books, etc., which they require, and are to come prepared for a full day's work. As the work will at once be arranged for the term, it is hoped all pupils will be present on the opening day.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a.m..... 15° above zero
Highest. Lowest.
Yesterday..... 26° 20°

—Many specials at "Spot Cash" for Friday. Call in person if you would secure the bargains.

Au Revoir, 1897!

"A Happy New Year" is our parting wishes to all patrons and friends. The Peterborough Bookstore has reason to take a cheerful retrospect of the closing year, and to look forward to the to morrow of the New Year; for the successes of the past foretell great accomplishments in the year ahead. Thanks to all, and our best wishes that each and all may enjoy the happiest new year of their lives! A. H. Stratton & Co.

All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Services as Arranged to be Held by the Ministerial Association.

The Ministerial Association met on Monday last and made the following arrangements for holding union meetings during the Week of Prayer, to be held at 8 p.m. in the churches specified.

SERMONS.

Sunday, Jan. 2—God's people approach the Lord, and walk in his light: "Say unto all the congregation of the children of Israel, come near before the Lord."—Exodus xvi., 9. 'O house of Jacob, come ye, and let us walk in the light of the Lord!"—Isa. ii., 5. "But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship," etc., I. John i., 7.

CONFESSION AND THANKSGIVING.

Monday, Jan. 3—St. Andrew's (Presbyterian,) speaker, Rev. D. O. Crossley. Humiliation and Confession: For want of conformity to the mind of Christ; for disloyalty to the truth; for misuse and neglect of precious privileges; for lack of courage in witnessing for Christ.—Romans vi., 1 14; Matthew xxv., 14 30.

Thanksgiving and praise: For revealed truth; for the dispensation of the Holy Spirit; for the promises of God; for great revivals, amid persecutions, in China and other parts of the mission field—Psalm cxiv., 1-13; I. Corinthians, ii, 7-16.

Pray: That Christ's reign may extend in the hearts of all his people and throughout the world.—Isaiah ix, 1-7; Revelation xxi., 22-27.

THE CHURCH UNIVERSAL.

Tuesday, Jan. 4.—Charlotte street Methodist), speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance; Mark street, (Methodist) speakers, Rev. C. E. Elliott and Rev. S. J. Shorey. Prayer: That clearer and truer views of the spiritual nature of the church as revealed in the New Testament, may prevail; that believers may yield themselves wholly to the Lord, and through the influence of the Holy Ghost, grow in the spiritual life; that all ministers of the gospel may be filled with the Spirit of Christ; and that true unity and fellowship may be increasingly realized.—Ephesians iv., 1-16; Revelation i., 1-20.

NATIONS AND THEIR RULERS.

Wednesday, Jan. 5.—George street Methodist, speakers, Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A., and Rev. W. Grant; Park street Baptist, speaker, Rev. W. Bennett. Prayer: That all in authority may recognise their responsibility to God the King, and may do all as to the Lord, and not to men; that the Lord's Day may be reverenced; that injustice, intemperance and oppression may cease; and that forbearance, peace and brotherhood may be cultivated by all peoples.—Daniel xii., 1—4; I. Timothy ii., 1—6.

FAMILIES AND SCHOOLS.

Thursday, Jan. 6.—St. Paul's Presbyterian; speaker, Rev. A. T. Dykeman. Prayer: That in Christian households family prayer may be maintained and conversions sought; that home life may be pure and loving; that the training schools, colleges and universities may be in the knowledge of Holy Scripture, and with a view to the consecrated life of unselfish benevolence and usefulness.—Joshua xx:v. 18—28; Psalm cxxxiii.; Colossians iii., 14 to iv., 1.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Friday, Jan. 7th—Murray street (Baptist) —Speaker Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B.—Praise: For the growth and development of the missionary spirit during this century.

Prayer: That consecrated and faithful missionaries may be raised up in all Christian communities; that converts may be established in the faith; that the number of native agents may be multiplied, and their efficiency increased; that the obstacles in Roman Catholic, heathen and Mohammedan lands, arising from ignorance, prejudice and error may disappear before the gospel.—Ps. ii.; Rom. v., 6-21.

HOME MISSIONS AND THE JEWS.

Saturday, Jan. 8th.—Prayer: That Christian people may be led to greater personal effort on behalf of the spiritual welfare of their neighbours and fellow countrymen; that blessing may accompany the work of home missionary societies, of inner missions, and of labourers among specific classes, that God's ancient people may be brought in the fold of Christ.—Acts I, 1 8; Rev. vi., 4-12.

SERMONS.

Sunday, June 9th.—God's people—His witnesses to the world; "Ye are my witnesses saith the Lord."—Isa. xliii, 10. "Ye shall be my witnesses . . . unto the uttermost parts of the earth."—Acts i, 8.

CHRISTIAN ALLIANCE NOTES.

Mr. D. Buchannan, who has been travelling secretary of the Christian and Missionary Alliance in Canada for the past eight months, and is leaving in a few days for South America as a missionary, will take the services in Bethany Mission, Water street on Sabbath.

Pastor Zimmerman is in Toronto this week attending a Christian Workers' Convention held on College street.

Miss Louisa Best and her cousin, Ella L. Best, farwelled in Bethany Mission Sabbath evening last and left yesterday noon for the Missionary Training Institute, South Nyack, N.Y. This makes five who have gone from here this fall to this institute, of which Rev. A. Simpson is superintendant.

Miss M. Quinn, who lately farwelled in Bethany Mission, is now on the ocean, sailing for China as missionary to the Chinese.

A Night of Pain.

After you have spent a night of pain, unable to sleep on account of the toothache, one should think you would be sure to keep some "Quickcure" on hand in case it happens again. "Quickcure" is the quickest, surest and safest cure for toothache or any pain. All pain proceeds from irritation or inflammation; "Quickcure" soothes and reduces inflammation at once.

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Again the melancholy day
Is swiftly drawing near
When men will raise their hands and swear
Off for another year—
Will swear off for a twelvemonth more,
And then, as such men do,
Forgetting that they ever swore,
Backslide in a week or two.

—Chase & Sanborn's Coffees, like everything else for the table, are best at the "Spot Cash," Elliott's successors.

—At a meeting of the Finance Committee last evening it was decided to recommend the council to refund the amount of Mr. F. Fairen's fine, $9 95, which was imposed for running a refreshment booth without a license.

CHURCH CHIMES.

St. Peter's Cathedral.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Jan 2nd, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

New Year's Day—First mass, 8 a.m.; high mass, 10.30 a.m

All Saints' Church, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Second Sunday after Christmas—Jan. 2. Services: 8:30 a.m, celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a m, Morning Prayer and sermon, 3 p. m., Sunday school and 7 p.m., Even-song and sermon—Subject, "The new year."

Mark Street Methodist Church.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2nd, services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Evening subject. "The old and the new." Classes 1, 2 and 3 will meet as usual. Sunday school at 2:30. The League on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. On Tuesday evening in connection with the week of prayer, Rev O C Elliott and Rev S J Shorey will address the meeting. Everybody welcome.

Charlotte Street Methodist Church.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2nd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome. Monthly song sermon Sunday evening.

George Street Methodist Church.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2nd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor, Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

St. Paul's Church.—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 2nd. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor, Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

St. Andrew's Church, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B. A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2nd. Services at 11 a. m, and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sacrament of Lord's Supper dispensed at 11 a.m. service. Sabbath School and Bible class, 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday 8 p.m.

New Year's Day—Service at 10:30 a.m. Address by pastor. Collection for Session and Poor Fund.

Baptist Church (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2nd. Services at 11 a.m., and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p. m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

Park Street Baptist Church.—Rev O C Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 2. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening.

Church of Christ Scientist.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 92, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

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Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia, Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

THE CANADIAN HOME JOURNAL.

The January number of the Canadian Home Journal has two features of special interests to Canadians, besides the usual departments which are so important—the fashions and fancy work, the delicious home-made candy receipts, the music and stories, and the two delightful pages under their pretty heading, "Young Canada." One is an article written by Rev. Henry Scadding, D.D., giving extracts from an old diary kept by Mrs. Simcoe, wife of the first Governor of Upper Canada; and the second is another full page on the organization of the Canada Club, which is a matter of home interest not only to every woman in Canada, but, indirectly, to every Canadian, inasmuch as it will advance the interests of their country to an extent at present hardly realised even by the members of the Club. Reports of their meetings will be given every month in the Canadian Home Journal, and will be looked for with interest. The Canadian Home Journal, McKinnon Building, Toronto, Can.

To Be Watched.

Watch that the bowels act regularly. Never neglect constipation, especially as it can be promptly and permanently cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. "During five years I suffered from constipation and loss of appetite which reduced me to a grave state; but two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters completely cured me of my terrible sufferings." Georgina Plant.

MAYORALTY CONTEST!

To the Electors of the Town of Peterborough:—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—

At the request of a large and influential number of citizens, representing all classes of the community, I have consented to become a candidate for the Mayoralty for the coming year.

Although I had decided to retire from Municipal life this year, yet I could not in the face of the solicitation of so many electors refuse to accept of the nomination so urgently pressed upon me. I felt it both an honour and a duty to accede to their wishes, and now solicit your vote and influence.

The Town of Peterborough requires that her legislators must be active, watchful and careful: active in placing her splendid natural facilities as a commercial and manufacturing centre before the world; watchful that the ratepayers' money shall be wisely, economically and judiciously expended; and careful in carrying out a policy of progress and economy, so that our Town may benefit in the race for supremacy without burdening the ratepayers with heavy taxation. Unless a policy of this kind is pursued, our Town will retrograde, and her mechanics, artisans and labourers be forced to look outside for their livelihood and eventually move from our midst.

If elected, I shall use my best endeavours to advance the interests of all classes of ratepayers. Being in close touch with the business men and manufacturers, I feel that I can look after their interests carefully and intelligently, while at the same time I shall use every effort to promote such legislation as will seek to benefit the working classes, and use every means at my disposal to keep down the rate of taxation.

During my term in Council I supported the advocacy of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work—and nine hours a day for corporation employees. If elected I shall continue to do this, and in addition will favour the insertion of a clause of similar character in all contracts let by the Town for public works.

Should time permit, I will endeavour to see you personally and place my views more fully before you, but should I be unable to do so, I hereby respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

Wishing you the Compliments of the Season, I am

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

Ladies and Gentlemen:—Having again been honoured with the nomination as Councillor for the "Sawyer Ward," I hereby solicit your votes and influence to place me in the council for 1898. If you do me this honour I pledge myself to use my best judgment and most diligent efforts to advance all the interests of this ward and of the town generally, and to continue to insist upon as rigid economy in civic expenditure as is consistent with efficient management of the affairs of our progressive town.

I have the honour to be,
Your obedient servant,
CHARLES B. ROBERTSON.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 1

At the request of many of the intelligent ratepayers of No. 1 Ward to again become a candidate for Councillor, I have consented to do so and would respectfully solicit your votes and support,

Being a large property holder in the town, my interest in the honest management of municipal affairs should be a sufficient guarantee that I would always favour the most careful economy—at the same time exercising my best judgment in promoting the growth, progress and prosperity of the town.

Yours respectfully,
NOAH T. LePLANTE.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE RATEPAYERS — OF — WARD NO. 2

Ladies and Gentlemen:

At the request of many ratepayers of Ward No. 2, I have decided to accept the nomination as Candidate for election as one of your Councillors for 1898.

I ask the hearty support of all ratepayers and if elected will do all in my power to further the interests of the town and to ensure, as far as possible, practical and economical administration of affairs during the year. As the time is short I am unable to make a thorough personal canvas, but trust to have your support.

Very respectfully,
T. H. HAMILTON.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 2

Ladies and Gentlemen—Having been nominated a candidate for ward No. 2, I respectfully solicit your support. If elected I am prepared to give my best attention to the affairs pertaining to that office, to promote the best interests of the town, to support a policy of progress and industry in a legitimate and fair manner, governed by strict economy and even-handed justice.

Yours respectfully,
M. H. QUINLAN.

December 28th, 1897.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD NO. 4

Having been again requested to stand for Councillor for this ward, I have accepted the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. My record as one of your representatives in the council and my position in regard to the leading questions before the ratepayers, are well known to you all. I am therefore quite willing to leave myself in your hands and to be judged accordingly. If elected I will continue to exercise the same care in future over the interests of the town as in the past, keeping in mind, principally, to encourage an economical and consistent policy in the management of our corporation affairs.

Your obedient servant,
JOHN M. WHITE.

December 28th, 1897.

Card to the Electors

While thanking my proposer and seconder for my nomination as a councillor for No. 1 ward, I beg to state that I am not a candidate for the position the coming year.

Very respectfully,
J. J. TURNER.

Peterborough, Dec. 31st, 1897.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

Peterborough, Dec. 28th, 1897.

At the request of numerous ratepayers of this, the most important business ward of the town, I have accepted nomination as Councillor for 1898. I therefore take this opportunity of soliciting your votes and influence—of the ladies as well as of the gentlemen. If you do me the honour of electing me for this important position, I pledge myself to use my best judgment to forward the interests of Peterborough as your representative.

Being a large manufacturer and property holder in town, it will certainly be to my interest to support whatever will assist in advancing the interests of the municipality, so as to make it one of the most important business centres in the province. As far as lies in my power, I will also favour rigid economy in civic expenditure consistent with the efficient management of our town affairs.

Yours truly,
D. BELLEGHEM.

TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS — OF — WARD NO. 2

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having been urged by a number of the influential ratepayers of Ward No. 2 to become a candidate for Councillor in this important Ward, I have decided to accept nomination.

I therefore beg leave to respectfully solicit the votes and influence of the electors of the Ward, and promise that the interests of this Ward and the town shall receive my best attention, in case I should be elected by your valued support.

As I may be unable to make a personal canvas of all the electors before polling day, I trust those whom I may not be able to see will lend me their valuable support and influence.

Respectfully yours,
W. L. ALLEN.

Dec. 28th, 1897. 44

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Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

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Mr. Wheatley makes the following statement:

"I suffered a great deal for a long time with severe pains in my back over the kidneys, restless, headaches, sleepless and general debility also made life a burden.

"Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I thought I would try them, seeing that no other remedy had succeeded in my case. Well, from the first a wonderful change took place, and I continued to improve rapidly until, at the end of six weeks, I was cured.

"I now get well, sleep well, have no pain, dizziness or headache, and am in fact all O. K., thanks to Doan's Pill, which it is needless to say I recommend highly."

Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists at 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50.

One Laxa-Liver Pill every Night for a Month will Cure Constipation. 25

DECLINE OF OVER 3 CENTS.

The December Option in Chicago Was Very Weak After Midday—Liverpool and Toronto Markets.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 29.

Cash wheat in Chicago closed 3½c lower than yesterday.

Liverpool wheat futures irregular, March closing ⅝d lower than yesterday, and July ¼d higher.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Dec. 29.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 10d to 7s 10½d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 3½d to 8s 4d; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 9d; corn 3s 2¾d; pork, 48s 9d for fine western; lard, 24s 0d; bacon, heavy l.c., 29s 0d; do., light, 28s 0d; do., short cut, 28s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, 42s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast and on passage firm. English country markets generally 6d dearer. Maize on passage rather easier.

Paris—Wheat 28f for Jan. Flour 61f 50 for Jan. French country markets weak.

Liverpool—Wheat futures steady at 7s 6¼d for March, 7s 4⅝d for May, and 7s 1⅝d for July. Maize steady at 3s 2½d for Jan., 3s 2⅝d for Feb. and 3s 2½d for March. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quieter. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Mark Lane—Wheat firm and 6d higher.

Paris—Close—Wheat 28f 00c for Jan. Flour firm at 61f 10c for Jan.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 5½d for March, 7s 4⅛d for May and 7s 1⅝d for July. Maize 3s 2⅝d for Jan., Feb. and March, and 3s 3d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

Leading Wheat Market.

Toronto, Dec. 29.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90¼	$0 92⅝
New York	1 01	0 93⅞
Milwaukee	0 87	0 92⅝
St. Louis	0 97	0 96
Toledo	0 94	0 93⅝
Detroit	0 91⅝	0 92⅞
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 92	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 92	0 91¼
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

Toronto, Dec. 29

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with no special feature. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was steady in the morning, with sales of red winter and white at 85c high freights. Afterwards the feeling became weaker owing to decline in Chicago. Spring is quoted on Midland at 83c to 83c, and goose sold at 77c. No. 1 Manitoba hard 96c at Midland.

BARLEY—The offerings are moderate and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west; No. 3 extra sold at 28c to 30½c, the latter for choice. Feed sold at 25c west.

OATS—The market continues firm, with sales of white at 24½c to 25c west, and at 25½c on Midland; mixed steady at 24c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales at 46c, north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c west, and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is unchanged. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, and prices firm, with sales west at 27½c to 28c.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $8.25 to $8.50 middle freights. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 6c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9½c. Dealers quote green at 8c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece wool on the market. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS — Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 7⅝c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8¾c to 9¼c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do., short cut, $15 to $15.25; do., shoulder mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6⅝c to 6⅞c for tierces, 6⅞c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 58c per bag on track.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

East Buffalo, Dec. 29.—Cattle—Receipts about three cars of sale stock. The market ruled about steady.

Hogs—Receipts 50 cars. Fairly good demand for selected yorkers and light grades and for these the prices were paid about the same as at the close of yesterday's trade, but with this demand satisfied there was a very perceptible weakening of the market. Good to choice yorkers $3.65 to $3.70, mixed packers' grades $3.60, medium weights $3.60 to $3.65, heavy hogs $3.60 to $3.65, roughs $3 to $3.25, stags $2.60 to $3, pigs $3.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 30 cars of fresh arrivals and nine loads, including three of Canadas, holding over from yesterday's trade. The market opened very dull and slow, but at a still further decline in the values of lambs, was more active, and a fair number changed hands. Sheep were in moderate to light supply and ruled about steady with yesterday, also fairly steady at former prices.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Hon. Clifford Sifton Meets President McKinley.

KLONDIKE RELIEF EXPEDITION.

Conference of the Minister of the Interior With Attorney-General McKenna and Secretary Gage—The British Government Will Permit a U.S. Army Detachment to Cross Canada.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn yesterday presented Mr. Clifford Sifton, the Canadian Minister of the Interior, to the President. Mr. McKinley greeted Mr. Sifton with cordiality, but did not discuss with him in any manner the object of his visit. Later Mr. Sifton took lunch at the British Embassy.

After the luncheon at the Embassy Mr. Sifton, accompanied by Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn, called upon Attorney-General McKenna and Secretary of the Treasury Gage. The visits were simply out of courtesy, but in the course of Mr. Sifton's visit to both these Cabinet officers the question of getting supplies into the Klondike was discussed.

Mr. Sifton, in a general way, expressed the opinion that the Canadian Governments would be glad to render any aid in its power to this Government in getting a relief expedition into the Klondike, but expressed the opinion to both Mr. McKenna and Mr. Gage that there was not likely to be great suffering among the miners in the vicinity of Dawson City for lack of food. This opinion he expressed upon the information in possession of the Canadian Government. He did think, however, that there might be severe suffering on account of the excessive cold, as a large proportion of those who rushed into the mining region last summer were unacclimated. Moreover, Mr. Sifton is not sanguine that a relief expedition such as this Government contemplates would get through. The Canadian Government, with all the facilities in its possession, has not yet been able to get in 25 tons of provisions despatched some time ago. He pictured in a gloomy way the immense difficulties in driving reindeer through the narrow defiles and passes over snow and ice.

Mr. Sifton, in his talk with Secretary Gage, also referred briefly to the question of duties on miners' supplies, but nothing significant was said on either side, as far as could be learned.

President Approves Pelagic Sealing Bill.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Ex-Secretary Foster had a brief conference with the President yesterday, after which the President approved the bill "prohibiting the killing of fur seals in the waters of the North Pacific Ocean," passed the day Congress adjourned for the holidays. The Act prohibits the killing of seals by American citizens, except as they may be taken on the Pribyloff Islands by the North American Commercial Company. It also prohibits the importing of seal skins into the United States, whether "raw, dressed, dried or manufactured." The penalty of violation of the law is a fine of not less than $200 or more than $2,000, or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both, for each offence, including the forfeiture to the United States of the vessels, tackle and cargo.

A U. S. Army Corps in Canada.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador, sent an official communication yesterday to the Secretary of State, announcing that the British Government will permit the detachment of the United States army accompanying the Government relief expedition to cross British territory in making the trip. The detachment will be accompanied by a representative of the Canadian Government as an escort while passing over British soil.

FREEMAN WAS DROWNED.

Account of the Accident to Major Walsh's Yukon Expedition.

Vancouver, Dec. 30.—L. Vachon, of Sumas, has just returned from the Hootalinqua River, and gives details of the loss of boats and drowning of one man in the party headed by Major Walsh, Canadian Administrator of the Yukon. This event occurred on the Yukon River about the middle of November. There was considerable shoal ice at the time and a jam occurred at the spot where the river narrowed. When they sighted the jam the occupants of the first boat endeavored to make the shore, but the current carried the boat under the ice and it came out on the other side of the jam. Though the contents were lost, two of the occupants saved themselves by slipping snowshoes on their hands and clambering on the ice. The third occupant, named Freeman, was drowned. The occupants of the second boat escaped, but its contents were also lost. Vachon sold his outfit to Major Walsh and returned.

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TROY SAW THE DEVIL.

His Satanic Majesty Was Flaming Red and Had Two or Three Heads.

Kingston, Dec. 30.—The Governor of the jail has been notified that Dr. Daniel Clark, of Toronto Asylum, and Dr. Leonard, jail surgeon, are to examine John F. Troy, under sentence of death, as to his mental state. Troy talks incessantly about his last condition, and in his bare feet paces to and fro until wearied. He has rubbed the hair off a spot on the top of his head with the continual working of his fingers.

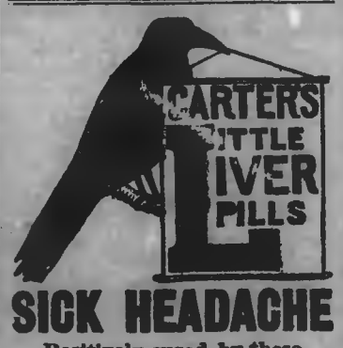
He says he saw the devil one night and that he is not at all like what he had pictured him. He thought he was black and had horns, but this one he saw was flaming red and had two or three horrible-looking heads. He was so worked up after the apparition that he had to be removed to another cell in order to allay his fears of seeing him again. He does not fear hanging; that, he says, is an easy death, but he is full of devils and they are going to torture him. He has failed considerably since his sentence. Of late he has eaten very little. He says he is perfectly sane.

Cuba's Home Rule Government.

Havana, Dec. 30.—Captain-General Blanco has issued a decree announcing the lines upon which the Home Rule Government is established. The Governor-General and Executive assume charge of foreign affairs, war and the navy; and five autonomical secretaries, of Finance, Public Instruction, Public Works, Posts and Telegraphs, and Agriculture and Commerce, respectively, with the President of this Council, constituting the responsible government. The new officials will take the oath of office at 9 a.m. on Jan. 1, and will immediately assume charge of their offices.

Hypnotist Ferris Married.

Simcoe, Ont., Dec. 30.—Prof. Ferris, the hypnotist, was married here yesterday afternoon to Miss Helen Beanpre, one of Simcoe's fairest daughters. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Prescott, in the Methodist church, and was witnessed by the best people of the town. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.



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HOW TO COOK POSSUM.

Told by One of the Most Skillful Opossum Chefs in the World.

A negro's juicy appreciation of possum meat was well illustrated upon a recent occasion when a lady with whom the narrator is acquainted paid a visit to New Orleans. She told him the story. She was walking down Chartres street early one morning, intending to visit the celebrated French market of the Crescent City, and on her way she met a very old colored man coming from the opposite direction, evidently from the market, as he was carrying in one hand a possum and in the other a small split wooden basket of sweet potatoes. The old man's face was beaming with good nature and wreathed in smiles of anticipatory pleasure. He looked so joyously into the face of the lady that she, too, could not help but smile at him, whereupon he held the possum up aloft and said, "Good eatin, missy, good eatin." She stopped for a moment, looked at the childlike, happy face of the old negro and said, "So you like possum, do you?"

"Like possum, missy! I loves possum. Dare ain't no eatin like possum. De possum am good, but de gravy with sweet potatoes is better. Did you never eat possum, missy? Den you didn't know what good eatin was. But maebbe you all wouldn't know how to cook Mr. Possum, fur dar's ebbyt'ing in de know how."

"Well, then, tell me how you cook it," she said.

The old man set the possum and potatoes down on the pavement, or, as they call it in New Orleans, the "banquet," and with a look of earnest concentration began with: "Now, don't you never forget jest what I'ze gwine to tell you about how to cook de possum. Well de fust t'ing you does is to get your possum. Dat may be easy fur you ans, but 'tain't fur me—dat is, always. Well, den, when you's dun got your possum you skins him fust. Den you puts him into de pot with cold water an put de pot over a hot fire, an den you parbiles him—not too much—fur you doan't want to lose any of his nice sweet fat. Den you takes him out of de pot an you dries him in a clean towel. Den you puts him into a big fryin pan. Den you scrapes de skin off your sweet potatoes an you puts dem into de same pan with Mr. Possum. Den you has your stove red, an den you puts de pan an possum an potatoes into de oven an den go away fur a little while, but not too long.

"Den when you comes back you puts in a little hot water, an den you begins an bastes de possum an de sweet potatoes, an you keeps on a-bastin an a-bastin till de possum is a good brown—jest like my color—an de sweet potatoes is soft an juicy an de gravy is almost black an plenty of it. Den you takes it out of de oven, an den you sets de table, an den—well, den you bars de doors, fur de smell of cooked possum goes a long ways, an when you have only one possum you doan't want much company besides yourself."

Now, there is your recipe for cooking possum and given by probably one of the best chefs for that dish in the world. —Philadelphia Times.

ONE MILLIONAIRE'S START.

He Earned Ten Dollars by Throwing the Strong Man of a Show.

"Had I caught my train that night," laughed the man who had nothing to do for a quarter of a century but sit and watch pine trees grow to swell his bank account, "I would probably be a farmer now trying to raise a mortgage and a few other things. I had gone to a little town in lower Wisconsin to see a colt that a man there wanted to sell me. I was a good judge of stock and shrewd on a trade, but a greener country lad never broke into a town. I would have walked back to the farm after I found myself too late for the train, but I saw a handbill announcing a show that night and couldn't resist the temptation to see it, though it did cost a quarter.

"In my hilarious appreciation I was more of an entertainment than they had on the stage, especially as I was utterly oblivious to the fact that I did not look like any one else in the audience. Toward the end a huge fellow came out, tossed cannon balls in the air, held men out at arm's length and lifted heavy weights. After this showing of his prowess he offered $10 to any one whom he could not throw inside of two minutes. I was the crack wrestler in all our section, though none present knew it, and I felt as though the challenge was aimed directly at me. I turned hot and cold during a few seconds of intense silence. Then I sprang up, and, as I came out of my old blouse, shouted, 'I'll go you, b'gosh!' There was a roar of laughter, and then some of those about me urged me not to go up there and have my neck broken. But one old man told me to go in. It was a tough job, but I finally threw the giant almost through the floor with a hip lock. There was a little hesitancy about giving me the $10, but the crowd shouted till I got it. Then the old man took me home with him, and in a week I had charge of all the teams in his lumber camps. In time I became a partner, and he cleared the way to make me rich. That was really a match for a million."—Detroit Free Press.

Fate of Noted Horses.

General Boulanger's famous black horse now draws a Paris fiacre. Marshal Canrobert's and General Gallifet's chargers were turned over to the Pasteur institute to produce antidiphtheritic serum, as was also St. Claude, the winner of the Auteuil steeple chase in 1890.

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Longevity Influenced by Water.

Solid and dry as the human body appears, water constitutes more than one-fourth of its bulk, and all the functions of life are really carried on in a water bath, and, although the sense of thirst may be trusted to call for a draft of water when required, the fluid can be imbibed most advantageously for many reasons besides merely satisfying thirst. In the latter stage of digestion, when comminution of the mass is incomplete, it is much facilitated by a moderate draft of water, which disintegrates and dissolves the contents of the stomach, fitting it for emulgence and preparing it for assimilation. Hence the habit of drinking water in moderate quantities between meals contributes to health and indicates the fact that those who visit health resorts for the purpose of imbibing the waters of mineral springs might profit by staying at home and drinking more water and less whisky.

Water is the universal solvent of nature and the chief agent in all transformations of matter. When taken into an empty stomach, it soon begins to pass out through the tissues into the circulation to liquefy effete solids, whose excretion from the system is thus facilitated. Very few people think of the necessity of washing the inside as well as the outside of the body, and he who would be perfectly healthy should be as careful about the cleanliness of his stomach as that of his skin.—New York Ledger.

The Note Hurt Her Feelings.

A young gentleman whose gallantry was largely in excess of his pecuniary means sought to remedy the defect and save the money required for the purchase of expensive flowers by arranging with a gardener to let him have a bouquet from time to time in return for his cast off clothes.

It thus happened one day that he received a bunch of the most beautiful roses, which he at once sent off to his lady love. In sure anticipation of a friendly welcome he called at the house of the lady the same evening and was not a little surprised at the frosty reception he met with.

"You sent me a note today," the young lady remarked, after a pause, in the most frigid tone.

"I—a note?" he inquired in blank astonishment.

"Certainly, along with the nosegay."

"And there was a note inside?"

"Do you still mean to deny it?"

With these words she handed the dumfounded swain a scrap of paper on which the following words were written: "Don't forget the old trousers you promised me the other day."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

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And With Her Sailed Mrs. Sanford and Her Daughters and Mr. Blake.

New York, Dec. 30. — Miss Maud Gonne, the "Irish Joan of Arc," sailed for Liverpool on the White Star liner Majestic yesterday. Miss Gonne expressed herself as highly pleased with her reception in this country.

Other passengers on the Majestic were J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Sanford, wife of Senator Sanford of the Canadian Parliament, and her two daughters, the Misses Edna and E. Muriel Sanford, Edward Blake, M.P., and Mrs. Kinsley Magoun.

An Irish Parliamentary Fund.

Toronto, Dec. 28.—Hon. Edward Blake, as treasurer of the Canadian Irish Parliamentary Fund for 1898, acknowledges the receipt of $7,098.95 in response to his appeal.

Feet Frozen Fast to the Boat.

New York, Dec. 28.—A rowboat containing four men frozen and unconscious, was washed upon Rockaway Beach yesterday. Their feet were frozen fast to the bottom of the boat. It is probable that all will recover. Their names are: Joseph Day, B. Black, James Room and George Metzger, of New York city.

DR CHASE'S CATARRH CURE

Nothing equal to it for clearing the head and cleansing the air passages. Gives instant relief for cold in the head. Cures incipient Catarrh in a few days; Chronic Catarrh in one to three months. A specific for Hay Fever.

MR. JAS. SPENCE, CLACHAN, ONT., writes: "I had been a sufferer from Catarrh for 15 years. I spent lots of money and tried several doctors, also a Catarrh Specialist in London, Ont. At last I was directed by the advertisements and testimonials I read to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I used 3 boxes, and a complete cure was effected."

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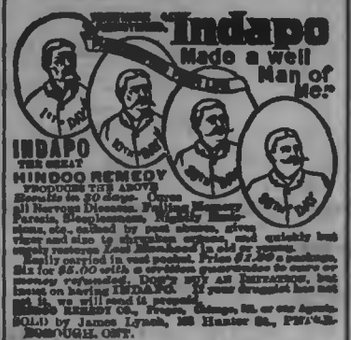

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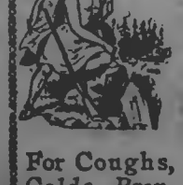

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Dominion Life	53.395	65.565	12.170
London Life	160.889	177.004	16.115
Canada Life	2,006.801	2,025.716	18.825
Manufacturers	324.449	355.149	30.700
Great West	122.598	156.033	33.435
North American	485.354	539.762	54.408
Confederation	852.874	907.322	54.448
Federal	257.647	312.399	54.752
SUN LIFE	1,201.221	1,650.484	349.263
TOTALS	$6,297.929	$6,942.370	$644,441

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A few lines were sold out but we are having them replaced at once from our workshops—**The Largest and Finest Stock of Furs in Central Ontario is now at your disposal.** Come and make an early selection.

We Wish All "The People" a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

FAIRWEATHER & Co

WOULD YOU GO TO THE KLONDIKE

HERE ARE POINTERS FROM ONE WHO HAS RETURNED.

Country is Rich With Gold but if too Many People Rush in Many Will be Sorry They Went—Rye Witness' Story.

A representative of the Ottawa Journal had a chat the other evening with Mr. Robert Anderson, the London, Eng., gentleman who recently returned from the Klondike.

According to Mr. Anderson's statements the two things required to make the Yukon district the basis of the greatest mining operations in the world are transportation facilities and the presence of practical miners. He considers that with adequate railway connections, and with men experienced in prospecting at work there, the possibilities of that country will be practically unlimited.

He has had a quarter of a century's experience in the mining regions of South Africa, Australia, Mexico and California, and evidently knows what he is talking about.

The land which Mr. Anderson has applied for a lease of extends for two miles along the mouth of the Hunker Creek. It is too poor to pay by placer mining, but he is willing to take the risk of its paying when worked by hydraulic methods, and, if a lease is secured, will form a company for this purpose.

In reply to a question Mr. Anderson said:—"I left Victoria, B.C., on the 29th of July last and eighteen days later arrived at Dawson City. I remained at Dyea one day and one day at Juneau, and was travelling just sixteen days—one of the quickest trips on record. I went over the pass at Dyea. I had a very pleasant journey; in fact it is a regular pleasure trip at that time of the year. Returning, I came up the Yukon river to a point a little above Pelley, a distance of about 250 to the coast. The journey was made in in 26 days.

FIVE THOUSAND AT DAWSON.

"I remained in the Klondike just fifty days. There were about 5,000 or 6,000 at Dawson and vicinity then. The best of order prevailed. In fact it is the most orderly frontier camp I ever visited.

"There are a large number of saloons and dance hall at Dawson City, and they are doing a flourishing business. These afford the only means of diversion for the miners, and about all their spare time is spent there. A rum shop pays better than a mine. It is reported that the Government intends imposing a heavy tax on them, and I think it would be a first-class move.

"During the time I was in the district, I inspected about all of the principal claims. The richness of some of them is simply marvellous. The Eldorado and Bonanza Creek claims are the richest. There are about 150 claims that will average $300,000 each in value. Those on the Eldorado are the best and will average more than this. The Bonanza claims not quite so much.

NOT EXAGGERATED.

"I do not think that the newspaper reports have exaggerated matters much. Numbers of men have struck good claims and made an immense amount of money in a short time. I met several who were poverty stricken when they reached the Klondike, but who are now very wealthy. Of course a far greater number have made practically nothing.

RAILWAYS NEEDED.

"With good transportation facilities and the presence in the country of men who have a practical experience in prospecting and mining, everything is possible. It is the greatest mining country on the face of the earth. Owing to the great cost of getting provisions into the country, living and other expenses are so high that it only pays to mine the rich claims now. With freight rates brought down to a reasonable figure, as they will be when the railways are constructed, living will be much cheaper and the poorer claims can then be worked at a profit.

"No attention has as yet been paid to quartz mining. It has all been placer work so far. There is not the least doubt but that paying quartz will be found and when the country is opened up a little more this will become as great an industry as placer mining.

"There are 200 men now exploring the Stewart river and I am confident that they will discover good diggings there. Gold in paying quantities has already been found on the bars in the river.

NOT TOO COLD.

"As far as the cold is concerned I don't think that the miners will find it difficult to contend with. Certainly they will find it easier to get along with than they would in countries where fevers prevail and good water is scarce.

A PIECE OF ADVICE.

"If an inexperienced man were to ask your advice as to going to the Klondyke, what would you tell him?" asked the Journal.

"Well, that is a difficult question to answer. Some of the best claims in the country have been secured by men who never saw a mine before. I am acquainted with a number of such who have made a big pile of money. However, if as many people go to the Klondyke next spring as is anticipated, there will be a great many of them who will wish that they had remained at home."

Mr. Anderson complains that the Citizen in stating that he claims that the royalties are unfair, has not reported him correctly. While it will undoubtedly be found advantageous to amend the regulations from time to time, as the needs of the country require, it is only fair to say that the Government has done the best that could be expected with the information at their disposal.

A Mother's Story—Her Little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having used your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Colds and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too highly of.

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YOUNG'S POINT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Rev. Father Sullivan, of Douro, spent Christmas here with friends.

Rev. Mr. Bradshaw, of Uxbridge, is the guest of Rev. Mr. A. S. Grame.

Miss Maggie Young has been confined to her room with La Grippe; her many friends are glad to see her able to be around again.

Miss Ella Young is spending a few days with her sister in Selwyn this week.

Mr. L. G. Febert, of Chemong, was in our village to-day.

Our teacher, Mr. Harry Andrews, is spending his holidays at his home in Norwood.

The special music in St. Mary's church here for Christmas was especially fine. A trio composed of sacred music was given during the Mass by Miss Anna Young, Misses Lottie and Maggie Kearney (two violins and organ), which is deserving of much credit. Also two stirring marches before and after the service were given by the trio and was much appreciated. The vocal solos were effectively taken by the members of the choir, Miss Ida Kearney, Miss Emma Scollard and Mrs. P. P. Young deserve special mention as soprano, and Miss Maggie Kearney, contralto.

The high respect and esteem in which the Rev. Father Brown is held was amply shown by the splendid donation he received from his congregation on Christmas day.

In the English church services were also held both morning and afternoon, the Rev. Mr. A. S. Grame officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bagshaw, of Uxbridge. A large number was in attendance at each service.

The Christmas tree and entertainment for the Church of England Sunday school took place in Hurd's hall Tuesday last was a success. Tea was served from 4 to 7 p.m.

It is surprising to see the quantity of wood that is being hauled daily from this vicinity to Peterborough. What a great benefit it would be if that much talked of railroad came here from Lakefield. Then this wood could be shipped direct to Peterborough. The wood is not the only article we have for transportation. There is timber and lumber and also quarries here, where the stone could be taken away without much trouble. Farther up the lake we have our mica mines. It would be convenient to the people of the Point, the Stony lake cottagers, campers and tourists visiting here in summer to come by rail.

The annual school meeting of S.S. No. 8 was held in the school on Wednesday, Dec. 29th, a large number of ratepayers being in attendance. Mr. W. J. Young, the retiring member of the board, was again elected by acclamation. This speaks well for Mr. Young's efficiency as trustee, being his third term without opposition.

This being election times, everybody seems to be on the alert electioneering.

Miss Loretta and Mrs. F. J. Young, of Selwyn, had a narrow escape while driving from the Point the other evening. The horse became frightened and ran away, throwing them out and damaging the cutter. The occupants received several slight bruises.

Mrs. Richard Reid, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtaxed, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then comes the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

An Early Fog Horn Story.

"That portrait of William Allen," said the old citizen as he looked around the sanctum, "reminds me of a story about him that I have never seen in print. It was during the rattling campaign of 1840, and Allen had been invited to speak in Cleveland. The meeting place was a grove near the corner of Erie and Euclid, and of course everybody turned out to hear the famous Ohioan. Then the Whigs, who hated William, made it up among themselves that as soon as he arose to speak they would desert the meeting in a body. Sure enough, just as Allen arose and opened his mouth away went the Whigs. But the warhorse was enough for them. He had a voice that covered a township, and he poured hot shot into the Whig party as long as there was a retreating Whig in sight. He gave it to them straight from the shoulder, and if any of them lived over in Ohio City they must have wept on hearing him long after they got home. Lord, how the audience roared when the last Whig was out of sight! The spectacle of the deserters hustling along to get out of range of those thunderous invectives was a sight to make the gods roar with delight. I've seen many funny things in politics, but nothing quite so funny as that."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Farewell to '97

Welcome to '98

With pleasant remembrances of the bounties bestowed on this store during the year now nearly gone, we can enjoy a cheerful retrospect of our business dealings for the past twelve months. We have much to be thankful for—much to encourage us—and our farewell to 1897 is full of gratitude and confidence.

We welcome 1898. For the fourteenth time we extend the right hand to our to our hosts of friends and patrons in wishing them all a Happy New Year. Fourteen years have come and gone, each year finding us striving to make this the leading store in Ontario for Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Furnishings, and we have been fortunate in having attained a larger measure of succese than usually falls to the lot of the majority of business men.

Business can afford to rest for a day—especially if the day be one on which new hopes, and golden intentions, and bright promises may be enjoyed. We cherish the hope of being able to begin over again with a still broader conception of storekeeping and still larger ideas of success.

Standing on the threshold of 1898 we write progress over store and methods alike, with sincere devotion to the interests of customers, and a larger determination to secure good-will. The promises made last New Year's have long sinced reached their fruition, and the next thing done will be bigger and better every way.

When the doors swing open at 8 o'clock Monday morning we shall be ready with special goods and special prices. To-day we look out in the sunlight of larger promises for you and for us.

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Awful Revelation.

An old lady who is very much of a bore paid a visit to a family of her acquaintance. She prolonged her stay and finally said to one of the children:

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Brooks, late of Peterborough, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to R.S.O., chapter 110 and amending Acts that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Thomas Brooks, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 8th day of November, 1897, are required on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, to send by post prepaid or deliver to E. B. Stone, 374½ Water street, Peterborough, Ont., Solicitor for Frank Brooks' Arthur M. Brooks, Burton H. Brooks and Julia K. Brooks, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them.

And that after such date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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THE NILE BATTALIONS

Four Regiments of British Troops to Go to Cairo

TO REPLACE THOSE TO ADVANCE

Warwickshire and Lincolnshire Regiments to Move from Wady Halfa to the Frontier—Dervishes Coming North—Mysterious Movements of the French in Africa —Press Comment.

London, Jan. 3.—In response to the request of Sir Herbert Kitchener, it has been arranged to send four battalions to Cairo to replace those destined to take part in the British advance toward Khartoum, one each from Malta and Gibraltar and two others to be stopped while en route for home from India. The morning editorials comment upon the gravity of the situation that compels an advance before the railway has been completed.

The Times suggests that it would be safer to send a larger force.

Ordered to the Front.

Cairo, Jan. 3.—The Warwickshire and Lincolnshire regiments of the British Army have been ordered to start from Wady-Halfa for the frontier.

The ordering of the troops to the front was occasioned by reliable news from Omdurman, the Khalifa's great camp near Khartoum, to the effect that the Dervishes are preparing for northward movement. Though the movement has not yet actually begun the greatest excitement prevails.

More Troops to the Front.

Cairo, Jan. 3.—A battalion of the Cameron Highlanders has been ordered to be in readiness to ascend the Nile fortnight hence.

London, Jan. 3.—A despatch from Malta says that a battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders has been ordered to Egypt.

London, Jan. 3.—The Cairo correspondent of the Daily Mail says, as part of the planned British advance up the Nile, [illegible] believe French expeditions have arrived quite close to Khartoum. Accordingly the same authority the British force will be commanded by Major-General Sir Francis Grenfell.

The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "I learn from private sources that the Italian foreign office has received information that Emperor Menelik has summoned the Abyssinians to arms in support of French enterprises in Equatorial Africa, and especially the plans of the Russian Count Leontieff, Governor of the Equatorial Provinces of Abyssinia.

"Menelik himself is setting out at the head of an army; and it is believed the movement masks an expedition against the Anglophile Ras Mangascia, whose province, Tigre, the Negus wishes to annex. I also hear that Menelik, calculating upon the uneasiness of the Italian Government, proposes an advance toward the coast."

The Daily Mail, commenting editorially on the foregoing despatches from Rome and Cairo, suggests that the Marchand expedition has gone beyond Fashoda and reached Khartoum.

"It is impossible," says the Daily Mail "for the expedition to have fought its way there and it can only arrive in alliance with the Khalifa, thus creating a serious situation."

A despatch from Cairo, via Paris, on Friday announced that a French expedition had occupied Fashoda, on the Nile, about 400 miles south of Khartoum, and that it was reported among the natives that the French were descending the river.

A NOTABLE WEDDING.

Prof. Alexander Melville Bell Married in New York to Mrs. H. G. Shibley of Harrowsmith.

New York, Jan. 3.—Prof. Alexander Bell, the distinguished Scotch scientist, and father of Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, and Mrs. H. G. Shibley, of Harrowsmith, Ont., were married here on Saturday. The ceremony was performed by an old Scotch pupil of the groom, the Rev. Dr. R. A. Paterson, of Binghampton, N.Y., in parlor 107 of the Park Avenue Hotel. Mr. Bell, hale, hearty and vigorous, accompanied by his brother, B. C. Bell, and his son, Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, and the latter's daughter, Miss E. M. Bell, of Washington, were the first to enter the apartment. Dr. Paterson introduced them to a few visitors, and then announced that Col. John Hitz, for 20 years the United States Consul to Switzerland, would be the best man. Miss Hattie Mace and Mr. Henry W. Guess, of Harrowsmith, Ont., entered, accompanied by the bride, who is their aunt. In a brief speech the clergyman congratulated his old-time professor on his choice of a new partner, and told of his being educated by the bridegroom. The ceremony itself was very brief, and afterwards a breakfast was served in the dining-room annex, which was suitably decorated for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell will spend their honeymoon in New York, and will probably go to Washington within ten days.

THE GERONA ASHORE.

The Thomson Line Steamer Wrecked Off Seal Island—One Sailor Supposed to Have Been Drowned.

Halifax, Jan. 3.—The fine steel steamer Gerona of the Thomson Line, with 294 cattle, 90 horses and a general cargo of grain, flour, cheese and pulp, went ashore off Seal Island. She sailed from Portland, bound for London. After striking she came off with 15 feet of water in her hold. The captain and crew abandoned her and took to the boats. Second Officer Watson and 24 of the crew have arrived at Forbes' Point, Woods' Harbor. The captain and 36 of the crew steered for Seal Island and were not heard of until late to-night, when a report from Yarmouth told of their arrival there and of the other party having been taken to Pubnico.

The Gerona's cargo is estimated to have been worth about $310,000, including the live stock, and the steamer is valued at about $150,000. The cargo was mostly insured through Montreal agencies.

The Government steamer Newfield was sent in search of the Gerona and the missing boats. Capt. Baxter, it is stated, believes that Blonde Rock was the scene of the disaster.

One sailor named Carl, who was supposed to leave the ship in the lifeboat which reached Woods' Harbor, is missing, and is thought to have been drowned in attempting to get away from the steamer. Most of the men in this boat, which was in charge of Second Officer Watson, were cattlemen. The crew will be sent to Boston early this week. They had a terrible experience, as it was eight hours after leaving the wreck before they pulled up on the beach, terribly exhausted from exposure.

More Money for Young Pullmans.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—The twin sons of the late George M. Pullman will come into possession of $18,000 each, as the result of their interests in life insurance policies carried by their father. These policies are now being adjusted and the amount the sons will receive will be in addition to the $3,000 a year stipend left them by their father's will.

MR. SIFTON'S MISSION.

Satisfactory Arrangements Regarding the Dawson Relief Expedition—The Customs Matter Also Adjusted.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, has returned from Washington. His mission, he states, was entirely satisfactory. He went to business connected with the proposed United States relief expedition to Dawson. They propose starting a train of one hundred or one hundred and fifty horses, attended by the necessary men, to take about thirty tons of provisions to the people who are supposed to be in want of food and who happen to be nearly all United States citizens. Mr. Sifton agreed to furnish an escort through Canadian territory of fifty of the Mounted Police. The idea is to start about the 1st of February and to use the White Pass into the interior. The United States Government have also contracted with a man named Boyle to convey several hundred tons of provisions by means of an ice locomotive down the Yukon River. In the matter of customs complaint had been made of a charge of $6 a day imposed by the United States customs for the attendance of customs officers from Skaguay and Dyea on goods passing to Canadian territory, just over the summits of the Chilkoot and White Passes, an impost considered more vexatious than necessary. The authorities at Washington agreed to abolish this. The Secretary of the Treasury expressed himself as anxious to do anything in his power to facilitate travel to Canadian territory. Mr. Sifton informed your correspondent that he was pleased at the cordiality of his reception by the members of the United States Government and others officials at Washington.

A Code of Signals.

Nature has a code of signals—a listless step and tired, weary feeling are in the code. They show that the system is run down and dragged out. Nature's medicine for this is Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills—they benefit the entire system, brace the nerves, and brighten the brain, curing nervousness, sleeplessness, weakness and palpitation of the heart, etc.

CHINA MAY RESIST.

Germany Served With a Demand to Evacuate.

A RUSSIAN UNDER BRITISH FIRE.

Vice-Admiral Seymour, the Commander-in-Chief, Starts for Hong Kong—Commercial Relations Between Russia and Corea—Report That Canadian Militia Were Ordered for Service Denied.

London, Jan. 3.—Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, K.C.B., who has been appointed British Commander-in-Chief on the China station, succeeding Admiral Buller, has started for Hong Kong accompanied by his staff.

According to a special despatch from Shanghai, a sudden stiffening has taken place in the attitude of Tsung Li Yamen toward Germany, resulting in a demand for the evacuation of Kiao-Chou, and leading to the belief that Great Britain is bring pressure to bear upon Pekin. A despatch from St. Petersburg says that on Thursday Emperor Nicholas granted an audience to the Chinese Minister Plenipotentiary Yang Yu, who handed the Czar a personal letter from the Emperor of China. It is reported there that the conversation turned on the proposed Chinese loan. The St. Petersburg Herald announces that some Russian vessels have left Port Arthur and gone into the harbor at Tallenwan with China's consent, the harbor at Port Arthur being too small for the free movement of the Russian vessels.

The Canadian Militia for Service.

New York, Jan. 3.—The London correspondent of the Sun cables: "The Sun is enabled to say that in the event of trouble in the far East the Canadian militia will have an opportunity of covering themselves with glory. The War Department and the Admiralty have between them drawn up a scheme whereby a battalion of this militia will be hurried to Hong Kong from Vancouver the moment war seems imminent. They would reach China long before any force from England could get there, and it is thought their co-operation would boom the Imperial unity idea. Presumably the views of the Dominion Government had been ascertained beforehand, and some steps had been taken to find out whether the gallant militiamen would be willing to follow glory to the cannon's mouth."

Report Denied at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—General Gascoigne says he has heard nothing of the intention of the War Department to send a Canadian force to China.

Fired on a Russian Warship.

London, Jan. 3.—A sensation has been caused by a rumor from Plymouth that the English admiral has fired on a Russian man-of-war in Chinese waters. Nothing is known as to the matter at the Foreign Office or the Admiralty.

The morning papers publish also the statement that England is pressing China to declare Port Arthur a free port. It is supposed that the presence of British warships there is intended to insure freedom of access for trading vessels.

Russia in Corea.

St. Petersburg, Jan 3.—It is announced that M. Kuril Alexieff has been invested with full powers "to promote the development of the commercial relations between Russia and Corea in competition with British and Japanese influences and to aid in furthering the prompt construction of the projected Orthodox Church at Seoul."

China Yielded in This Case.

Merlin, Jan. 3.—It is announced that China has yielded to the demand of Baron Heyking, German Ambassador at Peking, for the dismissal of the commandant of the Chinese garrison at Tao-Chow, Province of Shan Tung, because of the use of threatening language to the German missionaries there. The Chinese Government has telegraphed a dismissal of the commandant.

INSULT TO THE QUEEN

Results in Lord Roberts Refusing to Dine With Dublin's Mayor.

Dublin, Jan. 3.—The Lord Mayor's show yesterday passed off quietly. Lord Roberts, of Kandahar, the commander of the forces in Ireland, had accepted an invitation to take luncheon with the Lord Mayor, but withdrew his acceptance owing to the latter acceding to the demands of the Nationalists that the Lord Mayor dispense with the usual military escort and bands of music. The Conservative members of the corporation made public a letter to the Lord Mayor declaring that his action was intended by his advisers as an insult to the Queen.

The School Question in Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 3.—At the New Year's reception at the Cardinal's palace, Quebec, the administrator of the diocese, Mgr. Begin, in replying to an address from the clergy, announced that the attitude taken by the bishops on the Manitoba school question was highly praised and approved without restriction by the encyclical which has just been received by the Canadian bishops. "The encyclical," added His Grace, "condemns the settlement as insufficient and inefficacious and asks Catholics to unite in order to obtain the respect of their rights."

Ordination at Hamilton Cathedral.

Hamilton, Jan. 3.—The impressive ceremony of ordination was held Sunday morning at Christ Church Cathedral. Three candidates presented themselves for deacon's orders. They were W. H. Thomas, H. R. Quinn, both graduates of St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, Eng., and H. C. Burt, of Trinity College, Toronto. Bishop Dowdall officiated and was assisted by Revs. Canon Houston, of Niagara Falls, and Canon Clark, of Ancaster.

A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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RELATION OF LUMBER TO LOGS CONSIDERED.

A REVIEW OF THE TIMBER QUESTION.

Its Treatment by the United States—The Effect of the Retaliatory Clause—The Action of the Ontario Government.

The most prominent feature in the lumber trade for 1897 has been the interest displayed in legislation at Washington and the proposed legislation at Toronto. Towards the close of 1896 and soon after President McKinley's election, agitation commenced in the United States for a duty on lumber; a meetingwas called at Cincinnati, and was largely attended from all parts of the country. It formulated a resolution to be presented at Washington asking for a duty of $2 per thousand feet on all lumber entering the United States.

A strong organization was formed for the purpose of disseminating the views of the meeting, and a committee was appointed to go to Washington as soon as Congress should meet to promote legislation. They also carried on a propaganda all over the south and west, succeeding finally in obtaining a clause in the Dingley bill imposing a duty of $2 per thousand feet on all sawn lumber; this was not obtained without strenuous opposition. The Populists were not in favour of the duty. Many Democrats were opposed to it, and in the Republican party itself there were those who worked for a $4 duty, or a return to the McKinley tariff of 1890, which had been suspended by the Wilson act of 1894 making lumber free; while another influential wing of the Republican party contended for free lumber as the raw material of many industries. So strong were the opponents of the $2 duty that when clause 195 of the Dingley bill was called up for reconsideration in the Senate they

CAME WITHIN ONE VOTE

of placing lumber on the free list, and did succeed in getting the Senate to substitute $2 per thousand in place of $2. When, however, the Dingley bill was submitted to the conference of the two Houses, where the warring elements had to agree to some compromise to get the bill passed at all, it finally was placed at $2, and became the law of the United States on the 24th of July, 1897.

Clause 195 not only imposed a duty of $2 per thousand feet on "sawed lumber not specially provided for in this act," but also provided "that if any country or dependency shall impose an export duty upon sawlogs, round unmanufactured timber, stave bolts, shingle bolts or heading bolts exported to the United States, or a discriminating charge upon boom sticks or chains used by American citizens in towing logs, the amount of such export duty, tax or other charge, as the case may be, shall be added as an additional duty to the duties imposed upon the articles mentioned in this paragraph, when imported from such country or dependency."

No agreement having been arrived at between the United States and Canada, the effect of this retaliatory clause was likely to be hurtful to sawmill interests in western Ontario, not only to Canadian owners, but also to those Americans who had established a sawmill plant on the Georgian Bay. As white pine became scarce [illegible] the owners of sawmills on the east side commenced to look [illegible]nada for a supply of logs to keep their [illegible]nning, and so towing in large [illegible] across Lake Huron became a new [illegible] of the lumber business; the quantity, which in 1890 was only 10,[illegible],000 feet, had increased by 1895 to 277,267,000 feet. The Dingley law, which

ALLOWED THE FREE ENTRY OF LOGS

into the United States and placed a $2 duty on lumber, was plainly intended to transfer the business of sawing pine logs from the Georgian Bay to Michigan. This to all lumbermen in Western Canada was a serious situation, and called for their best judgment in suggesting a remedy. A meeting of Ontario lumbermen was called in August last to consider the situation. The meeting was large and representative. Various remedies were discussed and finally a resolution was passed, with only a few dissentients, which, after setting forth the circumstances, resolved, "that in the opinion of this meeting the exportation of sawlogs should be restricted; and, with that object in view, the Government of the Province of Ontario be requested to so amend the timber regulations that all pine timber cut under license in the Province of Ontario shall be manufactured in Canada." A committee was appointed by the meeting to present the resolution to the Ontario Government, who heard them and also a deputation from Michigan who wished to retain the privilege of towing logs across Lake Huron to their mills. The subject created a good deal of discussion, other deputations waited upon the Government, full publicity was given, and the whole question received public attention. The Commissioner of Crown Lands replied cautiously to the lumbermen, intimating "that during the currency of the existing licenses such action as was proposed by the resolution of the meeting of August 19 could not well be taken." This was considered reasonable enough, and at a meeting held October 7 the lumbermen declared it to be in the public interest "that when new licenses are issued

AFTER APRIL 30TH, 1898,

a regulation be embodied in every license that all timber cut on Crown lands be sawn, made into square timber or otherwise manufactured in Canada."

The House of Assembly for Ontario was called together on the 30th November, and, after discussion on the question had taken place on a resolution moved by Mr. Whitney, a large number of lumbermen again waited on the Government to make clear their position. It was not so much that they wanted to stop the entire exportation of logs for all time, but, rather, to be enabled to carry on their business on equal terms with Michigan limit-holders. When this is done they are willing that any embargo placed on the exportation of logs should be taken off. The demands of the representatives of this important industry were couched in moderate language; they were in the spirit of fair play; they fully recognized the right of property in all purchasers of timber lands; they never questioned the right of the American people to place what import duty they pleased on lumber, but they do object to the retaliatory clause of the Dingley law, and until that is removed claim that no exportation of logs should be permitted.

The Government looked upon the matter as one of serious import. They are the custodians of the honour of the Crown; in them lay the responsibility of taking action. So, after debate in the Assembly, after hearing discussion from the representatives of every shade of opinion, the Commissioner of Crown Lands on the 20th inst. introduced a bill giving the force of law to the

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LUMBERMEN.

What the American people may think or what they may do about it is not to us of any immediate concern. The Ontario Government have acted not in a spirit of hostility to any interest in the United States; there is no bravado in their position; they will no doubt continue to cultivate the most friendly relations with our neighbours, and at the same time look after the interests of their people.

The whole question of forestry and of the disposal of forest product has recently come into prominence. It has no doubt engaged the attention of some European countries for a long time, but only within recent years has it appeared of any consequence to the people of North America. The cutting down of vast areas of timbered land, it is seen must come to an end. The quantity of that valuable and once plentiful tree, the white pine, will soon be exhausted in the United States and an increasing draft be made on our own forests. The question of reforestination is engaging the attention of the Government at the present time. Ontario has large areas of territory better adapted to growing pine trees than anything else, and it is altogether likely that permanent benefit will accrue from the present discussion on the proper utilization of our forest wealth, in any case we need be in no hurry about getting rid of our pine forests. They are a valuable asset of the Province, and worth all the care we can bestow upon them. We fairly well understand the position in this country, and do not intend to be moved by any outcry of fancied wrongs. We can afford to look on with perfect equanimity at any course which may be pursued by our neighbours, whether of further retaliation, which we will regret, or of a more friendly or neighbourly attitude, which we will welcome.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with exultement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

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Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Nugent, 359 George Street

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KENTUCKY LOTTERY CLOSED

After Making $10,000 a Day for Over 25 Years in Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 3.—The 41 offices of the Frankfort Lottery scattered over Louisville were closed yesterday for the first time in 25 years and no drawings were made at the principal office at Third and Green streets. The lottery is closed for good.

The mandate of the Supreme Court has not been received, but the owners of the lottery felt that nothing would be gained by keeping open, as Criminal Judge Barker, who will assume the bench to-day, announced that his first act would be to proceed against the lottery without waiting for official notice. Thus has ended a fight that has been waged for 25 years against the policy shops of Louisville. The company had two drawings daily, and its profits averaged $10,000 a day.

Indian Prince and English Lady.

London, Jan. 3.—The marriage of Lady Anne Coventry, second daughter of the Earl of Coventry, to Prince Dhuleep Singh will take place to-morrow.

D-O-D-D-S

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Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

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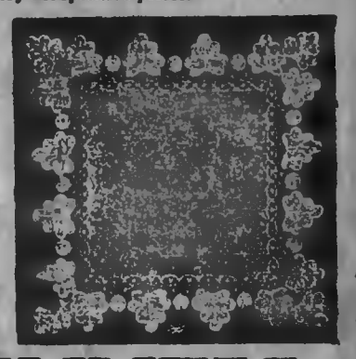

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NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Events Which Happened Between Old and New Years.

TWO DAYS' NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS

Happenings That Are Worth Noting No Matter How Small They Are—Dominion, United States and Old Country Items Boiled Down to Small Compass—Read Them All.

Thomas Madden, of Maxwell, Ont., is dead, aged 75.

Mr. MacCallum was nominated at Watford by the Independents.

Peter Purvis, one of the leading lawyers of Brantford, died on Saturday.

The German first-class cruiser Kaiserin Augusta has arrived at Kiao-Chou Bay.

Hon. Dr. Borden, who is now in England, expects to sail for Canada on Jan. 19.

Fire did $5,000 damages to the Turkish Bath Hotel in Montreal on Saturday night.

S. C. Stevenson, secretary of the Montreal Exhibition Company, died Sunday, aged 49.

M. Teplow, a councillor of State, has been appointed Consul-General for Russia at New York.

It is reported that the Afridis are assembling in tribal council, with a view of concluding peace.

Wm. Gross has been arrested at Toronto on a charge of stealing $8,000 worth of diamonds in Allentown, Pa.

Magistrate Bartlett, of Windsor, celebrated his 75th birthday on Saturday, and is as hale and hearty as ever.

At Hong Kong there is great activity in the Chinese naval yards, although profound secrecy is maintained.

The British cruiser Croftia has taken on supplies of coal and ammunition and has proceeded to patrol the Chinese seas.

The official estimate of the wheat yield in Australia is 8,745,000 bushels. There will be a small surplus available for export.

Coroner Greig, of Toronto, has withdrawn the warrant for an inquest on the body of suicide Geo. A. Whiting, of Thornhill.

The Blackman mine, operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, suspended operations indefinitely, throwing 500 men out of work.

Sunday night an accidental shot from the revolver of one Campbell, of Burlington, took a little piece out of the neck of Isaac General.

While out fox hunting on Saturday G. Housman Rutledge of Hyde Park had his arm badly injured by the bursting of his gun.

Charles More, for firing a frame house on the Bostwick line of Westminster township, Ontario, was given one year in the Central Prison.

Mr. Robert Hewitt, of the Phoenix foundry at Markham, is dead. Born in Cumberland, Eng., in 1818, he settled in Markham in 1855.

The Rothschilds of Paris and Vienna are fighting the Standard Oil Company with high flash Russian oil of 103 degrees for the British market.

The Empress of Germany, who has been suffering from influenza, has suffered a relapse. Dr. Zuncker, her physician, is staying at the new palace.

According to a report issued by the City Engineer, the total estimated cost of buildings erected in London, Ont., for 1897 amounted to $970,000.

A tidal wave, due to a southerly gale, swept up the river at Cheboygan, Wis., and caused a terrific shaking up among the vessels tied at the docks.

The steamer Rosedale is now in the shows that she is in pretty bad shape, will take $25,000 to repair her.

Edward Young, who lives three miles from Brookfield, Ont., has a fractured skull from the limb of a tree falling on him. His recovery is not looked for.

The mutilated body of General Sir Henry Havelock-Allan, it is announced from Fort Ali-Musjid, has been found and is being conveyed to Peshawur.

A Washington special says it is probable that Secretary Sherman will retire early in the New Year, in which event he will be succeeded by Ambassador Hay.

London, Ont., enjoyed a natural increase in population last year of 119 souls. There were 569 births, against 450 deaths. The marriages numbered 394.

A Toronto sessions grand jury expressed the idea that departmental stores should provide glass cases for their goods to prevent light-fingered folks from taking them.

On the last day of 1897 W. M. German, M.P.P., argued the Sternaman reserve case at Osgoode Hall. The court decided to hand out judgment at 11 o'clock Monday.

Theodore Durrant has again been removed to the death cell at San Quentin, Cal., prison to await the hour of his execution, which has been fixed for 10.30 a.m., Jan. 7.

Bert Wythe, an employe at the Office Specialty Company's factory at Newmarket, had his hand injured on Saturday while running a large press, and lost one of his fingers.

The Marquis of Hertford, who has been spoken of as Lord Aberdeen's successor in Canada, says he knows nothing about the Imperial Government's intentions in that connection.

The Army and Navy Clothing Company, Toronto, has been petitioned against by John Calder, Hamilton, to be wound up. The liabilities are said to be about $100,000.

Sir Adolphe Chapleau gave a dinner at Spencerwood and announced that he would retire from the Lieutenant-Governorship immediately on the close of the present session of the Quebec Legislature.

St. Joseph's Sisterhood, at Hamilton, has received 17 young ladies who formally on the last day of 1897 renounced the world's joys, and decided to give their lives to the services of humanity.

Farmer William Scrace, of York Township, who died three weeks ago, left an estate worth $20,972.45. The realty is $12,600, and personalty $7,722.41. His wife receives the income of the estate.

An action for $5,000 damage has been taken against Mr. T. Ouimet, warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, the plaintiff being an ex-convict, who claims that Mr. Ouimet did not deliver his letters.

During the year 1897, no less than 36 lives went out in the waters of the Detroit river, six of which were suicides, as against 45 during 1896, nine of which were suicides. For the past seven years the average has been 40.

The Fairfield (Glasgow) ship yards, which have hitherto held aloof from the Employers' Federation, have posted lock-out notices, which become effective on Jan. 14. Many other Scotch yards will follow suit.

Grieving and broken-hearted over the recent death of a favored son, Mrs. James M. Matthews, of 140 Breckenridge street, Detroit, while alone in her home cut her throat with her husband's razor, dying several hours before her husband and son returned.

Just before his departure from Dawson, W. E. Knowles, of Oakland, Cal., who was a passenger from Alaska on the steamship Alki, purchased claim No. 1 below Discovery, on the Bonanza, in the Klondike district, paying $250,000 in cash for it.

The cotton mill owners in the New England States have practically joined hands and will cut wages 10 to 11¼ per cent. It is believed the operators will accept the reduction and not strike. Between 85,000 and 90,000 people are affected.

Michael Snyder, of Bryson, Quebec, has been committed to jail for placing obstructions on the Pontiac & Pacific Railway line with the supposed object of wrecking an express train. As his sanity is questioned he will undergo a medical examination.

A fast trolley motor struck Richard Hand's cutter at Carleton and College crossing New Year's night in Toronto and broke his collar bone. He is also suffering from concussion of the brain. Mrs. Hand was bruised, but the son with them was unhurt.

The yacht Catania, with Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt, his doctor and guests, left for Alexandria on a three months' cruise for Mr. Vanderbilt's health. He takes with him Dr. Jean Charcot, son of the celebrated Professor Charcot, whose fee will be £20 per day.

It has been discovered at Washington, D.C., upon a careful inspection of the permit granted by the British Government for the taking of supplies into the Klondike country free of duty, that the exemption extends only to such goods as are gratuitously distributed.

Major John L. Bittinger, United States Consul at Quebec, has been at his former home, St. Joseph, Missouri, eating his Christmas dinner, and he told his friends there was a movement on foot in Quebec to secure the independence of that province, because of hatred of the English race and religious differences.

A big mining deal has been closed by which the Rigi Group Gold Mining Company, of Colorado, an English syndicate, became possessed of the Rigi, Lizzie May, Yukonian and Lulu Lodges on Battle Mountain. A cash consideration of $500,000, together with 70,000 acres of the Rigi company's stock, was paid.

Vladimir Bourtzeff, editor of the Narodnya Voletz (will of the people), and Weirzbecki, printer of that paper, were committed for trial at the Bow Street Police Court, without bail. Bourtzeff was arrested on Dec. 16 at the British Museum, and subsequently remanded at the Bow Street Police Court, charged with inciting several persons to assassinate the Czar of Russia.

A London despatch from Labuan, British Borneo, says that in connection with a British expedition against the rebel leader Matzalleh, in North Borneo, Tallen, an escaped convict, attacked with a small following and took Limbawany, a small Government station on the Palas River. Mr. Fraser, the officer in charge, had a narrow escape. He is now returning with eight police and 30 free Dyaks.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Manly Art.

You will find 25 sets of boxing gloves and striking bags at Sallsbury's, at nearly half regular prices.

Catholic Association Entertainment.

The entertainment will be held in the Catholic Literary Association rooms to-morrow evening. A first class programme has been prepared. Admission, 10 cents. All are invited.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 26 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

School Opening.

The town schools opened this morning with a good attendance. The inspector desires to remind parents that pupils who have not hitherto attended any school may be denied admittance to the primary grade after the first week of the school term.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolized by men. But the feminine nerves are still hers and she suffer from toothache To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment, Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 85c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

School Opened This Morning.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, lock boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Accident.

On Friday evening about 5 o'clock as Mr. John Young, of the gravel road, North Monaghan, was passing west on Hunter street, opposite Mulholland & Roper's bank, he slipped on the icy walk and in the struggle to keep his feet was thrown forward and fell upon his face with great violence. He was severely stunned and was carried unconscious into Madill's Drug Store. Dr. Brown was summoned and it was found that the bones of his nose were crushed by the force of the fall. He recovered so as to be removed home in a sleigh.

Court Langton, No. 344, C.O.F.

A special meeting of Court Langton, No. 344 Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held on Tuesday, January 4th, at 1.30 p.m., in the new hall, formerly Sons of Canada Hall, opposite the EXAMINER office, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. Arthur L. Rundle. Members of sister courts are invited to attend. The members are also requested to meet this (Monday) evening in the new hall for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of our late brother.

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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

To Mr. and Mrs F. W. Gladman Prior to Their Leaving Town.

At the close of the morning service in St. Andrew's church on New Year's morning the congregation remained seated and the following address was read by Dr. Bell to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gladman, who left this morning to take up their residence in Exeter:

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gladman.

DEAR FRIENDS,—It is with deep regret that we have learned of your intended departure from Peterborough. Conscious of the severe loss we shall sustain in your removal from our church fellowship we sincerely hope and pray that the path of providence which you now follow may lead to continued prosperity in temporal and spiritual life. The devotion and interest that you have manifested in the various departments of our church's work have done much to place before our young people the noble example of the powerful influence of a genuine and humble Christian manhood and womanhood, and we are assured that the church in Exeter will be decidedly advantaged by your advent, while the memory of your Christian character will be a stimulus to our workers. We therefore pray that the God of all grace may so overshadow your lives that as among us, so in the future you may both daily grew in favour with God and man. We trust, therefore, that you will accept the accompanying gift, being a slight token of the deep respect in which you are both held.

J. G. POTTER, B.A.,
Moderator of Session.
R. W. BELL, M.D.,
Chairman of the Board of Managers.
Peterborough, Ont., Jan. 1st, 1898.

The address was accompanied by a very handsome family Bible and a pair of beautiful fur gauntlets to each.

On behalf of his wife and himself Mr. Gladman briefly responded to the address, expressing his regret at severing his connection with a congregation with which he had been so long identified.

Mr. Gladman was the recipient of another address yesterday afternoon from his Sunday school class as follows:

Mr. F. W. Gladman:

DEAR TEACHER,—The members of the boys' class in St. Andrew's Sunday school, of which you have so long been the efficient, faithful and well beloved teacher, learn with deep regret of your departure from Peterborough, which means that the pleasant relations of the past as as teacher and pupils must necessarily cease. We feel that we could not allow you to depart without testifying to the high esteem in which we have learned to hold you, to bear witness to the faithful and patient interest you have taken in teaching us the truths of Holy Scripture and to thank you for all you have done, both by precept and example, to make us better and to teach us lessons of enduring value. In token of our esteem for you and of our good will, we ask your acceptance of this Book of Praise, coupled with our earnest wish for a happy New Year, as well as a long life of happiness and usefulness.

ROBERT FRAME, WILLIE GARROW,
JAMES MAUDE, WILLIAM PEACH,
JOHN PEACH, ERNEST MACFARLANE,
NORMAN BELL.

Peterborough, January 1, 1898.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladman were accompanied to the station by a large number of their friends this morning on the occasion of their departure for their new home in Exeter, where Mr. Gladman will practice law.

THE SECRETARY SURPRISED.

With a Nicely Worded Address and a Silver Paper Knife.

A pleasant surprise greeted Mr. Williamson at the Y.M.C.A. on New Year's eve, when the members of the Boys' Department presented him with a nicely-worded address, accompanied with a silver paper knife with a pearl blade, and a manicure. Mr. A. Froude, the Boy President, read the following address:

Mr Williamson, Secretary Y M C A:

Dear Sir—The member of the Boys' Branch of the Y M C A feel that they cannot let this year pass away without in some way shewing their appreciation of the interest you have taken among us, and we take this opportunity of expressing our most sincere gratitude to you.

You cordially receive our congratulations for the success you have met with in our work, and we ask that you would accept this slight token of our esteem. Wishing you a happy and prosperous new year, and many of them.

Signed on behalf of the Boys' Department,
A. FROUDE,
President.

The Secretary made an appropriate reply.

MRS. SPEERS REMEMBERED.

By the Members of Her George Street Sunday School Class.

On New Years night the members of Mrs. Wm. Speer's Bible class assembled at her residence and presented her with a handsome onyx top table, accompanied by the appended address; which was read by Mr. Wm. Roadhouse:

Mrs. Wm. Speers, Teacher of the Young Men's Bible Class of the George Street Methodist Sunday School:

DEAR TEACHER,—At this season of the year, when good cheer and well wishes are abroad, we the boys of your Bible class take occasion to express our kind feelings and loyalty to you, our teacher. You have been kind and generous and painstaking with us during our relations as teacher and pupils, and that this relation continue undisturbed is our sincere desire.

In presenting you with this table we hope that this New Years Day and many others will be happy ones for yourself and family, and may the Father and Saviour, of whom you teach, ever protect and guide you and yours. Again wishing you a happy New Year

Signed on Behalf of the class,

D. SPENCE,
Secretary.
W. J. ROADHOUSE,
Secretary.

Peterborough, Jan. 1st, 1898.

After Mrs. Speer had responded and thanked the class for their remembrance of her, the following programme was rendered:

Song, "All Hail the Power"..
Stump speeches.....
Song.....Mr Green
Song.....Mr Howden

Games were provided and several hours passed very pleasantly. During the evening refreshments were served.

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All in a Nut Shell!

While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

THE HOCKEY SEASON

BY A MATCH WITH THE BELLEVILLE TEAM.

And Run up the Big Score of 20 to 5 Against the Visitors—The First League Match is on the 14th.

The first hockey match of the season drew a fairly large crowd to the rink on Friday evening, but the fact that all the stores were open prevented as many attending as would otherwise have been present.

The visiting team from Belleville gave the local seniors a good practice, as although their combination was not as neat as that seen in the majority of games played here, yet the individual work was good, and the visitors possess a line of forwards composed of faster skaters than the Peterborough's, and if Belleville's team was in the big league they would assuredly be heard from before the season was over. With them it must certainly be merely a matter of time and practice before a combination is evolved, which will again place them at the head of the Quinte League, with which they play and at present hold the championship. Their defence has not got the work of successful interference down as fine as might be desired, and the goalkeeper's eye was a little "out," but then it was the Senior Peterborough's they were playing against and although the score of 20-5 looks big, yet the visitors should

BE WELL SATISFIED

with the work of their forwards, and it is doubtful if another team in Ontario can come here and score four goals against the Peterboroughs.

The work of the local team was closely watched by the crowd, as those who are interested in hockey matters were anxious to be in a position to form an opinion as to the chances of the Peterboroughs in regards to landing a championship this year.

Some changes in the team will certainly have to be made, but all who witnessed the game went away satisfied that the prospects were never brighter for winning the pennant. With the material of which the forward line is composed no fault can be found, although, of course, practice is needed. Davidson, Bellegham, Phelan and King gave evidence of being able to play a game which the best defence in the country will not be able to neutralize. Naturally their work was a bit off colour at times, as the four have only practiced once before this season, but the brilliant rushes and beautiful combination work, which was in evidence the greater part of the evening, were so strongly reminiscent of the time when the Peterboroughs swept everything before them, that the spectators grew most enthusiastic. Towards the latter end of the game the precision of the combination was like clock work and a Peterborough forward never went down the ice without knowing that he had a brother on either hand to pass the puck to if he got into difficulties. The shooting of all four was accurate and swift and so close did the boys follow up a shot that even if the Belleville goal man blocked successfully, he was hardly ever able to clear his goal before the forwards

WERE ON HIM

and a second shot was usually effective.

The Peterborough defence worked hard, but neither Montgomery nor Hollingshead were in shape, the former not having been on the ice before this season. A few weeks' practice, however, should make him as deserving as ever of his sobriquet of "the prince of Ontario point men." Wesson's eye seems to be as quick as ever, and he blocked some wicked looking shots well, frequently footing the Belleville forwards, when they were right on top of him, without a man to interfere with them making their shot on goal.

The teams lined up on the ice in the appended order:

Belleville.		*Peterborough.*
M Jamieson	goal	E Wesson
G Hulme	point	W J Montgomery
L Hamilton	cover point	A A Hollingshead
H Hamilton	forwards	R Davidson
H Kelso		L King
E Lang		W Phelan
B Bogart		B Bellegham
F Brintnell	umpire	W Stocker
Referee		Miles Hamilton.

THE GAME WAS STARTED

at 9.20, immediately after the arrival of the Belleville train, and both teams were cheered as they came on the ice. Phelan took the puck from the face-off and slipped it back through Lang's legs to King, who carried it up the ice with a rush, and passed to Bellegham, who scored "first blood" for the Peterboroughs. Time 1 minute.

Belleville made a quick attack on Peterborough's goal at the beginning of the second game, and Wesson was called on to stop a hard one, but he was there. Montgomery relieved and took the puck up the ice with a rush, but it was soon back in Peterborough ice again. Then Bellegham relieved and passed to King, who nearly scored. Phelan's skate coming off necessitated an intermission of ten minutes, but in just a minute after coming on the ice again, he carried the puck the length of the rink and passed to Bellegham, who notched another for Peterborough. Score, 2—0.

Kelso and Hamilton did some neat work at the beginning of the next game, and in relieving Monty got in another good rush. The visitors' forwards, however, carried the puck down the ice before he could get back to assist in defending the goal, and Kelso scored. Score, 2—1.

The Peterboroughs had not got their combination in good working order yet, but Lionel King made a nice run up the ice, and made the score 3—1 in two minutes after the face-off.

Some lightning-like passes resulted in Roger Davidson

TALLYING ANOTHER

game in less than half a minute. One rush did it. Score, 4—1.

Another rush and King shot and missed. The puck came out in front of the goal and Bellegham lammed it through. Score, 5—1.

Four minutes later Bellegham made a long run up the ice and tallied another. Score, 6—1.

Then Belleville tallied out of a scrimmage.

Phelan and Bellegham then got in some very nice combination work, and after several accurate passes "Scuddy" notched another. Time, 4 minutes. Score, 8—1.

Kelso opened the next game with a pretty but ineffective rush, and in returning Montgomery passed the puck to Davidson, who took it up the ice and scored. Time, 1 minute. Score, 8—2.

Half a minute later Bellegham scored another. Score, 9—2.

After half time the visitors started in with a rush and Lang scored in half a minute. Score, 9—3.

The Peterboroughs then got in some splendid combination work, but it was seven minutes before Phelan tallied. Score, 10—3.

Wesson made a good stop and returned to Bellegham, who, with Phelan, did some fast passing resulting in the latter again shooting effectively. Time, 1 minute. Score, 11—3.

The next game opened with another rush on the Peterborough goal, but Wesson again blocked and in another minute Bellegham made the score 12—3.

Another minute later saw Bellegham score another off a pass from Phelan. Score

SAME PLAYER

did the [illegible] more in one half minute.

[illegible] rally but it was no use. [illegible] ling worked the

The visitors then got in some fine work and Hamilton scored a goal in one minute. Score 13—4.

Kelso made a brilliant dash up the ice and before the defense could stop him he tallied another. Score, 15—5.

Three minutes later Bellegham made the score 16—5.

There was only four minutes left to play but in that time Roger Davidson scored two more goals for Peterborough and Bellegham did the same, leaving the score at the close 20—5.

No pleasanter crowd of boys struck the town than the Bellevilles and local players look forward with pleasure to the return match.

Mr. Miles Hamilton made a most satisfactory referee, having a perfect knowledge of the game and a keen eye for offsides.

Glencoe Hulme somewhat resembles Scuddy Phelan in point of avoirdupois. He makes a good point man.

In Kelso and Lang, Belleville possesses a pair of exceedingly fast skaters. If they work together more they should do grand work.

Ashe will in all probability play cover point for the senior team in the league games. Thus strengthened the defense should be a stone wall.

The members of the team are requested to meet after practice to night to select the members of the team committee and captain.

HOLIDAY HYMENEALS IN OTONABEE.

The Thorne—Graystock Nuptials on Dec. 29th.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 29th, 1897, the residence of Mr. Martin Graystock, of Graystock, Otonabee, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when his daughter, Minnie, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. Thorne, son of Mr. Thomas Thorne, South Monaghan. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed in the presence of a large number of guests, comprising principally relatives and family friends. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Rose Graystock, and the groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Thomas Thorne. There was a large array of elegant wedding gifts. The bride has been for some time time organist of St. Mark's church, Graystock, and her absence will be a distinct loss to the congregation, and Mr. Thorne was a prominent church worker. After the usual wedding banquet, Mr. and Mrs. Thorne left by the evening train for Lindsay, en route for Ops, where a comfortable home, built and furnished by Mr. Thorne, awaited the arrival of its new occupants, who are followed to their new home by the hearty congratulations and good wishes of a very wide circle of friends.

PERSONAL.

Miss Nellie McKee returned from Campbellford this morning.

Mr. Jas. Hamilton was down from Toronto for the holiday.

Mr. Wm. Irwin has removed with his family to the timber limits.

Mr. Chas. Brodigan is spending a few days in town with his mother.

Mr. Fred Ferguson is down from Toronto spending a few days with his mother.

Mr. Frank McCutcheon, of Toronto, spent New Year's in town with friends.

Mr. Albert Mercier, of Kirkfield, Ont., is home on a visit to his parents, Lake street, Asburnham.

Mr. Baker and Miss Mollie Baker of Lindsay, have been spending the last few days in town.

Mr. Bert Armstrong is home from the Northwest, and will remain in Peterborough until about Feb. 15th.

Mr. Lionel King returns to Trinity University in the morning after spending the holidays at home.

Mrs. A. Gaskins will be at home to callers, 25 Lisbon street, on the afternoon of Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 5th and 6th, from 2 to 4 p.m.

Mr. J. J. Douglass, formerly in Messrs. Hatton & Wood's law office, who has for the past six months been travelling in the Northwest, returned home last night.

Messrs. R. G. Gough of Toronto, and B. J. Gough of Lindsay, spent New Year's in town as the guests of their brother, Mr. A. J. Gough, Homewood avenue.

The Misses Dixon of Toronto, who have been spending the last week or so with Mrs. Hamilton, at the Grand Central Hotel, returned to Toronto this afternoon.

Mr. D. Buchanan, who is to leave shortly for Ascension, Paraguay, South America, as a missionary, conducted the services at the Christian Alliance Hall yesterday.

Mr. Hubert F. Brennan, of New York, mail clerk on the New York Central, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brennan, Stewart street, Ashburnham.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaesdinger, of Montreal, were up spending New Year's with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lech, Hunter street. They returned home last evening.

Mr. T. J. Johnston, reeve of Otonabee, announces himself a candidate for County Council Division, No. 1, (Otonabee,) to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. John Burnham.

Miss Winters, of Lindsay, sang Holden's arrangement of "Nearer My God to Thee," in the George street Methodist church last evening. Miss Winters is the possessor of a beautifully clear soprano voice, and ran up to A flat quite easily.

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DIED

RUNDLE—At Peterborough, on Saturday morning, January 1st, 1898, Arthur L. Rundle, aged 30 years, 9 months.

Funeral from the family residence, 215 Park street, on Tuesday, Jan. 4th, at 2 o'clock.

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Commences With The New Year.

Our Annual Unloading Sale commences with the New Year. That means that we invariably Reduce Prices to reduce the stock. Large Discounts are now made in every department. Come and see the way we undervalue our stock for the month of January.

Blank Books---for 1898.

1898—Looks odd, doesn't it? Have you written it many times? We have, in honour of the New Year—in order to get familiar with the figures. Commence practising in your new set of Account Books. We have all the different sets of Rulings in Ledgers, Journals, Cash Books, Day Books, Blotters, Bill Books, in good paper and sound bindings.

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10 copies Sunday at Home, 1896	.65
3 copies Leisure Hour, 1896	.35
3 copies Sunday at Home Xmas Edition	1.35
4 copies Leisure Hour, Xmas Edition	1.35
4 copies Girl's Own Annual, Xmas Edition	1.50

See the Miscellaneous Cloth Bound Books. The Prices will all be less than they cost.

Dolls---The Little Girl's Delight.

See the Dolls we are selling for .4
See the Dolls we are selling for .8
See the Dolls we are selling for .12
See the Dolls we are selling for .20

ALL DOLLS ¼ LESS THAN USUAL.

Games---For Long Winter Evenings.

There is great attraction in our varied stock of popular Games and Parlour Amusements. We have no reserve on any of the stock. Come and pick your popular amusement.

The New Game of BOBITY is fascinating sport. See the game and you will like it.

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100 Albums to be cleared out at ¼ off Regular Price.

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Great January Sale!

Our Great January Clearing-Up-Before-Stock-Taking Sale is now in full blast. All Winter Goods still in stock, including MILLINERY, MANTLES, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS must be closed out before inventory, on the First of February. Below are some of the Prices that will do it:—

25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.

100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.

6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.

8 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.

12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.[illegible]

100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.

6 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.

8 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.

6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.

10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.

15 Costumes at almost half price.

10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.

5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.

15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.

10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.[illegible]

25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.

25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.

100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

200 yards Tapestry Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

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20 Calendars at $1.50 each.
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All to go at Half Price.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 3, 1898.

OBITUARY.

The Demise of Arthur L. Rundle on Saturday Morning Last.

The death is announced of Mr. Arthur L. Rundle, who had been a respected resident of Peterborough for some years until the last ten months, when he left town to assume a position as accountant with the Royal Electric Light Company of Montreal. Mr. Rundle had held a position as bookkeeper in connection with the Canadian General Electric Company here for about two years and was a skilful accountant, and a very intelligent expert in his department. He came to Peterborough from Oshawa, where he had been identified with the legal profession, but a troublesome throat affection compelled him to abandon the profession. He was married to Miss Lillie Clarke, daughter of Mrs. (Rev.) Clarke, and since his removal to Montreal, his family have resided at No. 215 Park street. Some four months ago he became so seriously ill with his throat that he was taken to the Gravenhurst Sanitarium, but finding no relief there he requested to be brought home, where he died on Saturday morning. Mr. Rundle was 29 years old, and leaves a widow and two young sons to mourn his loss. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence. The deceased was a prominent member of the Canadian Order of Foresters, and the funeral will be in charge of his brethren of Court Langton, of which he was a member.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

Opening Service in St. Andrew's Church To-night—Subject "Confession and Thanksgiving."

Monday, Jan. 3—St. Andrew's (Presbyterian,) speaker, Rev. D. O. Crossley. Humiliation and Confession: For want of conformity to the mind of Christ; for disloyalty to the truth; for misuse and neglect of precious privileges; for lack of courage in witnessing for Christ.—Romans vi., 1 14; Matthew xxv., 14 30.

Thanksgiving and praise: For revealed truth; for the dispensation of the Holy Spirit; for the promises of God; for great revivals, amid persecutions, in China and other parts of the mission field—Psalm cxiv., 1-13; I. Corinthians, ii, 7-16.

Pray: That Christ's reign may extend in the hearts of all his people and throughout the world.—Isaiah lx, 1-7; Revelation xxi., 22-27.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three Boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 420 Water Street.

Almost Unbearable.

"I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable and I felt tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated and until I took *Doan's Kidney Pills* I had been unable to do my housework for over a month. These pills have made a complete cure, all my kidney and bladder troubles have disappeared and I feel like a new woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, Ont.

The mayoralty contest is being briskly waged to-day. Both candidates and their friends are working hard, and apparently a very large vote is being polled, so that the result will probably be a full and decisive expression of the popular will. The councillor contests in the various wards are exciting lively interest.

NEW YEARS AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Tasteful Decorations for the Reception —Gymnasium Classes—Basket Ball.

The handsome home of the Young Men's Christian Association was thronged all New Year's day with young men, who were in attendance at the reception, which in every respect was a decided success.

Tasteful decorations of flags and bunting added much to the attractiveness, and in the reception room an old time log fire burned brightly and its presence was much appreciated.

Messrs. R. Irwin and W. Beaton had joint charge of the work of receiving, and they were assisted by the other members of the Reception Committee.

The liberal supply of games with which the association is equipped came in for good use—checkers, of course, occupying the prominent place.

Up stairs the Ladies' Auxiliary supplied coffee and cake to all comers. Mrs. (Sheriff) Hall, the president, was in attendance all day and associated with her were the members of the Auxiliary.

The boys' programme in the gymnasium, under the efficient instructor, Mr. H. H. Buxton, drew a large number of the parents, who were delighted with the exercises. Surprise was expressed that such progress could be made during the short time the boys had been under instruction.

The exhibition given by the senior classes in the afternoon also deserves the same remark. The work on the apparatus and the dumb bell drill illustrated that gymnasium work meant physical development.

The afternoon programme was concluded by a basket ball match between the Blacks and Whites, resulting in a victory for the latter on a score of 8 to 3. The game was undoubtedly the best of the season. During the first half the Whites played the better. The Blacks made a spurt on the final, but woke up too late, the Whites failing to score in the second half. The teams lined up as follows:

Whites		*Blacks.*
H Morgan	right forward	M McDonough
S Hall	left forward	W Wilson
K Dolan	centre	R Wilson
H Conway	right back	M Brockenridge
J Sheridan	left back	H Halpin

In the evening there was a good attendance in Association Hall to witness the debate on the subject, "Resolved that the prevalent bicycle craze is detrimental to the country's business interests." Mr. A. E. Dixon, President of the Debating Club, presided in an able manner. The sides were ably sustained—affirmative, Rev. J. G. Potter and W. J. Stubbs; negative, F. H. Dobbin and A. C. McCallum. The audience was asked to decide the question and the vote stood rather even. The affirmative, however, won.

The Debating Club are to be congratulated on this their first public debate.

A feature of the reception was the introduction by the secretary of the "500" plan to boom the membership. By this those already members promise to get at least one new member each by the first of March.

In order to assist the interest each is given a triangular tag to fasten in his hat. The plan ought to be a success.

THEIR ANNUAL RECEPTION.

New Years at the Young Women's Christian Association Building.

The Y.W.C.A. parlours, gay with their Christmas decorations, presented an attractive appearance on New Year's day, when the members met for their annual reception there. Numbers of young women, many of them far from their homes, responded to the invitation that they had received, and evidently entered with zest into the amusements that had been provided. Games, recitations and music occupied the swiftly passing hours, and it was with no feigned regret when the hour for closing came that they bade good night to the kindly lady who graces the heart of this institution.

The solos of Mrs. Brodigan, Mrs. Seward, Miss Pascoe and Mr. Squires deserved the thanks and applause that they received; Miss Pascoe's selections were excellent, while Miss Roger's finished rendition of Chopin's waltzes, etc., gave much pleasure to those assembled.

The Misses Hobbs and Patterson also contributed well received solos. Mr. Geo. Schneider was the accompanist.

THE FORTHCOMING DOG SHOW.

Intending Exhibitors Urged to Make Entries Early—A Meeting of the Directors.

The attention of those wishing to enter their dogs for the forthcoming show, to be held here on Jan. 18, 19 and 20, is drawn to the fact that entries positively close on Monday, Jan. 10th. No entries on any account will be accepted after that date.

Dogs can be shown whether pedigreed or not provided they are listed, the price of listing being 25c. Full information will be cheerfully furnished by applying to Dr. Poole, V. S., Secretary, Water street.

A meeting of the directors and members is called for Thursday evening at 7.30 p.m., in the town Council Chamber. Every member is expected to be present.

How Thin You Look.

Do you like to hear it? If not, take Scott's Emulsion. 'Twill fill out your sunken eyes, hollow cheeks, and thin hands. Why not have a plump figure? Don't let disease steal a march on you.

Social Functions.

JANUARY is the month for Social Functions and Reductions in Gentlemen's High-Class Garments and Outfittings. Pleasure in one! Economy in the other!

To those whose dress misfits the occasion, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

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NOW FOR A NEW YEAR'S BOOM
—AT—
McCOMB'S GLOVE STORE.

The large Discounts I have been giving during the past four weeks on account of my heavy stock, will be still further increased during the entire month of January.

BIG CUTS WILL BE MADE ALL OVER THE STORE.

The Discounts will extend to **50 Per Cent. and over,** and while these large Discounts will come off all lines, the heaviest cuts will be made in our GLOVE Department.

$10,000 **Worth of Seasonable Winter Goods** must be turned into Cash, and I am determined that neither PRICE, QUALITY or anything else, will interfere with a speedy clearance.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Winter Underwear, Flannel Shirts, Neckwear, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Corsets and General Dry Goods and Furnishings at almost any price you like to offer. Nothing Reserved.

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NO. 138 HUNTER STREET.

WON BY 20 SHOTS.

The Thistles Will Hold the Colts Cup This Year.

Six rinks each from the Thistles and Granites were pitted against each other at the curling rink on New Years day to determine which club would hold the trophy donated by the Colts. The result was a surprise to many as it was thought the contest would be a close one, but on the contrary the Thistles won by such big odds on four of the rinks as to completely swamp the gains which the Granites made on the other two. The scores made were as appended:

Thistles.		*Granites.*
	No. 1.	
R A W Hay,		E H D Hall,
Wm Hamilton,		G M Roger,
Wm Salisbury,		D W Dumble,
Miles Hamilton, sk.	9	E B Edwards, sk. 21
	No. 2.	
W H Meredith,		R B Wood,
Geo Ames,		Geo Gieoux,
H LeBrun,		T E Bradburn,
R H Kells, sk.	13	Judge Weller, sk. 12
	No. 3.	
Jno A Cameron,		H Morrow,
C N Brown,		W D Parker,
D Davidson,		R B Davidson,
W G Ferguson, sk.	20	H M Allen, 9
	No. 4.	
Alf Terrill,		M O'Brien,
John Stanger,		C Fessenden,
E Rutherford,		H R H Kenner,
S Ray, sk.	26	J Jeffries, sk. 7
	No. 5.	
Thos Brightman,		J D Collins,
Harry Phelan,		H J Grasett,
John McClelland,		J Crane,
D Bellegham, sk.	26	T P Attrill, sk. 6
	No. 6.	
R Kerr,		Capt Eden,
J D Baptie,		Geo Giroux,
C McGill,		Geo Morrow,
T Rutherford, sk.	10	Geo Edmison, sk. 11
	105	85

Majority for Thistles, 20 shots.

A very close game was that between Skips Rutherford and Edmison. Each won 8 of the 16 ends played, and a two end was the largest score made. Skip Edmison won out by one shot.

The Thistles will now play off for the Colts' trophy, to decide which rink will hold it for the season.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A regular meeting of the Board of Education will take place at the Board Room to-morrow evening at 7.45 o'clock.

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle, Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough. dtf

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—The Water Works Company employees as well as those employed at other water powers, had a hard fight against anchor ice yesterday, but were able to overcome the difficulty.

—The repairs at the Salvation Army barracks on Simcoe street are almost completed, and the main auditorium will be re-opened on Sunday next with suitable ceremonies. A visit from the General is expected on the last day of January.

NICHOLLS' HOSPITAL.

Report for the Month Ending Dec. 31st, 1897.

The following is the report of the Nicholl's Hospital for the month ending December 31st:

No. of patients remaining in Hospital		18
" "	treated	61
" "	pay patients	24
" "	free "	16
" "	from Peterborough	23
" "	from other places	13
" "	cured	25
" "	improved	3
" "	died	2

Dr. Gray attending physician for the month.

Physicians in attendance on private patients—Drs. Halliday, King, Boucher, Ball, Carmichael, Greer, Scott, Brown and McCullough.

CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION.

The next entertainment of the fortnightly series will be held to-morrow evening.

The membership contest closes New Year's night and the result will be announced at the entertainment on Tuesday night.

The room used by the Ladies' Auxiliary has been furnished during the past week and now presents an inviting appearance.

How to be Beautiful.

To be beautiful we must have pure blood and a clear skin. Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood and makes the skin bright and clear. It cures all skin and blood diseases. Witness the following: "I had scrofula on my face for some time, and could get no relief until I tried B.B.B. One bottle healed me and left no scars. It is the greatest blood purifier in existence."

MARY C. BERRY, Toronto, Ont.

CHRISTMAS EXAMINATION.

Result of the Christmas Examination at the Convent School.

FORM IV.

Seniors, Grade "A"—M Sullivan, E Kelly, A Crowley, J Lynch, E Earle, V Donoghue, L Hallihan, M Moher, M Butler.

Grade "B"—G McFadden, A Picard, M O'Brien, T Watson, A Dessatel, A Barrette, M Kennedy, M Heenan, S Cadigan, M Sullivan, M Hurley, M Calnan.

Juniors, Grade "A"—F Hallihan, L Mahoney, I Sullivan, A Primeau, N Simons, N Coughlin, M Carveth, A de Lapiante, W Brennan, D Stephens.

Grade "B"—A Guerin, S O'Connor, M Halpin, M Meagher, M Corkery, N Ward, M Storts, L Bell.

FORM III.

Seniors, Grade "A"—M Doris, K Arsenault, H Kelly, S Morrow, C Cahill, V Clancy, C Connors, M L Quinlan, I Doris, M Hennessy, M O'Brien.

Seniors, Grade "B"—T O'Brien, M Kelly, E Drake, M Crough, L Devlin, L Stothart, C Halpin, L Ferguson.

Juniors, "A"—L Hayes, L Delaire, N Hobbins, M Hurley, J Conroy, J Storts, Z Buck, T McMahon, N Lepiante, A Kennedy, A Mahoney, L Moher, L Guerin.

Juniors, Grade "B"—F Bailey, M O'Brien, M Sullivan, I Sullivan, A Fountain, S Beauregard.

FORM II.

Seniors—Grade "A"—C Clancy, G Primeau, A McMahon, M McGrath, M Lajeunesse.

Seniors—Grade "B"—J Delaire, O Sullivan, L Pope, L Legros, (M Bogue, M O'Shea equal), (L Cooper, E Fredenburg, equal), C Murray, A Kylie, B Wyer, C Brice, A Lapiante, E Dorris, F Brennan.

Juniors—Grade "A"—M Carveth, M Geary.

Juniors—Grade "B"—L Grady, M Whaley, B Walkie, L Galvin, L Kylie, M Durocher, M McManus, F Butler, S. Potvin, A Donoghue, M Koster, L Wall.

FORM FIRST.

Part Second—Senior Grade—Mary Callaghan, Winnie O'Brien, Irene Drake, Lottie Spratt, Nellie Roban, Margaret Buck, Margaret Sullivan, Mamie Daigle, Mary Flynn, Kathleen McManus, Angela Buck, Annie Hobbins, Anna Hurley, Mary Dennis, Eva Beauvais, Eva Conroy, Cecilia Crough, Gabriel Vinette, Mabel Shannon.

Part Second—Junior Grade—Alice Sullivan, Sara Rylie, Agnes Happie, Monica Sullivan, Annie Decaire, Josephine Potvin, Mandie Bogue, Bertha O'Hara, Agnes Delaire, Eva Sullivan, M. Ellen Trombly, Dollie Trombly, Agnes Holland, Gertie Holmes, Katie O'Brien, Nettie Overend, Annie Moher, Nellie Rielly, Loretta Kelly, Mabel Morrow, M. Louise Scarborough.

Part First—Senior Grade—Annie Clancy, Ellen Brady, Olive Lapiante, Angela Devlin, Edith Talbot, Bertha Walkie, Annie Archambault, Margaret Fitzgerald, Eva Carew.

Primary Grade—Katie Hobbin, Lillian Rielly, Irene Clancy, Ladowiski LeGros, Elsie Mead.

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES.

The pastor, Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., occupied the pulpit both morning and evening. His morning subject was, "Jesus: the Light of the World," and his evening subject was "The Old and the New." Both sermons were interesting and practical and were listened to by large congregations.

On account of the funeral of Mr. J. H. Smith's child, the Sunday school met half an hour later than usual. The attendance was good. Any who do not attend the Sunday school will be welcome. It begins at 2.30.

The E. L. of C. E. meets this (Monday) evening as usual. Mr. Jas. A. Reid takes the topic.

On Tuesday afternoon the regular monthly meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the W. M. S. will be held in the church at 3 o'clock. All ladies are invited to be present.

On Tuesday evening Revs. O. C. Elliott and S. J. Shorey will conduct the service here in connection with the Week of Prayer.

Cottage prayer meeting on Friday evening at Mr. A. McCarthy's, conducted by Mr. Reid. All are cordially invited.

Linseed and Turpentine are not only popular remedies, but are also the best known to medical science for the treatment of the nervous membranes of respiratory organs. Dr. Chase compounded this valuable Syrup so as to take away the unpleasant taste of turpentine and linseed.

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

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STONY LAKE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Windfield Lesson is very poorly just now, with not much prospects of his recovery.

Mr. Thos. Hull, Henry Hughes, H. A. Lesson and David Nixon were all out to Norwood to Mrs. John Baskins' sale last Thursday.

At the annual meeting of School Section No. 9, Mr. James Robb was re-elected trustee, and Mr. Robert Brown was appointed auditor for the section.

Miss Mabel Newall, of Norwood, was visiting at her grandfather's, Christopher Crowe, for a few days last week.

Miss Adelia Richardson, of Norwood, is visiting at her cousins, Mrs. James Miles this week.

Messrs. Frank Newall and John Dodds have just finished their season's thrashing. Their machine is A 1.

The ice is still very poor on Stony Lake.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
To-day, 7 a. m.	15° above zero	
Yesterday	32°	9° below
New Year's day	15°	2°

Washing Day.

The drudgery of housekeeping for the workingman's wife comes on washing day, when there is no washing machine or wringer in the house. It's killing on women who are raising a family, especially at this season of the year when blankets and other heavy articles of the home must be cleaned for winter. Washing and wringing makes more aching arms and tired bodies than anything else a woman can do. Husbands might be a little more thoughtful. In hundreds of cases they could buy a new washer and wringer every year for what it costs to pay for doctor's bills and servants for their tired-out wives, whose health has been run down over the washboard and washtub. Take a hint, you men, and make time to see the two kinds of labour-saving washing machines made by G. Walter Green at his pump factory on Dickson's race. If you can't make time, ring up telephone No. 92, or address box 362, and have him send one over to your house.

Hacking Cough Cured.

GENTLEMEN,—My brother was troubled with a very bad hacking cough, but after using three bottles of Norway Pine Syrup he was completely cured. I cannot recommend it too highly.

MISS M. BRADSHAW,
Wesleyville, Ont.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

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A Favourite Holiday Gift For the Ladies

PERFUMERY

A most recherche Stock of Christmas Perfumery from the choicest Bouquets of English, French and American Extracts, in Ornamental Cut Glass Bottles and Handsome Perfume Cases.

Also Perfumery in Bulk. Toilet Water, Dentrifices, Complexion Soaps, Etc.

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Fine line of Imported Hair, Tooth, Nail and Cloth Brushes and other Toilet Articles very suitable for Holiday Gifts.

GOLD EYE GLASSES
GOLD SPECTACLES

Special Line for Christmas.

A pair of Gold Spectacles or Eye-Glasses make a most acceptable Christmas Gift.

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Selection of New Year's Presents will be found most attractive for Ladies who appreciate Variety and Newness.

SPECIAL.... INDUCEMENTS.

As I am anxious to dispose of all FANCY GOODS and NOVELTIES at once, the Prices will be reduced fully one-fourth.

MISS ARMSTRONG
350 GEORGE STREET

Women nowadays do not have to use a stream of water for a looking-glass. They have modern mirrors that will tell them very promptly whether their beauty is fading. A woman's beauty fades very rapidly if she is troubled with some derangement of the distinctly feminine organism. Ignorance or carelessness in this respect frequently causes great suffering and irregularity in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girlhood should be looked upon promptly and properly treated at once.

Mothers cannot be too conscientious in this respect, and cannot throw aside the prudery that is so prevalent upon this point too soon. Every young woman should know something about her own physical make-up, and the importance to her future of her local as well as general health. A woman who suffers from weaknesses peculiar to her sex will rapidly lose her beauty, her general health, her amiability and her usefulness and capability as a wife and housekeeper. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, gives sturdy health to the distinctly feminine organism and prepares it to meet the trials of wifehood and motherhood. The "Favorite Prescription" is not a cure-all. It is intended for but one class of disorders and is good for no other. Taken during the period of gestation, it makes parturition easy, and banishes the discomforts of the expectant months. All good medicine dealers sell it.

"I wish to express my thanks for the good I have received from Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription," writes Mrs. E. Scovill, of Bolton, Stephenson Co., Ills. "I have used it at different times for the last eight years. It is the best medicine for expectant mothers. I never tried it for that until my last baby. I had been very bad, almost helpless. I could not get out of bed alone, or even turn over. Last December I commenced taking the 'Favorite Prescription,' and could soon get in and out of bed as well as at any time. On March 29th I gave birth to an eleven pound boy *without pain*, and have since been as well and healthy as I ever was."

WHEAT MARKETS WEAKER.

A Steady Stream of December Wheat on Market All Day Long—Liverpool Declines.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 30.

Cash wheat in Chicago 2c lower at 94¼c. Liverpool wheat futures closed ¾d to 1d lower.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 100, corn 340, oats 402. Estimated for Friday: Wheat 115, corn 475, oats 383.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 583 cars, as against 261 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Toronto Grain and Produce.

Toronto, Dec. 30

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with the feeling easier. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.00 to $3.05, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was quiet and somewhat unsettled to-day. Sales of red winter at 82c to 82½c high freights. Spring is quoted at 82c to 83c on Midland and goose at 76c to 77c Midland. Manitoba wheat is weaker, with sales of No. 1 hard at $1.02 grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and quotations at Fort William are 90c to 91c.

BARLEY—The offerings are moderate and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west; No. 3 extra quoted at 28c. Feed sold at 25c west.

OATS—The market was easier to-day, with sales of white at 24½c west, and at 25c Midland; mixed steady at 23½c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales at 46c, north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c west, and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is unchanged. Sales were made at 44c high freights and at 45c on Midland.

CORN—The market is quiet, and prices easier, with sales west at 37c.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $8.25 to $8.50 middle freights. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

Toronto Live Stock.

The receipts of live stock at the Western Cattle Market were light to-day. Only 6 carloads came in, composed of 106 cattle, 90 sheep and 150 hogs. The market was dull for all kinds of stock excepting hogs.

Prices remain the same as quoted on Tuesday and very little business was transacted.

F. W. Ritchings of Orton, Ont., sold one load of butchers' cattle of good quality at $3.55 per cwt.

Mr. Ritchings was complaining at the price he received, stating that some of the cattle had been bought at $4.25 per cwt., for the Christmas market.

St. Lawrence Market.

Receipts of grain on the market to-day amounted to 2000 bushels. Wheat steady, 400 bushels selling as follows: White at 84c to 86c, red at 86c and goose at 78c to 78½c. Rye, 250 bushels sold at 45c to 45½c. Barley firm. 800 bushels selling at 30c to 31¼c. Oats steady at 27c to 27½c for 500 bushes. One load of peas brought 46½c per bushel.

Hay remains steady at $8 to $9 per ton for 25 loads. Straw $8 per ton for three loads.

Apples plentiful at $2 to $2.75 per barrel. Potatoes easy at 60c to 70c per bag.

Poultry plentiful and prices easier. Turkeys 7c to 9c, geese 5c to 7c, chickens 50c to 60c per pair, and ducks 50c to 70c per pair.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 7s 4¾d for March, 7s 3½d for May and 7s 0¾d for July. Maize easy at 3s 2¼d for Jan., Feb. and March and 3s 3d for May. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast very little doing, on passage easier. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, 38s 3d. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 29f for Jan. Flour quiet at 61f 40c for Jan. Weather in France wet.

Leading Wheat Market.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 94¼	$0 92⅛
New York	1 00	0 93⅞
Milwaukee	0 93½	0 91⅞
St. Louis	0 95	0 94⅞
Toledo	0 94½	0 93⅞
Detroit	0 91	0 92⅛
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 93½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 93	0 90⅛
Toronto, red	0 93	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—There were about 700 head of butchers' cattle, 25 calves and 500 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. It is probable that there never were so many common and lean stock offered on this market on one day during the last week in December as was the case to-day, and the prices of such cattle were exceedingly low, but good cattle were held at firm rates. Prime beeves sold at about 4½c per lb., pretty good stock at from 3½c to nearly 4c per lb., common dry cows at from 2½c to 3c per lb., and the leaner beasts at from 1½c to 2c per lb. A large number of the cattle will not be sold to-day. Calves sold to-day at from $2 to $10 each, anything moderately good in the veal line bringing high prices. Shippers are paying from 3½c to 3½c per lb. for good large sheep. Lambs were considerably lower in price to-day than they have been for a number of weeks past, selling at from 3½c to 4½c per lb. A mixed lot of 130 sheep and lambs in about equal numbers, which were brought from the French parishes, were sold here to-day at 3½c per lb. Fat hogs sell at about 5c per lb. for fresh hogs; a bunch just off the cars were sold at $5.10 per 100 lbs.

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SON OF THE GREAT HAVELOCK.

It is Feared He is Dead or a Prisoner in the Hands of the Zakka-Kheis.

Calcutta, Dec. 31.—Col. Sawyer, commanding the British forces at Fort Ali-Masjid, telegraphs:

"On learning that Sir Henry Havelock-Allan had left his escort yesterday and had not been seen since, a search was organized. He rode a restless horse and might have been thrown near the camp. The search, however, resulted in finding the horse stripped and shot, with Sir Henry missing. It is feared that he is dead or is a prisoner in the hands of the Zakka-Kheis. The search is being continued."

Sir Henry Havelock-Allan is the commander of the Royal Irish Regiment, and left England recently to investigate charges of cowardice and insubordination during the campaign that have been brought against the regiment. He was born in Bengal in 1830. His father was the celebrated General Sir Henry Havelock, the hero of Cawnpore and Lucknow, during the Indian mutiny. He is the first baronet, though the baronetcy was conferred on his father, who died before receiving it. He served in the Persian expedition, 1856-57, and was with his father in the campaign against the rebels in Oude. In 1880, he assumed by royal license the additional surname of Allan. From 1874 to 1881 he sat as a member of Parliament for Sunderland, but resigned the seat to assume the command of a brigade at Aldershot. In 1885 he was elected member for Durham (Southeastern Division). He married Lady Alice Moreton, daughter of the Earl Ducie.

ENGLISHMEN ON TOP.

They Have Gobbled the Alaska Commercial Company and Have Money.

San Francisco, Dec. 31.—The Chronicle says: The despatches received some weeks ago announcing the sale of the Alaska Commercial Company's properties to a London syndicate are confirmed by a prospectus of The British-American Corporation, published in London. The selling price is not given in the prospectus, but it can be surmised, approximately. The British-American Corporation is capitalized for £1,500,000, of which it offered for subscription at par 1,000,000 shares of £1 each. The new company was financed by the London & Globe Finance Corporation, of which the Marquis of Dufferin, formerly Governor-General of Canada, is chairman, and Lord Loch, late Governor of Cape Colony, and C. H. Mackintosh, Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories, are directors.

The English company will carry on the mercantile and transportation business of the Alaska Commercial Company, and will also engage in banking and mining.

SUICIDE OF M'CAIG.

He Had Been Keeping Company With a Young Lady, and Left Her a Farewell Note.

Lion's Head, Ont., Dec. 31.—A young man named Angus McCaig, in the employ of John Rouse, eighteen miles north of this place, in the township of Lindsay, shot himself yesterday. It appears the young man had been keeping company with a sister of Mrs. Rouse, who was also living there. He wrote a letter and handed it to her, commanding her not to open it until he went out to the woods, where he was working, which was only a short distance from the house. Shortly after he left Mrs. Rouse and her sister, Miss Bestford, opened and read the letter, which bade her good-bye for the last time, saying that he was going to shoot himself. The moment they were through reading it they heard the report of a rifle in the direction he was working. They at once knew what had taken place. They alarmed the neighbors, the first of whom to arrive on the scene was a man named Joseph Whitehouse, who found him lying dead, shot through the heart. He was of a morose disposition, and had on several occasions threatened to take his life. Dr. Gimby, coroner, from Wiarton, is on his way to hold an inquest.

Death in a Fire.

Southwold, Ont., Dec. 31.—Fire broke out in the farm-house of Mr. John Bole about 5 o'clock yesterday. The house was totally destroyed and his daughter Etta lost her life. Mr Bole awakened to find the house on fire. He immediately called his daughter, who slept upstairs. He started for her room, but found her lying dead and slightly burned on the floor beside her bed. She apparently had been suffocated while trying to extinguish the flames.

Lieut.-Col. Strathy's Dismissal.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—The Order-in-Council dismissing Lieut.-Col. Strathy from the Active Militia is dated Dec. 23, when it was approved by Lord Aberdeen.

D. B. McTavish has been sworn in Judge of the County of Carleton.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

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THE SUICIDE IDENTIFIED.

It Was George A. Whiting Who Shot Himself Through the Heart.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—The man who shot himself through the heart on Huntley street on Wednesday night, and whose body now lies in the Morgue, was George A. Whiting, of Thornhill, who came from Ipswich, England, about 11 years ago, and has since been farming with various employers in the vicinity of the Yonge street village. Until a few days ago he worked for Anthony Bowes, of Concord P.O., about three miles from Thornhill. He was engaged to be married in a couple of weeks to Miss Annie Chatterley, an estimable young lady of Thornhill, to whom he wrote a letter a few hours before he committed the dreadful deed, announcing his intention to do so. The cause of the young man's rash act is still somewhat of a mystery, unless his mind was for the time unbalanced owing to drink.

With Cheers for the Queen.

Bombay, Dec. 31.—The Indian National Council came to a conclusion yesterday amid much enthusiasm and cheers for the Queen and Empress.

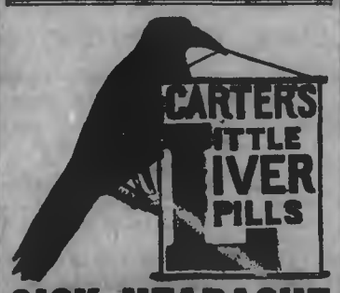
Canada's Chances Slim.

London, Dec. 31.—(Telegram Cable.)—A leading official of the War Office says Canada's chances of securing long service medals are exceedingly slim.

The report that the Admiralty has requisitioned three Canadian Pacific steamers is discredited here.

They Like the British Flag.

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Dec. 30.—Ilesha and Berehara, important Baribe towns, have been occupied by the Lagos Hausas. The inhabitants are enthusiastic over the presence of the British flag, as they feared an attack from French native troops, who are endeavoring to force themselves on the Baribe country and are devastating it.



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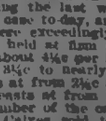

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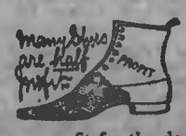

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The pickpocket stood on the corner looking very disconsolate. His coat collar was turned up, his hands were thrust down into his pockets, and his hat was tilted forward until the rim was almost level with his eyes. Silverstein, a puller in at the clothing store two doors from the corner, having held up in vain two sailors and a one armed soldier, left his post to inquire the cause of the pickpocket's woe.

"What's the matter, Hoot?" he said.

Donegan, the pickpocket, known on the row as Hoot, glanced up at Silverstein, grunted out an oath, and then letting his head fall on his breast again relapsed into silence.

"What is it, Hoot?"

Silverstein was growing curious. He had done light fingered work for some time himself and knew something of the changing conditions of a man's life when he made himself an offensive enemy of society.

"See that, Jew?" said the pickpocket, hauling a scarfpin from his vest pocket.

It was a short gold pin, topped with a huge pearl of that rare virgin pink. It seemed to be a valuable bit, and Silverstein's eyes glistened as he looked at it.

"Take it to Cooney," he said in a whisper. "He's safe."

The pickpocket laughed in mellow fashion. "Too safe," he said. Then he straightened up, threw his hat back on his head and said:

"Silverstein, in these days a man like me ain't got no license to live. That's the skill of my hand, that can almost anything from a screw-stud to scarfpin from a man without his knowing it, against the brain of a man that can make them things?"

"Are you nutty, Hoot?" inquired the puller in, edging away.

"No, Jew, no; but listen to me. You know the hotels are my grand this region down here my marke Well, I was out spotting today, and finally along comes a feller that I s up fer my meat. He was a dressy, with all color ribbons on his hand them spready soles on his shoes. had a big pink necktie on, and in it there pin was stuck. From the size is chain, I said to myself that the pin on the end of it must be a bird, but when I see that pink pearl I decide to let the watch go and make for the

"Well, he was a nervous, and I couldn't get a chance at him a long time. I followed him up Broadway and [illegible] for him outside a restaurant while he took lunch. Then he met a lady, and they took more lunch together. When he came out, the two took a hansom, and I hear him say to the driver, 'Around the park.' Well, I follow the hansom to the park, and, seeing which entrance it goes in, lay around the circle for it to come out again. Two hours I waited there, Jew, and then I see the hansom and runs off two pounds a-following it down town. My man, he leaves the lady at a house, then drives to the corner of Broadway and starts walking down slowly. Now, says I to myself, 'I've got him.' But I didn't get him. He meets a friend, and they go and play billiards for two more hours. Well, I was busting, I was so mad, but I made up my mind to stick. I see a dozen juicy chances go by, but I couldn't leave that pink pearl. My eyes watered at thinking of it and my fingers itched for it. By and by my man comes out, and he and his friend go in a saloon, one of them places where you stand up at a sideboard. I followed and just as my man lifts a glass up to drink I push against his friend. The friend pushes against him, and he turns around. I was waiting, of course, and next minute the pearl was mine. It was a long chance, Jew, but you know a feller'll take them once in awhile. When the guy turns around, I was chewing a sandwich from the counter and bawling to the waiter for a check.

"Well, the guy misses the pin. Damn me if I know what put him on. You know I don't mess a job like that, Jew. My heart was a-going hard, Jew, but I almost falls over when I see him put his hand up to the tie, feel around and then, instead of hollering murder, police, watch and a dozen other things, just grin and say to his friend, 'Some sucker's got a gold brick.'

"There was me with the pin in me palm all ready to drop it in the salad on the counter. When he don't make a holler, though, I makes her back in my pocket and in two minutes am on the way down to Cooney.

"I saw easy times and no chances fer a couple of weeks on the strength of that pearl, Jew, and when I tossed it over to Cooney I said, 'Give me $250, a quarter value.' Cooney whistles at the pin and picks it up. Then he begin to look queer. Finally he dips the pearl in a glass of water and, picking up a knife, s'help me, goes a peeling off that pink color. 'Cooney,' I yell, 'what are you doing?' 'Fish glue,' says Cooney. And he throws the pin back.

"Well, it was one of them fish glue pearls. You've seen 'em—just a bit of glass painted over with fish glue, just ringers for the real thing, but worth about 50 cents. I walks out of Cooney's in a trance. I comes over here, and I ain't moved fer an hour. Think of it, Jew, think of it, all day and a long chance fer that thing! Take it and give it to yer gal the next time you go up to Jones' woods. S'help me, if I ever find that guy I touched fer that I'll pick a fight with him and lick him. Goodby: I'm going home and get some rest. Chasing hansoms is hard work." And the pickpocket strolled down a side street the picture of melancholy.—New York Sun.

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After God had made man, the devil regarded this new creation with a great deal of interest and admiration and was filled with an ambition to do something of that kind himself. He therefore studied the form and features of the human being which had been recently placed upon the earth, and set to work with great earnestness to make a living creature which should, as nearly as possible, resemble a man, but he did not try to make his work quite as large as his model, wisely thinking he would better begin with something on a smaller scale. The result of his labors was the monkey.

This animal was a good deal like a man, but he failed in some important particulars to resemble the original. One of those was his inability to speak, and the devil tried to remedy this fault, but found it impossible. He also discovered that his little man did not possess the intelligence of the larger being he had tried to imitate, and disgusted with the impossibility of making his monkey speak or of impressing upon his mind that he should act as a reasonable being, he gave up the attempt in despair, and in order to compensate the creature he had made for the great failures in his construction, he gave him a tail. This would not enable him to speak, nor would it bestow upon him the intelligence he should have, but it would be a very great help to him in getting through life, and this the little burlesque of man as doubtless found to be true.—Youth's Companion.

He Benefited Humanity.

There is an oriental story of two brothers, Ahmed and Omar. Both wished to perform a deed whose memory should not fail, but which might sound their name and praises. Omar, with wedge and rope, lifted an obelisk on its base, carving its form in beautiful devices and sculpturing many a strange inscription on its sides. He set it in the hot desert to cope with its gales. Ahmed, with deeper wisdom and truer though sadder heart, digged a well to cheer the sandy waste and planted about it tall date palms to make cool shade for the thirsty pilgrim and to shake down fruits for his hunger.—Jewish Messenger.

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Was writ with the point of a sword.

Ink's all very well in its way,
But I don't want ink any more.
The book that I want is one that's been writ
With grewsomely gurgling gore.

And, while I am fond of my sleep,
My nods and my naps I'll forsake
For the tale that is warranted night after night
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—Harper's Bazar.

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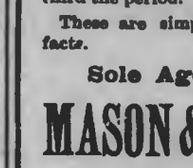

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PAT AND THE ADMIRAL.

A Smoke Which Did Not Get the Laborer Into Trouble.

A strict rule promulgated by every successive commandant at the navy yard prohibits smoking on Mare island under the most stringent penalties. Admiral Miller, sauntering one afternoon through a distant part of the island, came upon an Irish laborer digging a trench and smoking a short black pipe. He was puffing away serenely, unconscious of regulations and with evident enjoyment. The admiral, who was in undress uniform, stopped.

"Don't you know, sir, that smoking is absolutely prohibited in the navy yard?" he said.

The Irishman looked up and, with a kindly smile, answered:

"Indade that's thrue, but here am I be mesilf, wid not a sowl to say a wurrud to, and I thought I'd take a puff or two to relave the silence."

"The regulations are explicit, sir," rebuked the admiral, "and the silence does not excuse you. What's your name, sir?"

"And who may ye be anyway?" asked the Irishman.

"I'm Admiral Miller, sir."

"Ah, 'tis the new admiral ye are. 'Tis the fat job ye have, admiral. Be careful to kape it. Me name's Pat McGinnis."

"Report at my office this afternoon without fail, McGinnis," said Miller, who could hardly keep from laughing. At 5 o'clock poor Patrick, who had made up his mind there would be the devil to pay, tramped over to headquarters, and the orderly ushered him into the dreaded presence of the admiral, who said:

"Sit down, Pat."

Pat sat down. Miller touched a bell. The orderly appeared.

"Bring a bottle of champagne and two glasses," he said.

Not a word was spoken until the wine arrived. The admiral filled the two glasses and pushed one over toward the Irishman.

"Pat," he said, "give me the pipe. You'll not need it again."

The mystified laborer obeyed.

"Now," said the admiral, "drink hearty, Pat, but you'll keep your job as long as I keep mine."

Nor is this the first situation saved by Irish wit.—San Francisco Wave.

Rivera Chained.

Barcelona, Jan. 3.—Gen. Ruis Rivera, the well-known insurgent leader, who was captured, badly wounded, in the Province of Pinar del Rio, by the Spanish troops under Gen. Velasco, on March 29, who was condemned to death and subsequently apparently pardoned, has arrived here and was conducted on foot and in chains to Montjuich fortress, between lines of soldiers and mounted gendarmes. Gen. Rivera was calm, but he protested against being chained. No one was allowed to speak to him. There was a big crowd of people in the vicinity, but there was no manifestation.

His Neck Was Broken.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 3.—William Leggatt, foreman of Hunt & Colter's livery, was Saturday afternoon driving their large double carriage with passengers from the G.T.R. Market street station. After leaving the passengers at their destination and on his return toward the stables, the horses became unmanageable and ran away. Turning the corner of Alfred and Nelson streets, the carriage was upset. Leggatt was thrown to the ground and his neck broken.

Killed at a Watch-Night.

New York, Jan. 3.—Justice Cordo objected to the noise made by a watch-night party in the same house in which he lived in West Orange, N.J. In a quarrel that followed, Cordo stabbed Peter Christiano through the heart with a stiletto.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home. It will relieve and cure a world of trouble.

DIDN'T WANT THE HOPS.

The Grower Evidently Knew a Good Thing When He Saw It.

This hop story is "too good to keep," and it is true to the letter. A few years ago a Burlington hop grower came into the office of our neighbor, A. Lane, with a sample of his hops, just harvested and baled. He asked if he was buying hops. Yes, he was. The sample was then shown and the question asked what would he give for them.

"They are so poor," said Mr. Lane, "that I can make you no offer for them."

"I know they are a little off color," said the grower. "But certainly you can pay something for them. Make me an offer."

"No, I really cannot. There is no market for such hops."

"Can't you give me 10 cents for them?"

"I cannot."

"Well, that's rather tough. But you can tell me what I better do with the hops."

"My advice to you is this: Do not show that sample to any one else. It will give your hops a bad name. But go home, keep quiet about them, and the first buyer that comes along and makes you an offer, don't talk about the hops, but take him up at once."

It was about this time that Mr. Lane had employed a new and rather inexperienced man, who, however, was a hop grower, to go out and buy him 100 bales of "really choice hops" at not over 16 cents.

A few days later the Burlington grower drove up to the Iron Clad on a load of hops and shouted out, "I say, Mr. Lane, where will you have these hops taken?"

"What hops—not those you offered to sell me?"

"Surtin sure, squire, the same hops."

"But I did not buy them?"

"True, but your agent did, and I supposed there must have been a pretty big rise in a few days."

"Take them down to our storehouse and come in for your money."

This was done, and then Mr. Lane said to his Burlington customer: "Here is your check. I have done you a favor, and now I will give you the opportunity to do me one."

"What is it? I'd like to accommodate you if I can."

"It is this: You draw the money on this check, deposit it to your credit, give me your check for half the money and then draw your hops away and sell them to some one else—perhaps for 10 cents."

"Thank you, squire. But I believe I don't want to buy those hops."—Coopers-town Journal.

The Railroad Worm.

The railroad worm has done a vast deal of damage to the apple crop. It is often mentioned, but rarely described, and many people are not aware what this mischievous creature is or of what his work consists. Some day they may pick up an apple, beautiful, smooth and bright on the outside. It is cut open, and numerous dark lines appear in it. These are what may be called underground channels of this pest. It would seem that "tunnel worm" would be a better name for it, as its progress is a series of chambers burrowed through the best part of the apple, sometimes going around and around the core and often approaching the outside, but only occasionally touching the skin. It is almost impossible to find any amount of good in some of the specimens examined, the whole space between core and skin being traversed by the worm.—New York Ledger.

Not Hampered.

"Would you be mean enough to give a bad piece of money to a blind man?"

"Of course. He can pass it off with a better conscience than I can."—Chicago Record.

The wall of Severus, separating England from Scotland, was 36 miles long and protected by 21 forts. It was 20 feet high and 24 feet thick, and to the north was protected by a moat 40 feet wide and 20 feet deep.

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GOOD-WILL IN EUROPE.

Honors Conferred by the Queen, Formal Receptions and International Greetings Marked the Holiday.

London, Jan. 3.—The New Year honors are an Earldom for Baron Halsbury, the Lord Chancellor; peerages for Sir William Wallace Hozier, the well-known Lanarkshire Baronet, and Sir Horace Brand Townsend-Farquhar, member of Parliament for West Marylebone; baronetcies for Sir Saul Samuel, the agent-general of New South Wales in London; and Sir Frederick Wigan, senior partner of the firm of Wigan & Company, and Mr. John William MacLure, member of Parliament for Southeast Lancashire; knighthood for Hon. G.W. Burton, Chief Justice of Ontario, and the British Commissioner to the World's Fair was made a C.M.G.

The persons honored with the order of Companion of the Bath include Prof. Darcy Thompson, the seal expert of the British Foreign Office. Mr. J. McLeavy Brown, the British consular agent at Seoul, is made a C.M.G.

Mr. Thomas J. Lipton, the millionaire provision merchant, receives a knighthood.

The Czar and the French People.

Paris, Jan. 3.—The Czar, in his own name and in the name of the Czarina, has sent President Faure an effusive telegram expressing his sincere good wishes for the President and their friendship for France. President Faure replied that the words of their Imperial Majesties "touched the hearts of all Frenchmen."

The official New Year's receptions were held at the Elysee Palace with the customary ceremonies. President Faure, at the New Year's reception of the Ambassadors, replying to their congratulations, said: "Faithful to the principle which has constantly guided the Government of the republic, France will not be wanting in the task she has set herself in the work of civilization and peace. The results obtained in 1897 were not such as to discourage our efforts and hopes."

No Division of Austro-Hungary.

Buda Pest, Jan. 3.—Baron Banffy, the Hungarian Premier, received the Liberals of the Diet on New Year's day, according to custom. He said their recent experiences had taught Hungary that she must not dissolve the present alliance with Austria, though, of course, there might be bounds to Hungary's desire for its maintenance. Recent events in the Diet, he claimed, were entirely unjustified, shook parliamentarism to its foundations and violated its principles. Continuing, the Premier remarked that no words were strong enough in expression or sufficiently energetic to condemn those proceedings. But he believed that, with the help of the King, the Liberal party would be able to find a way out of the difficulties.

Presents for the Pope.

Rome, Jan. 3.—The Pope officiated at the sixtieth anniversary of his first mass on Saturday, celebrating his own "diamond" mass in the presence of 3,000 delegates of Catholic societies. His Holiness had a most radiant face, and it was evident that he was enjoying excellent health. He received hundreds of rich presents. Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary sent him 50,000 florins in gold, a gold casket, and the Queen Regent of Spain sent a massive gold and jewelled goblet. His gift from the United States was a diamond cross. President Faure, of France, sent six Sevres vases, and the present from the Sultan of Turkey was a superb diamond ring.

Italy's Happy Condition.

Rome, Jan. 3.—The royal family of Italy held the usual reception at New Year's. King Humbert, replying to the address of the Senate, said the year opened for Italy under happy and peaceful auspices. Replying to the Deputies, his Majesty appealed to them not to delay the work of Parliament.

Emperor William at Church.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—As usual on New Year's day, there was a religious service in the chapel of the castle. It was attended by the Emperor, the Empress and the ex-Empress Frederick.

CAPT. NEELON DEAD.

The Well-Known Contractor Died in Toronto on Old Year's Day—Personal and Political Career.

Toronto, Jan. 3.—While visiting at the house of a friend in the western part of the city Capt. Sylvester Neelon, best known in Toronto as a member of the firm of Elliott & Neelon, contractors for the masonry work at the new municipal buildings, died suddenly of apoplexy on the last day of 1897. The body was taken to St. Catharines for burial.

The captain, who was 74 years of age, had lived in St. Catharines for half a century, and was prominently engaged in extensive milling and timber business. He built the large Empire flour mills there, which are now occupied by the Packard Electric Co. He was president, up to the time of his death, of the Niagara Central Railway Company, and it was through his work that the road was built.

TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.60 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.20 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.10 a. m. and 12.55 p. m
Arrive	8.60 a. m. and 5.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal		6 10 p.m.	11.35 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock		7.10 a m.	7.55 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston		4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
	WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago		11.35 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate		7.55 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago		11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest		11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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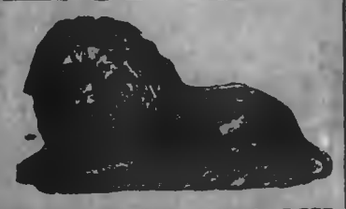

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MOURNING IN LONDON

Twenty-Eight of Her Citizens Go Down to Sudden Death

THROUGH THE CITY HALL FLOOR

Which Breaks Beneath an Election Crowd—A Safe and a Steam Coil Fall on Top of the Helpless Mass of Humanity—The Dead and Injured.

List of the Dead.

BECKETT, CRAWFORD.
BORLAND, J. W.
BRUCE, OSWALD.
BURKE, L. W.
BURRIDGE, JOHN.
CARROTHERS, NOBLE.
DELL, WM. H.
HARRIS, JAMES.
HARRISON, STEWART.
HAYNES, JAMES.
HEAMAN, FRED.
JACQUES, BENJAMIN.
LEIGH, R. S.
LUXTON, EDWARD.
LYONS, MOSES.
M'ROBERTS ——.
MACLEAN, a boy.
NASH, B. J.
PHILLIPS, A. E.
ROBINSON, FRANK.
SMITH, W. T.
TALBOT, WILLIAM EDWARD.
TURNER, JOHN.
WILLIAMS, STEVE.

London, Ont., Jan. 4.—The greatest catastrophe that has taken place in this vicinity since the Victoria disaster of 1881 occurred last evening in the midst of the jubilation that followed the municipal election. The returns were late in coming in, and it was forty minutes past 8 when the Mayor and Aldermen-elect and their supporters thronged into the City Hall, which was filled to its utmost limit. A dozen speakers had addressed the enthusiastic crowd, and Mr. R. M. C. Toothe was about to go on the platform when there were loud cries for Alderman Parnell.

Crash Went the Platform.

In the confusion that followed Mr. Toothe pressed forward and without a moment's warning the platform on which the Mayor and his retinue were seated swayed forward slightly. There was a crash of falling timbers, a horrible shrieking, and for a moment all was still. A space 20 feet square had given away, and the 200 people crowded upon it had been dropped through 20 feet of space into the next floor, where the Mayor's office is situated. The weight of the falling crowd bore through the floor of the Mayor's office, and many were precipitated to the cellar. It was from the cellar that most of the dead were taken. In one corner of the City Hall was standing a large safe. This went smashing down, carrying with it death. A huge steam coil, weighing half a ton, crashed down into the ruins. With the first premonition of disaster there was a wild rush for the doors. The weak were trampled down by the strong in the mad struggle for safety. Many were crushed to the floor and trampled upon by the crowd.

Within 20 seconds from the fall of the floor the hall was emptied. The policemen on duty had guarded the entrances were present, and only half a dozen of venturesome souls peered down the abyss from the floor above. Down in that death pit men were shouting and struggling to free themselves from the wreck. From underneath the heavy beams came groans of despair. For the moment everyone fought for their own preservation. Those who could scrambled up the broken walls to the floor from which they had fallen. A hurry call was sent to the fire, police and ambulance stations, and within five minutes some semblance of order was brought to the work of rescue. Ladders were lowered into the pit, and large plate-glass windows broken in, and the work of removing the injured actively begun.

In the midst of the panic Ald. Carrothers, who was upon the platform when it gave way, rose and shouted for quiet. With his strong arms he seized several of the struggling men, whose efforts to free themselves were bringing only danger to others, and, although bleeding from several wounds, did his best to stay the panic in the path of destruction.

All this time the huge safe was crushing out the life of the unfortunates who were pinned under it. Ropes were lowered, and a score of men raised it sufficiently to enable the rescuers to drag out the mained. The committee room of the opposing candidates, deserted, of course, on the evening of defeat, was utilized as a temporary morgue. A drug store opposite was converted into an infirmary, and every building within the block was taken up with the accommodation of the injured.

The cause of the accident was the giving way of a beam running north and south directly under the small platform upon which the speakers of the evening were gathered. When this beam fell the platform, with a space of some 400 square feet, was left without support. The beam which gave way seemed to have literally rotted from its place. Within 10 minutes after the accident the news had spread throughout the city, and crowds besieged the City Hall, women tearfully seeking for husbands and brothers, and, as the list of dead grew in size, the whole town was plunged in gloom. A procession which had been hastily arranged in honor of the victory was turned into an army of workers to aid in the rescue.

In remodelling the hall, a supporting wall underneath the part where the accident occurred was removed, which was the immediate cause of the disaster.

Dr. Wilson, the Mayor-elect, narrowly escaped. He was thrown off the platform onto the floor, and escaped with some bruises and cuts.

Nothing whatever of a definite character can be earned to-night as to the condition of the wounded. The estimate runs from 150 to 200. The injuries include fractured limbs and bones and bruises of all kinds. The hospitals are too busily engaged attending to the wounded to answer questions, and no idea can be had of the number who were taken to their homes.

The Injured.

The injured are:

W. Blake, Horton street, badly bruised; Jacob Harris, Horton street, slightly injured; John Whittaker, 551 King street, slightly injured; Henry Whittaker, of the New York Mail and Express, slightly injured. Mr. Whittaker was visiting the city and went to the hall with his brother John. He fell with the rest but was only scratched. Henry Brann, English street, eye badly cut; James Herriott, G.T.R. car shops office, injuries slight; A. E. Burwell, Oxford street, legs bruised; Walter Beecher, face cut; Thomas Lang, 797 King street, face cut and teeth knocked out; John Macpherson, 672 Maitland street, scalp wounds; W. Taylor, Queen's avenue, scalp wound; Leonard Towe, son of Edward Towe, insurance agent, badly hurt; a 15-year-old son of Mr. John Sussex, blacksmith, head crushed; Wm. Ellwood, 742 Richmond street, chest hurt; Charles Kidner, Morkin House, right leg sprained and back hurt; William Gray, President Conservative Club, hurt about nose and head; John Bartlett, 370 Grey street, legs bruised and back hurt; D. Sweeney, 293 South street, left arm and ribs broken; G. W. Yates, Ontario street, arm broken; Ald. Carrothers, slightly hurt; Ald. Taylor, badly cut in face; George McNeill, jr., slightly scratched; George Brett, Colborne street north, severely cut in wrist and head; Edmund Grant, son of Assessment Commissioner Grant, knee hurt; Fred. Mountjoy, lives over Clark's bridge, badly bruised, not serious; Richard Graham, 349 Burwell street, bruised leg; D. C. McNaughton, 52 Dufferin avenue, left leg broken; Wm. Fox, teamster, Hamilton road, hurt internally; Joseph Murray, 72 Mount Pleasant street, badly bruised, hurt internally; Sidney Glendenning, 143 Oxford street, left leg broken; Ed. Marshall, 882 Queen's avenue, right arm broken, head cut; William Mackenzie, one bone broken in the left arm; John Thompson, 943 Colborne street, head cut and other injuries; Leigh McBride, 167 Hamilton road, aged 17, head cut; Thomas Robinson, Hill street, head cut and bruised; Albert Joyce, 81 Grey street, chest smashed in; William Stone, St. James street, badly injured internally; Gordon McKay, son of the late Hugh McKay, slightly injured; a son of Mr. John Mattinson, of the London Drug Company, broken arm; S. S. Casey, St. James street, legs bruised; Walter Ellis, Alexander street, London, hurt in back and loins; James Dean, city weigh scales clerk, badly cut under chin and on side.

A reporter visited the City Hospital at 1 o'clock and secured the following list of injured people:

Thomas Scofield, Salvation Army Barracks, internal injuries; Moses Miner, 335 Hill street, spine hurt, possibly fatally hurt; Edward A. Marshall, right arm fractured in two places; Reginald Johnson, 23 Palace street, internal injuries; Wesley Baker, lives near waterworks, legs broken above the knee; Thomas Bartram, 14 Horton street, injuries to back; James Dean, weigh scales clerk, hurt on side and cut under chin; William Joyce, general shaking up.

At St. Joseph's Hospital:

John Arbuckle, Quebec street, shaken up and badly bruised; Michael Monkin, George street, fractured arm.

THE PEOPLE'S WILL.

Special Votes on Municipal Questions Throughout the Province—Toronto and Tax Exemptions.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Yesterday the people of this city voted in favor of the abolition of all exemptions from municipal taxation by a majority of 6,031.

Lucknow, Ont., Jan. 4.—Vote on by-law to establish a House of Refuge in Bruce County resulted in almost unanimous vote in favor of the bylaw.

Galt, Jan. 4.—Four municipal by-laws were voted on here yesterday, every one of which was defeated by substantial majorities, viz.: To raise $7,000 for market extension, defeated by 210; to raise $3,000 for new fire hall, defeated by 15; to raise $3,000 for hospital sewer, defeated by 139; to raise $1,800 for electric fire alarm, defeated by 98.

Walkerton, Ont., Jan. 4.—A vote was held yesterday to establish a County House of Refuge. The result in Walkerton was a majority for the house.

Teeswater, Jan. 4.—Voting on House of Refuge for the county in Teeswater resulted in 151 for and 2 against.

Kincardine, Ont., Jan. 4.—The vote for the County House of Relief was carried in this town by 411 to 11.

Owen Sound, Jan. 4.—The bylaw to make the Mechanics' Institute a free library was defeated by a large majority.

Bowmanville, Jan. 4.—For cows to run 181, against cows to run 298, majority 117. For fire engine bylaw 188, against 91, majority 97.

Tilsonburg, Jan. 4.—Bylaw to furnish Town Hall carried. Bylaw to purchase driving park defeated.

Welland, Jan. 4.—A bylaw to raise $3,200 for engine building for waterworks, electric fire alarm, etc., was carried by 70 to 16.

Brampton, Jan. 4.—The good roads bylaw for $10,000 was defeated by a very large majority.

Sarnia, Jan. 4.—The waterworks bylaw was carried by a large majority.

VISIT TO MONTREAL.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Louis Davies in the City.

OBJECT OF VISIT NOT POLITICS.

The Pope's Encyclical to be Read in All the Pulpits Next Sunday—To be Translated Into French and English—Archbishop Bruchesi on the Church's Position.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Louis Davies, who came down from Ottawa, returned yesterday morning. Speaking of their visit, the Patrie says: "The object of the visit of Sir Wilfrid and Sir Louis was not politics. Whatever it may have been, we are certain of two things: Sir Joseph A. Chapleau will not go to Washington, and Mr. Tarte will not go to Paris. As to the appointment of the coming Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, we have no doubt it will be made without much delay. We have no doubt but that the announcement of Sir J. A. Chapleau's successor will be received with as much enthusiasm as have been all the political acts of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his Government."

The Pope's Encyclical.

The official copy of the Pope's encyclical on the Manitoba school question has arrived, and will probably be promulgated from every Roman Catholic pulpit in the Dominion on Sunday next. It will be translated into English and French at once, and copies will then be sent by the bishops of the Canadian dioceses to their respective parish priests. If it is found impossible for any of these copies to reach their destination by Sunday next, then the encyclical will not be promulgated until the Sunday following. Referring to the contents of the bull, Archbishop Bruchesi said that the church's position relative to the education of the young was carefully defined therein. The encyclical practically confirmed the stand taken by the bishops some time ago, and went so far as to demand Catholic schools, Catholic text-books, Catholic teachers and Catholic oversight for the children of Roman Catholics in Manitoba. His Grace deeply deplored the fact that the question had become a political one. He thought that if Canadians would leave politics aside, and look at the question from the standpoint of justice and right, the controversy would quickly be settled. The encyclical will be here to-morrow in connection with the anniversary service for the late Archbishop Fabre, and it is possible that they will issue a collective letter as to the best way of reaching the end advocated.

ENEMIES AT KHYBER PASS

Have Fired on the Oxfordshire Regiment and Have Killed and Wounded British Officers and Men.

Calcutta, Jan. 4.—The Zakka-Khels have blocked the road from Ali Musjid to Lundi Kotal, preventing the establishment of communication with General Sir William Lockhart. The enemy is very active and has fired on the Oxfordshire regiment, which is engaged in convoy duty at Khyber Pass, wounding Col. Plowden and Lieut. Owen. Some of the men, being hampered by the task of removing the wounded, had difficulty in gaining shelter. Three men were killed and twelve, including Captain Parr, were wounded in subsequent fighting. Finally they were joined by another company and retired into the walled inclosure where they are awaiting reinforcements.

Reindeer and Laps for the Yukon.

London, Jan. 4.—The steamship companies here are now much interested in the presence in England of the Rev. Sheldon Jackson, D.D., and Lieutenant D. B. Devore, Military Secretary of the United States Secretary for War, who have arrived in England as special agents of the United States Government to hire a ship with which to convey reindeer and Laplanders to New York to be used for forwarding supplies to the miners in the Yukon Valley. Several ships have been offered to them on reasonable terms, the companies desiring the incidental advertisement. No selection, however, has yet been made. Dr. Jackson will start for Lapland to-morrow.

American Cotton for Japan.

London, Jan. 4.—The Pall Mall Gazette, commenting upon the increase of American cotton shipments to Japan, says: "The special interest for us lies in the injury to Indian cotton growers. If the American staple continues cheap and the American takings increase, it is more than possible that ere long America will also ship to China."

German S.S. Co. Out for Business.

Hamburg, Jan. 4.—In view of the prospect for business in the far East, the Hamburg-American Line will establish a regular monthly service between this port and Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Yokohama and Hiogo, commencing on Jan. 25.

Matters on the Nile.

Cairo, Jan. 4.—The British gunboats made a reconnaissance past Shendy and Metemmeh, the dervish posts between Berber and Khartoum, on Saturday last. The dervishes kept up a smart fire from both banks of the Nile. The gunboat proceeded twenty miles south and captured a number of boats laden with grain.

All Due to the Dervishes.

London, Jan. 4.—It is semi-officially announced in this city that the movements of British troops in Egypt are entirely due to the news of the threatened northerly advance of the dervishes, and that they do not imply an immediate advance in the direction of Khartoum.

Weyler is Defiant.

London, Jan. 4.—A special despatch from Madrid says: "General Weyler has defied the Government to take proceedings against him. As he is a Senator, a special vote is necessary to deprive him of immunity from prosecution, and the Cabinet is embarrassed, as the army appears to side with Weyler in his attacks on the United States."

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—How Relieved.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—"I have had a good opportunity of noting the great medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My wife has been a sufferer from catarrh for the past four years, and the disease had gone so far that the bones of the nose had become affected and particles had come away through an opening in the left side. Her eyesight was also affected to the extent that for nearly a year she was unable to read for more than five minutes at a time. She suffered

Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURSIER.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy any substitute. Be sure to get Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1898.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

It is now a long time since a municipal election contest was more actively run than that which took place yesterday. This applies especially to the mayoralty contest which resulted in the election of Mr. A. L. Davis by the decided majority of 557. The contest for the position of chief magistrate of the town excited considerable interest for some time before the date of the election. For weeks it was evident that there was a popular desire for a contest for the mayoralty. It was evident that the attitude of Mayor Yelland in respect to the relations of a citizen to the occupancy of the mayor's chair was not in accord with popular feeling on the subject and the undercurrent was perceptible to any who chose to pay attention to the drift of public opinion. It was evident that public opinion did not sympathize with the idea of any citizen having anything like a proprietary claim upon the mayoralty. There seemed on the other hand to be a general desire for a candidate upon whom the people from all points of view could generally unite. Mr. Davis entered the field, and his candidature seemed to find favour with the people; he appeared to be regarded as a man who inspired confidence, and one with whom the interests of the town would be safe. The result is the voice of the people. They have had both candidates before them, and they have made their selection with no doubtful emphasis. Mr. Davis has reason to feel proud that he has achieved so signal a success against a gentleman who has twice demonstrated that he was a strong candidate. His very success, however, adds to the gravity of his responsibility. The greater the confidence reposed in a public servant, the more is expected from him. Mr. Davis now has his opportunity, and there is every reason to believe that the council will heartily co-operate with him to give effect to the good civic government that is expected at his hands—that he will wield his power wisely and in the best interests of the town, with the advancement of those interests as his sole motive of action.

Mr. Yelland's reverse has its compensation. He has had the honour of enjoying for two terms the highest civic office in the gift of the people, and the present verdict is not to be regarded so much as a condemnation of his record in the past, which has not been unattended with much that merits approval, but as the expression of the idea that the confidence of the people is a gift to be freely bestowed and not claimed as a right.

As to the council there is not very much change. In No. 2 Ward only is there actually new blood, the two other new members, having served in previous councils, Messrs. William White and W. Langford in Nos. 1 and 4 Wards respectively, being new to the council this year. Messrs. Hamilton and Allan developed a large popularity. Though they polled a very large vote they have yet their spurs to win as representatives.

Several members of the new council are receiving congratulations on their success in heading the poll. In No. 1 Ward Mr. Wm. White had that honour in a vote the largest ever polled in the ward at a municipal contest. In No. 2 Ward Mr. T. E. Hamilton got in first under the wire by twelve lengths. In No. 3 Mr. J. B. McWilliams had the pleasure of having his past year's record endorsed by being placed at the head of the list, over forty votes ahead of the closest competitor. In No. 4 the honour is divided between Messrs. Wm. Langford and J. M. White. In the case of these gentlemen the old Scripture principles is applicable "to whom much is given of the same much is required." They are called to live up to the responsibility which the public estimate of their fitness for the position has imposed.

Mr. LePlante's defeat in No. 1 Ward was unexpected by the large number who looked upon him as a citizen having a large stake in the town, one who had made a good, careful representative, exercising good judgment and by virtue of his past record deserving of re-election. On the whole the new council should be a progressive one, to whom the people will look to manage their affairs not only economically, but in a spirit worthy of the town, of what its natural advantages and commercial importance demand. The function of a council is not merely to administer. A lot of bright school boys could levy and collect taxes and expend them in building walks at so much a rod, but it takes a wise council to initiate matters tending to the benefit of the town at large. Our commercial prosperity is to be promoted by every legitimate means. Manufacturing interests are to be promoted and new industries to be established, and in these matters the utmost care and prudence are to be exercised. While it is desirable that our industries should be increased, this must be done only in the interests of the people. Favours to any new industry that do not involve a first consideration of the interests of the people are mistaken favours. The interests of the people should be the first consideration of the council in all cases. And we have a council this year that should easily be able to accomplish this. It only needs that the good of the town, as a whole, should come first, every other interest being a subordinate consideration.

COUNTY COUNCIL BYE-ELECTION

Mr. E. Hawthorne is to be congratulated upon having been successful in the bye-election to fill the vacancy in the county council caused by the death of Mr. John Moloney, one of the representatives of No. 5, Lakefield Division. Mr. Hawthorne is to be further congratulated upon winning success in the face of the strong opposition he had to contend with in the persons of Mr. William Leeson and Mr. Richard Crowe, the other candidates. Mr. Hawthorne should make a good representative. He has both ability and experience and doubtless the will to serve the Division and the County faithfully and effectively and to the satisfaction of his constituents.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

MR. ST. JOHN as a piggery issue propagandist was ridiculous, but as a piggery issue martyr is too ridiculous for anything.

IN the whole twenty-five years of the Liberal Government, the Opposition have now only three charges of alleged scandal to press—an average of three-twenty-fifths of a scandal per year, and all of these charges are as effectively exploded as the charge of the wolf against the lamb in the fable.

MR. P. D. MCCALLUM, the "independent" representative of East Lambton, who, however, always votes with the Opposition, has been re-nominated as "independent" candidate for that riding. Mr. McCallum is an out-and-out, undisguised P.P.A. man and has many, of the same extreme opinions as himself, on the Opposition side. Peter was once a Liberal, but not finding sympathy with his extreme opinions on that side of politics he became "independent," and has found congenial company among the Opposition.

D-O-D-D-S

THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth So Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realising that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

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Cook's Cotton Root Compound

Is the only safe, reliable monthly medicine on which ladies can depend in the *hour and time of need.*

Is prepared in two degrees of strength.

No. 1 for ordinary cases is by far the best dollar medicine known—sold by druggists, one Dollar per box.

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The Cook Company, Windsor, Ontario.

No. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Nugent, Druggist.

BENEFORT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

This town has again taken on its role of quietness after the holiday season.

Mr. S. Perrin and his daughter, Miss E. Perrin, of Lindsay, spent the Xmas holidays at Mr. John Riddell's.

Mr. Elias Thompson, of Peterborough, passed through Benefort with a very fine stick of pine timber, measuring something over sixty feet in length. It took two team of horses to draw it.

The old council and reeve are again elected.

All our scholars and teachers have gone back to their schools after spending their holidays at home.

What may have been a fatal runaway happened Christmas eve, as Mr. John Smith, of Hall's Landing, was coming home from Peterborough a runaway team of horses ran into Mr. Smith's sleigh doing considerable damage to a load of furniture he was bringing home, also breaking Mr. Smith's arm. The horses were not found till the next day at noon.

A PETERBOROUGH LADY

Tells How Her Health Came Back.

There are too many women who suffer from dreadful backaches, pain in the side and headaches, who are weak, nervous and run down, whose life, energy and animation seem gone. Here's a lady—perhaps you know her who was cured by

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS.

Mrs. Harriet Adlam, 400 Sherbrooke St., Peterborough, Ont., says: "A few years ago I had an attack of La Grippe, which left me with impaired action of the heart. Naturally this produced a condition of extreme nervousness. I felt tired all the time. My blood seemed to get thin and watery, I could not eat well and was very restless at night.

"I am glad to say I have fully recovered from all of these distressing symptoms, and I think it only my duty to name the medicine which was productive of so much benefit to me. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cured me, gave me back my old-time strength, restored my appetite, and enabled me to get restful, refreshing sleep. My blood now circulates vigorously throughout my system; and I cannot do otherwise than heartily recommend the remedy which worked so well in my case."

One Laxa Liver Pill every night for thirty days cures constipation. 1

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Long 4-foot Hardwood	$3.50 to $4.00 per cord
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COAL—Lehigh, Plymouth Rock and Scranton All Coal weighed on market scales and certified by Market Clerk.

Egg Coal	$6.00 to $6.50 per ton
Stove Coal	$6.00 to $6.50 per ton
Nut Coal	$6.00 to $6.50 per ton
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That's why this store has gained the reputation of being the best clothing house in the town. Men of taste like to buy here both for themselves and their boys. Don't cost any more for that extra touch of style and quality here, than for the cheap grade garment in many establishments. We would call your attention to the values we are offering in Overcoats in order to clear them out before stock taking.

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The Best 4-foot Maple	$4.00
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Capital Paid up	600,000.00
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What For?

"Well, for several reasons. Smokers are raiding his store to get some of that world-famous English Smoking Tobacco. "CAVENDISH CUT" with its rich mellow flavour, hermetically sealed in closely packed tins. Cigar lovers are raiding his store for those popular FIVE CENT CIGARS and genuine IMPORTED HAVANAS, manufactured from exquisite quality of leaf. And Pipe Smokers, who enjoy smoking a good Pipe are raiding his store, "hot foot" for the wonderful value he is offering in New MEAR PIPES, with and without plush cases."

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This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store will suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c
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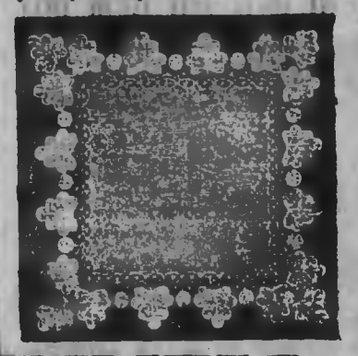
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and White wear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 10c to 25c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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What about a Nobby Walking Cane, Gold or Silver mounted? We have a catchy line of Swagger Sticks at moderate prices.

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"Shake!" Same to you and many of them!

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2nd—All our Goods sold are of their own manufacture.

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Why do they get all of the finest orders in Peterborough? Simply because of their well-known reputation for reliability.

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Perhaps You're Bilious.

Tongue coated, head heavy, nasty taste in mouth, sour stuff coming up, belching of wind, nausea, no desire for food, generally miserable.

It's the easiest thing in the world to have the jaundiced eye bright, the head clear, the tongue clean, the whole train of symptoms produced by Biliousness removed by

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

MRS. THOS. McCANN, Mooresville, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with biliousness, headache, and lost appetite. I could not rest at night, and was very weak, but after using three bottles of B.B.B. my appetite has returned, and I am better than I have been for years. I would not be without Burdock Blood Bitters. It is such a safe and good remedy that I am giving it to my children."

RIGHTS IN CHINA.

Britain Demands an Equal Share With Others.

NO SPECIAL PRIVILEGES TO ANY

Li Hung Chang's Opinion of German Occupation—The Chinese Statesman Considers It a Violation of Treaties and International Law—Unjust Oppression at a Critical Time.

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 4.—The Manchester Guardian says: "The Government has categorically stated that Great Britain will refuse to recognize any special rights granted at any Chinese port to any particular power. Any port opened to one power must be opened to all, or open to none. If Russia has been granted the right to winter ships at Port Arthur, Great Britain will enforce her rights to the same privilege, and her ships will winter there, whether China concedes or does not concede the right."

Continuing, the Manchester Guardian remarks: "If Germany obtains a naval station at Kiao Chou, Great Britain insists upon having a lease of ground for a naval station at the same port, and she will support every other power making the same claim. The contention of the Government is that the most favored nations clause in the British and all other treaties with China forbids any special concessions of the nature contemplated by Germany at Kiao Chou, and prevents nations from acquiring special benefits in which the others have not a share. The Government has also declared that the same principle applies to such transactions as railways and mine monopolies.

Stands on the Treaties.

"Taking the stand on the treaties, Great Britain refuses to acknowledge such concessions, and will insist on similar railway and mine rights, and will use such force to secure or defend them as may be necessary. This declaration does not apply to cessions of territory, to which the existing treaties do not refer, but relative to this contingency, the despatch of Great Britain to China says that when it occurs, graver questions will arise. The Government will then consider the manner in which British interests can best be safeguarded and the form which the compensation to Great Britain for the special advantages to other nations must take. It is reported that a similar declaration has been delivered to the Chinese and other Governments by Japan."

Represents British Policy.

London, Jan. 4.—Up to a late hour this evening the statement of the Manchester Guardian this morning has neither been confirmed nor denied; but the general belief is that, whether an actual note has been despatched to China or not, the Guardian's statement fairly represents British policy.

Something is Going On.

London, Jan. 4.—There is considerable activity in the defence departments. Lord Wolseley, the Commander-in-Chief, came

If your children are well but not robust, they need Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil.

We are constantly in receipt of reports from parents who give their children the emulsion every fall for a month or two. It keeps them well and strong all winter. It prevents their taking cold.

Your doctor will confirm this.

The oil combined with the hypophosphites is a splendid food tonic.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, Toronto.

[illegible] to London to-day from Aldershot and spent several hours at the War Office.

Russia Wants an Alliance With Japan.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 4.—The Novosti publishes an article strongly urging a Russo-Japanese alliance as the best means of guaranteeing their mutual interests and the maintenance of the political equilibrium.

CHINA WANTS PEACE.

Li Hung Chang in an Interview Pleads With the Civilized World to Allow China to Learn Her Lesson.

Pekin, Jan. 4.—According to instructions received from the Herald, I requested an interview with Li Hung Chang, informing him that the New York Herald offered the publicity of its columns for any statement that China desired to make to the western world in respect to the actual crisis in the east.

The great statesman replied that China was anxious that the western people should understand thoroughly matters as they were. His Excellency's views are given herewith in the following interview, which he has approved:

"The forcible occupation of Kia Chou by Germany is a direct violation of existing treaties and of international law.

"The pretext made for this act of war was the murder of two missionaries by robbers in the interior of the Province of Shan Tung. The Chinese Government offered immediate and full redress for this outrage—punishment of the criminals, dismissal of the local officials, and large compensation for all losses.

"Anxious to avoid hostile acts, the Chinese troops were withdrawn from Kiao Chou when the Germans landed, and, in spite of strong public feeling prevailing throughout the country for the defence of Chinese territory against aggression, my Government has not sent reinforcements to Kiao Chou.

What the Pretext Was.

"Outlaws exist in China, as in all countries. Neither treaties, law, nor religion can entirely suppress crime anywhere in the world, though they condemn and punish the criminals. There are places in every country where lawlessness abounds, and to such a place in Shan Tung the German missionaries determined to go, knowing that "the inhabitants themselves were often the victims of these bandits.

"Unfortunately, China has not yet recovered from the effects of the late war, and our country requires a period of peace to carry on the work of reform lately begun.

"Of late years, from instruction and observation, the Chinese have come to regard the countries of the western world as models, and even greater in justice than in arms.

China's Law and Order.

"Is it just to oppress us while we are struggling to emerge from the restraints of our ancient civilization; while improvement and progress steadily continue? Should China be distressed by having her shores invaded and her territory occupied because of an occurrence which western countries would deal with by law and not by war—an unexpected incident, deplored by my Government, and followed by full redress?

"Our desire is to preserve our territory intact and to steadily improve it as a field open to all countries equally for the development of commerce."

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

WHEAT MARKETS WEAKER.

A Large Increase in the Visible on This Continent—Local Stocks on Hand—Local Prices.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Monday Evening, Jan. 3.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90¾	$0 91⅝
New York	0 97⅞	0 93⅝
Milwaukee	0 88	0 91⅝
St. Louis	0 93¼	0 91⅝
Toledo	0 92	0 92⅝
Detroit	0 91	0 91⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 88½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 88	0 91
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Visible Supply of Grain.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	Jan. 1, 1898.	Jan. 2, 1897.	Jan. 3, 1896.
Wheat, bu.	36,816,000	54,401,609	69,843,000
Corn, bu.	35,421,000	19,832,000	5,838,000
Oats, bu.	12,337,000	14,089,000	6,337,000
Rye, bu.	4,055,000	3,044,000	1,557,000
Barley, bu.	4,348,000	4,498,000	3,750,000

Wheat increased 2,200,000 bush last week, as against an increase of 208,000 bush the corresponding week of last year. Corn increased 271,000 bush last week, oats decreased 435,000, rye increased 340,000 bush, and barley decreased 441,000 bush.

Toronto Stocks of Grain.

	Jan. 3, 1898.	Dec. 27, 1897.	Jan. 4, 1897.
Fall wheat, bu.	24,989	23,273	34,396
Spring wheat, bu.	395	295	4,000
Hard wheat, bu.	14,007	14,350	187,000
Goose wheat, bu.	12,040	11,500	8,000
Total wheat	52,001	49,488	233,856
Barley, bu.	37,731	41,017	100,282
Oats, bu.	13,000	11,377	55,744
Peas, bu.	5,337	4,129	2,721
Corn, bu.	8,000	10,000	....
Rye, bu.	4,133	2,000	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with no changes in prices. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to $3.95, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was weaker to-day, with buyers holding off. Red winter is quoted outside at 82½c, high freights. Spring is quoted at 83c to 83c on Midland and goose at 77c to 78c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with sales of No. 1 hard at $1.01 grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and quotations at Fort William are 90c to 91c.

BARLEY—The offerings are moderate and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west, No. 3 extra quoted at 29c. Feed sold at 26c west.

OATS—The market was steady to-day, with sales of white at 24½c to 25c west, and at 25½c Midland. Mixed steady at 24c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with sales at 46c to 46½c north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c west and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged, with sales west at 27c.

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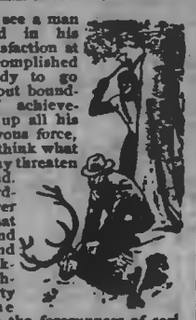

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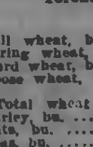

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LOCAL NEWS.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

Two Armenians in Court.

This morning Chatelle and Aziz, two Armenians, were in court charged with selling goods without a license. It was not proven that they sold goods and the case was dismissed.

Tobogganing at Chemong.

Tobogganing is now on at Chemong Park. The slide was never better and it is considered one of the best in Canada. Down a steep avenue the toboggan shoots, reaches the ice bound lake where it skims along with sufficient velocity to afford the happy occupants a lively fifth-of-a-mile race.

The Late Mr. Burnham's Will.

The will of the late John Burnham, Q. C., has been discovered among his papers. By its terms, Mr. H. T. Strickland and Mrs. Burnham are appointed executors, and after paying liabilities, the residue of the estate goes to Mrs. Burnham for the benefit of herself and family.

Coming.

Dr. Jobb, (formerly of New York), Eye Specialist and inventor of the famous Recherche Optometer, the latest and most improved instrument known to modern science for pointing out every defect and disease of the eye and sight, will be at Messrs. Clarke & Gibson's jewelry store on January 14th only.

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A Teacher Caned.

Mr. Wm. Smith, Principal of the Central School, carries a swagger stick now, that is the holiday reminiscence presented him by the teachers and pupils. It is an evidence of very kindly feeling, but so far as the pupils are concerned it is also suggestive of a little self interest. A teacher with the finer feelings possessed by Mr. Smith could not be so ungrateful as to use that cane or any other cane for corrective purposes.

School Opened on Monday.

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MONDAY'S MUNICIPAL CONTEST.

Briskly Battled Mayoralty Election.

MR. A. L. DAVIS ELECTED MAYOR.

A MAJORITY OF FIVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVEN.

The Councillors Elected—Only Two New Men—The Result in Ashburnham—Elections in the Townships and Elsewhere.

The contest yesterday was even brisker than that of last year, as seventy-two more votes were cast in the mayoralty election, the figures for 1897 being 1,985, and for 1898, 2,057.

The returns were bulletined in the EXAMINER windows within a few minutes after the results were announced at the different polling booths as follows:

For Mayor.

	Davis.	Yelland.
No 1 Ward	452	322
No 2 Ward	363	130
No 3 Ward	276	283
No 4 Ward	209	160
	1300	795

Majority for Davis....557.

For Councillors.

NO 1 WARD.

White W H	376
Robertson C B	321
Best Henry	286
Leplante, N T	283
Turner, J J	95

NO. 2 WARD.

Hamilton, T H	372
Allen, W L	369
Deane, T E G	369
Sewers, C W	174
Ballegham, D	98
Quinlan, M H	169

NO. 3 WARD.

McWilliams, J B	349
Dawson, Adam	338
Cobb, J H	336
Sewers, John	349
Weir, Robert	311
Clinkscale, Robt	113

NO. 4 WARD.

White, John	297
Langford, William	297
Meldrum, W H	293
Hill, William	121
Bogue, James	117

SCHOOL TRUSTEES—NO. 1 WARD.

Bamford, W S	319
Hughes, Jas L	134

In the different wards the first three were returned as councillors, and in the South Ward Mr. W. Bamford was re-elected to the Board of Education over Mr. Jas. L. Hughes.

Ashburnham.

FOR COUNCILLORS.

Johnston, W J	370
Morgan, Henry	316
Rutherford, Alex	313
Drake, J E	311
Smith, J H	128
Pollock, Robt	176

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Sheridan, Robert	365
Peck, E A	305
Manlove, Wm	128
Fowler, James	114
Weir, Simon	87

In Ashburnham the new council will be composed of Reeve Adams, who was returned by acclamation, and by the first four of the candidates mentioned.

The returns from the polls were received at the committee rooms of the two candidates and at THE EXAMINER office, at which latter place they were promptly bulletined, which occasioned the assemblage of a crowd which blocked the street.

At about half past seven the enthusiasm of Mr. Davis' friends waxed so warm that they placed him and his nominator, Mr. J. J. Hartley, on a table, supported by his "supporters" preceded a procession which, headed by the band, marched up George street and back to the Opera House, where an immense audience had congregated.

Mr. J. J. Hartley was the first speaker. He opened by saying that Mr. Davis' supporters had reason to be proud of the man to whom they had given victory. Personally he had nothing against Mr. Yelland, but he had thought a change was needed, and Davis was the man wanted, as the result of the poll had shown. He was satisfied that at the end of the year the electors would have no reason to regret their action in electing Mr. Davis. He would work for the interests of the town, and the year 1898 would be a successful one for Peterborough. The speaker was proud to have

HAD THE HONOUR

of nominating Mr. Davis, and he prophesied that as long as he lived the new mayor would never forget the ride he had up George street on the evening of January 3rd, 1898. He, himself, had been before the public for 18 years—for ten of which he was in the council, and for eight a member of the Board of Education, and he was proud of the old town. He would be willing to take the mayoralty himself, but was also willing to step back to allow a man like Mr. Davis to take the chair.

Mr. Kendry announced that Mr. Davis had been elected by the greatest majority ever rolled up a mayoralty contest in Peterborough and this would be something to hand down to posterity (laughter). However, he did not want to crow over the defeated candidate, but thought the result showed the good sense of the people to elect such a man to the chair and he was sure that in one year from the same night he would be returned by acclamation. On our side, continued Mr. Kendry, we have carried on a gentlemanly contest, but the others have not done the same. We have now a mayor who will promote the business interests of the town. We don't want a man who is afraid to go into his pocket. We want a liberal man, a business man and a man who, like Mr. Davis, will look well after our poor.

Councillor Adam Dawson felt very much indebted to the audience for calling upon him and stated that it gave him great pleasure to congratulate Mr. Davis on his successful campaign. It gave him great pleasure also to think that he was the first man to acquaint Mr. Davis with the fact that a petition was being circulated to bring him out as mayor. Mr. Davis had been greatly astonished at the time. After sitting with him at the council board during the past year he had come to the conclusion that he was a fit and proper man for the mayoralty and was sure that he would be prompted in all his actions by what was in the best

INTERESTS OF THE TOWN.

Mr. Davis would be an honour to the chair and a credit to Peterborough. He had no word to say against the gentleman who was defeated, but thought he had served his day. No man should ask for more than two years. As for himself, his only reason for being in the council was to endeavour to keep down the taxation. Mr. Davis, too, with his large real estate interests must necessarily be interested in keeping down taxation also. He himself had always run for the council as the workingman's candidate, and as such he desired to express his thanks for his election to the council.

Mr. W. Robinson took great pleasure in congratulating Mr. Davis on his victory. He had nothing to say against Mr. Yelland, but he had occupied the chair as long as he should. Two years was enough. His object in supporting Mr. Davis was that the town needed a progressive mayor. As a workingman he felt that he must vote to elect a man to advance the interests of the town. During his two terms Mr. Yelland had done nothing in this respect, but he understood that it was through him that the workingmen's wages had been reduced from $1.25 to $1 a day.

Mr. Davis was welcomed with cheers and continued applause. He stated that he could hardly find words to express his feelings and convey his thanks to his supporters. Three weeks ago he had made up his mind to retire from municipal life, and now found himself elected to the chief magistracy of the most prosperous town in Ontario. He thanked the electors for the big majority which they had rolled up for him, and felt gratified in realising that it meant that he merited their confidence. He had entered into the contest with Mr. Yelland with

NO UNKIND FEELINGS

towards him, and therefore hoped they would be as good friends as ever. It had been represented to him that it was desirable to have a change, and that he was the right man. He had sought the advice of his friends and that their counsel had been correct was proven by his election. He had said no unkind word against Mr. Yelland in the campaign. During his canvass some amusing incidents had occurred. He had found a bunch of waste in his pocket on coming out of one manufactory, but as it hadn't been used he urged that it was not an ill omen. On another occasion he had found a leather medal. He hardly knew how to take this, but the receiving of any kind of a medal so early in the campaign was an augury of success. He intended to keep these little things as remembrances of the campaign.

A voice—Hand them down to posterity.

He was very sorry on nomination day to hear Mr. Yelland say that the campaign was to be a fight of labour against capital. It was an unfortunate statement to make.

MR. MAYOR DAVIS.

Capital and labour should not be arrayed against one another. They should go hand in hand. He felt that the people had realised this, and when he looked back at his handsome majority, he knew that it had been rolled up for him by the representatives of all classes and creeds—by the labourer, the mechanic, the merchant and the professional man. If the town was to prosper, all had to go forward shoulder to shoulder. It was only by moving as a unit that prosperity could be attained. When he had heard Mr. Yelland make that statement about capital and labour, he had felt that he was no friend of the town and must be in desperate need of something to support him. Mr. Yelland had also raised a political cry. Politics were not wanted in municipal affairs. A town could be quickly ruined if it was governed from a political standpoint. Until he was elected he never dreamed of the appreciation in which he was held. He realised the great responsibility which was been reposed in him, and he would do all in his power to advance the interests of all classes of citizens. The town was at present drawing as much revenue as possible from the surrounding country. To advance, it must grow within itself, by encouraging manufactories to locate here. Peterborough, with its great water power, capable of generating so much cheap electricity, must have a grand future before it. If the town didn't prosper it was the fault of the citizens. Advantage must be taken of every opportunity to force ahead. In concluding Mr. Davis expressed his thanks to the lady voters, who were not present, but who had aided him greatly.

At the conclusion of the meeting a large number of those present betook themselves to Mr. Davis' residence, where an informal reception was held for several hours.

ELECTIONS ELSEWHERE.

NORWOOD.

Reeve—H J Beck. Councillors—J W Bork, Wm Ebbs, John Walker and John Isles.

ASPHODEL.

Reeve—James Andrews. Deputy Reeve—Wm Oakman. Councillors—Joe Harrison, T McNulty, R A Scott.

BOSCAYGEON.

Reeve—J T Robinson. Councillors—A E Bottum, W T C Boyd, Geo Tinney and R Garlick.

CAMPBELLFORD.

Reeve—C. S. Gillespie. Deputy Reeve—F W Wood. Councillors—C L Owen, J N Kent and Wm Runnels.

CAVAN.

Reeve—R Hoolan. Deputy Reeve—R Cox. Councillors—W J Fisher, Robt Shaw and H Staples.

PENELON FALLS.

Councillors—Geo Martin, Wm McKeown, Thos Austin.

MILLBROOK.

Reeve—W S Pickup. Councillors—R Baddy, R W Clarke, W Thurton and J E Needham.

ENNISMORE.

The old council elected by acclamation. Reeve—Paul Costello; Councillors—Jas Scollard, Martin Doran, Richard Kitten and Peter Flood.

SMITH.

Reeve—G J Armstrong, by acclamation. Deputy Reeve, W Mallmoyle, 210; Wm Carter, 223. Councillors—Geo H Ellio t, 220; S Stinson, 205; H C Garbett, 200; Ed Fitzgerald, 205. The first three elected councillors.

HARVEY.

Reeve—A G Shearer. Councillors—T Flynn, W T Elliott, W J Oliver, James McLean Oliver.

LAKEFIELD.

Reeve—J F Lillicrap by acclamation.

Councillors.	Ward 1.	Ward 2.	Total
E H Braden	62	58	120
C J Purvis	57	74	131
Dr J R Fraser	55	73	128
James F Moore	47	39	86
Wm Harper	39	39	78
John Ibbster	35	42	77
John Richardson	30	45	75

The old council were all re-elected.

COUNTY COUNCILLORS.

	Ward 1.	Ward 2.	Total
Richard Crowe	33	44	79
Edward Hawthorne	27	21	48
W Lesson	13	38	54

Outside Mayors.

Belleville—J W Johnston, by 282 majority.

Cobourg—J D Hayden, by 222 majority.

Lindsay—F C Taylor, by acclamation.

Trenton—M B Morrison, by acclamation.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Of Lansdowne Lodge, Sons of England, No. 25.

At the regular meeting of Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, S.O.E.B.S., held Monday, the following officers were duly installed by Bro. Saxby, District Deputy.

Bro Dr Pigeon	W P
" Bridgewater	W P
" T F Stenton	W V P
" H L Beale	W F S
" A Kincombe	W R S
" Felix Brownscombe	W T
" Rev H Symonds	W C
" Dr Pigeon	W S
" Wm Taylor	1st Comm
" Jas Booth	2nd "
" H Darke	3rd "
" W J Hetherington	4th "
" McCarthy	5th "
" John Howland	6th "
" Oliver	I G
" Coveney	O G
" Sleers	Pianist

After the installation a beautiful ring, bearing the initials of the S. O. E., was presented to Mr. E. A. Peck, for his most valuable services rendered to the lodge. The members then adjourned to the dining hall and partook of an oyster supper, which was catered by that old veteran, Mr. Wm. Taylor. A very pleasant time was spent in songs and toasts.

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25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.

100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.

6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.

5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.

12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25

100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.

5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.

3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.

6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.

10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.

15 Costumes at almost half price.

10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.

8 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.

15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.

10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00

25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.

25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.

100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 85c, sale price 65c.

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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1898.

SABBATH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Of the Township of Smith to Meet on Tuesday, Jan. 11th.

The tenth annual Sabbath School convention for the Township of Smith will be held in the Gilmour Memorial church, Smith, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1898, commencing at two o'clock p.m.

Each school is requested to send all the delegates it can, and to bring young and old. Will each pastor on the Sunday preceding the convention, offer special prayer for the Divine blessing to accompany the efforts thus made in the name of the Master.

The programme has been arranged as follows:

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2.00—Service of song and devotional exercises Led by Rev C E McLeod.
2.15—President's address.....
2.20—Appointment of Nominating Committee..
2.25—Reports from schools.....
Singing....Hymn No 76. "How Firm a Foundation."
(Songs and Solos, 750 pieces.)
3.00—Paper ...." The Teacher's Relation to the Bible."
Rev H S Bth.
Singing....Hymn No 444. "Praise Him! Praise Him!"
3.40—Paper.....Primary Work
Miss White.
Singing....Hymn No 432, "I think when I read," etc
4.05—Address .....Outline of the Life of Christ
Rev W D Harrison.
Collection .....
4.15—Report of Nominating Committee and introduction of new officers.
Closing .....
(10 minutes allowed for discussion on each subject.)

EVENING SESSION.

7.15—Devotional exercises.....
Led by Rev C E McLeod.
7.20—Normal drill..... Life of Paul
Dr W T Harrison.
Singing—Hymn No 573, "To God be the Glory."
8.05—Address.....
Rev S J Shorey.
Collection .....
8.15—Question drawer.....
Rev A C Reeves.
Closing....Hymn No 274, "Sowing in the Morning."

Let every participant be on time. Let each school appoint delegates. Bring your note books and use them.

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THE CHARGE DISMISSED.

Failure of Another Charge Against the Oriental Hotel.

Owing to the feeling that was aroused over the recent action of Chief of Police Reazal against the Oriental Hotel, in which, it will be remembered there was strong language used in the Police Court, followed by an investigation, a considerable interest was manifested in another charge brought this morning against the same hotel for selling liquor after hours on Christmas eve. It was charged in the case first mentioned that the Chief of Police was influenced by motives apart from a legitimate enforcement of the law, and the case this morning was regarded with considerable interest in view of what the result might be. After a large number of witnesses was examined the case was dismissed, there being no evidence whatever adduced to prove the charge.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Edith Workman, of Lindsay, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Mary Potts, of town, is visiting her parents in Haliburton.

Conductor Fred Haskill is able to be about again after a long illness.

Miss Clara Sandy, Manvers, has returned home after a pleasant visit with Miss Mabel Isaac.

Miss Maggie Kennedy has returned to Lakefield after a week's visit with her cousin, Maude Halpin.

Miss Mamie Mahoney has returned to Lindsay Convent after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mahoney.

Mr. Thomas Stothart, of Smith, who has been confined to his room for about a month, suffering from the results of a needle penetrating his foot, is improving rapidly.

Miss Eva V. Tivey, Ashburnham, who is studying at the Canadian College of Music, Ottawa, is amongst the successful students who passed the senior theory examination, which entitles her to a diploma from the Royal College of Music, London, England.

Mr. Wm. Stothart, Harvey street, town, has returned from an absence of a year and half in Colorado, where he has met with a degree of success in railroading and mining that will be good news to his many friends, in Smith, especially. Mr. Stothart will remain in town about a month, when he will return to Colorado to continue his business operations.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The Belleville hockeyists were defeated in Port Hope on New Year's day by the score of 13-2. This is the first time Port Hope ever defeated Belleville.

CURLIANA.

The LeBrun Medal Series was opened amongst the Thistles last evening, when four rinks played in the first draw, the games resulting as follows:

NO. 1.

Tom Ferguson,	T Brightman,
J Ames,	G Giroux,
J Stanger,	H Snowden,
R H Kells, sk.....16	T Rutherford, sk.....18

NO. 2.

W Hamilton,	R Kerr,
C N Brown,	John McClelland,
D Davidson,	R B MacKee,
W G Ferguson, sk..18	H LeBrun, sk..... 6

To-morrow evening four more rinks play off, being drawn as appended:

Hamilton vs Kay.
Bellegham vs Connal.

Campbellford is very anxious to have a couple of Peterborough rinks go down to the opening of their big curling and skating rink and play against Belleville. No action has been taken yet to pick the rinks to go.

ICE RACES.

The local fliers are getting into great shape for the season's campaign on ice.

Ice races have been fixed for Jan. 13th and 14th at Belleville.

The ice races at Napanee will occur on Jan. 18th and 19th. The sum of $550 is being put up in prizes with five events.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

The Cobourg, Peterborough and Marmora Railway was the first railway chartered in Ontario. It was incorporated in 1834. The first railway in Canada was the St. Andrew's in Quebec. It was opened in July, 1836, by Earl Gosford.

Owing to the number of accidents on the G.T.R. and C.P.R. during the past few months, due to the breaking in two of freight trains, the officials of both roads have felt it necessary to issue special warnings to trainmen on the subject. Those on the C.P.R. have been instructed that in cases of a break loose the engineer must keep his whistle going until the two portions have been connected together again. To employees of the G.T.R. it has been indicated that trains often break loose after leaving a station and that the fact is not ascertained before the arrival of the forward part at the next station. This is stated to be a clear case of neglect, and trainmen are warned to observe more care in future.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 429 Water Street.

Social Functions.

JANUARY is the month for Social Functions and Reductions in Gentlemen's High-Class Garments and Outfittings. Pleasure in one! Economy in the other!

To those whose dress misfits the occasion, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

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The large Discounts I have been giving during the past four weeks on account of my heavy stock, will be still further increased during the entire month of January.

BIG CUTS WILL BE MADE ALL OVER THE STORE.

The Discounts will extend to **50 Per Cent. and over,** and while these large Discounts will come off all lines, the heaviest cuts will be made in our GLOVE Department.

$10,000 **Worth of Seasonable Winter Goods** must be turned into Cash, and I am determined that neither PRICE, QUALITY or anything else, will interfere with a speedy clearance.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Winter Underwear, Flannel Shirts, Neckwear, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Corsets and General Dry Goods and Furnishings at almost any price you like to offer. Nothing Reserved.

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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

Mr. W. J. Stubbs Remembered on Leaving Moorefield.

The Drayton Advocate makes the following reference to an address which was recently presented to Mr. Walter J. Stubbs, who has been living in Moorefield, and returned to Peterborough a few days ago:

A goodly number of the members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, Moorefield, met on Thursday at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Maudsley, to spend a few hours with Mr. Stubbs, who was leaving for Peterborough, and to show their appreciation of his labours by presenting him with a valuable Bible. After devotional exercises, Rev. Dr. Strongman introduced Mr. J. L. Florence, the retiring president, who read the following address, and Miss Maud S. Perkin presented the Bible. Mr. Stubbs thanked them very much, and the pastor, Mr. Florence and Mr. A. Johnston, spoke of the loss sustained by Mr. Stubbs' removal. Following is the address:

Mr. W. J. Stubbs, Teacher, Moorefield:

DEAR FRIEND AND BRO.—We, the members and friends of the Epworth League of the Methodist church, Moorefield, feel that your coming and stay among us for the past two years have been of great help and profit to our Sunday School, the League, the church and to ourselves individually. We have always found you extremely willing and helpful in everything that relates to the ordinary and special work of the church. While we would emphasize your valuable labours in these departments, we assure you of our genuine appreciation of your labours as specially seen in Epworth League work—your proficient help in the programme committee work: in the duties of organist; in the entertainment committees in the C. M. departments; and in the Missionary Vice-Presidency which you have held for the past year. During that time the Fulton Plan for *Missions* has been instituted with 26 names and promises of 2 cents per week, thus helping and enabling our League to fall into line with the District in support of two native missionaries in Japan.

Besides, we have marked your Christian *spirit and* enthusiastic labours for the cause of Christ which has run through all your work; and, we also appreciated to a very great extent the lavishness of labour which you have bestowed upon our work, far remote from any idea of mine, so much so, that with the onerous duties of your profession, no sacrifice of time or labour have been withheld by you. Our League will cherish with fondness in the years to come your Christian spirit and consistent life.

We are deeply sorry to part with you, only feeling that as you were given to us two years ago, so now, you will be given by us to others whom we believe will be helped by you as we have.

And now we ask you to accept this little, which is a memento of the affection and love we do now and shall always bear toward you.

Signed:

W. A. STRONGMAN, Pastor.
J. L. FLORENCE, Pres.
L. GRAHAM, Sec'y.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Second Meeting of the Series To-night—Subject, the "Church Universal."

Tuesday, Jan. 4.—Charlotte street Methodist), speaker, Rev. Dr. Torrance; Mark street, (Methodist) speakers, Rev. O. C. Elliott and Rev. S. J. Shorey. Prayer: That clearer and truer views of the spiritual nature of the church as revealed in the New Testament, may prevail; that believers may yield themselves wholly to the Lord, and through the influence of the Holy Ghost, grow in the spiritual life; that all ministers of the gospel may be filled with the Spirit of Christ; and that true unity and fellowship may be increasingly realized.—Ephesians iv., 1-16; Revelation i., 1-20.

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While all this strong talk about the Mayoralty and Holiday Nuts is going on, we want to have it distinctly understood that Messrs. Oke & Co. are the only genuine importers of Walnuts, Filberts, Dates, Figs, Grapes and other foreign and domestic fruits. N. B.—If you want a pure and unadulterated article of tea, that has been imported direct from the land of its growth, and neither doctored nor mixed by middle men—Oke & Co. have it that way. d

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.

Arrangement for Hospital and Protestant Home Visitation.

The monthly meeting of the Peterborough Ministerial Association was held in the Y.M.C.A. parlours Monday morning, Jan. 3rd. The Rev. W. Bennet opened the meeting with prayer, after which Rev. A. T. Dykeman read a paper on "The Pastor's Life," which provoked an animated discussion. Week of Prayer meetings were arranged as follows: The meeting at St. Paul's church is to be held Wednesday evening instead of Thursday. Subject, "Nations and Rulers." The meeting at George street church is to be held on Thursday evening instead of Wednesday. Subject, "Families and Schools." The meeting at Park street Baptist church is withdrawn at the request of the pastor, on account of his inability to be present. Rev. W. Bennet was appointed to take his place at the Mark street church this evening. The following dates and appointments were arranged for visiting the hospital and Protestant Home:

HOSPITAL.

Jan. 3—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Jan. 10—Rev. S. J. Shorey.
Jan. 17—Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A.
Jan. 24—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B.
Jan. 31—Rev. H. Symonds, M.A.

PROTESTANT HOME.

Jan. 5—Rev. Dr. Torrance.
Jan. 12—Rev. S. J. Shorey.
Jan. 19—Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A.
Jan. 26—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B.
Feb. 2—Rev. H. Symonds, M.A.

WILL WITHDRAW.

The Local W. C. T. U. Passes Resolutions Objecting to Lady Somerset as President of the World's W.C.T.U.

At a meeting of the local W. C. T. U. on Dec. 13th, the following resolution was passed:

Resolved.—That this Union feels that the views and principles of its members, and of the W.C.T.U. generally, were not represented in the election of Lady Henry Somerset as World's Vice-President at the late World's Convention at Toronto; that its members are unanimously of opinion that no woman upholding licensed sin can rightly represent a society that is fighting against it, and that we protest against that election, and ask that a copy of this resolution be sent through the Dominion officers to the World's W.C.T.U. Executive;

Resolved.—That in our opinion, and because Lady Henry Somerset was unanimously elected, the only right course at present open to the Canadian Union is to withdraw its affiliation from the World's W.C.T.U. till such time as the latter has executive officers who represent and carry out the objects and principles of the Society, and that we hereby ask that our Provincial officers take steps with a view to this action.

[Signed] MRS. GEO. PATON, President.
MRS. GEO. MULLIGAN, Secretary.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Good skating at the rink.

—There is excellent skating on Riverside Park.

—The Board of Education meets this evening.

—The high water in the river has flooded the Riverside Park and the skating is good there.

—Hockey skates, high grade, low prices, sizes 8½ to 11½, and hockey sticks and pucks at George Stethem & Son's, next the postoffice. 6sod-1w

—A large number of young people from town drove down to the Millbrook assembly this afternoon.

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough. dtf

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—Among the teachers of All Saints Sunday school who received holiday remembrances at the hands of their pupils, were Miss Cairns, Miss Rubidge and Miss Archer.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

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GENERAL BOOTH'S VISIT.

The Great Apostle of the Gospel to the People Here on Jan. 28th.

It was previously announced that General Booth, the head militant of the Salvation Army, would visit Peterborough on December 31st. He will arrive in Canada from England sooner than was at that time expected and it is now definitely announced that the General will be in the Opera House on Friday, Jan. 28th. Further particulars hereafter.

THE SILVER LAKE TRAGEDY.

John Luff Discharged at the Trial Recently Held in Coboconk.

At Coboconk on Wednesday afternoon the boy John Luff was discharged from custody, there being nothing but the merest hearsay evidence against him. It will be remembered a young man named Thomas Lee was shot through the head with his own rifle on the 9th of November, near the residence of Mr. Samuel Luff, in the presence of two of his (Luff's) sons. An inquest was held, and the coroner's jury brought in a verdict of "accidental death," but Mr. Edward Lee, father of the deceased, persistently declared that his son had been shot by John Luff, and the boy was arrested and tried, with the above mentioned result. Col. Deacon was the presiding magistrate; Crown Attorney Devlin appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Wm. Steers for the defence.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.....	5° above zero	
Yesterday.....	9°	1° below

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HOLDING THE BRIDGE

BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

A knoll in a meadow, a bit of forest, a stone wall, a creek meandering through the fields and across a highway to empty its waters into a river two or three miles away—all these are points which may bring victory or defeat when 100,000 men grapple in a struggle. The guns rush for the hills and knolls when they go into action; the cavalry must have a clear sweep of the fields if they are to break lines of infantry; the marching battle lines are broken and thrown into confusion by a ditch across which a farmer's boy could spring with ease.

A mile and a half above our right wing is a simple wooden bridge spanning the creek to connect the highway. Above and below the bridge are steep banks, overgrown with bushes. A farmer or hunter would plunge downward through the bushes, bound over the babbling waters without effort and be at the top of the other bank in a moment. Not so with the battle line. It halts, wavers and marches by the right or left flank to find another crossing above or below. The guns change position at a dead run; the cavalry trot or gallop; the infantry move slowly and grudgingly and waste precious time. A battle is won or lost because a single brigade loses a quarter of an hour in reaching the position assigned to it. A division is turned aside by a wall, a regiment by a rail fence. These are the orders to the captain of Company F:

"You will march your company to the bridge and take up such position as you think best to prevent the army from crossing. If attacked by a hundred men, hold it; if attacked by a thousand, do not fall back. If the enemy forces the bridge, he will take our right wing and flank, you understand."

"I understand," replies the captain. "I am to hold the bridge to the last."

"To the last."

Company F marched away by the right face and was soon lost to sight in the woods. In an hour it was throwing up an earthwork at the north end of the bridge. It was a simple ridge of earth, extending east and west across the highway and into the fields for a distance of 100 feet, with its center thicker and stronger than its wings. When that was finished, the men pulled down small trees and uprooted bushes, clogged the highway to the south of the bridge and heaped obstructions on the bridge itself. For two hours they worked like farmers, each man straightening up now and then to flirt the sweat from his temples, and they then took up their muskets and were ready.

Did you ever try to imagine the sounds created by a great body of troops—a division or a corps—moving forward to battle? You hear a faraway neighing of horses, a rumbling of wheels, the blowing of bugles and the rattle of drums. All the various sounds go to make up one general, awesome sound, as if you could see through the forests and over the hills and knew that a great tidal wave was sweeping toward you from the shores of the sea. The sounds come nearer and nearer, and you seem to feel the tramp of the thousands of feet. You hear a mighty muttering, as of men scolding at each other. Your ear catches fragments which speak of menace and peril and make you look behind to see if the road is clear for flight. It is the march of the specter of death, and its fleshless bones rattle as it tramps forward over the highways to another feast of blood.

"There they come! Steady now!"

The enemy should have sent a force forward to seize the bridge three hours ago, but of the hundred details of a battle some are overlooked or some one blunders. In front of the division marching at will over the dusty road is an advance guard to clear the way; in front of the advance a few cavalrymen. The latter are first to make the turn of the highway and note the obstructions and the earthwork at the north end. They smile in derision. In front of them are 100 men; behind them five brigades. There will be a rush down the narrow road with its walls of clay, over the bridge, over the earthwork, a score of dead and wounded friends and foes, and the specter of death will hardly have been halted on its march.

"See and hear 'em, Tom?" queries an old veteran of his right hand man as he peers over the top of the earthwork.

"Aye, Ben!" is the answer.

"How many?"

"A division at least."

"And what are we goin to do?"

"Die here, of course! Didn't the captain say we were to hold the bridge to the last."

"But, d—n it, it ain't a fair show," protested Tom. "Who's fightin 50 to 1 and expectin to come out on top?"

"Nobody. We are comin out in the trenches with two feet of earth to cover us up. Feel shaky, old man?"

"Num, but it ain't a fair show."

"Better save yer breath. We ain't lookin for fair shows jest now. Lordy, but what a chance to swipe it to 'em! They are formin up around the bend, and we'll hev it redhot in about a minit!"

Around the bend of the road 200 infantry formed up in lines eight abreast. The width of the road allowed for no more. With bayonets fixed and muskets at the trail they waited for a minute and then made a dash. From the center of the earthwork leaped a sheet of flame a third of the way across the bridge—from the right and left other sheets of flame. Every musket had a rest on top of the earthwork—every sight covered a human target. The head of the advancing column did not reach the planks of the bridge. It melted away in the midst of the obstructions, to create other obstructions, and 40 men lay dead and wounded as the smoke lazily drifted away down the stream.

"Purty fair fur what time we was at it," said Ben as he rose up for a look after reloading.

"We ought to got at least 90 more at sich clus shootin," growled Tom in reply.

"They'll come ag'in, of course?"

"Don't be a d——d fool, Ben. D'ye think the loss of 40 or 50 men would stop one of our divisions from gittin somewhars? If you feel tired and sleepy, you'd better ask fur leave to go to the rear."

"Say, I don't want too much of yer chin, old man!"

"Oh, you don't! Waal, you jest 'tend t fightin and dyin and don't worry about my chin. Better shet yer eyes this time and see if you can't damage some of 'em."

That dash was a feeler to develop the strength defending the bridge and to see if it was mined for blowing up. Around the bend of the road they laughed at the idea of 100 men holding a division at bay. Farther back the soldiers fretted and fumed and officers cursed and swore at the delay. Down on the left the battle was already opening, and Death was sharpening his scythe on the stone walls which men of peace had built up 50 years before.

"Get ready! Fire at will!"

This time a column of 500 men, formed eight abreast as before, dashed at the bridge with ringing cheers, and though the first four or five ranks went down others lived to reach the earthwork and to make a fierce fight for its possession. For ten minutes there were sighting shots and curses and groans, and then the bridge was clear again—clear of all but the dead and wounded. The veteran Ben was one of the half dozen who started to cheer as the enemy sullenly fell back, but Tom interrupted him with:

"What yer makin a cussed fool of yerself fur?"

"We've licked 'em ag'in!"

"Licked hell! If this war don't end in less'n three months, ye won't know 'nuff to pound sand! The idea of yer yawpin and whoopin over a victory when we've lost at least 90 men and when we are sartin to be wiped out body and buties! Look along the lines!"

Ben looked up and down the lines and shivered as he noted the dead and wounded who had fallen out. And now the enemy deployed a force to the right, another to the left, and the men crept forward to the very brink of the ravine and opened such a hot fire that no defender of the earthwork could lift his head. Under cover of this fire a force formed up in the road for a dash across the bridge. The captain sent an order along the earthwork, and each crouching man made ready to rise up and fire when the critical moment came.

"Say, this is gettin to be redhot!" exclaimed Ben as the bullets sent the dirt flying over his head.

"Waal, we don't need any ice jest now!" grimly replied Tom.

"We are goin to git licked on this deal, old man."

"Not licked, but wiped out. The orders are to hold the bridge to the last, and our captain's the man to do it. Purty leetle fight—mighty purty. Lots of heads will git busted when we arise up to fire. Never had a bullet through yer cokernut, did ye?"

Ben did not answer. Just then came the order to fire at will, and as the muskets looked over the earthwork the enemy cheered and dashed for the bridge a third time. Over the rocks and bushes obstructing the road, over the wounded, crying out, over the dead and over the blood spots, and again they reached the earthwork and fought hand to hand.

"Guess they'll stay licked this time," growled Ben as the enemy fell back after ten minutes' fighting.

"Oh, ye do!" sneered Tom as he jabbed his bayonet into the earthwork to clear it of the blood. "Waal, of all the blamed idiots in Grant's army ye take the cake! We've got about ten men left to hold a division, and ye are countin on a vict'ry."

"Then why don't we retreat?"

"Ag'in orders, ye old shell back. Here's whar we die and over thar is whar they'll bury us."

Now the enemy, maddened by the delay and resistance, crossed men above and below the bridge, and they were soon taking the breastwork in rear. The captain was down, his lieutenants were down—a corporal had command of the remnant of the hundred men.

"What d'ye call this?" asked Ben as the bullets began to come in from flank and rear.

"Next door to hell," replied Tom. "Face about and see if ye can't hit a barn door."

"I've dropped a man every time I've fired, and—and"—

"Got yer dose, eh? Waal, I told ye it would be a wipe out. Sorry fur ye, old man, but war would be a picnic if nobody was killed. Guess I'm the only one left, and I'll go back and report."

And half an hour later, wounded in the arm and shoulder and hip, a powder stained, dust covered old veteran appeared before his colonel and saluted and said:

"Company F, sir. Detailed to hold the bridge above."

"Well?"

"Enemy forced the crossing half an hour ago. Captain dead, lieutenants dead—all dead but me!"

The Worship of Athletics.

Both boys and men when they have opened any paper very soon turn to see what is said about athletics. People go in thousands to see matches of cricket, boating, football, running and bicycle races. Matters connected with these matches keep the telegraph busy and furnish the large headings for posters. They induce men of the highest position and gravest character to write to the newspapers and to discuss such matters from a purely athletical point of view, leaving out of sight all moral questions which may happen to be involved. Portraits of athletes are everywhere, and their histories and condition are generally known. I was present when a certain distinguished man was introduced to a great English bishop. "He is the father of P. T. ——," said his introducer, naming a youth well known for his powers of cutting.—National Review.

The Bishop's Knee Breeches.

It is told of a certain bishop that, while dining at the house of one of his friends, he was pleased to observe that he was the object of marked attention from the son of his host, whose eyes were firmly riveted upon him. After dinner the bishop approached the boy and asked:

"Well, my young friend, you seem to be interested in me. Do you find that I am all right?"

"Yes, sir," replied the boy, with a glance at the bishop's knee breeches. "You're all right, only" (hesitatingly) "won't your mamma let you wear trousers yet?"—London Figaro.

ENLARGED LYMPH GLANDS.

What the Lumps Mean and How They Should Be Treated.

"What are these lumps in my baby's neck?" is a question often asked the doctor.

Lumps, or kernels as they are often called, because they feel like grains or seeds under the examining fingers, are lymph bodies, or glands.

The system of lymph glands and tubes covers the entire body. If it were exposed to view, it would have the appearance of meshwork. Lymph ducts lead from the skin, from the mucous membrane, and from bone to lymph bodies which are further connected with one another by the same means.

At any point where there is an inflammation, a sore, a breaking of the skin or mucous surface, there will be found open mouths of lymph ducts into which waste matter is liable to enter. This waste matter sets up an irritation and an enlargement of the lymph bodies to which it finds its way. It will now be easily understood how such an enlargement or inflammation of the lymph bodies always points to a state of inflammation at some point, perhaps at a considerable distance from the lumps themselves. Thus a felon on the finger causes enlarged glands to appear in the armpit.

Lumps in the neck may sometimes be plainly traced to eczema of the scalp. Sometimes the mouth is the seat of the trouble. Large and inflamed tonsils may be present, or the teeth may be decaying.

When the ear is the seat of an abscess, either before or during the course of a purulent discharge enlarged glands are common.

Enlarged lymph bodies just behind the angle of the jaw are sometimes significant of catarrh of the nose and the adjacent portion of the throat.

The existence of enlarged lymph bodies for a few days, or sometimes for a longer interval, cannot be said to be in itself dangerous. The case is different when lumps exist for several weeks or longer. They become changed in character after this time and begin to break down and form purulent matter. This stage, too, is more difficult to cure, as surrounding tissue may become affected. The skin over the glands is involved and becomes part of the large, soft, red or purplish swelling, now called an abscess, which either breaks or is lanced by the surgeon.

These enlargements may become invaded by the tubercle bacilli, from which consumption of the lungs or a general consumption may develop.

During the course of an infectious disease, when the glands in the neck sometimes become enlarged, the care of the throat must not be neglected. The use of an antiseptic solution on the affected parts will often produce an immediate good result.—Youth's Companion.

About Lightning Rods.

Rods, although they may not entirely protect a building, may preserve it from being seriously damaged. The Jefferson physical laboratory of Harvard university is protected in the following manner: Each of the chimneys is provided with rods which are connected with conductors running along the eaves. From the corners of the roof conductors are led to the ground and are connected underground with a conductor which entirely surrounds the building and which is connected to a permanent water supply at least ten feet below the surface of the ground. Iron pipes are driven to reach this water supply. This is as near an approach to a cage as circumstances would permit.

A trolley car has a lightning rod in its trolley, which is connected through its motor with the rails and the ground. It is not beyond possibility, however, that a discharge descending the trolley arm should refuse to go through the motor and should seek a quicker oscillating path through the car. This is not likely to happen often, for the network of the trolley wire and the telegraph lines of a town or city, together with the electric light wires, separate and divert into many channels the electrical disturbance. The great increase of wires in our cities serves to protect from great damage by lightning, for many paths are offered to the discharges.

EXTREME NERVOUSNESS.

The Usual Outcome of Too Little Blood—Sufferers Often Brought to the Verge of Insanity.

From the Smith's Falls News.

Many cases have been reported of how invalids who had suffered for years, and whose cases had been given up by the attending physician, have been restored to health and vigor through the now world-famed medicine, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but we doubt if there is one more startling or convincing than that of Miss Elizabeth Minshull, who resides with her brother Mr. Thos. Minshull, of this town, an employee in Frost & Wood's Agricultural Works. The News heard of this remarkable case, and meeting Mr. Minshull, asked him if the story was correct. He replied:—"All I know is that my sister had been given up as incurable by two physicians. She is now well enough to do any kind of housework, and can go and come as she pleases, and this change has, it is my honest conviction, been brought about by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." Mr. Minshull then related the following story to the News:—"My sister is twenty years of age. She came to Canada from England about ten years ago, and resided with a Baptist minister, Rev. Mr. Cody, at Sorel, Que. In April of 1896, she took ill and gradually grew worse. She was under a local physician's care for over five months. The doctor said that she was suffering from a complication of nervous diseases, and that he could do little for her. The minister with whom she lived then wrote me of my sister's state of health, and I had her come to Smith's Falls, in the hope that a change and rest would do her good. When she arrived here she was in a very weak state and a local physician was called in to see her. He attended her for some time, but with poor results, and finally acknowledged that the case was one which he could do very little for. My sister had by this time become a pitiable object; the slightest noise would disturb her, and the slightest exertion would almost make her insane. It required some one to be with her at all times, and often after a fit of extreme nervousness she would become unconscious and remain in that state for hours. When I went home I had to take my boots off at the door step so as not to disturb her. When the doctor told me he could do nothing for her, I consulted with my wife, who had great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as she knew of several cases where they had worked wonderful cures, and I concluded it would do no harm to try them anyway, and mentioned the fact to the doctor. The doctor did not oppose their use, but said he thought they might do her good, as they were certainly a good medicine. In September of last year she began to use the Pills, and before two boxes had been used [illegible] She has continued their use since, and is to-day a living testimony of the curative power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

BLOOD THIN AND POOR.

Mrs. John O'Connor, Broad Cove, N. S., makes the following statement:—"I had been suffering from what doctors call general debility. My blood was thin and poor. I had constant, and at times violent, pains in my hips and knees, and frequently passed sleepless nights. I had tried several remedies said to be sure cures, but without success. Then a lady friend, who was very enthusiastic concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, urged me to try that medicine. I used several boxes before I found much benefit, then the change came and I speedily recovered. The pains left me. I could sleep and eat well, and am quite strong and hearty. It is now more than six months since I used the pills, and have not been sick a day since I stopped taking them. I am now quite as enthusiastic over this medicine as my friend was, and will always recommend it."

INSOMNIA CURED.

Mr. Wm. Thomas, a teacher of vocal music, well known throughout Eastern Ontario, says: "I was greatly troubled with insomnia, and for two years I believe I existed with less sleep than any other individual ever did. The strain on my nervous system was something terrible, and each day found me less able to perform my duties. My digestion was impaired, my complexion was sallow, appetite very fickle, and my whole condition one of the most unenviable. I had tried many remedies without avail, and finally as a result of reading so much about them I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In the course of a few weeks it was plainly manifest that they were helping me. It took some months to restore my old time health, but Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did it, and I am now feeling like a new man. When I retire to my bed I am sure of a good night's rest. I have a good appetite, a good digestion, and a general feeling of renewed health, for all of which I am deeply grateful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

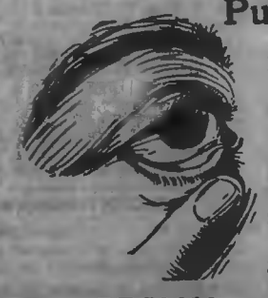
ST. VITUS' DANCE.

Mr. Jacob Snyder, jr., of Bloomingdale, Ont., Says:—About three years ago, Adeline Webber, aged eleven years, an orphan adopted by us, showed symptoms of St. Vitus' dance. At first we did not realize what the trouble was, but as she was growing worse we consulted a doctor, who told us what was the matter, but did not seem to help her. In fact she was growing worse and her limbs twitched and jerked terribly. We then consulted another doctor under whose care she remained for about a year, and although he was very attentive, she was steadily growing worse. Her limbs became so unsteady that she could not walk, and she had wasted away to a skeleton, and we had no hope of her recovery. One day while in conversation with Mr. Martin Simpsom, of Berlin, he told me that a daughter of his who had suffered in the same way had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and advised that they be tried. After she had used two boxes there was considerable improvement, and after the use of four boxes more, all the symptoms of the disease had left her, and from that time she steadily regained her former strength. Her case seemed to us a desperate one, and we believe that had it not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, she would not have recovered."

Too Little Blood.

Too little blood! That is what makes men and women look **pale, sallow and languid.** That is what makes them drag along, **always tired,** never hungry, unable to digest their food, **breathless** and **palpitating at the heart** after slight exertion, so that it is a trouble to go up stairs. They are **"Anæmic,"** doctors tell them; and that is Greek for having **"too little blood."** **Are you like that?**

Are your **gums pale instead of being scarlet?** **Pull down your eyelid**—is the **lining** of it **bloodshot** and **pale?** That is where **"too little blood"** shows.



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And all Troubles arising From Poor and Watery Blood

PALE, TIRED AND LISTLESS.

Miss Eva Hodgson, daughter of Mr. Wm. Hodgson, a well known farmer living near Proton Station, Ont., is another of the many young girls who owe health and strength to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. She says:—"My illness came on very gradually, shortness of breath after the smallest exertion being the first symptom I noticed. Then I became very pale, was attacked with a pain in the side and a hacking cough. At first only home remedies were used, but as they did me no good a doctor was consulted and I was taking his medicine for nearly a year. I did not derive any benefit from it, however, but seemed to be getting weaker all the time. The pain in my side grew more severe, and I had wasted away almost to a skeleton. At this stage a friend strongly advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. By the time I had used three boxes I could feel an improvement, and then I began to gain steadily in health and strength. I took the Pink Pills for a couple of months longer and at the end of that time was completely cured. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a blessing to suffering humanity and will always strongly recommend them."

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CRIPPLED WITH RHEUMATISM.

Could Not Raise Either Hand or Foot and Had to be Fed and Dressed—Doctors said a Cure Was Impossible.

From the Millbrook Reporter.

Rheumatism has claimed many victims and has probably caused more pain than any other ill afflicting mankind. Among those who have been its victims few have suffered more than Mr. G. W. Coon, now proprietor of a flourishing bakery in Hampton, but for a number of year a resident of Pontypool, where his severe illness occurred. To a reporter who interviewed him Mr. Coon gave the following particulars of his great suffering and ultimate cure:—"Some seven or eight years ago," said Mr. Coon, "I felt a touch of rheumatism. At first I did not pay much attention to it, but as it was suddenly growing worse I began to doctor for it, but to no effect. The trouble went from bad to worse, until three years after the first symptoms had manifested themselves I became utterly helpless, and could do no more for myself than a young child. I could not lift my hands from my side, and my wife was obliged to cut my food and feed me, when I felt like eating, which was not often considering the torture I was undergoing. My hands were swollen out of shape, and for weeks were tightly bandaged. My legs and feet were also swollen, and I could not lift my foot two inches from the floor. I could not change my clothes and my wife had to dress and wash me. I grew so thin that I looked more like a skeleton than anything else. The pain I suffered was almost past endurance and I got no rest either day or night. I doctored with many doctors, but they did me no good, and some of them told me it was not possible for me to get better. I believe I took besides almost everything that was recommended for rheumatism, but instead of getting better I was constantly getting worse, and I wished many a time that death would end my sufferings. One day Mr. Perrin, storekeeper at Pontypool, gave me a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and urged me to try them. I did so somewhat reluctantly as I did not think any medicine could help me. However, I used the pills, then I got another box and before they were gone I felt a trifling relief. Before a third box was finished there was no longer any doubt of the improvement they were making in my condition, and before I had used three boxes more I began to feel, in view of my former condition, that I was growing quite strong, and the pain was rapidly subsiding. From that out, there was a steady improvement, and for the first time in long weary years I was free from pain, and once more able to take my place among the world's workers. I feel better than I felt for seven years previous to taking the pills. I thank God that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills came in my way as I believe they saved my life, and there is no doubt whatever that they rescued me from years of torture."

IN A DECLINE.

Mrs. W. Goodwin, Argyle Sound, N. S., says:—"After the birth of my first child I was in poor health and unable to recover my strength. I had a severe pain in my left side and lung, which almost made it impossible for me to breathe. I had a bad cough day and night, and was troubled with night sweats, and on awakening found myself very weak. My complexion was sallow, and my appetite entirely gone. All my friends believed me in a decline. Our family physician attended me for a long time but I got no better. Then a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Acting on this advice I bought a supply, and continued their use until my health was fully restored. I am sincere in saying that I believe Dr. Williams' Pink Pink saved my life."

CONSUMPTION OF THE BLOOD.

Mrs. J. M. Gordon, Cataraqui, Ont. says:—"If I could not have got Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I do believe I would not be in the land of the living. I had what one of my physicians—for I tried a number—called consumption of the blood. I was wasted away to a shadow, and my hands were literally transparent. I had a hacking cough, could not sleep and could scarcely eat. Doctors having failed to help me, I determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and was soon gratified to find that they were helping me. I continued their use for several months, and am thankful to say that they have fully restored my health. I consider Dr Williams' Pink Pills a blessing to humanity."

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SONG OF THE BEGGAR MAID.

The moon is a king with a silver crown
In the blue, blue sky.
Happy go lucky and low lie down,
Favored by fortune's every frown,
Beggarly maid am I; beggarly maid am I.

What is his wand with the starry tip?
A pale moonbeam.
He lays it gently upon my lip.
Kings may quarrel and kingdoms slip.
Happy I lie and dream; happy I lie and dream.

Here I lie through the dear, dear night.
May it linger long!
Every goblin and every sprite,
Happy go heavy and happy go light,
Sings in my dreamland song, sings in my dreamland song.

Kings may quarrel and kings may groan
With a long, long sigh.
Queens may languish and make their moan.
Beggarly maiden and all alone,
Happiest queen am I, happiest queen am I.
—A. G. Herbertson in Black and White.

THE MINISTER'S STORY.

He Takes a Perilous Ride and the Groom Shows Appreciation.

Rev. Dr. Britt of Omaha, who officiates as editor of The Veteran, dearly loves a good story and can tell one as well as listen to one. Dr. Britt was for years a leading minister in the Methodist church, but resigned on account of ill health. He served in the Union army for four years and earned the right to wear a badge of the Grand Army of the Republic, and his service in the army makes him peculiarly fitted for his position of editor of the Grand Army organ of the department of Nebraska.

A few days ago Dr. Britt was telling of one of his ministerial experiences. It occurred years ago in Illinois.

On the coldest night in the winter of 1878 Dr. Britt retired to bed in a well warmed bedchamber and prepared to sleep the sleep of the just. Just as he was dreaming of a donation party that did not eat more than it left he was aroused by a knock at the front door. When he answered the knock, a man stepped into the room and shook the snow from his coat.

"I want you to go out near Mott's schoolhouse and marry a couple," said the stranger.

Mott's schoolhouse was nine miles from town, and Dr. Britt naturally objected to traveling that distance through a blizzard.

"Why not wait until morning?" queried the doctor.

"It can't be did, parson," said the stranger. "The man has got to start for South America in the morning an wants to take a wife with him. His girl has steadily refused him up till three hours ago, an as he's got to start tomorrow he wants to marry her an take her along."

Dr. Britt had been married just long enough to appreciate the situation, and finally consented to go. He wrapped himself up as warmly as possible and took his place on the spring seat of the lumber wagon that was to convey him to the bridal scene. It was the coldest ride he had ever experienced and reminded him of that icy night before the Sunday that Donelson surrendered. But the home of the bride to be was finally reached. A few neighbors were gathered, and as soon as the preacher was thawed out he performed the marriage ceremony.

The next morning the bride and groom started for South America and rode to the railroad station in a lumber wagon with Dr. Britt. The doctor went to the station with them, and just before the train departed the groom called him to one side and thrust a sealed envelope into his hand.

Dr. Britt thrust the envelope into his pocket and hastened home. Calling Mrs. Britt into his study, he opened the envelope to gaze upon his fee.

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DAUDET AS A YOUTH.

He Played the Heroic and Was Told to Get His Hair Cut.

When he was a boy, Alphonse Daudet's father failed, and for some time the two lived together in poverty in Lyons. An elder brother, Ernest, however, got a position in a glass store in Paris, and finally, when 17 years old, Alphonse went to live with him and to try his fortunes in the great city. Ernest's wages amounted to only $90 a month, and Alphonse brought nothing with him from Lyons except about 40 cents and a voracious appetite. He is even said to have worn rubber boots on that memorable journey. The two brothers took lodgings in an attic and for several years led a poverty stricken life. Nothing, however, discouraged the two lads. Both had confidence that there was a future in literature for Alphonse, who in these trying years wrote a volume of poems which he had succeeded in getting printed. A copy of the volume fell under the eye of Empress Eugenie, who persuaded her brother-in-law, the Duke of Morny, to hunt the young man up and help him.

The result of the empress' interest in the young poet was that the duke invited him to call upon them. When Daudet entered, the duke asked:

"Can you write?"

"Yes, sir," replied Daudet.

"Very good. I want a secretary. Pay, 5,000 francs. Good morning."

The boy was nearly overcome. He had never imagined that any one was paid that much a year—about $1,000. But he suddenly remembered that he differed in politics from the duke and drawing himself up announced the fact.

Instead of being deeply moved by his heroic course, the duke said: "Oh, go and get your hair cut. I don't care anything about your political beliefs."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

History In Novels.

Save in one or two of Cooper's novels, says Paul Leicester Ford in The Atlantic, it would be well nigh impossible to find a romance dealing with Revolutionary history which does not make the Whig of that war the patriot and the Tory the disloyal and usually evil acting man. Yet the student of history knows that the loyalists, if a minority, were largely composed of the gentry and educated classes of the country; were, in fact, the equivalent of what today are termed the "better element," and were superior in character to many of the men who opposed them. No American novelist has ventured to write of John Hancock and Jonathan Trumbull as men suspected of smuggling, or of Samuel Adams as a public man who sought, as other officials have done more recently, to vindicate himself from the charge of defalcation by an appeal to the ballots of the masses.

Would any American author, striving to write popular fiction, dare to picture one signer of the Declaration as selling the secrets of his country to the French ministry for a paltry pension, or another taking advantage of information of the need of the continental cause for wheat to corner the supply at once so far as he was able? In one case alone have our writers dared to draw an approximately faithful portrait of a man who came to the front in early Revolutionary days, to describe the bounty jumper, deserter, smuggler and drunkard, who nevertheless rose to high honor in the American cause, and the reason for this exception is explained when the name of the man is given as Benedict Arnold.

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"Judgment For Plaintiff."

An ambitious young lawyer paid his first visit to a country court holding its session not very far from New Orleans not long since, says The Times-Democrat. He went to represent a big railroad in a suit brought by a countryman to recover the value of an ox which departed this life in a vain attempt to hold up the limited mail.

The question before the court was one of identification, and the countryman had testified that he know the ox by his color and the flesh marks.

The young city lawyer rose and with dignity said: "If your honor please, there can be no question that this witness has sworn falsely when he testified that an ox can be recognized by his color. I was a stenographer before I became a lawyer, and for two days, your honor (drawing out his notebook), I have taken a detailed description of every ox that passed the hotel, and I am prepared to swear as an expert that 'all oxen look alike to me.'"

"You are trifling with the dignity of this court, sir," sternly said the judge, "and I will fine"— "Hold on, judge," said the clerk. "There hain't been but one yoke of oxen in this town in a week. Old man Henley's been a-hauling wood, and the lawyer's been counting the same oxen over and over."

"Judgment for plaintiff," said the judge, and the city lawyer, glad to escape the wrath of his honor, took his departure, a sadder but wiser man.

The Family Table.

Confucius many years ago advised his disciples thus: "Eat at your own table as you would eat at the table of a king." There are many reasons for the observance of some formality at the daily board. How otherwise are the children in the family to learn the correct usages of good society in this respect? To allow a child to demand and obtain his roast while the other members of the family are taking their soup is to create in him an impatience of restraint and to deprive him of the due appreciation of things done decently and in order. No matter how simple the dinner, it is well to have it in courses and with the accompaniments of careful serving and dainty table appointments. The house furnishers show as attractive patterns in the cheaper as the more expensive ware. It takes only a little seeking to furnish the table with dishes of dainty design. Says a sensible writer, "A meal served on the kiss is not an aid to digestion."

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There are voices in the tree tops—we may hear them as we pass.
There are whisperings of summer in the springing of the grass.
There's a noble sweep of triumph where the hawk is on the wing,
And the perfume of the lilac is the spirit of the spring.

Oh, the pulsing warmth of waking, how it permeates the air!
'Tis the anodyne of hope that steals the bitterness from care.
We may lay aside our burdens in the glory of our choice
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—Harper's Bazar.

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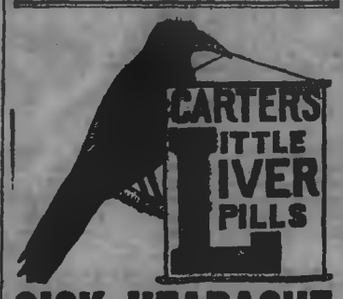

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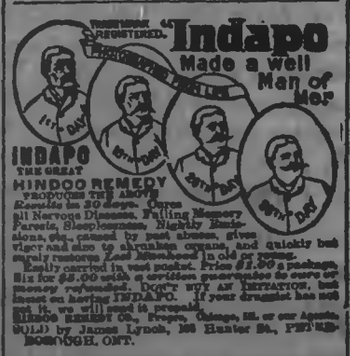

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Morality must be at a very low ebb in St. Thomas, Ont., if one is to believe the St. Thomas Times. In Saturday's issue of that paper, it declares that "society is rotten to the core," and continues:

"It underlies the life of every section of the city. If the main sewer of St. Thomas' social life were to discharge its accummulation of filth and scandal, gossip, shame and infamous smut for one brief year upon the pages of a daily newspaper, what decent people there are in existence would hide their faces in unutterable horror and disgust. Oh, for the pen of a Hall Caine, such as inspired his book, 'The Christian,' with which to depict the petrifying moral quicksands which underlie the serene surface of sanve, sanctimonious serenity. If the secrets which the medical men of this city are perforce entrusted with, if the family skeletons with which they come in contact were revealed and exhibited and made public, it would cause a crumbling of many a family altar, the vanishing of many a home, the destruction of the faith of many a confiding wife, or unquestioning trust of many a too-indulgent husband, and the bringing of gray hairs in shame and sorrow to the kindly shelter of the tomb."

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HARVEY COUNCIL.

The Harvey council met at the clerk's office on Dec. 15th as the statutes direct. The members were all present; minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Communications and accounts read from W. B. Kelly re school tax on lots in school section No. 4, Harvey. Petition, F. S. Spence re amendments to license acts. Treasurer's Financial statement read, adopted and the clerk instructed to procure 100 printed copies of the same for distribution. William J. Oliver as commissioner reported that John Stewart agrees to fence the road, north side of lot 20, in the spring, for 12 days of statute labour for 1898. On motion James Oliver was appointed to examine the quarter lines between lots 25 and 26, across con. 18; also lots 30 and 31, cons. 14 and 15, and any valuable timber, is to be put up at auction and sold to the highest bidder. The reeve was also instructed to draw orders in favour of trustees for the amounts levied upon the several sections respectively, amounting to the total sum of $1,405.45; also orders drawn to pay for roads and bridges, accounts and officers' salaries for 1897, amounting to the sum of $308.10. On motion the statute labour charged to Thos. A. Gordon, and not done in 1897, is to be removed from the collector's roll and he is allowed to do the work in 1898. On motion, the taxes charged to the Widow Holt was removed from the collector's roll for 1897.

On motion the council adjourned sine die.

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S. S. No. 18, Otonabee.

V class—J Kindred, IV class—L Crowley, A Crowley, M Deyell and R Lang. Sr III—C Lynch, A Taylor, E Deyell and A Shaughnessy. Jr III class—E Wood and B Shaughnessy, B Wood, F Crowley and M Lynch. Sr II class—W Connors, F Connors and C Taylor, M Crowley and R Bowie. Jr II class—R Robinson, J Lancashire, L Lancashire and W Deyell. Pt II class—H Connors. Honour roll for year's attendance—B Shaughnessy, W Connors, F Connors, A Taylor, J Lancashire, A Shaughnessy, R Rutherford, C Taylor, E Wood.

TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.20 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.20 a. m. and 12.26 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a.m.	7.35 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.26 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.43 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.35 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.26 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.26 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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MRS. STERNAMAN'S CASE.

Court Says Evidence of Her Former Husband's Illness is Admissible.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—In Regina v. Sternaman, the Divisional Court has decided that the evidence was properly admissible which was given at the trial on behalf of the Crown to show that accused's former husband had been taken seriously ill after eating food prepared by her, and that the symptoms attending his illness and death were those of arsenical poisoning. The court points out as worthy of notice that the Legislature of New Zealand had in 1896 enacted that "on a charge of poisoning in order to prove that the accused administered the poison as charged, or his intent in so doing, it may be proved that he administered or attempted to administer poison on other occasions to the same or other persons."

Count Telsener Dead.

New York, Jan. 4.—Count Telsener, who was related to Mrs. John W. Mackay through having married her younger sister, died at his home in Villa Aba, near Rome. He was an intimate friend of King Humbert and spent much of his time in the company of His Majesty. He achieved a reputation as a civil engineer, and just before his death had been planning improvements, at the suggestion of King Humbert, for the system of Italian railways.

Young Knock Pilfered.

Hespeler, Ont., Jan. 4. — Herman Knock, a lad employed in the A. W. Brodie mills here, was arrested yesterday on the charge of stealing sums of money amounting, it is supposed, to about $60 from his uncle, Mr. Helmuth Wolf, who resides at his home. The money was kept in a trunk and it was abstracted in small sums at different times. Young Knock confessed to the theft and afterwards was removed to Berlin, the county seat, to stand his trial.

John Fox Frozen to Death.

Gravenhurst, Jan. 4.—John Fox was a farmer, aged about 50, living at Loon Lake, Muskoka township. Friday afternoon last Fox was in town and procured three bottles of whiskey. About five o'clock in the afternoon he was seen reeling homewards. He managed to get within a short distance of home, when he fell in his tracks, upon a private road leading to his house. There he laid for four or five hours. When he was found he was terribly frozen. He died on Sunday.

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THE RANKIN TRAGEDY.

Story of the Defence—Mrs. Stephens Says He Purposely Blocked the Highway to Obstruct Her.

Bracebridge, Jan. 4.—(Telegram Report.)—The following is the defence side of the story in the Rankin tragedy:

On the morning of the 21st inst. Mrs. Stephens and her son drove to Yearley's and did business in Mr. Clark's store. On their way home they found the road blocked by the team and sleigh of the late James Rankin. He had taken a position between two piles of bark, one on either side of the road. It was impossible to pass, nor would Rankin move out of the way. It is said, furthermore, that he intended leaving his sleigh loaded with bark until the next morning. Mrs. Stephens was told to find her way home by another road. This would have been difficult to do. At this place she was not more than 300 yards from her own house.

She flatly denies that she sent the boy for the gun, but says that another one of her boys, hearing the quarreling, brought the gun. The boy who did the shooting says that deceased attempted to strike him with an ax, and that he did the shooting in self-defence. In the scrap Rankin got Mrs. Stephens' hat and handkerchief, in which were tax receipts and five cents. Most likely the defence will put in the plea that he robbed her. The defence also say that Rankin knew Mrs. Stephens had gone out on this road and purposely blocked the road to prevent her getting home.

Chief Constable McKinnon, of Huntsville, brought the accused to the jail here. Mrs. Stephens has an infant with her, and leaves several small children at home in an almost destitute condition. Application will be made by a petition from people of Stisted to the Attorney-General to get her out on bail.

It is said that every person in the township, except Mrs. Stephens' father and mother, would sign a petition for her release, not especially because of their respect for her, but because of their intense dislike for Rankin.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was picked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

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DEATH ROLL IS 23.

Over 100 Others Injured in London's Disaster.

THE LATEST LIST OF THE DEAD

Tragic Death of the Father of Ald. McPhillips—The Council Organizes Efficient Aid for the Distressed—An Inquest Opened—Messages of Sympathy and Offers of Help.

London, Jan. 5.—Yesterday's revision of the death roll in the terrible accident in London resulted in several changes, which, in the aggregate, have happily reduced the total, which now stands at 23; there are, however, some half dozen victims so severely injured that the physicians have but little hope of their recovery. The only name added is that of John Fortner, who was not identified until yesterday morning.

From all sections of the country came messages of sympathy, showing how deeply the calamity had touched the hearts of the people of Canada.

Upon the streets the disaster was the sole topic of conversation. The cause for it was earnestly discussed by the citizens and had it been shown that faults of construction could be brought home to anyone, the excited people might have been led to add one more victim to the gruesome list. So many had been injured that nearly every household had a relative or intimate friend who had suffered, and bitter words of condemnation were on every lip. When it was made known that the portion of the hall which had given way had stood for years, the note of vengeance was changed to one of sympathy for the afflicted. From nearly every city and town in Canada, and from many prominent men, came messages offering financial relief if such were needed.

A special meeting of the City Council was called this morning, and committees were appointed to investigate and report upon any cases in which assistance was needed. In the afternoon the committees met and reported that several cases of extreme destitution were found, and it was decided to at once take steps for relief.

The members of the Council decided that no list of those on whom the heavy

EX-ALD. JOHN TURNER.
(A Victim of the London Disaster.)

hand of sorrow had fallen, adding pecuniary troubles to their great loss, should be made public, but that the Mayor and aldermen should see that each case should be immediately relieved without informing the recipients from whom the aid was coming.

Mayor Little to a reporter said that London could take care of all who were in want, and would not put forth any plea for aid to any other city. "We will take care of our own, and, although the City Council may not have power to spend any money, we will see that no one shall suffer. I will personally see that everything will be done to render all help possible to those who may be in need."

The Mayor's public-spirited utterances found ready response, and on all sides there was an immediate endorsation of the decision not to establish any public relief fund, or invite help from other cities.

Coroner's Inquest.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon Coroner J. H. Flock empanelled a jury, which viewed the body of W. H. Dell and visited the scene of the accident. The proceedings were merely formal, and the sitting of the jury will commence on Friday. It is expected that a host of expert testimony will be called, as should it be shown that the city was in any way deficient in its duty, or that the hall was known to be unsafe, there is no doubt that claims for damages, aggregating many hundreds of thousands of dollars, will be filed.

Another death, which, although not directly brought about by the accident itself, and one which will be deeply deplored, was that of Mr. Patrick McPhillips, sr., of 510 Princess avenue. Mr. McPhillips was one of London's best known citizens, and had reached the ripe age of 89. His son Patrick, a barrister, had been triumphantly returned at the head of the poll as alderman for No. 1 Ward, and was one of those upon the platform when the floor gave way, but luckily escaped unhurt. The shock of the news of the calamity was too much for the old gentleman, and he expired suddenly at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

The funerals will be of a private character.

TWENTY-THREE DEAD.

The Corrected List Gives This as the Number of Persons Were Killed in the Accident.

The following is the latest list of dead:
W. T. Smith, ex-street car conductor and a market gardener opposite Wonderland.
L. W. Burke, insurance agent, ex-President Young Liberal Club.
Noble Carrothers, aged 17, nephew Ald. Carrothers.
Crawford Beckett, contractor, leaves a widow.
Ex-Ald. John Turner, carriage manufacturer, leaves widow and four children.
Edward Luxton, Centralia, a youth, identified by letters in pocket.
Fred Heaman, aged 15, son of ex-Ald. William Heaman.
William H. Dell, baker, West London, leaves a widow and one child.
E. S. Leigh, plumber, Richmond-street, leaves a widow.
A. E. Phillips, flour store, King-street, unmarried.
B. J. Nash, carriage manufacturer, Stanley-street, leaves a widow and children.
William Edward Talbot, 33 Hamilton-road, 13 years old.
Ben Jacques, cabman, 795 York-street.
John Fellowes, Depper's Corners.
W. J. Borland, 163 Tecumseh-avenue, woodworker at John Campbell & Son's.
James Harris, moulder, 21½ Dundas-street.
Oswald Bruce, 156 Wharncliffe-road, aged 13.
John Burritge, shoemaker, corner Talbot and King-streets, married, two children.
Frank Robinson, plasterer, 347 Horton-street, leaves widow and children.
James McLean, son James McLean, Clarence-street.
Stewart Harris, 71 Fullerton-street, produce merchant, Covent Garden Market.
Stephen Williams, aged man.
John H. Fortner, Bathurst-street, laborer, 26 years, married, no family.

AT THE CAPITAL.

Contracts for Military Supplies Awarded—Canadian-Made Paper in Great Britain—Other Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Postmaster-General Mulock returned to the city yesterday.

Immigration Agents Appointed.

Mr. Sifton has appointed the following immigration agents to work in a few of the Western States during the next three months: C. W. Speers, of Griswold, to Nebraska; J. S. Crerar, of Yorkton, to Iowa; L. Rankin, of Regina, to Kansas; Wendelino, of Winnipeg, to North Dakota; D. A. McEwan, of Estervan, to South Dakota; J. Sutter, of Edmonton, to Illinois; Mr. Braum, to Minnesota.

Canadian-Made Paper in Britain.

Mr. George Mawson, a London, England, paper dealer, is in the city, bearing letters of introduction to Sir Richard Cartwright and other Ministers from Lord Strathcona. The object of his visit is to work up an export paper trade in Canadian paper to England. He points out that as Canada is exporting considerable pulp to England at present, there is no reason whatever why the manufactured article should not find a ready market over there. As between pulp and paper there would be an actual saving in freight, owing to the absence of moisture in paper as compared with pulp. At the price at which newspaper paper is selling in England to-day, a fraction over a penny a pound, Mr. Parmalee, the Deputy Minister of Trade, is dubious about Canadian paper finding a lucrative market there.

Registration of Cheese Factories.

Last session an Act was passed to provide for the registration of cheese factories and creameries and for the branding of dairy products. It will come into force next season. Although the Act is permissive and not obligatory, already 379 factories have taken out certificates of registration, which will protect them against the sale of inferior products.

Contracts Awarded.

The contracts for supplies for the permanent military corps throughout the Dominion have been awarded, among them the following: London—William Isaac, meat; John Diprose, bread; John Lawson, potatoes and groceries; William Percival, forage and straw for men; Wm. Stevely & Son, cleaning stoves and furnishing stoves and stovepipes.

Toronto—Geo. Garner, meat; W. Carlyle, bread; Wm. MacKerrow, potatoes and groceries; Moses Hunter, forage and straw; Wm. H. Lake, coal oil, cleaning stoves and furnishing stovepipes; M. Bryan, cleaning chimneys.

Kingston—Michael Walsh, meat; J. R. Carnovsky, bread; J. S. Henderson, potatoes and groceries; C. Donoghue, forage and straw for men; Chas. D. Chown, cleaning and putting up and furnishing stovepipes, coal oil.

Duncan Byron MacTavish, Q.C., was sworn in this morning as Senior Judge of the County of Carleton by Judge Ross. Afterwards Judge MacTavish presided at chambers.

Commissioner Sheppard.

Mr. E. E. Sheppard, Canadian Trade Commissioner to South America, writes the Trade and Commerce Department that he will be in Victoria about the middle of this month. He was then in Guatemala, and proposed returning by the west coast.

Theatrical.

Brette—I never saw such a cold audience in my life.

Light—Didn't they warm up a bit?

Brette—Well, when they spoke of bringing out the author I believe some of the audience got hot.—Yonkers Statesman.

THE TENDER SYSTEM

Opposition Amendment Favoring Its Adoption.

IT IS REJECTED BY THE HOUSE.

A Bill Modifying the Powers of Division Court Judges—To Prevent Gambling—Small Jails to go—To Protect Children—No More Gratuities—New Notices of Motions.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Not more than one-half the members of the Legislature were in their places when the Speaker took his chair yesterday afternoon. The Government is rushing business just the same, however, and there is every prospect at present the House will prorogue not later than January 20. The Government introduced three bills of minor importance yesterday, to which the Opposition will take no objection. There seems to be no legislation before the House that will cause a delay in prorogation beyond the actual routine work before they can become law. There has been no spirit or fight left in Mr. Whitney and the other members of the Opposition since the Premier announced his timber policy. The timber bill seemed to take the wind completely out of the Opposition sails and all seem anxious now to get through the business and get home.

The Timber Commission.

The report of the special committee to consider the best means of preserving the timber wealth of the province was presented to the Legislature yesterday. After setting forth their reasons very voluminously the members advised as follows:

1. The present system of fire-ranging should be not optional but compulsory with all holders of timber berths.

2. That the officials of the Hudson Bay Co. be asked to co-operate with the Government in preparing and printing fire proclamations in the languages of the Indians of the northern districts.

3. For all unworked limits on which the ground rent shall be two years in default on the termination of the present license year, the license shall not be renewed.

4. That license holders be not allowed to cut any trees for logs smaller than will measure 12 inches. The limit now is 9 inches.

5. A system of reforestry similar to that already introduced by the Government.

Reducing Judges' Powers.

Hon. Mr. Hardy moved the second reading of his bill relating to judgment summonses and other matters. The bill forbids Division Court judges to issue injunctions. He said also that the bill passed last session permitting suit to be brought for interest only on overdue mortgages had been used to send people to jail on judgment summonses. This bill would prohibit such proceedings in such cases. Messrs. St. John, Willoughby and other members of the Opposition gave the bill a hearty support.

Mr. Garrow spoke strongly in favor of passing a bill which would not permit imprisonment in any form for non-payment of debt. He said at present the law did not permit imprisonment for debt, but placing a man in jail for contempt in the Division Court amounted practically to the same thing. The bill received its second reading.

To Prevent Gambling.

There was considerable discussion when Mr. Dryden's bill to prevent gambling and games of chance at agricultural exhibitions came before the House in the committee stage. Mr. German was of opinion the law would not be enforced should the bill pass, and therefore discredit would fall upon the law. Many other members supported his view, but the great majority did not think the bill strong enough. Mr. Haycock said he would like to see a punishment provided for the directors of fairs where gambling was permitted. The bill passed without amendment.

Small Jails to Go.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a bill respecting county jails, which provides that in cases where the number of prisoners do not exceed three per day for two years an arrangement may be made with the neighboring jail to take charge of such prisoners, and abolishing the local jail. The bill also provides that when a vacancy occurs in the office of jailer the office may be abolished and the sheriff act, if suitable arrangements can be made between the sheriff and the council.

To Protect Children.

Hon. Mr. Davis introduced a bill respecting maternity boarding houses and the protection of infants. The bill transfers the powers over such matters, now vested in local boards of health, to the local medical health officer, and provides that the support of children who come from such institutions shall be a tax upon the municipality where the parents reside.

No More Gratuities.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a bill which provides that in future anyone entering the service of the province shall not upon retiring receive superannuation, nor shall their families receive a gratuity in case of their death.

The Tender System.

Mr. Crawford moved a resolution declaring that supplies should be purchased by the Government for public institutions only by tender. He said the tender system was the most economical and best. It had been adopted by municipal corporations and after years of experience it had been pronounced the best. He admitted the Government had already adopted the system to some extent, but urged them to purchase in no other way. He would not say it would be practical to purchase small items in this way, but the Opposi-

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Settled in My Back.

I thought I would work it off, but it grew worse, and I was obliged to shut down my sawmill and stop work. My blood was poor and I did not have any appetite. I could not sleep nights on account of the severe pains. I decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. In ten days time I felt relief, and now, a few months having elapsed, I am myself again and am

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1898.

WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. S. Fisher of Hastings, spent New Year's in our village.

Miss Maud Evans, of Otonabee, spent New Year's with her friend, Miss Maggie Cardwell,

Mr. and Mrs. Sargent and family, spent New Year's with Mr. J. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sharp spent New Year's with Mr. R. Skinner, Keene.

Miss Lottie Blezard and Miss Bella Miller are visiting in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McMillan, of Havelock, spent New Year's with Mr. W. J. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Brackenridge spent New Year's at Zion.

Mr. M. F. Brackenridge left this week to enter upon his duties as Public School teacher at Cottesloe.

School has opened again with Mr. Jas. Brackenridge as teacher.

Mr. Geo. Gillespie and Mr. Wm. Sharp have entered the Dairy School, Kingston, for a course in butter and cheesemaking.

Mr. Alfred Elmhirst is home on a visit from the Northwest.

Miss Lizzie Sharp is visiting Miss L. Scott, Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Peake, of Minden, spent Christmas here and in South Dummer.

Mrs. W. Eaton and Miss May Eaton, of Norwood, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Eason.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Graham were under the parental roof Christmas.

Mrs. W. Gillott, Millbrook, and Mrs. J. Kindred, Zion, spent the popular day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brackenridge.

Miss Janet Scott, of Desboro, has returned home since visiting at the residence of Dr. McNaughton.

Mr. Hugh Brackenridge has returned from the O. B. C., Belleville, with diplomas in typewriting, stenography and bookkeeping. He has successfully bridged the Civil Service Examination held in Kingston in November. We extend our hearty congratulations. Pedagogy is his feature just now.

The different churches and Young People's Societies held special services in commemoration of Christ's birthday.

At the annual meeting of the W. F. M. S., of the Presbyterian church, the following were appointed officers:

President—Mrs. John Hogg.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. Thos. Eason.
2nd Vice-President—Miss A. Cameron.
Rec. Sec.—Miss K. Sharp.
Cor. Sec.—Mrs. McNaughton.
Treas.—Miss M. Harrison.

We must compliment the ratepayers and Council of Asphodel, on the intelligence, interest and good feeling displayed at our municipal nomination. We hope the old council will do as well as last year, as they have been re-elected.

The entertainment and Xmas tree under the auspices of the Methodist Sunday school was held in the town hall on Xmas eve. The attendance was very encouraging, the concert par excellence, and the tree presented a most delightful appearance with its heavy load. The programme was as follows:

Chorus	Sabbath school
Prayer	Rev J R Peake
Chairman's address	Rev F White
Anthem	Choir
Recitation	Miss A McGrath
Instrumental (encore)	Orchestra
Address	Mr Stewart, M P P
Solo (encore)	Mr Fred Warr
Wand exercise	Three school girls
Chorus	Sabbath school
Recitation	Miss Hazel Cardwell
Instrumental (encore)	Orchestra
Recitation	Miss Ruby Comstock
Chorus	Children
Solo	Miss Lottie Blezard
Address	Rev J R Peake
Instrumental (encore)	Orchestra

God Save the Queen.

Each item of the programme was selected with care, and was rendered with precision and effect. Miss Aggie McGrath is fast gaining an enviable reputation as a reciter. The recitations given by two little girls, Phoebe Cardwell and Ruby Comstock, were among the most pleasing features of the entertainment. A handsome sum was realized, which will considerably swell the finances of the Sabbath school.

On Tuesday, Dec. 28th, Mr. N. Brackenridge and Miss E. Leatch were united in marriage by Rev. F. Andrews, Keene.

At the regular meeting of Court Westwood, I.O.F., No. 798, the following officers were elected for 1898:

Dr MacNaughton	Court Deputy
T H Nelson	Chief Ranger
G A Humphries	P C R
Wm McColl	V C R
M Brackenridge	Rec Sec
D Brackenridge	Fin Sec
J G Robb	Treas
D C McColl	Chap
W Garnet	M W
F Warr	J W
Ed Christie	S B
D Lawrie	J B
Dr McNaughton	Physician

Delegates to High Court—H S Nelson and M Brackenridge.

Finance Committee—G Metcalf and F Warr.

Trustees—Thos Blezard, M P P., and Wm Sharp, Sr.

Westwood Lodge I.O.G.T. No. 363 is in a flourishing condition, having had quite an addition to its membership. On Monday evening, the 27th of Dec., at their regular meeting, the brothers having charge of the programme and entertainment spared no pains in making it an enjoyable evening. The programme consisted of music, singing, readings, etc., after which they had the usual Christmas feast of candies, nuts, raisins, etc. The rest of the evening was spent in games and plays.

The social in connection with the Presbyterian Sunday school on New Year's eve was a decided success. After a short programme Santa Claus made his appearance with a sleigh load of presents for the children. When these were distributed the company spent the rest of the evening in social chat, games and amusements.

REHEARSES THE FINAL SCENE.

Men the Murderer of Blanche Lamont Passes His Last Days on Earth.

San Quentin Prison, Cal., Jan. 5.—Theodore Durrant has rehearsed the scene of his own death. At his own request, made absolutely without emotion, he has been told every incident that will mark the minutes of his last hours of life. A book and several papers on religious subjects were received at the prison yesterday for Durrant. They were offerings from a woman who now resides in Toronto, Ont. She was a resident of San Francisco three years ago, and has displayed an interest in Durrant's affairs since his arrest for the murder of Blanche Lamont.

Durrant may invite five of the 150 people who will be present, but as Warden Hale will revise the list it is unlikely that any of his attorneys will be seen beside the gallows.

The condemned man has made the following requests concerning his execution:

First—That the rope used to hang him shall be destroyed immediately after his death, so that no person can say that he holds a piece of it as a memento.

Second—That none of the spectators shall be allowed to gaze upon his features after he is executed.

Third—That no autopsy shall be held after death, and that no physician be allowed to examine his body.

Fourth—That after he is pronounced dead his remains shall be delivered to his parents as soon as possible.

The father of Durrant has received from Meridan, Texas, a document which purports to be the original alleged confession of Joseph E. Blanther to the murder of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams. It will be used in the final effort to secure a stay of execution.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—Contrary to general expectations, the attorneys for W. H. T. Durrant, the condemned murderer of Blanche Lamont, did not appear in the Federal Court yesterday to renew their efforts to secure a stay of execution on behalf of their client. This action led to a rumor to the effect that they had abandoned all further hope of saving Durrant's neck, but this they deny.

Instant Death on the Track.

Blenheim, Ont., Jan. 5. — A man named Ingram was struck by the Lake Erie and Detroit River Railroad train last night near Wilkie and instantly killed. Deceased was walking on the track and paid no attention to the repeated warning signals. The body was brought to Blenheim and an inquest will be held to-day.

The News Broken to Her.

Cayuga, Ont., Jan. 5.—The news was broken to Mrs. Sternaman yesterday by her spiritual adviser, Rev. J. C. Foote, a Methodist minister of this village, that the decision of the Divisional Court at Osgoode Hall yesterday would not allow her a new trial. On hearing the news she wept silently.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodds Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is babbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by John Maguire, 320 George Street

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THE TENDER SYSTEM.

(Continued From First Page.)

tion would like to see the bulk purchased in this way.

Hon. Mr. Davis said there was no cry for this movement in the country. (Hear, hear.) It was a matter that was brought up in the House every session and yet it received no support in the country. He was glad the Opposition had at last admitted that most of the supplies were now purchased by tender. It resolved itself simply into what should be the dividing line between what should be purchased by tender and what should not. The Government at present was purchasing by tender in all cases where supplies could be secured to advantage in this way, but no business man would say that it would be practicable to go farther than the Government was already doing. The country wished the Government to buy by tender when it paid to do so, and to buy in the open market when it would be more advantageous to do so. He read from the public accounts to show that in many instances supplies purchased by tender had cost more than when the same articles such as meat had been purchased in the open market. The county councils, school boards and other bodies purchased in the same way as had been adopted by the Government. At present some $200,000 worth of supplies were purchased by tender, while those purchased in the open market amounted only to $68,000. (Cheers.)

Mr. Marter took issue with the Government and claimed that at least $300,000 worth of goods were purchased in the open market yearly. He pointed out that the Dominion Auditor-General advised that all articles when practicable should be purchased by tender.

Mr. Haycock thought it would not be practicable to purchase all supplies by tender, yet he thought the Government could adopt the tender system to a greater extent than at present.

Mr. Middleton said it would be impossible to purchase by tender to adavntage except in standard or graded goods. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Whitney said the speech of the Provincial Treasurer was quite stolen from the arguments of the Opposition. (Laughter.) He had read from reports showing that under the tender system of Ontario supplies were purchased at a less cost than in similar institutions in other places in the open market. Why, then, did not the Government purchase all their supplies in this way. He denied that the Government purchased a large proportion of their supplies by tender, and stated the Government was attempting to deceive the public when they so stated.

The resolution was negatived on division by 86 to 48.

Notices of Motions.

The Attorney-General — Wednesday next—Bill respecting retiring allowances to civil and public servants.

Also bill respecting certain voters' lists in the County of Renfrew.

Also bill to amend the Voters' Lists Act.

Also bill to provide for the garnishment of the salaries of civil servants.

Also bill relating to the public service.

Also bill to further facilitate the purchase of toll roads by the municipalities.

Mr. Farwell—Thursday next—Bill to amend the Woodman's Lein for Wages Act.

Mr. German—On Thursday next—That in the opinion of this House the water power of the Niagara Falls and Rapids, being one of the great natural resources of this province, should be developed and utilised for the benefit of the Canadian people, and that to this end the Government should favor all bona fide enterprises proposing the development of this power. Also, that the action of the Government in refusing to grant the Canadian Niagara Power Company an extension of its franchises meets with the approval of this House; and that no consideration of rental or revenue for park purposes should restrain the Government from holding that company to a strict compliance with the terms of its contract with the Park Commissioners, or from terminating the same for non-compliance with its terms.

How Elizabeth Was Dressed.

Queen Elizabeth's love of sumptuous apparel indeed grew with her years and the leading fashions of the courts of Europe furnished her with designs for new dresses, which she would continually cast aside for others such as her fancy might suggest. On all occasions she dressed in the richest costumes, adorned with brilliants, precious stones and jewelry of the rarest workmanship. Even in her old age she continued to dress like a young girl, afraid of nothing so much as of being thought old. "Upon the subject of her personal beauty she would smilingly accept the most extravagant flattery," says Carte, "however fulsome it appeared to everybody else." When Paul Hentzner saw her, she was in her sixty-seventh year. Being a German, he observed her with an eye wholly unclouded by any sense of reverence for the divinity which hedges round a monarch. Indeed he was so ungallant as to jot down in his notebook that Queen Elizabeth wore a wig, and that red! He goes on to remark that she had in her ears two pearls with very rich drops and that the bosom was uncovered.

She was dressed in white silk bordered with pearls of the size of beans, and over it a mantle of black silk, shot with silver threads. Instead of a chain she had on an oblong collar of gold and jewels. He adds that "wherever she turned her face every one fell upon his knees"—an act of homage which on state occasions had been paid to her father, and Elizabeth never forgot or allowed others to forget that she was the daughter of Henry VIII.—Nineteenth Century.

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INCREASED WHEAT AREA.

The Special Crop Report of the New York Journal of Commerce on the Crop Outlook.

New York, Jan. 5.—The special crop report of the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin says:

Final returns make the area of winter wheat 26,663,000, as compared with 25,930,000 acres harvested last year, an increase of 11.4 per cent. The increase on the Pacific coast, that is, in California, Oregon and Washington, is 4.5 per cent., the approximate acreage being 3,969,000, as against 3,798,000 acres last year. There has been a material increase in wheat seeding in the Southern States, due to the low price of cotton. Favorable weather during December improved the condition of wheat. The present average is 87.8 per cent., as against 84.1 per cent. last month.

In the six principal States east of the Rocky Mountains the improvement has been more noticeable. The condition is now 84.8 per cent., as compared with 79.5 per cent., Dec. 1. According to the January returns there are 240,000 bushels of wheat held on farms, which is 41.5 per cent. of last year's production. On the corresponding date last year there were held in the same position 190,000,000 bushels.

Of this total, the six principal winter wheat States east of the Rocky Mountains have 83,000,000 bushels, or 44.4 per cent. of the last crop; Minnesota and the Dakotas 79,000,000 bushels, or 41 per cent., and the Pacific Coast 30,000,000 bushels, or 38.9 per cent.

Present estimated supply of wheat in all positions 315,000,000 bushels. Domestic requirements for bread to next July 150,000,000 bushels, and for spring seeding, say 20,000,000 bushels more, in all, 170,000,000 bushels, leaving a surplus for export during the ensuing six months and for home reserves at the end of June of 145,000,000 bushels.

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THE WORLD'S VISIBLE.

An Increase of 1,835,000 Bushels of Wheat, 960,000 Corn, and a Decrease of 734,000 Oats.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 4.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day, 405 cars, as against 140 cars the corresponding day of last year.

Receipts of wheat in Liverpool the past three days were 60,000 centals, all American. Corn same time, 32,400 centals.

Bradstreet reports an increase for the week of 1,835,000 bush in the world's visible supply of wheat, an increase of 960,000 bush in corn, and a decrease of 734,000 bush in oats.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90¾	$0 91¾
New York	0 97¾	0 98¾
Milwaukee	0 85¼	0 90¼
St. Louis	0 92½	0 94½
Toledo	0 91½	0 92½
Detroit	0 90¾	0 91½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 89½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 89½	0 90
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with demand restricted. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was irregular to-day, with buyers holding off. Red winter sold outside at 82c, high freights. Spring sold on Midland at 83c for No. 1 and at 82c for No. 2, and goose 77c Midland. Manitoba [illegible], with sales of No. 1 hard at $1.01 grinding in transit. Toronto freight, and quotations at Fort William are 90c to 91c. No. 1 sold at 98c, Owen Sound.

OATS—The market is steady, and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west, No. 3 extra quoted at 29c. Feed sold [illegible].

OATS—The market was easier to-day, with sales of white at 26½c west and at 25½c Midland. Mixed sold at 28½c west. [illegible] with sales at 46c north and west, and at 47c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 41c west and at 42c east.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c to 46c east.

PEAS—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Holders are asking 59c west.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is quiet and prices unchanged at $3.10 in bags and $3.20 in barrels on track.

Toronto Live Stock.

There was a fair run of live stock on the Cattle Market to-day, 41 carloads being delivered, composed of 407 cattle, 338 sheep, 6 calves and 1500 hogs.

The cattle offered were principally for butchers' use, and were of fair quality. Trade quiet and prices a little less than last quotations.

There were no loads of exporters offered, and only a few of the best picked out of the butchers' class were bought for shipping. Prices ranged all the way from $3.50 to $4.25 per cwt. Export bulls sold at $3 to $3.50. Joseph Wilson bought 12, weighing from 1200 to 2000 lbs. each, at these prices.

Choice picked lots of butchers' cattle sold at $3.50 to $3.75; loads of good $3.25 to $3.35; medium $2.75 to $3.40, and common $2.00 to $3.10 per cwt.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 50 to $4 25
Bulls, heavy exports, good quality	3 00 — 3 50
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 25 — 2 75
Stockers and medium to good	2 85 — 3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40 — 3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 50 — 3 75
" good	3 25 — 3 40
" medium	3 25 — 3 40
Butchers' inferior	2 80 — 3 10
Springers, each	25 00 — 40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00 — 40 00
Calves, each	5 00 — 8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 00 — 3 25
Bucks, per cwt.	2 25 — 2 50
Spring lambs, each	4 00 — 5 00
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75 — 5 00
" light fats	4 50 — ....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 50 — ....
" sows	3 50 — 3 75
" stags	3 00 — ....
" store	4 25 — ....

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat quiet at 7s 4½d for March, 7s 2¼d for May and 7s 0d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 2¾d for Jan. and Feb., 3s 2½d for March and 3s 2¾d for May. Flour, 25s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast uncertain, on passage little doing. Maize on passage easy.

Paris—Close—Wheat weak at 22f 40c for March; flour weak at 59f 90c for March.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 4.—Cattle—Receipts two loads of good cattle, and two loads that held over from yesterday, which, with a few odd ends, was all there were on sale. The market ruled about steady for good grades.

Almost Unbearable.

"I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable and I felt tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated and until I took Doan's Kidney Pills I had been unable to do my housework for over a month. These pills have made a complete cure, all my kidney and bladder troubles have disappeared and I feel like a new woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, Ont.

Scott's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 286 George street.

Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

CHINA'S NEW LOAN.

Paris and St. Petersburg Cannot Raise the Money.

IT IS NOW OFFERED IN LONDO

The Times Denies That Britain Has Any Intention of Demanding Territory or Taking the Lead in the Partition of China—Aims to Extend Trade Under the Empire.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The Cologne Gazette, on authority from the best-informed quarters in Paris, announces that since Thursday last important negotiations have been proceeding in London for a Chinese loan, the attempts made in Paris and St. Petersburg to arrange a loan having failed. China thereupon offered to contract for £16,000,000 in London, at the same time asking the good offices of the British Government.

China, it appears, contemplates offering as security the land tax, under the control of Englishmen, and that, furthermore, an Englishman shall succeed Sir Robert Hart as director of the Chinese Imperial Maritime customs. In addition, Great Britain will insist upon a concession of territory, relative to which secrecy, according to the informant of the Cologne Gazette, must be temporarily observed.

The Cologne Gazette adds that it is understood Russia has renewed her offer to China to conclude a loan in Germany on more favorable terms than are obtainable in Paris or London.

BRITAIN'S POLICY.

Old England Has no Intention to Demand Territory From China, But the Very Reverse.

London, Jan. 5.—The Times, commenting editorially this morning upon the statement of the Cologne Gazette, that since Thursday last negotiations have been proceeding in London for a Chinese loan, upon the proposed security of the land tax and a cession of territory, denies that England has any intention to demand territory or to take the lead in the partition of China. It says:

"England's policy, on the contrary, aims at maintaining the Chinese Empire as a going concern and a vast field for the extension of trade. In pursuing this policy we are glad to note that England enjoys the powerful support of the United States Government, as well as the public opinion of that portion of the American people which is not swayed by blind jingo denunciations."

The editorial considers the Government would be justified even in incurring "reasonable financial risks, which might formerly be properly regarded as outside the scope of Government action," in order to combat "measures restrictive of traded which Russia and Germany are seeking to obtain from China in the shape of railway and mining monopolies and the like."

The Chinese Loan.

London, Jan. 5.—The Evening News says it is reported in the city that the negotiations for a Chinese loan of £16,000,000, guaranteed by the British Government, are practically concluded.

HOSTILITIES ARE FEARED.

The Offending Commandant Has Not Been Recalled—Waiting for Prince Henry.

Pekin, Jan. 5.—The Ministers and the Tsungli-Yamen (Chinese Foreign Office) spent the whole of one night in discussing the disposition of the Chinese commandant of Tsao-Chou, province of Shan-Tung, who is accused of having used threatening language to a German missionary. The commandant has not been summoned to Pekin for examination, as previously cabled, the difficulty having been smoothed over. The general situation remains unchanged.

Hostilities are feared. The German Minister, Baron Von Heyking, is understood to be temporizing until the arrival in China of Prince Henry of Prussia.

Movements of British Warships.

Hong Kong, Jan. 5.—The British cruiser Edgar has arrived here and the British cruiser Grafton has sailed northward.

The bulk of the British fleet is reported to be at Chemulpo, near Ning-Po.

Death of Mrs. McLaren.

Hamilton, Jan. 4.—Mrs. McLaren, mother of Colonel McLaren, commanding the XIII., and one of the most estimable ladies in the city, died last night, aged 76.

Mrs. Georgina Scott, the colored woman who was so badly burned by the upsetting of a lamp a month ago, died yesterday morning at the city hospital.

Was Curley Murdered?

Toronto Junction, Jan. 4.—The inquest into the cause of the death of Joseph Curley, who was found dead in the Keele street subway last Thursday, was resumed last night. The facts so far elicited by the evidence go to show that death must have been instantaneous, but no direct evidence as to the cause has so far been discovered. The inquest stands adjourned till next Thursday.

Miss Willard Fainted.

Janesville, Wis., Jan. 4.—Francis E. Willard, President of the National W. C. T.U., fainted last night at the close of her lecture on "A White Life for Two," which she delivered in the Congregational church. A physician was summoned, but it was some time before she recovered sufficiently to be removed to the home of her cousin, Willard Robinson.

Hacking Cough Cured.

GENTLEMEN,—My brother was troubled with a very bad hacking cough, but after using three bottles of Norway Pine Syrup he was completely cured. I cannot recommend it too highly.

MISS M. BRADSHAW,
Wesleyville, Ont.

For cold in the head use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

ANOTHER WAR CLOUD.

This Time Norway and Sweeden Are Involved in Probabilities.

Christiana, Norway, Jan. 4.—The bellicose spirit has been revived here by the Verdensgang, the organ of the party of the Left, publishing a report upon alleged clandestine inquiries made in August by Swedish officers regarding several Norwegian fortresses. The publication has caused a sensation in both countries.

Influential Swedish newspapers indulge in war threats. Coincident with these threats is the establishment of great Swedish depots for war munitions at Osterund, on the Norwegian frontier. The indignation in Norway has been increased by this action on the part of Sweden.

France Claims Clapperton Island.

Paris, Jan. 5.—The Libre asserts that Clapperton Island, over which the Mexican flag is reported to have been hoisted by marines from the gunboat Democrate, after the Stars and Stripes had been hauled down, really belongs to France, and adds:

"Naturally, the Americans have asked for the protection of their Government; but it is France's duty to re-establish order in that island, adjudicate between the Americans and Mexicans and demonstrate our own rights, which have never been contested."

Pope's Intervention Solicited.

Rome, Jan. 5.—It appears that Mgr. Anser, Bishop of the Province of Shan-Tung, China, in his recent visit to the Pope, not only discussed the developments in China, but had an unofficial mission from Emperor William to enlist the aid of the Pope on behalf of the naval bill, and it is affirmed that the Pope, while refusing to intervene directly in German politics, promised to use his influence indirectly with the Centre (Catholic party in the Reichstag) in support of the naval bill, having in view the interest of German Catholics in China.

Gen. Blanco to Take the Field.

Havana, Jan. 4.—La Discussion says that General Blanco will take the field within the next fortnight and proceed to Eastern Cuba. During his absence from Havana Senor Calves, Premier of the new Colonial Cabinet, will assume control of the Government of the island.

Philippines Cheered for Spain.

Madrid, Jan. 4.—An official despatch from Manilla, capital of the Philippine Islands, announces that the Spanish flag has been hoisted at Camocrent and Riscubato. It is added that the insurgents rendered military honors and cheered for Spain.

D-O-D-D-S

THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth so Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realizing that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble — both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung,' says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont.; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

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Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia, Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

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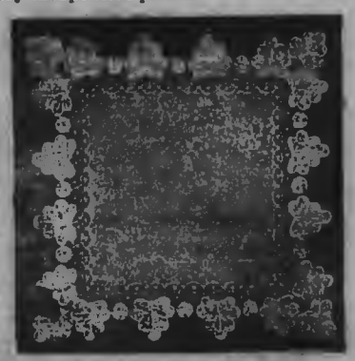
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 15c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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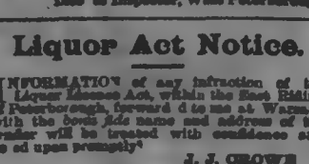

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GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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License Inspector, East Peterborough.

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In Imported Jackets and Capes at Sacrificing Prices during January will now prevail. Cost price ignored. Not a Garment to remain in this department. The limited assortment will likely be consumed in a very short time.

January social events will bring forth a lively demand for many articles of dress, and our reduced prices will make the inducement a plain case of money saving to the ladies.

We excel in Gloves, Veiling, Corsets and Hosiery.

MISS DELANEY

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Gospel Meeting.

In the boys' department of the Y.M.C.A. commencing on Friday evening, the Gospel meetings will be held in class room No. 2.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

On Suspended Sentence.

In the Police Court this morning Fred Boyd was found guilty of the theft of a cornet from the Salvation Army barracks. As the prisoner was young he was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

She Was Acquitted.

Mrs. Burns was acquitted yesterday afternoon before Judge Weller on a charge of stealing two oranges and fifty cents from Nicholas Minaicola. County Crown Attorney Wood appeared for the prosecution and Mr. W. A. Stratton for the defence.

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 35c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

Art Embroidery Class.

Miss Rose has just returned from Toronto where she completed a superior course in Kensington Embroidery at the Kenly School of Art, and will resume the teaching of her different classes on their respective days. All those desirous of joining new classes kindly call at Miss Armstrong's store on Saturdays. Tuition free. 1d

Fancy Skating Classes.

To young ladies especially, one of the chief merits of the healthful and delightful exercise of skating, is gracefulness of execution. In compliance with urgent requests of many patrons of the rink, Mr. Edj. Hartley, one of the best fancy skating experts in Canada, second only to Rubenstein of Montreal, has consented to conduct classes in fancy skating at the rink in the afternoon, or mornings, as convenient. Applications should be sent in at once.

The Funeral of the Late Mr. Rundle

The funeral of the late Arthur L. Rundle took place on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 from the family residence, Park street. Rev. Mr. Shorey conducted a most impressive service at the residence in the presence of the family and friends, after which the members of Court Langton, Canadian Order of Foresters, of which the deceased was a very active member, took a farewell look at their dead brother, and afterwards conducted the funeral to the cemetery. The pall bearers were Bros. W. H. Isaac, Thos. Drew, Ezra Goode, H. Evans, Robert Morrison and J. Montgomery. At the grave Rev. Mr. Shorey offered prayer, after which Mr. E. A. Kemp, D. D. H. C. R., officiated for the Foresters and delivered the funeral address over the grave, Bro. Rev. Mr. Armitage acting as chaplain. Expressions of sympathy were shown in an impressive and marked manner. The Foresters placed a handsome floral wreath on the coffin bearing the letters "C.O.F." and the Masonic fraternity of Peterborough sent a very appropriate floral contribution with the emblems of their order destined in flowers of contrasting shades.

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 60c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

PRINCIPAL M'CREARY'S RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

AT THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Regret was Expressed at his Withdrawal, but no Objections Were Raised, as he Represented it to be to his own Advantage

At the regular meeting of the Board of Education last evening the chairman, Mr. Peter Hamilton, presided, with the following members in attendance:—W. G. Ferguson, J. J. McBain, W. H. Hill, J. J. Hartley, Henry Deane, Dr. Burnham, Robt. Fair, Jas. Edgecumbe, L. M. Hayes, Dr. Caldwell, John McKee, W. B. Bamford and Jas. Stevenson.

ACCOUNTS

were received and referred to the Finance Committee as follows:

Supplies, teachers	$16 25
J D Craig	2 00
Walter Hecker	1 00
EXAMINER	22 75
Times	5 40
Review	4 20
R D Hamilton	5 25
A H Stratton & Co	20 97

COMMUNICATIONS

were referred as appended:

From W. H. Robertson, asking for permission to tender for supplies.—Received.

From James McCreary, tendering his resignation of the principalship of the West Ward school.—Received.

From Miss Lottie Smith, asking to be relieved from duty for January on account of ill health.—Received.

Applications for the vacant position in the West Ward School were received from Messrs. Walter Gillespie and R. S. Simpson.—Received.

THE SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE

of Public Schools during December was received as follows:

	On roll.	Ave.
Central	421	391
South Central	393	333
Park street	177	163
Barnardo Ave	179	149
Geo street	97	89
	1263	1175
Kindergarten	118	89
Public School	1282	1174
	1400	1264

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE ATTENDANCE.

	On Roll.	Ave's
Form III and IV	20	18
" II	42	36
" Upper I A	22	20
" " I B	34	31
" Lower I A	33	34
" " I B	32	27
	213	186

MONEYS RECEIVED.

Town Treasurer	$3,000 00
Fees, Collegiate Institute	223 00
Fees, Kindergarten	47 65
Fees, Public School	12 00
Interest, Nicholls scholarship fund	45 00
	$3,327 65

THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

reported as appended through its chairman, Dr. Burnham:

To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Education:

Gentlemen—The Finance Committee beg leave to report and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

A H Stratton & Co	$109 20
Ormond & Walsh	5 31
EXAMINER	8 00
B F Ackerman	23 00
Peterborough Hardware Co	26 18
A Hall	6 95
A Comstock	21 40

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO BURNHAM, Chairman.

The report was adopted.

Dr. Burnham, chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the report of receipts and expenditure for the year and the estimates as follows:

General Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Peterborough Board of Education for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

Municipal assessment	$
Collegiate Institute rate for 1897	6,200 00
Public School rate for 1897	17,227 69
Gov Grant Collegiate Institute	1,200 00
" Public Schools	1,112 00
" Kindergarten	89 00
Fees Collegiate Institute	2,220 00
" Public Schools	27 65
" Kindergarten	120 00
" Entrance and teachers' examinations	264 00
Interest on Nicholls' scholarships	90 00
Balance	243 21
	$33,230 64

EXPENDITURE.

Balance due Ontario Bank Dec 31st, '97	$72 89
Salaries, teachers and officers Collegiate Institute	5,725 00
Salaries, teachers and officers public school	15,719 34
Printing and stationery	221 73
Discount and interest	5 25
Wood	1,470 31
Expense account	220 16
Repairs and furniture	711 23
Insurance	139 95
Rent, George street school	400 00
Nicholls Scholarship prizes	90 00
	$11,230 64

Receipts and Expenditure of Collegiate Institute for year ending Dec. 31st, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Ontario Bank, Dec 31, 1896	$74 74
Municipal assessment	6,200 00
Govt grant	1,200 00
Fees from pupils	2,220 00
Fees, Entrance and teachers' Exams.	264 00
Balance	21 26
	$11,230 00

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries, teachers and officials	$ 5,725 00
Prop, printing and stationery	277 48
Wood	280 00
Prop, Expenses	220 00
Repairs to Public School	1,100 00
Prop.—repairs and furniture for gymnasium	25 00
Nicholls scholarship prizes	90 00
	$11,230 00

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending Dec, 31, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

Municipal assessment	$ 17,200 00
Govt grant	1,151 00
Fees from pupils	223 75
Rent from Coll Inst	1,100 00
Balance	246 00
	$19,927 75

EXPENDITURE.

Balance due Ontario Bank, Dec 31, 1896	$ 247 62
Salaries, teachers and officers	14,719 34
Prop, printing and stationery	627 25
Prop, wood &c	1,170 21
Prop, Expense &c	174 00
Prop, repairs and furniture	1222 23
Insurance	139 95
Rent for George street school	400 00
Interest and discount	6 25
	$19,927 75

Balance Sheet of the Board of Education, 31st Dec. '97:

	Dr.	Cr.
Collegiate Institute account	$ 21 26	
Public School account	246 00	
Ontario Bank		267 26

Central school pro no	$20 611 92
S Ward school pro no	21,227 71
W " "	3,613 07
N " "	2,241 25
Real estate	23,514 35
	$91,703 35 $91,703 35

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for the year ending Dec 31, '98:

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries of teachers	$ 5,500 00
Proportion of Sec Treas salary	200 00
Janitors salary	200 00
Proportion of fuel	200 00
Prop of printing and stationery	250 00
Rent to Public schools	1,100 00
Maps, chemicals, etc	150 00
Incidental expenses	150 00
Bal due Bank, Dec 31, '97	72 89
	$10,222 89

REVENUE.

Government grant	$ 1,200 00
Fees from pupils	2,400 00
Amount required from Town Treas	7,622 89
	$10,222 89

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditure of the Peterborough Public School for the year ending Dec 31, 1898:

EXPENDITURE.

Salaries of teachers	$13,200 00
Salaries of officers	1,200 00
Salaries of janitors	1,140 00
Proportion of fuel	200 00
Proportion of printing and stationery	250 00
Repairs and furniture	600 00
Insurance	150 00
Rent of Moesic School	400 00
Incidental expenses	200 00
Balance due Bank Dec 31, 1897	243 21
	$18,183 21

REVENUE.

Government grant	1,150 00
Rent from Collegiate Institute	1,100 00
Fees from pupils	220 00
Amount required from town treasurer	16,703 00
	$18,183 00

RECAPITULATION.

For Collegiate Institute	$ 7,322 89
For Public Schools	16,703 00
	$24,025 89

On motion of Messrs. Burnham and McKee, the statements were received and the town treasurer notified to pay over to the board the sum required in such amounts monthly as needed to meet the expenses of the schools.

Dr. Burnham mentioned the fact that one of the pupils at the Collegiate Institute had recently fallen and injured himself in descending the stairs into the basement, where there was no light. He asked that the Property Committee be authorized to place a light at the foot of the steps.

Mr. McBain stated that there was a light there, but that it might have not been lit at the time of the accident.

The Property Committee will see that the place is lit hereafter.

The Board resolved itself into Committee of the Whole and resolved to lay the application of Messrs. Gillespie and Simpson on the table for the present and to grant Miss Smith the leave of absence which she requested. Miss N. Hall was appointed to fill Miss Smith's position in her absence.

Dr. Burnham and Mr. Hill moved that the Kindergartens be placed under the immediate control of the Inspector as the other schools.—Carried.

Mr. McCreary's resignation was accepted and the committee in appointment will make a suitable acknowledgement of his long and valued services.

A SWEET TOOTH.

A Thief Steals a "Cent in the Slot" Gum Box From Maybee's Restaurant.

Last evening as Nightwatchman James Gordon was going his rounds he noticed fresh footprints in the snow in the alleyway leading from Brock street south, between Water and George streets.

As it was then a quarter to eleven he thought the circumstances suspicious and traced the footmarks down the alley until he came to a rifled "cent in the slot" gum box which he ascertained had been removed from in front of Maybee's restaurant on George street and which had not been missed until its recovery was reported.

What money was in the box and gum had been removed.

By the irregularity of the footprints Mr. Gordon came to the conclusion that the thief was drunk. He traced the marks down the alley and out on Water street. The baldness of the action in taking the box from as conspicuous a position would confirm the belief that it was the act of a drunken man.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

A Young Man Given Fifteen Days in Gaol for Ill-using a Horse.

Magistrate Dumble imposed a sentence of fifteen days in gaol, this morning, on a young man who hired a horse the other day and drove it from 8.30 o'clock in the morning until 10 p.m. The animal was brought back to the livery stable from which it was hired, bleeding in several places from the punishment which had been inflicted on it with a whip. The option of a fine was not allowed, as it was resolved to make an example to deter others from indulging in like practices with hired horses.

YESTERDAY'S FIRE.

A Small Blaze in Mrs. Warrington's Residence.

Between five and six o'clock yesterday afternoon the alarm summoned the brigade to the residence of Mrs. Warrington on the Baptist church property, Murray street.

Mrs. Warrington was out at the time, and some wood behind the stove took fire and burned a hole through the floor. The damage was slight, owing to the prompt response of the fire laddies.

Linseed and Turpentine are not only popular remedies, but are also the best known to medical science for the treatment of the nervous membranes of respiratory organs. Dr. Chase compounded this valuable Syrup so as to take away the unpleasant tastes of turpentine and linseed.

The best always the cheapest—Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Electors of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I wish to take this opportunity of most cordially thanking the electors of the town of Peterborough generally for the very liberal support given to place me in the honourable and responsible position of Mayor of the town for the year 1898. I recognize the great weight of the responsibility and will use every legitimate means that presents, to justify the flattering confidence the people have reposed in me. I shall do all in my power to guard, foster and promote the interests of the town.

I would also thank my many friends who rendered such active and effective assistance in successfully promoting my candidature.

I respect the motives of those who felt it their duty to oppose me, but, regarding myself as representative of the entire body of the electorate, it shall be my earnest endeavour to mete out even-handed justice to every class and interest of the community, irrespective of considerations of opposition or support.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

A. L. DAVIS.

Peterborough, Jan. 5th, 1898.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Third Meeting of the Series To-night—Subject. "Nations and Their Rulers."

Wednesday, Jan. 5.—St. Paul's (Presbyterian) church, speakers, Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., and Rev. W. Grant; Park street Baptist, speaker, Rev. W. Bennett. Prayer: That all in authority may recognize their responsibility to God the King, and may do all as to the Lord, and not to men; that the Lord's Day may be reverenced; that injustice, intemperance and oppression may cease; and that forbearance, peace and brotherhood may be cultivated by all peoples.—Daniel xii., 1—4; I. Timothy ii., 1—6.

LeGARE ARRESTED.

He Was Caught in Quebec and Will be Brought Here for Trial.

Shortly before Christmas a traveller for a Quebec shoe firm, named D. LeGare, borrowed a coat and pair of gauntlets from Mr. George Graham, of the Oriental hotel, and decamped without returning them.

The case was placed in the hands of the police and the chief telegraphed to the police department at Quebec. Receiving no answer he conducted inquiries as to the man's whereabouts and ascertained that he had lost his position. Finding out where he was living in Quebec, he sent his address to the Chief of Police in that city and asked for his arrest.

This morning a telegram was received stating that LeGare had been secured. Chief Bossel leaves for Quebec on the next train for the prisoner.

See Grafton's Bargains in Men's Pants.

How and What to Read.

At the Y.M.C.A. debating club on Friday evening next at 8 o'clock Mr. Sheriff Hall will read a paper on "How to read and what to read." Same to be followed by a discussion. All Association members are invited.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

BIRTH.

DENNISTOUN—At Castleknock, Peterborough, on Wednesday, January, 5th, 1898, the wife of R. M. Dennistoun of a son.

THE TAILORS THAT ARE TAILORS.

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The WATER ST. TAILORS, and pick your Suit or Overcoat from the web. We are noted for carrying a Select Stock of Cloth and Trimmings and Make to Order on our own premises a Perfect Fitting and Up-to-Date Garment every time. Remember the High-Class Tailors keep on Water Street 288.

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Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage Licenses from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness.

MORAL.—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—W. J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses, 145 Hunter St.

A Man's Wife

Could not get a more acceptable Xmas Present than a Cozy Home of her own. We have them in great variety in all parts of Town and Ashburnham, and our long experience enables us to make very Easy Terms for our patrons. It will pay you to come in and talk matters over—as we do, and yet may be very valuable. We solicit calls from all who want to sell as well as from those who want to buy.

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CHINA HALL has the largest line of Lamps in the Midland district and the Best Value in Lamps in Canada—Library, Parlour, Banquet, Hall and Kitchen, in endless variety. We buy direct; we sell for Cash.

The McFarlane Wilson Co., Ltd.

Commences With The New Year.

Our Annual Unloading Sale commences with the New Year. That means that we invariably Reduce Prices to reduce the stock. Large Discounts are now made in every department. Come and see the way we undervalue our stock for the month of January.

Blank Books---for 1898.

1898—Looks odd, doesn't it? Have you written it many times? We have, in honour of the New Year—in order to get familiar with the figures. Commence practising in your new set of Account Books. We have all the different sets of Rulings in Ledgers, Journals, Cash Books, Day Books, Blotters, Bill Books, in good paper and sound bindings.

Popular Annuals---Pure Reading.

10 copies Sunday at Home, 1896	.35
8 copies Leisure Hour, 1896	.55
3 copies Sunday at Home Xmas Edition	1.35
4 copies Leisure Hour, Xmas Edition	1.35
4 copies Girl's Own Annual, Xmas Edition	1.50

See the Miscellaneous Cloth Bound Books. The Prices will all be less than they cost.

Dolls---The Little Girl's Delight.

See the Dolls we are selling for .4
See the Dolls we are selling for .8
See the Dolls we are selling for .12
See the Dolls we are selling for .20

ALL DOLLS ¼ LESS THAN USUAL.

Games---For Long Winter Evenings.

There is great attraction in our varied stock of popular Games and Parlour Amusements. We have no reserve on any of the stock. Come and pick your popular amusement.

The New Game of BOBITY is fascinating sport. See the game and you will like it.

Crockinole, Parlour Curling, Parlour Hockey, Carom, etc.

Albums---For Photos and Other Things.

100 Albums to be cleared out at ¼ off Regular Price.

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Winsor & Newton's best colours, only 8c per tube.
Good Canvass.....60c, 70c and 75c per yard.

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Great January Sale!

Our Great January Clearing-Up-Before-Stock-Taking Sale is now in full blast. All Winter Goods still in stock, including MILLINERY, MANTLES, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS must be closed out before inventory, on the First of February. Below are some of the Prices that will do it:—

26 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
8 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
18 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 65c.
200 yards Tapestry Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1898.

CATHOLIC LITERARY ASSOCIATION ENTERTAINMENT.

The Membership Contest Decided and a Good Programme Presented.

The entertainment in the Catholic Association rooms last evening was somewhat different from the past entertainments, and could really be termed a night of fun, as those who were present laughed to their heart's content at the humourous numbers on the programme.

The entertainment opened with a brilliant pianoforte duet by the Misses Doris, two clever young pianistes.

The Association Glee Club then contributed a catchy chorus, which was followed by a sand jig by that clever dancer, Mr. S. Houlihan, who was forced to respond to an encore.

Mr. Frank Dwyer's sweetly sung solo was well received, and closed the first part of the programme.

Then came a two-act dialogue, "The Too Good-Looking Man," which created no end of amusement. Mr. Dick Simons took the part of the much-loved young man, and created no end of fun. Miss Nellie Lane and Miss E. Loftus, the rival sweethearts, acted their part to perfection, and that is saying a great deal. Their portrayal of the characters assigned to them was natural, and they well deserve the applause they received. Mr. L. J. Picard, the obliging photographer, conducted his role in an able manner indeed, as did also his assistant, Mr. John Hanrahan. This number was one which caused no end of amusement.

At this juncture the President announced the result of the membership contest, which was started some weeks ago. Mr. Jas. Lonergan was the winner of the first prize, and Mr. Harry Burns captured the second. Both young gentlemen on receiving their prizes briefly thanked the donors as well as the Association. As a result of this contest the membership has largely increased.

After another chorus by the Glee Club, the screaming farce "Razor Jim," was put on, and for about twenty minutes the audience enjoyed a hearty laugh. Of course Dick Simons was Razor Jim, and he was simply too funny for anything. Mr. F. Quinlan made a capital Mr. Jones, and Mr. Jas. Wyer as Sarah Bernhardt, filled the bill exactly. His make-up was an excellent one, and together with the other characters named, acted his part in a perfect manner. Mr. T. J. Begley took the part of Edwin Booth.

The accompanists during the evening were Misses M. McCabe and M. Begley, and Messrs. J. A. Henderson and T. Mahony.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,

Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL.

TRIBUTE TO THE LATE JOHN BURNHAM.

Resolution of Condolence—Mr. J. M. Drummond Appointed Nominating Officer.

Yesterday a special meeting of the County Council was held, for the purpose of appointing a nominating officer to act in the election to fill the vacancy in the County Council caused by the lamented death of Mr. John Burnham, Q. C., one of the representatives of the Otonabee Division in the council.

The members present were Mr. Warden Anderson in the chair and Messrs. Middleton, Fitzgerald, Casement, Shaw, Eastland, Brown and Pearce.

THE LATE MR. BURNHAM.

The Warden, Mr. Anderson, in briefly addressing the Council, deeply deplored the sad occasion that brought them together. It was to be deeply regretted that the council had to act on account of the sad death of Mr. Burnham, one of the oldest members of the Council. Since last election two members of the council had been removed by death. In a council of ten two of their most esteemed and ablest members had passed away. He felt that in the matter of special ability the council had lost more than half. He suggested the propriety of the council drafting a resolution of condolence.

Mr. [illegible] Pearce in rising to move a resolution, referred in moving terms to the great loss the council had sustained. Mr. Burnham as a councillor was a model that that they could profitably follow. The loss sustained by his death was great and a resolution of condolence was indeed timely. He then moved

That this council most fully concur with the remarks of the Warden and deeply deplore the irreparable loss, not only to this council, but to the whole community at large, sustained by the death of our esteemed colleague, the late John Burnham, Q. C., member of the Otonabee County Council Division, who proved himself a man much above the ordinary abilities, and whose worth we so much appreciated, and that the Warden and Messrs. Casement, Pearce, Brown and Middleton be a special committee to draft a memorial expressive of the council's sympathy with the widow and family of the deceased.

TRIBUTES FROM HIS COLLEAGUES.

Mr. Casement, speaking to the resolution, endorsed heartily with what had been said in praise of the late Mr. Burnham. He had sat at the same desk in the council with Mr. Burnham for ten years and could not find words to express his feelings in reference to him as he desired. Mr. Burnham had set an example that all could profitably follow. He closed with a reference to Mr. Burnham's fairness of character. In every question that called for thought Mr. Burnham could be relied upon.

Mr. Middleton referred to his personal experience with Mr. Burnham since he came into the council; he had found him a true friend. The more he knew of him, the more highly he thought of him. He had always found him open and companionable. His place if filled in many years would be hard to fill.

Mr. Brown, of Belmont, felt the loss of Mr Burnham very deeply. He was a member of the council in 1869, when an address accompanied by a valuable souvenir, had been presented to Mr. Burnham by the late Michael Sanderson, thanking the former for his valuable services in the past, and since then Mr. Burnham's services had been equally valuable. In Mr. Burnham's death the council had lost one of its ablest members.

Mr. Shaw agreed with the eulogistic remarks that had been made. Mr. Burnham's death was a loss to the council, as a body, individually and to the community, and his place would be hard to fill.

Mr. Fitzgerald, though a new member of the council, paid a warm tribute to Mr. Burnham's good qualities as a councillor and as a man.

Mr. Eastland endorsed all that had been said. The council had indeed lost an able and much respected member.

NOMINATING OFFICER APPOINTED.

A bylaw introduced by Mr. Middleton, was duly passed, appointing Mr. J. M. Drummond nominating officer for the bye election in the Otonabee Division.

First of the Season.

The first of a series of games of basket ball with outside Associations will take place in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium Thursday evening, Jan. 13th The Belleville Association team will play. The game will be a good lively one, and all citizens should witness it.

School Opened on Monday.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, look boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

The Opening Ball

$56,000 WORTH OF WINTER CLOTHING

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS

TO BE SOLD FOR $38.000.!

We're booked for a lively time on this, the opening month of 1898. Weeks and weeks ago, before the holiday trade had fairly begun, we arranged for collecting goods for a very special occasion during January, 1898. The extent of that preparation is shown to-day in the vast quantities of **WINTER CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS,** at prices below the market, and with such facilities for quick selling as have never before been equalled. We believe there is plenty of business to be got even in midwinter. Every live clothing dealer knows that the thermometer is a livelier salesman than any other that can be employed. People wont buy until the time comes, and that means until the weather is right. Besides, half the people wear last year's winter garments until January bargain time comes. Acting on that principle this store has been busy every January for years.

COLD WEATHER IS A GREAT BOOMER!

With such prices as we now quote, we expect to surprise those who have been "playing a waiting game," as well as those who will take the trouble to see the goods and the value they represent. What we emphasize now is NEW GOODS, NEW STYLES AND NEW PRICES. It is important that you remember that. Buying as we do in great quantities and selling for Cash, have reduced the cost so materially that shoppers can't help but wonder where our profit comes from.

WE Buy for Cash, Sell for Cash; Buy Low, Sell Low—Because we know how to.

Wide awake waiters, and people on the lookout for January Snaps, have a chance now, the like of which can't be got anywhere else but at this Big Store.

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OBITUARY.

Demise of Mrs. Henry Elson Yesterday Morning.

The death occurred yesterday of Jane Treglown, widow of the late Henry Elson at the family residence, No. 25 Aylmer street.

The deceased had been ailing for the last two years and succumbed to a stroke of apoplexy. She was 67 years of age and was born in Cornwall, England, marrying there and coming to Canada at the age of 25. Residence was first taken up in Hope Township, but ten years ago the family moved to Cavan. After living there eight years, after the death of the head of the family, Mrs. Elson and two of her daughters moved into town. Six children survive: William and Harry, of Cavan; Mrs. Jos. Thomas, of Newcastle; Mrs. Jno. Lancashire, of Millbrook, and Alice and Sarah, of town.

The funeral will take place at 10:45 a.m. Friday to G.T.R. station, when the remains will be shipped to Port Hope for interment in Welcome cemetery.

A PROTEST AGAINST DARKNESS.

A Matter of Sweetness and Light—A School Girl's Indirect but Suggestive Protest.

The following has been received by the editor with a request for insertion. It explains itself:

To the Editor of the Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Will you please insert this appeal to the Principal of the Public School (and may the gas inspector take note.)

"Canst thou expect day labour, light denied"
SCHOOL GIRL.

Semi-Darkness, Tuesday Evening.

LOCAL LEGAL.

Central Bridge and Engineering Co'y vs. Dominion Construction Co'y.

The action came on for trial yesterday in Toronto before Mr. Justice Rose. No evidence was taken, a verdict being entered by consent in favour of plaintiffs for $6,300.00. R. M. Dennistoun for plaintiffs. D'Arcy Tate for defendants.

The Central Bridge Co., of town, erected a highway bridge over the Des Jardins canal and T. H. & B. Railway at Hamilton during the past year. This is one of the largest and highest arch bridges in the country. It was built at a "pound" price and the Dominion Construction Co. who had the contract for building the T. H. & B. Railway complained that the bridge was too substantial and a better bridge than required by the specifications—in other words that it weighed too much.

The Central Bridge Co. entered suit for $17,000 and the case came up for trial at the sittings in November last, when it was adjourned for trial before Judge Rose in Toronto.

The case came on yesterday and before evidence was taken a settlement was arrived at, whereby the Central Bridge Co. receive $14,200.

New Round Baskets in all sizes arrived at MRS. APPLEBY'S, 420 Water Street.

PERSONAL.

Miss Jennie Riley left yesterday for New York to visit her sister, Mrs. Chadwick.

Mrs. R. J. Bruce, of Port Perry, is the guest of Miss Edith Mason, Murray street.

Dr. Greer has recovered from his recent illness and is again able to resume his practice.

Mrs. J. Hatcher spent New Year's at the residence at Mrs. W. A. Russell, Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Trombley and Mr. Theoret have recently returned from San Francisco, Cal.

Miss Archer, Rubidge street, is in Deseronto spending the holidays with Mrs. F. W. Taylor.

Miss Vina Belleahem left this morning for Toronto to resume her studies at the Conservatory of Music.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Theoret left yesterday for their home in Hamilton having spent the Christmas holidays in town with the latter's parents.

Messrs. Giles Stone, John Conroy and David Elliott have left for the Klondyke via C.P.R. to Victoria. Mr. Stone goes to join the Strickland party that went out last fall.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—There is already 1,273 pupils in attendance at the Public Schools this term.

—A regular meeting of the Historical Society will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, on Thursday, the 6th of January, at 7.30 p.m.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—Entries for the Dog Show are coming in fast. They must all be in by Friday next. A large number of the local dog fanciers will exhibit their pets.

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle, Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough. dtf

—THE EXAMINER has to thank Messrs. Fairweather & Co. for a copy of their beautiful calendar for 1898. It presents a splendid view of Niagara Falls, typical of the fall in prices at their January reduction sale.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 20° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	16°	2° below

BRIDGENORTH.

Bridgenorth Court No. 315, C.O.F. intend holding an oyster supper on Friday, Jan. 14th.

Regular action of the bowels is necessary to health. Laxa-Liver Pills are the best occasional cathartic for family or general use. Price 25c. Any druggist.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS NEXT WEEK, AT

WALLER & CO.

One Price Cash Grocery,

Telephone 242. 166 Charlotte Street.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church.

The annual meeting of the Charlotte street Ladies' Aid was held Monday afternoon at three o'clock. There was a large attendance of the ladies of the church.

The annual report was presented and proved highly satisfactory, showing the Society to be out of debt with a balance in the treasury.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. (Dr.) M. A. Morrison.
Vice-President—Mrs. Jos. Batton.
Secretary—Mrs. S. Clegg.
Asst. Secretary—Mrs. Geo. Hall.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lyle.

The above ladies were all newly appointed to office, save Mrs. Lyle, who now holds the office of treasurer for the sixth year. The retiring officers have been very efficient and faithful in their work. The newly appointed ones will no doubt prove equally so.—COM.

A New Woman

Now enters upon pursuits formerly monopolized by men. But the feminine nerves are still here and she suffer from toothache. To her we recommend Nerviline—nerve-pain cure—cures toothache in a moment. Nerviline, the most marvellous pain remedy known to science. Nerviline may be used efficaciously for all nerve pain.

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For all occasions, mounted in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 424 Water street.

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SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1897—8

The rink is now open for skating forenoons, afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies.....	$2 00
For Gentlemen.....	3 00
For Girls.....	1 50
For Youths.....	2 00
For Boys.....	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect, Sydney, [illegible] George St.

Social Functions.

JANUARY is the month for Social Functions and Reductions in Gentlemen's High-Class Garments and Outfittings. Pleasure in one! Economy in the other!

To those whose dress misfits the occasion, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

A. Mercer

A baby is like crazy patchwork, composed of bits of its ancestors. All of them contribute something to baby's physical or mental or moral make-up. The mother gives the largest share. To a great extent the health of a child depends upon the health of the mother, both before and after birth.

If, during the period of expectancy, the mother enjoys good general and local health, she will have a child with a robust body, an alert brain and vigorous health. You cannot expect such a child from a weak, sickly, nervous, despondent woman, who is broken down by derangements and disease of the distinctly feminine organs. A woman in that condition is almost sure to have a puny, sickly, peevish baby. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best preparation for motherhood. It relieves maternity of its dangers, and of almost all its pain. It restores the delicate and important organs that bear the brunt of maternity to perfect health and strength, and assists the regular and healthful performance of all the natural functions. It banishes the ailments of the critical period, and makes baby's debut easy and almost painless. It insures the little new-comer's health. Thousands have testified to its merits. Good medicine dealers sell it, and no honest druggist will insult your intelligence by urging upon you something else as "just as good." The "just as good" kind is dear at any price.

Mrs. F. B. Cannings, of No. 4320 Humphrey Street, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I am now the happy mother of a fine, healthy baby girl. I feel that your 'Favorite Prescription' has done me more good than anything I have ever taken. I took three bottles of the 'Prescription,' and the consequences were I was only in labor forty-five minutes. With my first baby I suffered eighteen hours, and then had to lose him."

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KLONDIKE GOODS.

Satisfactory Arrangements Said to Have Been Made by Mr. Sifton—The U.S. Expedition.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Hon. Clifford Sifton states that a satisfactory arrangement has been arrived at in regard to goods entering the Yukon at Dyea and Skaguay. Bonding privileges will be granted the United States for similar privileges which have been conceded to Canada. Goods arriving at Dyea or Skaguay will be sent over the passes on a certificate, and the customs duties will be paid on reaching Canadian territory. It will not be necessary to pay customs officers to accompany the goods. Mr. Sifton has also arranged to send fifty Mounted Policemen along with the United States relief expedition whenever it is ready. It is expected that the expedition will leave early in February.

Instructions have been issued to city postmasters not to send to the dead-letter office any letters for points within the Empire which may be posted short of postage under Mr. Mulock's 3-cent-per-pound proposal. It is possible that some people may not have heard of the interference by the Colonial Office with the Postmaster-General's project. For the present, therefore, these short-paid letters will be sent forward to their destination, postmasters affixing the stamps necessary to give proper postage.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

CORONA'S RICH CARGO.

In Drafts, Gold Dust and Nuggets She Had $1,200,000.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 4.—There was $697,500 in gold dust and nuggets on the steamer Corona, which has arrived from Alaska. One of the nuggets weighed as high as 15 ounces. From a careful estimate it is safe to say that in drafts and gold dust there was about $1,200,000 in wealth aboard the Corona.

Fifty to Seventy Below Zero.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 4.—The Klondikers that have arrived here on the steamer Corona from Skaguay and Dyea say the weather there is extremely cold, the thermometer ranging from 50 to 70 below. The ice alla long the river is piled up as high as 15 feet, and only the best dog teams can get over it. Many outfits which started down in boats were met along the river, frozen in, where they will have to remain until the ice goes out. A large party of Mounted Police, with 16 horses and 30 tons of provisions, were at Bennett's Lake on the way down to Big Salmon, where Major Walsh is waiting for them.

Shaw by 4144.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Yesterday Mayor Shaw was signed over his opponent, ex-Ald. E. A. Macdonald, by a majority of 4,144. The total vote was 21,064.

"Only nervous" is a sure indication that the blood is not pure. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood and cures nervousness.

Yellow Skin and Eyes.

Biliousness causes yellow skin and eyes, tired, weary, sluggish feeling, etc. Burdock Blood Bitters cleanses the blood and regulates the liver, curing all its diseases: "From a child I suffered from biliousness and headache, and all the money I spent for medicine seemed to do no relief. Four bottles of B. B. B. cured me completely, however, and I gladly recommend it."

Mrs. T. Cranwell, Lyndoch, Ont.

FIFTY YEARS AFLAME.

A Scottish Coal Mine That Has Been Burning Half a Century.

There is a coal mine in Scotland, located between the railway stations of Dalily and Kilkerran, that has been burning continuously for 50 years.

In the working of this mine, which produced a hard and dirty coal, the seam dipped suddenly, and the shaft communicating with the lower works was at a distance from the one which led up to the surface of the ground. A second engine became necessary, and it was placed at the head of the lower shaft. Half a century ago it had to be run by steam generated on the spot instead of by electricity generated elsewhere, as would be done now, and one day the coal in the neighborhood of the machinery, having become quite dry and inflammable, caught fire.

The engine man tried to put it out, but failed, and signaled to be brought to the surface, the other miners having knocked off work for the day. Ten minutes after he was on terra firma the fire had made such headway that the flames were roaring up the shaft and rising to a height of 50 feet in the air. It was, of course, impossible to put it out, and in time the fire gradually grew less, but it remained burning, and great fears were entertained lest it should communicate with other pits and even wreck the whole mining industry of the neighborhood.

An engineer who was sent for from London to endeavor to put out the fire bored holes in the neighborhood of the pit in order to pump in a gas which was inimical to the fire. This scheme, however, was a failure, and it was found that the fire was extending, for the trap dike, which had been cut in order to get into closer proximity to the fire, opened the way to the seam beyond, and it is this seam which has been burning ever since.

Thousands of pounds were spent in the endeavor to quench the fire and how many thousand pounds' worth of coal have been used it would be impossible to say.

Eight or ten years ago the fire came to the surface within a few yards of where the train went by, and, as may be imagined, nervous passengers were often alarmed at seeing the evidences of the fire and steam issuing from the bowels of the earth, for the pit seems to be the recipient of some little stream which the heat converts into steam, which rises from half a dozen jets in the most uncanny manner. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

A JOKE THAT FAILED.

Windust's Facetious Suggestion Acted Upon to His Detriment.

Back in the early sixties, and for many years before and some years afterward, Edward Windust kept a most popular restaurant at 18 Park row. He was a peculiar man in many respects, and in none so much as stickling for absolute purity in everything he put upon the tables for his guests, among whom were most of the celebrities of the day. Windust was always affable and good natured and dearly loved any kind of an innocent joke. Every morning he took a big basket on his arm and trotted down to Washington or Fulton market to order supplies for the day, some of the choicest of which he carried back in his basket. The dealers in both markets knew him and were anxious to sell to him, because they knew that he would pay good prices for the best of stuff. One old woman in Fulton market supplied him with horse radish for many years and for a short time after he sprung what he thought was a joke on her. He said to her one morning: "Aunty, it seems to me that your horse radish is not as strong as it used to be. Are you sure you are not adulterating it with something?"

"Indeed I am not. What would I use to adulterate horse radish I'd like to know?"

"I don't know, but I began to suspect that you were mixing ground turnips with it," said Windust.

"Sure, I never thought of such a thing," the woman answered.

Windust said many times afterward that he devoutly wished that he had never joked with the woman about the matter, for he was never able to get pure horse radish from her again and had to give up trading with her after 20 years of pleasant business relations.—New York Sun.

Water Our True Beverage.

"Water is really our only true beverage," Mrs. S. T. Rorer writes in her cooking lesson in The Ladies' Home Journal: "Forming, as it does, three-quarters of the weight of the human body, it is of the next importance to the air we breathe. Milk is a typical food, not a beverage, and should never be used as such. It is true that it contains a large amount of water, but only sufficient for its digestion.

"In a very short time the nonwater drinker becomes sallow, constipated and uncomfortable. The poison matter that should be dissolved by the free use of water and carried off in the circulation and through the excretory organs is held in the system; the body loses weight; the skin becomes dry and rough, losing its life and brilliancy. Three-quarters of the weight of the living body should be water. A large quantity of this water is taken in the form of green vegetables and fruits. A healthy person should drink at least 1½ quarts of cool, not iced, water in each 24 hours, a glass the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night and the remaining quantity after or between meals. Infants frequently suffer more from the lack of cool water than from the lack of food."

How Thin You Look.

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FALLEN FLOWERS.

One of the workers of the world,
Living, toiled, and, toiling, died,
But others worked, and the world went on
And was not changed when he was gone.
A strong arm stricken, a wide sail furled,
And only a few men sighed.

One of the heroes of the world
Fought to conquer, then fought to fall
And fell down slain in his blood stained mail,
And over his form they crept.
His cause was lost and his banner furled,
And only a woman wept.

One of the singers among mankind
Sang healing songs from an o'erwrought heart,
But ere men listened the grass and wind
Were wasting the rest among like a wave.
And now of his fame that will ne'er depart
He has never heard in his grave.

One of the women who only love
Loved and grieved and faded away.
Ah, me, are these gone to the God above?
What more of such can I say?
They are human flowers that flower and fall.
This is the song and the end of them all.
—Arthur O'Shaughnessy in Athenæum.

At Her Mercy.

"So the telephone girl is taking her revenge, Whirly?"

"It's awful. Every time I ring up she connects me with three or four wrong numbers in succession, and then sweetly informs me that the number which I really want is 'busy now.'"—Detroit Free Press.

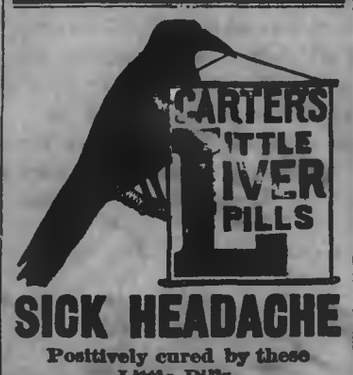
An Epitaph.

The danger of using porcelain letters on a tombstone is illustrated in a village cemetery not far from St. Louis. The inscription reads:

O Lord,
Bless is this!

The final "e" had been knocked off in a thunderstorm.—St. Louis Star.

The clergy of Russia are divided into two classes—the white or village clergy, who must all be married, and the black clergy, or monks, who are vowed to celibacy. The higher dignitaries of the church are invariably chosen from this last class.



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company, of Ontario, for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, 437 George Street, Peterborough, on

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HORSES IN HISTORY.

SOME OF THE NOBLE STEEDS THAT HAVE ACHIEVED FAME.

The Four Footed Friend For Whom a City Was Named—Roman Horses That Lived Like Princes—Chargers Who Won Renown Amid the Carnage of War.

It is hard to say with any near approach to accuracy how long the horse has been a domesticated animal. We can only say that he has been so from time immemorial—that is, from the earliest times of which we have any records. The Assyrian sculptures—and they are about the most ancient of which we know anything, for some of them are estimated to date from 4200 B. C.—contain more representations of caparisoned horses than even men. Still, we do not get any examples of favorite horses until a long time after this.

Even the first examples, indeed, are only legendary, for, though there is no doubt that Hector of Troy existed, it is not improbable that Homer invented the names of his three favorite horses, Podarge, the cream colored Galathe and the fiery Ethon. But the horse of Alexander the Great, Bucephalus, is an individual as historically real as his master. This famous horse was, says Plutarch, offered to Philip for 13 talents (about £3,518), but he displayed so much viciousness that Alexander's father was about to send him away when the young prince offered to tame him. He agreed, in the event of failure, to forfeit the price of the horse and began by turning his head to the sun, as he observed that the horse was frightened at his own shadow. In the end he completely tamed him—so completely, indeed, that Bucephalus, though he would permit nobody except Alexander to mount him, always knelt down for that purpose to his master. He died at the age of 30, and his master built as his mausoleum the city of Bucephala.

Readers of Macaulay will remember the famous black Auster, the horse of Herminius, and the dark gray charger of Mamilius, whose sudden appearance in the city of Tusculum without his master brought the news of the defeat of the allies at Lake Regillus. Connected with that battle, too, were the horses of the great "twin brethren," Castor and Pollux, coal black, with white legs and tails. But those are legendary. Not so, however, the well known horse of Caligula, Incitatus. This animal had a stable of marble; his stall was of ivory, his clothing of purple and his halters stiff with gems. He had a set of golden plates and was presented with a palace, furniture and slaves complete, in order that guests invited in his name should be properly entertained. His diet was the most costly that could be imagined, the finest grapes that Asia could provide being reserved for him. Verus, another Roman emperor about a century later, treated his horse almost as extravagantly. He fed him with raisins and almonds with his own hands, and when he died erected a statue of gold to him, while all the dignitaries of the empire attended the funeral.

As we come to later times, so we get more examples of favorite horses. William the Conqueror had one which he rode at the battle of Hastings, about which almost everything seems to be known except his name. He was of huge size and was a present from King Alfonso of Spain—"such a gift as a prince might give and a prince receive." This gallant horse, however, did not survive the battle, for Gyrth, Harold's butcher, "clove him with a bill, and he died." Richard I's horse was called Maleck, and was jet black. He bore his master through the holy war and arrived in England before him. In fact, he survived the king several years. The second Richard, too, had a favorite horse, called Roan Barbary, which was supposed to be the finest horse in Europe at that time, and it was on Roan Barbary that the young king was mounted when the incident wherein Wat Tyler was stabbed by the mayor of Walworth took place.

About a century later we get the Wars of the Roses, and in the many battles of that civil disturbance a couple of horses played important parts. These belonged to the great Earl of Warwick, the kingmaker. His first was Maleck, a beautiful gray, which he rode at the battle of Towton. It was this horse whose death turned the fortunes of the battle, for Warwick, seeing that his men were giving ground, deliberately sprang from his favorite horse and killed him. Then his men knew that the kingmaker was prepared to conquer, but not to fly. They rallied and finally won the battle.

There were two horses belonging to highwaymen which were famous in their time. One of them belonged to the celebrated knight of the road, Paul Clifford. He was called Robin and was Irish. In color iron gray, he was reputed by judges of horseflesh — and there were some who were quite as competent to give an opinion, if not more so, as any of the present day—to be absolutely without blemish and to be second to none. Another famous horse, or rather mare, was Black Bess. Her owner, Dick Turpin, or, to give him his correct name, Nicks, committed a robbery in London at 4 o'clock in the morning, and, fearing discovery, made for Gravesend, ferried across the river and appeared at the bowling green in York the same evening, having accomplished his ride of 300 miles in 16 hours on one horse. At least so says the legend, and this is certain—that on his trial he was acquitted, the jury considering it impossible that he could have got to York in the time. —London Standard.

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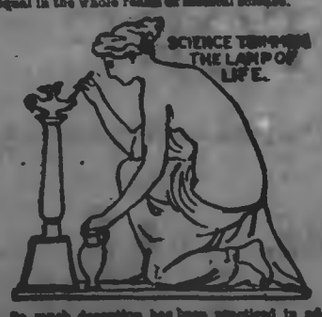

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"I will not say that women, more than men, are prone to this evil, but as the majority of women have more leisure than the majority of men they are more likely to let their minds dwell upon every little ill that assails them and talk about it. It seems to me that one of the most important lessons we can all learn with the close of the year is to refrain from inflicting upon others what is purely personal to ourselves. Let us cease this tiresome, this inconsiderate, this unnecessary talk about our ailments. Cold and hard as it may seem, the fact is nevertheless true, and will ever remain so, that the vast majority of people are interested in what is pleasant in our lives, but not in what is unpleasant. Pains and sorrows are elements in our lives which are sacred and interesting only to ourselves."

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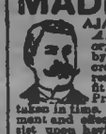

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LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY.

Number of Interments in 1897—Age, Sex, Social Condition, Cause of Death, Religion and Nationality of Those Interred.

Through the kindness of Mr. W. H. Foord, superintendent of Little Lake Cemetery, the following statistics of interment with information connected, is given:

AGE OF THOSE INTERRED.

Under 5 years	68
" 10 "	2
" 15 "	2
" 20 "	7
" 25 "	7
" 30 "	3
" 35 "	5
" 40 "	6
" 60 "	6
" 60 "	17
" 70 "	12
" 80 "	17
" 90 "	7
" 95 "	6
	167

SEX.

Males	93
Females	74
	167

RELIGION.

Church of England	43
Methodist	64
Presbyterian	43
Baptist	15
Roman Catholic	2
Christian Scientist	1
	167

CAUSE OF DEATH.

Consumption	23
Stillborn	22
Old age	11
Pneumonia	10
Heart disease	9
Bronchitis	9
Bright's disease	6
Paralysis	4
Convulsions	5
Drowned	5
Premature birth	3
Meningitis	3
Whooping cough	3
Inanition	3
Cancer	3
Cholera infantum	4
Infantile debility	3
Typhoid fever	3
Apoplexy	3
Accidents	3
Appendicitis	3
Diarrhœa	3
Gastritis	3
Diptheria	1
Other diseases, one of each	26
	167

NATIONALITY.

Born in Canada	127
" Ireland	16
" England	16
" Scotland	9
" United States	3
	167

PLACE OF RESIDENCE AT TIME OF DEATH.

Town of Peterborough	97
Ashburnham	15
Otonabee	11
Smith	11
North Monaghan	10
Douro	6
Toronto	3
Lakefield	3
South Monaghan	1
Michigan	1
Manitoba	1
Brooklyn	1
Tuscawarde	1
Port Hope	1
Wanbaushene	1
Dummer	1
Montreal	1
Rochester	1
Lake of the Woods	1
Lindsay	1
	167
Re-interred from other cemeteries	6
Total interments in Little Lake Cemetery for 1897	173

W. H. FOORD, Supt.

4th January, 1898.

In noticing the incidents of the report one remarks that largest number of deaths were of children under 5 years—68, and the numb largest were of persons in advanced age, between 60 and 95, the two opposite poles of life—infancy and old age—inviting most strongly the attack of death. It is a pleasure to note that the deaths from contagious diseases were only 6 out of 167. Whooping cough took 3, diphtheria 1 and typhoid fever 2. This, if the ture causes of death are given, indicating the excellent sanitary condition of the town.

Another thing to be noticed is that the foreign born periods interred are becoming steadily less. Out of 167 interments 102 were native born Canadians.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

At the rink last evening two scratch matches were played amongst the Granites with the following results:

H J Grassett,	B Belleghem,
G Giroux,	D Belleghem,
W Whiten,	G M Rogers,
T P Attrill, sk.....15	E B Edwards, sk..... 9
R E Wood,	M O'Brien,
W Manson,	E H D Hall,
T E Bradburn,	H R H Kenner,
Judge Weller, sk..13	J Jeffries, sk.....14

At the conclusion of the game Judge Weller extended an invitation to the curlers to accompany him home and participate in an oyster supper. Needless to say the invitation was heartily acceded to and a very pleasant evening was spent.

DECEMBER WEATHER NOTES.

Together with a Few Details as to the Past Year.

With the exception of July, December had a greater precipitation than any other month of the past year. The rainfall amounted to 2.12 inches, while snow fell to the depth of over 20 inches, a total of 4.18 inches (allowing 10 inches snow to equal one inch rain.)

Not only was the amount larger than usual, but the number of days on which snow or rain fell was also in excess. There was snow on 13 days and rain on 7 days.

The mean temperature of the month was 23.6 degrees, being about the average.

The highest temperature was on the 11th, viz., 49 degrees.

The lowest temperature was 11 below zero, on the morning of the 24th. The coldest day of December, 1896, was on the 24th, and strangely enough was also 11 below.

With the exception of the period from the 9th to the 17th, there was sleighing all the month. Though a couple of inches of snow fell on several occasions in Dec. 1896, there was scarcely enough at any one time to give sleighing.

A REVIEW OF 1897.

The lowest temperature of the year 1897 was 13 degrees below zero on the 25th January. The highest temperature was 96 degrees on 5th July, giving a yearly range of 114 degrees.

Zero or below was reached on 25 days:—in January, 10 days; in February, 6 days; March, 3 days, and December, 6 days.

The last appearance of frost in the spring was May 22nd. The first appearance of the same in the fall was Aug. 12th. The first entry below 32 degrees, freezing point, was Sept. 21.

The total precipitation for the year was 35 inches. Three feet of water on the level! The greatest amount of rain in any one month was in July, 4.85 inches. The least in Sept., 1.51 inches. The greatest rainfall in one day was July 27th, 2.75 inches. Only on two other days did the the rainfall amount to over one inch in 24 hours.

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THE FIRE BRIGADE'S ANNUAL MEETING.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

Memorandum of the Fires Which Took Place During 1897—Only Half as Many as in the Previous Year.

The Fire Brigade held its annual meeting last evening, which was attended by all the members. All the old officers were re-elected as follows:

Captain—J. D. Craig.
1st Lieut—J. F. Hayes.
2nd Lieut—W. R. Turner.
Secretary—J. H. Yelland.
Treasurer—C. Rutherford.
Committee—Messrs. W. R. Turner, J. Metheral and J. Gibbs.

During the year 26 fires were attended which is just half the number which took place during the previous year. The memorandum of the fires of 1897 was as follows:

January 19—Fire in Consolidated Milling Co's flour mill on Dickson's raceway. The brigade answered promptly but could not save the mill diner.

February 3—False alarm.

February 25—Alarms for fire in Hunter's Terrace on Patterson street. House partially destroyed.

February 26—Alarm sounded for fire in same place as the night before. It was quickly extinguished.

March 2—Fire in Wolstenholm's livery stable on Charlotte street. One line of hose laid and fire soon under control.

March 13—Burning chimney in house occupied by O Huffman.

March 15—Alarm sounded for fire at gas house but it was a false alarm.

March 21—Fire in McComb's glove factory on Hunter street. One line hose laid and fire in cellar quickly extinguished. The alarm was also rang for a second fire in the same place but it was promptly put out.

April 1—False alarm from the Bridge Works.

April 2—Fire on Cross street, in residence owned by Mrs. Burns; one line hose laid and fire soon under control.

April 5—Alarm for blaze in A. Comstock's furniture factory. The brigade arrived promptly but their services were not required.

April 19—Burning chimney in P. Alexander's residence, No. 1 Ward.

May 21—Fire in J. Rose's residence, Bethune street. Extinguished with a couple of buckets of water.

June 24—Boat house behind the Bridge Works destroyed.

June 29—Fire in sheds belonging to F. J. Jameson, on Harvey street. Brigade arrived promptly but their services were not required.

July 5—Large portion of Exhibition sheds destroyed. Brigade could get no water.

July 6—Fire at No. 314 London street. Services of Brigade not required.

July 8—Fire in Dickson Company's lumber yard. One line of hose laid but not required.

July 16—False alarm from the Bridge Works.

July 26—Fire in T. Hart's and Dr Meber's sheds; partially destroyed.

July 27—Alarm for Mr Everett's sheds on Murray street; small damage.

Sept 17—Refuse on fire in rear of Overend's Hotel. Extinguished with no damage done.

Oct 25—Alarm from W H Moore's. Services not required.

Nov 24—Fire in small house on Brock street owned by John Craig. Residence was gutted.

Dec 31—Fire on Rubidge street, in No 1 ward. Services not required.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy with the gods. From them he stole fire, and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and vultures were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined?

Take a modern interpretation of the parable. There is no cooking without fire. In cooking and eating the mischief lies. The stomach is overtasked, the bowels become clogged, they cannot dispose of the food that is given them. The impurities back up on the liver. Then comes the vultures—the torments of a diseased liver. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is more than equal to the vultures of dyspepsia and its kindred diseases. There is no more need of suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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THE OTONABEE DIVISION VACANCY.

Mr. J. M. Drummond Will Conduct Nomination Proceedings in Keene on January 24th.

At the meeting of the County Council yesterday Mr. J. M. Drummond was appointed Nominating Officer for the Otonabee Division bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Burnham's death.

The nominations take place in the town hall, Keene, on Monday, Jan. 24th.

As to the candidates, it is known that Mr. T. J. Johnston, the present reeve of Otonabee, will be one, and Mr. E. A. Peck, of Ashburnham says if he is offered the nomination he will be inclined to accept it.

The resignation of Mr. Johnston will necessitate a re-arrangement of perhaps the whole council of Otonabee, and, perhaps, an election in each case.

LAKEFIELD DIVISION VACANCY.

Mr. R. Hawthorne Elected to Fill it—The Returns of the Vote Cast in the Election.

As announced yesterday, Mr. R. Hawthorne, ex-reeve of Dummer, was elected to fill the vacancy in the representation of Lakefield Division in the County Council caused by the death of Mr. John Moloney.

It was a triangular contest, Messrs. R. Hawthorne, W. Leeson and R. Crowe being the candidates. The following is the result:

LAKEFIELD.

	Crowe	Hawthorne	Leeson.
Lakefield	79	68	44
Majority for Crowe over Hawthorne			11
" " Leeson			35

DUMMER.

Dummer No 1	43	70	—
" No 2	20	46	6
" No 3	31	117	4
" No 4	66	33	1
	160	266	10
Majority for Hawthorne over Crowe			106
" " Leeson			256

DOURO.

	Crowe	Hawthorne	Leeson.
Torpey's	6	12	55
Town Hall	8	3	88
Pine Grove	43	23	39
Nassau	—	13	73
	57	51	255
Majority for Leeson over Hawthorpe			204
" " Crowe			198

TOTAL VOTE.

	Crowe	Hawthorne	Leeson.
Douro	57	51	255
Lakefield	79	68	44
Dummer	160	266	10
	296	385	319
Majority for Hawthorne over Leeson			66
" " Crowe			89

RURAL ELECTIONS.

BELMONT.

Reeve—Jas B Peoples; Deputy-Reeve—J W Seeney; Councillors—John Vansickle, Andrew Breaw, John W Johnston.

DUMMER.

For Reeve—H A Moore, acclamation. Deputy Reeve—John Darling, 255; Thos. Webster, 153. For Councillors—Wm Mills, 312; Nathan Payne, 237; Jno Williamson, 233; John Kelly, 166. For local option, 202; against local option, 199; majority, 3.

GALWAY.

For Reeve—Charles Coben. For Councillors—John Gilmour, James Allen, David Curtin, Michael Collins.

HAVELOCK.

There was a lively time here election day. The number of votes polled for each candidate is as follows:—Reeve—Mr Bryans, 89; Mr Mathison, 81; Councillors—Mr Cooper, 103; Mr Fuller, 99; Mr Code, 95; Mr Richards, 91; Mr Cummings, 83; Mr Dorricott, 73. Trustees—Mr McAuley, 134; Mr Patterson, 119; Mr Maldans, 98; Mr Carey, 87.

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Opposition Attack the Surplus Unsuccessfully.

A GOVERNMENT MAJORITY OF 18

The Trivialities Indulged in by the Opposition Are Costing the Country Thousands of Dollars—The Treasurer's and the Premier's Reply to Opposition Charges—A Busy Day.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Opposition in the Legislature has evidently determined to prolong the proceedings to an indefinite period. They are daily bringing forward amendments to the motion to go into supply of the most trivial character and apparently for no other reason than to make campaign speeches. When the cost per day for running expenses is considered, the country is spending many thousands of dollars to hear Mr. Marter, Whitney, Kerns, St. John, Willoughby and Matheson talk.

The Surplus.

Mr. Matheson upon the motion to go into supply regretted the Government took railway debentures into account in the surplus amounting to $300,000. He moved an amendment to this effect. He contended that all railway debentures should be deducted from the assets and added to the liabilities.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt, in reply, said the subject had been worn threadbare in the House. If the charge was that the public had been misled, then he wished the Opposition to point out specifically where the misleading statement came in. (Hear, hear.) He said the Government had never claimed to have stated all their assets in the budget, and had they done so they could justly have swelled the figures by over $8,000,000. (Cheers.) The unpaid balances due on Crown lands, for instance, amounting to several hundreds of thousands of dollars were not included in the assets, and yet no one would deny they were perfectly good and that ample security was held to secure the payment. The old Parliament buildings site was not included either. Mr. Matheson had claimed that $80,000 of railway debentures should be deducted from the assets. Very well, then, he should give the Government credit for nearly one and a half millions dollars to be added to the assets which the Government had not done. (Cheers.)

Messrs. Marter, Gibson (Huron), Kerns, Whitney, Haycock and others followed.

The Premier's Reply.

Hon. Mr. Hardy said the Opposition arguments could not be taken seriously, since they wanted the Treasurer to falsify the books of the Government. They wanted the Treasurer to deduct from the surplus the railway debentures not yet due and half of which when due were paid out of current revenue. (Hear, hear.) He was glad that at last Mr. Whitney had admitted that between money in the bank and deposits in the hands of the Dominion Government the Provincial Government had a surplus of over five millions. The Opposition's complaint simply amounted to a matter of bookkeeping. Well, the books were kept in exactly the same way as at Ottawa (cheers); the system followed was exactly the same as had been instituted by the Conservatives at Ottawa.

The vote having been taken, the amendment was voted down.

A Law-Made Dentist.

Mr. James Frederick Riggs wishes to practice dentistry without passing his examinations. A bill was introduced by Mr. St. John to permit him to do so. Yesterday the bill came before the Private Bills Committee and received some rough handling. The reasons advanced why he should be allowed to practice were that he held an American diploma and that he was too old to begin his Canadian studies. A letter was read from Dr. Willmott on behalf of the Dental College protesting against the passage of the bill, which was allowed to stand over and will probably not be heard of again. A bill was passed authorizing the town of Goderich to issue debentures to aid a grain elevator and power to exempt the building from taxation, also a bill to consolidate the floating debt of the County of Simcoe and to issue debentures amounting to $50,000 and to erect a House of Industry costing $20,000.

New Railway Bills.

The Railway Committee met yesterday and passed three bills with but trifling amendments: Respecting the Chatham City and Suburban Railway Co., and the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway Co. To-day the committee will consider the bill of the Toronto and Scarboro Electric Railway, Light and Power Co.

His Lordship's Sorrow.

Chief Justice Meredith yesterday sent this letter to the Speaker of the Legislature: "The awful calamity that has fallen upon my native city and brought death and sorrow into so many homes there renders it impossible for me to take part in any festivities at this time and I pray you therefore to excuse my absence from your dinner on Tuesday evening next."

The Pigs Again.

Mr. St. John seems to have pigs on the brain. Yesterday in the Public Accounts Committee Mr. Wm. T. Harris, the dealer who purchased the hogs all the trouble is about, was called to give evidence under oath. He swore positively that none of the hogs he purchased, some 95 in number, had been diseased or mutilated. This did not satisfy Mr. St. John, who again called Fred Newton who had killed the animals and who again swore they were all diseased. He was forced to admit, however, that he had given his evidence expecting a reward from the Opposition. (Laughter.) Mr. St. John says he will call upon the Provincial Secretary to-day to enter the witness box.

A Victory for Victoria.

Hon. Mr. Ross, respecting Toronto University. The bill extends the time by six years that Victoria University may send five representatives to the Senate of Toronto University. At the end of this period graduates of Victoria will be required to vote for members of the Senate in common with graduates of Toronto University.

County Council Loans.

Mr. McKay (Victoria), to amend the Municipal Act. Under the present law municipalities may only borrow 80 per cent. of their expenses for the expenses of the current year. This bill enables them to borrow the full amount levied for the current year.

The Revised Statutes.

Hon. Mr. Hardy gave notice that he would introduce a bill respecting the Revised Statutes of Ontario of 1897.

Niagara's Power.

Mr. German will ask the Government if they have undertaken any survey of the rapids below Suspension bridge on the Niagara river with the view to ascertaining what hydraulic power exists there for electric or other purposes.

Division Court Powers.

Mr. McNichol gave notice of this resolution:

That, whereas the procedure in the Division Courts of the province is of the simplest kind consistent with a due regard to the interest therein, thus enabling such litigants to procure justice in a speedy and inexpensive manner; and, whereas great delay and expense is occasioned to the public who have occasion to resort to tribunals of a higher jurisdiction owing to the system of pleading and practice in vogue therein, and such system is unnecessary for the preservation of the rights of the parties in many cases now out of the jurisdiction of the Division Courts; and, whereas the Division Courts are almost entirely self-sustaining and require little, if any, support from the public funds,

Therefore be it resolved, That in the opinion of this House it is in the highest degree desirable that the Division Courts Act should be amended so as to extend the jurisdiction of the said courts as follows: (a) To all personal actions where the amount claimed does not exceed $100. (b) To all personal actions where all parties consent thereto and the amount claimed does not exceed $200. (c) To all claims and demands of debt account or breach of contract, or demand, whether payable in money or otherwise, where the amount of balance claimed does not exceed $200. (d) To all claims for recovery of a debt or money demand, the amount or balance of which does not exceed $300, and the original amount of the claim is ascertained by the signature of the defendant, or of the person whom, as executor or administrator, the defendant represents.

SEALSKIN WEAR DEBARRED.

Any Lady Owning a Sacque of That Material is Liable to Have it Confiscated at New York.

New York, Jan. 6.—There is trouble in store for anyone, man, woman or child, who hereafter attempts to enter the United States wearing anything made of sealskin. The instructions issued by the Treasury Department to collectors at the different ports of entry are of the strictest possible kind. No garment of seal, unless it bears the Pribyloff Island stamp, will be admitted to the country, no matter whether the garment was originally purchased in America or not.

A lady who arrived here from Great Britain yesterday on the Aurania wore a sealskin sacque that had been purchased in London. At first the customs inspectors told her that she would have to take the jacket off, and that it would be confiscated. Of course the lady was indignant, and there was a lively scene. The matter was referred to Collector Bidwell. It was then discovered that the lady had left London, and was on her way to America prior to Dec. 29, the date of the coming into force of the new regulations. She was therefore allowed to retain her jacket. Collector Bidwell stated that hereafter it would be mandatory for the customs officers to send to the public stores all sealskin garments, whether on consignment or on their owners' backs.

Aliens Grasp the Trade.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 6.—(Telegram Special.)—D. D. Mann, just returned from the coast, says trade is only fair in British Columbia, and the great bulk of the Klondike business is going to Americans. The trade is practically from one American port to the other. Americans have now the inlet by the front and back doors, that is, by Yukon and the Chilcoot and White Passes. He thinks for the present that a possible Canadian route is by Stickeen River and Lake Teslin.

20 TO BE FLOGGED.

Drastic Means to Cow Quebec's Riotous Convicts

INTO SUBMISSION TO THE LAW.

The Minister of Justice Authorizes This Punishment of the Ringleaders in the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary Convict Riots—The Canadian Pacific Telegraphers.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—The authorities of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary have decided to try drastic means to put a stop to the riotous conduct of the convicts, and as a result some twenty of the ringleaders will be flogged in the presence of their fellows within the next few days. The trouble has now been going on for some months, intermittently, to the terror of the residents of the quiet little village outside the walls. It began over the taking away of the allowance of tobacco, and to show their dissatisfaction the convicts howled and banged their wash basins all night long. They were allowed to tire themselves out, but every few days the noise would recommence. Christmas Day brought no interriment to those behind the bars, and it was no better for the guards. The noise began early in the morning and lasted all day and all night. Consequently none of the Christmas extras were given to the inmates, and this was seized upon as an added reason for keeping up the din. Acting Warden Foster has been doing his best to bring about peace by moral suasion, but as all his efforts have failed he came to the conclusion that nothing short of corporal punishment would be of any use. He made a report to the Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice, to that effect, and suggested that he be allowed to flog the ringleaders in the presence of the others. This he believes will have the desired effect. Mr. Mills came to the same conclusion, and after mature consideration gave the desired permission. As soon as the news becomes known in the penitentiary it will no doubt put an end to any wish to create a disturbance, and the subsequent application of the lash to the backs of the ringleaders should effectually cure them of insubordination.

C.P.R. Telegraphers' Conference.

The conference between the C.P.R. telegraphers and the officials is not yet finished. The telegraphers, having obtained no satisfaction from Mr. Shaughnessy and Mr. Tait, have brought the matter before the President, Sir William Van Horne. If no satisfactory solution is arrived at, the telegraphers will demand a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The Organization of Railway Telegraphers, which this committee represents, extends over the entire North American continent, and may be considered one of the most powerful of the numerous orders of railway employes. This particular committee, however, actually represents only nine hundred men, from Winnipeg to the eastern seaboard on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and from Detroit to the Atlantic on the Atlantic division. In view of any difficulty, however, it may be assumed that the entire order will uphold the eastern division telegraphers in their contest against the railway.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Hamilton, Jan. 6.—Rev. Father Brady's carriage was burned in his shed, which was saved from the flames with slight damage. The carriage was worth $100.

Port Hope, Jan. 6.—Yesterday James Kerr's barn, worth $400, a horse and the winter's provendar for his stock were burned. It is thought a tramp fired the barn.

He Died an Infidel.

New York, Jan. 6.—One of the most remarkable wills ever filed in the office of the surrogate is that of Henry Morehouse Taber offered for probate yesterday. In spite of the fact that Mr. Taber was president and treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the First Presbyterian church, in the opening clauses of his will he denounces all religion as sham and as having its origin in superstition. He requests that no services be held over his body and that it be cremated. Mr. Taber died on Christmas eve at the age of 73 years. Two children survive the testator, and to them the entire estate valued at over $1,000,000 is given absolutely.

Patrons in the Field.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The Patrons have 14 candidates in the field to date as follows:

Frontenac—J. L. Haycock.
Centre Simcoe—Almost Train.
Prince Edward—John Caven.
North Essex—George A. Wintemute.
Stormont—J. G. Adams.
West Wellington—James Tucker.
Monck—S. A. Bock.
West Simcoe—A. Currie.
Dufferin—William Dynes.
Glengarry—D. M. Macpherson.
South Grey—David McNichol.
Centre Bruce—D. McNaughton.
East Wellington—James Park.

Died at Four Score and Eight.

London, Ont., Jan. 6.—Alex S. Abbott, ex-City Clerk and a leading Free Mason for many years, died yesterday, in his 88th year. He was a member of the Grand Lodge of Canada from its origin in 1855, a member of St. John's Lodge 209a, London, for over 50 years, and a Past Sentle of St. George's R. A. Chapter.

On the celebration of his jubilee in Masonry, a few years ago, he was presented with a valuable testimonial from his Masonic brethren. Deceased was a native of Ireland, and came to London in 1843.

Mother's Advice

Daughter Followed It and Regained Her Health

Suffered Agony With Pains in the Stomach—Hood's Cured.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1898.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A STATEMENT recently printed shows a striking difference between the expenses of the session of the Quebec Legislature this year, under a Liberal Government, and what they were last session under a Conservative Government. The Flynn Government had 104 copyists; now there are 12. Then there were 52 messengers; now 28. Then there were 31 temporary employees in the departments; now 7. The cost last year was $300 a day; now it is $88.86. This is the Liberal Government's idea of economy. It tallies with the view held by most people on the subject.

THE action of the Ontario Government in putting into legislative shape its settled policy of Canadian timber for Canadians has aroused Americans to a new view of the profit of liberal trade relations with Canada. From Michigan, which according to Opposition orators and organs was especially favoured, comes a strong appeal for a recognition of the importance of less restricted trade relations with this country. The Detroit Free Press in a recent issue says:—The resources of the wide Empire (Canada) to the north of us are just beginning to be developed. In a few years Canadian commerce will be vastly increased, and if it is worth so much to-day, what what will it not be worth when the population, wealth and products of the Dominion reach the dimensions which a short time is sure to bring? It will be unprofitable shortsightedness indeed to raise artificial barriers against the natural flow of this commerce across our borders. Nothing but hostile tariff legislation and indifference to the opportunity that lies at our northern doors can prevent the continued growth of this commerce, to the mutual advantage of both countries.

A VERY IMPORTANT REPORT.

SUBMITTED BY THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON RE-FORESTRATION, ETC.

How Fast Pine Grows—The Report Recommends the Extension of the Present System of Fire Ranging, the Co-operation of the Hudson Bay Company, the Protection of Small Trees and the Establishment of Forest Reserves.

In the Legislature Tuesday the Commissioner of Crown Lands laid on the table the report of the Royal Commission appointed in June last to investigate the subject of "restoring and preserving the growth of white pine upon lands in the provinces, which have been cleared or partially cleared by lumbering operations or by fire, and which are not adapted for agricultural purposes or for settlement." The commission consisted of Mr. Rathbun, President of the Rathbun Lumber Co.; John Bertram, President of the Collins' Inlet Lumber Co.; J. B. McWilliams, Superintendent of Forest Rangers; Alex. Kirwood, of the Crown Lands Department, and Thos. Southworth, Clerk of Forestry.

During the fall and summer the members of the commission visited the townships of Smith, Harvey, Galway and Burleigh, in the county of Peterborough; the territory along the north shore of Lake Nipissing, and down the Vermillion River, in the township of Louise; the country around Thessalon, Algoma Mills and Killarney; the townships of Carlyle and Humboldt and other points on the north shore of Georgian Bay. The commissioners also inspected some of the territory on the north shore of Lake Superior and the country along the line of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western Railway west of Port Arthur, in addition to taking a somewhat extensive trip through the Rainy River country, visiting also portions of the northern parts of Minnesota and Michigan in the United States.

The report goes on to animadvert strongly upon the almost criminal carelessness of many lumbermen which results in destructive bush fires. The investigations of the commission, however, show that the after growth of fires is largely white pine in white pine districts, and though at superficial inspection the popular and birch monopolize the fire swept areas, yet the young pines make their appearance and ultimately crowd out the less valuable woods.

A SAMPLE CASE.

The commissioners put forward as an example of what results might be obtained, the township of Burleigh, in the county of Peterborough. The cutting of timber began here 50 years ago, the original forest being chiefly of excellent pine. About 35 years ago a colonization road was run through the township and since then the lumbermen and the fires started by settlers have devastated the forest on the west side of a stream known as Eel's Creek. The frequent fires have burned over a large part of the soil and killed any pines that may have been left by the lumbermen, so that any natural reforestration here would be a very slow process.

Now, for the other picture. The east side of Eel's Creek presents an altogether different aspect. Viewed from the Burleigh Road, it has the appearance of a thrifty young poplar forest, with a few young pine trees appearing on a level with the poplar. On closer examination it was found that the young forest was largely composed of red and white pine. It was moreover learned that this portion of the forest had not been visited by fire since twenty-three years ago. The pine will, if protected from fire, soon overtop the poplars and assert the supremacy of their species. The conclusion arrived at was thas within fifty years lumbering operations in this locality could be profitably resumed and the larger pine trees taken out, producing timber of a merchantable quality and giving the younger trees a better chance to grow. Reasonably good forest conditions could, under proper regulations for cutting, be introduced and a continuous supply kept up.

PROTECTION FROM FIRE.

This statement as to the condition in the Township of Burleigh may be taken as fairly typical of the course of natural forest regeneration in nearly all the fire-swept lands which came under the observance of the commissioners. Much of the forest lands now looked upon as of little use will yet, under proper protection, be very productive. The main feature of forest preservation mus be protection from fire.

To the north of the height of land which sheds water into Hudson Bay, it was found that some timber lands had been burned over through the carelessness of Indians, but the Hudson Bay officials there had promised to help the Government in protecting the forests.

The commissioners proceed to say that, though in earlier years the lumbermen confined their operations to taking out trees which measured at least 14 inches diameter at the butt, many rafts were observed to-day to consist of mere poles—six inches or so in diameter. This practice should be promptly set upon by the Government.

HOW FAST PINE GROWS.

The commissioners give the following idea of the rate of growth of white pine: A young tree which would cut only one log 8 inches in diameter and 16 feet long, measuring 16 feet, board measure, would, if allowed to stand for 30 years, grow in diameter at the rate of one inch in five years—in some cases the growth is an inch in two years—and hence would give a butt of 14 inches diameter, 16 feet long, or 100 feet of lumber, board measure. In addition to this, however, this tree would have grown in height sufficiently to give two more logs, one, say of 11-inch, and one of 8-inch diameter, both 16 feet long, or a total of 164 feet, board measure, for the tree. Thus, a tree that required, perhaps, 40 years to make its first 16 feet of merchantable timber would in 30 years more have increased to 164 feet.

The commission suggests that a market should be secured for the "thinnings," which should be taken out where the timber stands too thick, and the idea is put forward that much of this apparently useless forest material might be utilized in the manufacture of pulp and small wood goods, or for the production of charcoal for smelting ores.

CONCLUSIONS OF THE COMMISSION.

In conclusion the Commission recommends that:

1. The present system of fire ranging inaugurated by the Government in 1896 be extended so as to be compulsory on all the holders of timber berths; that all unlicensed timber land contiguous thereto be also protected by rangers employed by the Government, and that all fire rangers be subjected to the inspection and control of the Department of Crown Lands,

2. That the officials of the Hudson Bay Company be asked to co-operate with the Government in preparing and printing fire proclamations in the language of the Indians of the northern districts, to be posted along the canoe routes throughout the country.

3. That for all unworked limits on which the ground rent shall be two years in default on the termination of the present license year, the license shall not be renewed, but the berths be held by the Crown as forest reserves.

4. That licensed holders be not allowed to cut any trees for logs smaller than will measure 12 inches across the stump two feet from the ground, unless under special forest conditions, with the sanction and under the supervision of the district forest ranger.

5. That the Government take power by order-in council to withdraw from sale a location, and set aside, to be left in permanent Crown forest reserves, such areas of territory as are generally unsuitable for settlement and yet valuable for growing timber.

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LITTLE SICK CHILDREN

Short Sketch of the Work Done by the Great Mother Nurse—The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

From every county in the great Province of Ontario children are admitted free into the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto, whenever their parents cannot afford to pay.

And few of the poor little sufferers who are nursed and cared for have rich parents, it would seem. Last year the expense of the Hospital was nearly $30 000. And to meet this but $1 325 was received from pay patients.

The balance must come from the more fortunate folks, who are charitable and generous.

The Hospital for Sick Children is the largest of its kind in the world—without exception. There are 200 cots. The average number of patients is 100 per day; 476 were nursed in the Hospital this year—312 little ones were cured and departed with health, strength and sturdy limbs.

In the dispensary department medicine was given to 4,123 children.

Thus nearly 5,000 children were treated in one year.

A great record of good.

In twenty-two years some 24,000 sick children have been nursed and cared for by the Hospital for Sick Children.

Where do the little patients come from?

From all parts of the province—in 1897 there were patients received from these places:—Arthur, Bandа, Barrie, Bedford Park, Belleville, Bradford, Brampton, Brighton, Brockville, Brooklin, Carney, Cartwright, Collingwood, Corbetton, Davisville, Doncaster, Eagleton, East Toronto, Eldorado, Elmvale, Ennis, Esquesing, Ewan, Foxmead, Frankford, Gananoque, Georgetown, Gravenhurst, Green River, Hamilton, Hampton Mills, Humber Bay, Huttonville, Invermay, Lambton Mills, Lime Lake, Listowel, Little Current, Markham, Markdale, Meadowvale, Merriton, Mimico, Mitchell, Mono Mills, Mortimer's Point, Mount Albert, Mt. Forest, Nauwigewauk, Newmarket, Newtonbrook, Niagara Falls, North Bay, Norwich, Oakville, Orillia, Oshawa, Ottawa, Owen Sound, Parry Sound, Penetanguishene, Port Perry, Picton, Riverview, Saintfield, Scotland, Springfield-on-Credit, Stratford, St. Catharines St. Mary's, St. Thomas, Thornhill, Toronto, Toronto Junction, Otterson, Victoria Road, Waubaushene, Westport, Whitby, Whitevale, Wingham Woodstock.

How do they come? Very often parents hear of the work of the Hospital through the newspapers. In some instances friends of the little sufferers make application on behalf of parents who are poor, but independent and self-reliant.

It generally falls to the lot of the chairman of the Hospital Trust to decide when there is a question of ability to pay. One day, about a year ago, this gentleman was driving towards the city of Brockville, and while passing a school-house the scholars rushed out in eager haste for the fifteen minutes of joy they crowd into recess. Mr. Robertson smiled as the youngsters passed him; but the smile vanished when he observed in the rear a little chap who was hobbling along on crutches, happy but crippled. One of his legs was bent at the knee to a right angle. The carriage was stopped, and the little fellow called.

"My boy, how did you injure your leg so badly?" was the enquiry.

The lad explained that he had met with a mishap one day while chopping wood that he had been treated in an eastern hospital for some time; that his leg had been straightened, but had again become useless. His parents and schoolfellows looked upon him as a cripple for life.

And so he might have been.

"How would you like to have your leg straightened for good?" asked the Hospital chairman, who knew of the complete cure effected at the great Toronto institution in similar cases.

"Well, mister, there is nothing I would like better," said the boy.

He was assisted into the carriage, and told to direct the driver to his father, who had a blacksmith shop near by. The boy was one of a family of seven children. Most gladly did the father give his consent to the child's removal to the Hospital for treatment.

The little deformed lad thus fortunately met on the highway near Brockville is a cripple no longer. His leg is stiff, but it is straight. He remained in the Hospital for many months. But it was a joyous home-coming when the boy walked firmly and straight without the aid of stick or crutches.

This is a single case. Thousands of cases might be cited.

The editor of this paper has been informed that if anyone knows of any sick child under fourteen years of age, who is suffering from accident or disease, and whose parents cannot afford to pay for proper medical or surgical assistance—they are asked to communicate with the Hospital for Sick Children.

There is room for such children in the Hospital. They will be nursed, cared for, and in all probability, cured.

There is a debt of $70 000 hanging over the institution, $20,000 of which is for debts which must be paid at once.

Even with the strictest economy it requires no less than five executive officers, 24 nurses and 20 domestics to carry on the work of the Hospital. Twenty-five more children could be taken care of with the same number of attendants.

The work of the Hospital is ever increasing. Its doors are wide open to every ailing child in the province.

Such a work should have a million friends in Ontario. If each friend could spare a dollar—what a rich endowment with which to carry on the work.

But the trustees only ask for $20 000—a sum which they are required to pay before the end of January.

Everyone can help.

The need is most pressing.

The appeal is the appeal of poor, weak, suffering childhood, of little, wan-faced babies and children who lie on beds of pain.

The Hospital appeals to you—the reader of this newspaper.

Your dollar will bless you in the giving.

And you will give it.

Every penny aids—every dollar helps—and your dollar may restore health, strength and straight limbs to some poor crippled boy or girl.

Won't you help?

A group of little boys whose maimed and deformed limbs are being straightened at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto. (*Re-produced from photograph*).

This is a home charity — something that should appeal to every heart.

It was Charles Dickens, that great-hearted Englishman — the friend of the fatherless, the reliever of the oppressed and down-trodden, who appealed to every human heart, when he said: "The two grim nurses—poverty and sickness—who bring these children before you, preside over their births, rock their wretched cradles, and nail down their coffins."

In this enlightened Canada of ours—this bright Province of Ontario—this shall not be as long as the doors of the Hospital for Sick Children remain open.

Help remove that mortgage.

Help unload that load of debt.

IN AID OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

Matthew xxv. 40.

"Inasmuch as ye gave ear unto the sighing
Of the least of these, the children of my care—
Of your love, from death redeemed them, or, in dying,
Stood between them and the shadow of despair.

"Inasmuch as when the little ones did languish,
You put forth a hand to make their burdens light—
Inasmuch as when they lay on beds of anguish,
Ye were with them in the watches of the night.

"The joy you brought to light, when sorrow hid it,
Now awaits you—an exceeding great reward,
As ye did it unto these—to ME ye did it;
Enter ye into the joy of your Lord."

"Lord, when sought we out the children
that did languish?
When put forth the hand to make their
burdens light;
Lord, we wist not when they lay on beds
of anguish,
And we slept throughout the watches
of the night.

"For our lives were full of trouble and of labour,
And the night followed hard upon the day;
Had we lingered with the children of our neighbour,
Our own little ones had perished by the way."

"Inasmuch as though ye might not touch or tend them,
Ye were with them in your love, to heal and save—
And were hands and feet to those who did befriend them,
By the gold and by the silver that you gave.

"Find your treasure where your ransomed ones have hid it;
Take it back a thousandfold for your reward;
As ye did it unto these—to ME ye did it;
Enter ye into the joy of your Lord."

—J. Brunton Stephens, Brisbane.

Contributions for the delivery of the Hospital from the bondage of debt will be acknowledged by letter and also in the columns of The Evening Telegram, a copy of which will be mailed to each donor.

Money may be forwarded to Miss Maria Buchan, treasurer, 165 Bloor street East, Toronto, or to J. Ross Robertson, chairman of the Hospital Trust, Toronto.

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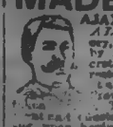

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This is the Word Which Most Properly Describes Yesterday's Wheat Markets—Local Prices.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 5.

Cheese is 6d higher in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¾d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago ⅝c lower at 89½c.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 16,500; market steady to 10c lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	0 89⅝	0 90½
New York	0 91⅝	0 93⅝
Milwaukee	0 88	0 90
St. Louis	0 92¼	0 93¼
Toledo	0 91⅛	0 92⅝
Detroit	0 90	0 91
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 89¼	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 89	0 89⅝
Toronto, red	0 [illegible]	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with demand limited. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.50 to $3.60, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 82c west. No. 2 extra sold at 82c west.

OATS—The market was steady to-day, with sales of white at 24½c west and at 25½c Midland. Mixed sold at 23½c west.

[illegible] with sales at 36½c north and west, and at 47½c to 48c on Midland.

RYE—The market rules steady, with sales at 51c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c to 45c west and at 46c to 47c east.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Holders are asking 28c west.

CORN—The demand is fair, with sales at 27½ west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

BRAN—The market is quiet and steady at $8.10 in bags and $8.20 in bulk.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 6c to 8½c per lb.

DRESSED HOGS—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 6¼c to [illegible] green at 5c for No. 1, 4c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece wool on the market. Pulled wools in fair demand at 20c to 22c for good extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Brown, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do., short cut, $13 to $13.25; Canada mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¾c to 6¾c for tubs, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 3—No. 1 Northern wheat, 6s 2d to 7s 10d; No. 1 Cal., 5s 3d to 5s 4d; corn weaker, stock exhausted; peas 5s 11½d; pork, 57s 2½d; pork, 41s 6d for May western; lard, 29s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., short cut, 27s 6d; tallow, 23s 6d.

Paris—Wheat, 19f 35c for Jan., flour, 39f 90c for March. French country markets week.

Paris—Close—Wheat barely steady at 20f 35c for June. Flour quiet at 50f 90c for March. Weather in France fine.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures dull at 7s 2½d for March, 7s 2¾d for May and 6s 10½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for March and 3s 2¼d for May. Flour, 23s 3d.

We have a line of granulated sugar, 25 lbs. for $1. Spot Cash Grocery Co., 393 George street, (while it lasts).

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CEDED TO GERMANY.

China Gives Up Territory at Kiao Chou Bay.

CHINESE LOAN ARRANGEMENTS

British Government May Guarantee the Loan—Corean Customs Control—Mr. Brown Maintains His Hold of the Post—Death of Major-General Venttsman-Bingo—Cable News.

Pekin, Jan. 6.—The Kiao-Chou difficulty was settled yesterday at a conference of the Tsung-Li Yamen (Chinese Foreign Office), which made the necessary concessions. Details are expected.

An Indefinite Lease.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The cession of Kiao-Chou Bay to Germany takes the form of a lease for an indefinite time. Germany is at liberty to erect on the ceded territory all the necessary buildings and establishments, and to take the measures required for their protection.

What the Territory Consists of.

The Reichs Anzeiger says the ceded territory comprises the whole of the inner basin of Kiao Chou Bay, so far as the high-water line, the larger headlands, situated south and north of the entrance of the bay, to the point where they are bounded by mountain ranges and also the islands situated within and in front of the bay. The ceded territory comprises an area of several square miles, bounded by a larger zone around the bay, within which no measures or arrangements may be made by China without the consent of Germany. Finally, "In order to avoid conflicts which might disturb the good understanding between the two powers," China has transferred to Germany for a period a lease of all sovereign rights over the ceded territory.

BRITAIN WILL HAVE A SAY

In Regard to Affairs in the Far East, and She Has Friends.

London, Jan. 6.—There is a general feeling in England, and it is reflected on the Stock Exchange, that the situation in the far East is improving. It is believed the proposed Chinese loan of £16,000,000 ($80,000,000) will be guaranteed by the British Government, although the final decision is not likely to be reached until the meeting of the Cabinet on Monday next.

The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon referred to the "Ascendancy of money over the mailed fist," and says: "Great Britain's vessels are anchored off Chemulpo and at Port Arthur. This is quietly implying that Great Britain will have a voice in the future arrangements. Further, the latest telegrams clearly indicate she has plenty of friends."

Continuing, The Pall Mall Gazette remarks: "Aside from the Japanese, nations like the United States, whose interests are purely commercial, are well disposed towards our Government, and are opposed to trade exclusiveness."

Brown Holds the Fort.

London, Jan. 6.—Special despatches from Shanghai yesterday say that Mr. J. McLeavy Brown, the British Corean customs agent at Seoul, maintains a firm hold on his post, and that M. Alexieff, the Russian agent, who has been endeavoring to supplant the Englishman, has been unable to obtain control of the finances, owing to the fact that all the funds are vested in Mr. Brown's name in the Hong Kong Bank at Shanghai, which institution honors Mr. Brown's signature only.

The idea of an alliance with Great Britain is reported to have excited intense enthusiasm in Japan. The Marquis Ito's Cabinet, it is added, will endeavor to promote an Anglo-Japanese [illegible].

What the Times Says.

London, Jan. 6.—The Times says, editorially, this morning: "It would be simple to assume that The Reichs Anzeiger's despatch tells the whole story, for it quite omits to say what China gets in return. To the world at large, however, the material fact is that Germany, by physical force, has obtained a naval station. This is the fact that must guide other powers in determining their own policy.

"The talk of a lease is a mere saving of appearances. There is no doubt that both Germany and China are aware that it is a practical cession in full sovereignty. It provides a further argument in favor of an English guaranteed Chinese loan."

The Lease is for 50 Years.

London, Jan. 6.—A despatch to The Times from Pekin, dated yesterday (Wednesday), says that Germany has taken a lease of Kiao-Chou for 50 years. It says also reports are current there that a French occupation of Hai-Nan Island is imminent.

Russia Cutting Freight Rates.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 6.—In order to promote exports, the Railroad Committee has ordered a reduction of 20 per cent. in the freight rates on flour going to the Russian seaports, and has ordered a reduction of 10 per cent. on grain to be ground at the seaports prior to shipment.

The Late Czar's Physician Dead.

Moscow, Jan. 6.—Dr. Zacobarin, the famous physician of Czar Alexander III., is dead.

Hacking Cough Cured.

GENTLEMEN,—My brother was troubled with a very bad hacking cough, but after using three bottles of Norway Pine Syrup he was completely cured. I cannot recommend it too highly.

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Ingersoll, Jan. 5.—London Glasses and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is babbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

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Why Modern Bricks Are Hollow.

The use of paper in the manufacture of high grades of bricks for interior housework, trimmings, facings and for decorative purposes is evidently much on the increase. Already some very good samples of enameled paper brick have been shown. In the latest process of making and enameling the paper bricks the bricks are made on the hollow principle. The object of making the brick hollow is practically the same as sought in the making of hollow forged steel shafting. Not only is a defective center removed, but it is possible to put a mandrel into the hollow, and by applying pressure, the walls are operated upon both from the inside and the outside.

When a solid body is heated, the temperature of the interior always varies from that of the outer portion at first, often resulting in an expansion of one or the other that causes defects. For these reasons the plan of forming the bricks upon the hollow principle, plugging them afterward, is recommended. Sawdust is found to be a good filler. It is first fireproofed, as is also the paper pulp used in the bricks. Then it is mixed with cement and pressed into the hollow of the bricks, smoothed and enameled over, making a perfect shape.—Philadelphia Record.

A Lucky Find.

Two men walking on Campbell street toward Twelfth one night were accosted by a negro woman who was excited.

"Kin either one of you means give me a match?" she said.

"What for?"

"I lost a quahtah down there, an I want to hunt fur it."

She was given several matches and ran ahead and began striking matches and looking along the sidewalk. When the two men came up, she had stopped hunting and had apparently found the coin.

"Well, did you find it?" inquired one of the men.

"No, but I done find this horseshoe, an that's better'n two quahtahs," she said.—Kansas City Star.

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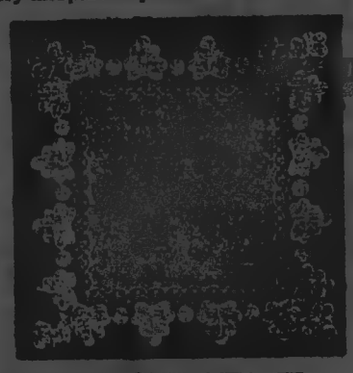

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No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realizing that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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nerves have been very weak, my sleep fitful and disturbed by dreams, consequently I arose in the morning unrested. I was frequently very dizzy and was much troubled with a mist that came before my eyes, my memory was often defective and I had fluttering of the heart, together with a sharp pain through it at times. In this condition I was easily worried and felt enervated and exhausted. Two months ago I began taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, since that time I have been gaining in health and strength daily. They have restored my nerves to a healthy condition, removed all dizziness and heart trouble, and now I sleep well and derive comfort and rest from it. That Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are a good remedy for Nervousness, Weakness, Heart Trouble and similar complaints goes without saying." Price 50 cts. a box at all druggists or T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

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BEARISH.

This is the Word Which Most Properly Describes Yesterday's Wheat Markets—Local Prices.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 5.

Cheese is 6d higher in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¼d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago ⅝c lower at 89⅝c.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day, 1650; market steady to 10c lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	0 89¾	0 90⅝
New York	0 97⅞	0 99⅝
Milwaukee	0 85	0 90
St. Louis	0 92½	0 93½
Toledo	0 91½	0 92½
Detroit	0 90	0 91
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 89¼	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 89	0 89⅝
Toronto, red	0 86	....
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Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with demand limited. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was quiet to-day with buyers holding off. Red winter sold outside at 82c, high freights. Spring sold on Midland at 83c for No. 2, and goose 79c Midland. Manitoba ... was steady. No. 1 hard at 91c, grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and quotations at Fort William are 90c to Dec. No. 1 held at 88c, Owen Sound.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west. No. 3 extra sold at 28c west.

OATS—The market was steady to-day, with sales of white at 24½c west and at 25½c Midland. Mixed sold at 23½c west.

PEAS—... with sales at 46½c north and west, and at 47½c to 48c on Midland.

RYE—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c west.

BUCKWHEAT is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c to 45c west and at 46c to 47c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Holders are asking 28c west.

MILLFEED is fair, with sales at $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

BEANS—The market is quiet and ... at $1.10 in bags and $1.20 ... sack.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 6c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to ... for No. 1 steer, quiet green at 8c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece wool on the market. Pulled sells in fair demand at 20c to 22c for extras and 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25 do., short cut, $15 to $15.25; ... mess, $8.00. Hams, smoked, ... to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

EGGS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 5.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 9d to 7s 10d; No. 1 Cal., 8s 3d to 8s 4d; red winter, stock exhausted; peas, 4s 11½d; corn, 3s 2½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 26s 6d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., short cut, 27s 6d; tallow, 19s 6d; cheese, 43s 6d.

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Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures dull at 7s 2¾d for March, 7s 2¾d for May and 6s 11⅝d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for Feb., 3s 1¾d for March and 3s 2⅛d for May. Flour, 25s 3d.

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CHINESE LOAN ARRANGEMENTS

British Government May Guarantee the Loan—Corean Customs Control—Mr. Brown Maintains His Hold of the Post—Death of Major-General Yeatman-Biggs—Cable News.

Pekin, Jan. 6.—The Kiao-Chou difficulty was settled yesterday at a conference of the Tsung-Li Yamen (Chinese Foreign Office), which made the necessary concessions. Details are expected.

An Indefinite Lease.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The cession of Kiao-Chou Bay to Germany takes the form of a lease for an indefinite time. Germany is at liberty to erect on the ceded territory all the necessary buildings and establishments, and to take the measures required for their protection.

What the Territory Consists of.

The Reichs Anzeiger says the ceded territory comprises the whole of the inner basin of Kiao Chou Bay, so far as the high-water line, the larger headlands, situated south and north of the entrance of the bay, to the point where they are bounded by mountain ranges and also the islands situated within and in front of the bay. The ceded territory comprises an area of several square miles, bounded by a larger zone around the bay, within which no measures or arrangements may be made by China without the consent of Germany. Finally, "in order to avoid conflicts which might disturb the good understanding between the two powers," China has transferred to Germany for a period a lease of all sovereign rights over the ceded territory.

BRITAIN WILL HAVE A SAY

In Regard to Affairs in the Far East, and She Has Friends.

London, Jan. 6.—There is a general feeling in England, and it is reflected on the Stock Exchange, that the situation in the far East is improving. It is believed the proposed Chinese loan of £16,000,000 ($80,000,000) will be guaranteed by the British Government, although the final decision is not likely to be reached until the meeting of the Cabinet on Monday next.

The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon referred to the "Ascendancy of money over the mailed fist," and says: "Great Britain's vessels are anchored off Chemulpo and at Port Arthur. This is quietly implying that Great Britain will have a voice in the future arrangement. Further, the latest telegrams clearly indicate she has plenty of friends."

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The idea of an alliance with Great Britain is reported to have excited intense enthusiasm in Japan. The Marquis Ito's Cabinet, it is added, will endeavor to promote an Anglo-Japanese alliance.

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The National Art Gallery, which is in charge of Mr. Tarte's Department, was burglarised last night, and a case of old coins and medallions, given to the Government many years ago by Col. Falkland, was stolen. Some of these coins were over 2000 years old, and are almost priceless. The matter is being investigated by the Minister and Deputy Minister.

Ottawa News Notes.

Hon. Dr. Borden will sail for Canada to-morrow.

The Cabinet is busy preparing the program for the coming session.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

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Nature has a code of signals—a listless step and tired, weary feeling are in the code. They show that the system is run down and dragged out. Nature's medicine for this is Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills—they benefit the entire system, brace the nerves, and brighten the brain, curing nervousness, sleeplessness, weakness and palpitation of the heart, etc.

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Why Modern Bricks Are Hollow.

The use of paper in the manufacture of high grades of bricks for interior housework, trimmings, facings and for decorative purposes is evidently much on the increase. Already some very good samples of enameled paper brick have been shown. In the latest process of making and enameling the paper bricks the bricks are made on the hollow principle. The object of making the brick hollow is practically the same as sought in the making of hollow forged steel shafting. Not only is a defective center removed, but it is possible to put a mandrel into the hollow, and by applying pressure, the walls are operated upon both from the inside and the outside.

When a solid body is heated, the temperature of the interior always varies from that of the outer portion at first, often resulting in an expansion of one or the other that causes defects. For these reasons the plan of forming the bricks upon the hollow principle, plugging them afterward, is recommended. Sawdust is found to be a good filler. It is first fireproofed, as is also the paper pulp used in the bricks. Then it is mixed with cement and pressed into the hollow of the bricks, smoothed and enameled over, making a perfect shape.—Philadelphia Record.

A Lucky Find.

Two men walking on Campbell street toward Twelfth one night were accosted by a negro woman who was excited.

"Kin either one of you mens give me a match?" she said.

"What for?"

"I lost a quahtah down there, an I want to hunt fur it."

She was given several matches and ran ahead and began striking matches and looking along the sidewalk. When the two men came up, she had stopped hunting and had apparently found the coin.

"Well, did you find it?" inquired one of the men.

"No, but I done find this horseshoe, an that's better'n two quahtahs," she said.—Kansas City Star.

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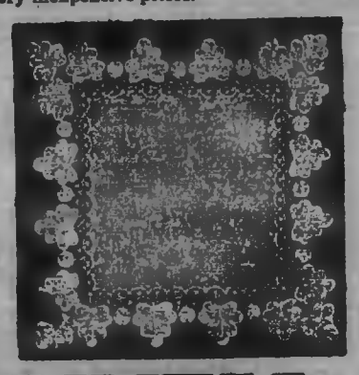

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No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realizing that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

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License Inspector, West Peterborough

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Sunday School Entertainment.

St. John's annual Sunday School entertainment is being held this evening in the school house. The attractions will be a Christmas Tree, performance of "Mother Goose," rhymes, choruses, etc. It will begin at 7.30.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

Non Compos Mentis.

Thos. Griffin was up before the Magistrate this morning charged with the theft of an axe, a couple of hens and several trace chains from his employer, Edw. Sanderson, of Smith, on Dec. 29th. The case was dismissed, it being decided that the prisoner was non compos mentis.

If you like Tobogganing the Chemong Park Slide will not fail th please you.

School Opened on Monday.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, lock boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Good Prices for Fruit.

In November last Ed. McMahon, of Northumberland county, packed a barrel of apples for P. J. Carey for shipment to the old country, and enclosed a note requesting the purchaser to write him and tell the price paid for them in the English market. This week Ed. received a post card from W. Walker & Son, Wexford, Ireland, on which it was stated that 23 shillings had been paid for the barrel of apples, and that they retailed at 10d a dozen in that town.

"Faust."

Goethe's "Faust" is the announcement for the Opera House next Tuesday evening, the young tragic actor, John Griffith, appearing as Mephistopheles. It was but a few years ago that young Griffith first ventured on a starring tour and since then he has been more than kindly dealt with by the critics and public. He is a sterling young actor with real tragic ability, a good physique and a good voice. Mr. Griffith is a devil who is a diplomat as well as a bully, and the irony and sarcasms are delivered with a keen understanding. The staging of the play has received much attention from Mr. Griffith's managers, and a carload of special scenery, electrical and calcium accessories are promised. The prices have been placed within reach of all [illegible] 50 and 75 cents. Seats are now on sale. 1d

Your choice of any of the Fancy Holiday Novelties and Made-Up Articles in MRS. APPLEBY'S stock at and below Cost Price during January.

MR. PRINCIPAL M'CREARY'S RETIREMENT.

From the West Ward School after Twelve Years Faithful Service.

Mr. James McCreary, whose resignation of the position of Principal of the West Ward school, was accepted Tuesday by the Board, came to Peterborough twelve years ago to-day to enter upon the duty he practically resigns almost to an hour on the twelfth anniversary of his arrival. During his twelve years in town Mr. McCreary has won the highest respect as a citizen, and, as a teacher, has most faithfully, assiduously and successfully attended to the duties of the office. In fact his close devotion to his work led him to contemplate retirement for rest at any early date; but receiving an offer that involved double the financial remuneration attached to the principalship, he sent in his resignation, to take effect immediately, and the Committee on Appointments of the School Board in deference to his wishes, and in gratitude for the excellent services he had rendered in the past, consented to accede to his request for immediate relief from his engagement.

Mr. McCreary's retirement will be much regretted by his fellow teachers, by whom he was well esteemed, by the scores of pupils, who during the past twelve years, have profited by his capable instruction, by and the many citizens who have learned to respect him. Mr. McCreary has accepted the position of manager of the exhibition tour in the southern United States of the "Petrified Man," owned by his brother-in-law, Mr. T. H. Graham, but while abroad he will not cease to be a citizen of Peterborough. Mrs. McCreary remains in town, occupying the residence during his absence, which, long or short, will only, it is hoped, be temporary.

DOG AND POULTRY SHOW.

Entries Continue to Come in—Show to be Held in the Market Hall.

The entry list for the Poultry and Dog Show continue to swell and if the attendance is commensurate with the worth of the Exhibition it will prove a great success. Quite a number of well known dogs are coming from Montreal and special classes not mentioned in the prize list are to be opened up on the understanding that seven or more entries for each will be forthcoming.

The Bench Show is held for the purpose of encouraging the breeding of a better class of dogs in Peterborough and it is hoped that all owners of dogs of good stock will have them entered in order that the weak and strong points may be ascertained.

The fox terrier, "Radiance," bred by Mr. C. McCormick, of town, and now owned by Mr. A. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, will be shown. It won in Toronto and Brooklyn in its class and also carried off a great many specials at both shows. The prize fox terrier puppy of the year will also be shown, but the great bulk of exhibits will consist, it is hoped, of local dogs.

A COMPLIMENT TO PETERBOROUGH.

Flattering Imitation of our Late Mayoralty Candidates.

There's a proverb that says that imitation is the sincerest flattery, or words to that effect. This is exemplified in the election address of a candidate for mayor for a lakeside town to the south of us. With an impartiality only equalled by the undeflectable equipoise of the scales of the blindfolded goddess of Justice, the lakeside candidate steals his address from those of Mr. Yelland and Mr. Davis. The first half of the address is taken, word for word, (with only local adaptation) from that of Mr. Yelland. The second half is taken word for word (with only local adaptation) from that of Mr. Davis. The candidate thus shows his impartiality, and the custom of literary burglary will doubtless become popular, for on the strength of his hermaphrodite address, the gentleman named was successful, and is now mayor of the town of—, but the name is suppressed, for any town that is capable of such generosity of impartial theft of the brains of others, would doubtless object to taking its right hand into the confidence of its left in respect to its actions of liberality.

—Fairbank's corn beef, fresh, 2 lb tins, prices low. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

INTERESTING LECTURES.

To be Delivered by the Provost of Trinity University.

An interesting literary event has just been arranged. The Provost of Trinity University has agreed to deliver a popular lecture in Peterborough entitled "Two Religious Revivals in the Church of England." It deals with the Evangelical Revival and the Oxford Movement.

The Provost will be remembered as lecturing here, with much appreciation, on George Eliot. The lecture will be delivered in St. John's school house on Friday evening, 14th inst.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Fourth Meeting of the Series To-night—Subject. "Families and Schools."

Thursday, Jan. 6.—George street Methodist church; speaker, Rev. A. T. Dykeman. Prayer: That in Christian households family prayer may be maintained and conversions sought; that home life may be pure and loving; that the training schools, colleges and universities may be in the knowledge of Holy Scripture, and with a view to the consecrated life of unselfish benevolence and usefulness.—Joshua xxiv, 12—28; Psalm cxxxiii.; Colossians iii., 14 to iv., 1.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	37°	9°

FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETINGS

The supplementary Farmers' Institute meetings will be held as follows:

Bridgenorth, Saturday, Jan. 8th, at 1.30 and 7.30.

Halls Bridge, at the same hours on Monday, Jan. 10th. Addresses on farming topics will be given by well qualified speakers.

—Dates and Figs. Spot Cash Grocery.

JANUARY BRIDAL BELLS.

THEY HAVE ALREADY BEGUN TO PEAL FORTH THEIR MERRY CHIMES.

Celebration of the Latimer—Russell Wedding Yesterday—The Sherwood-Poussette Nuptials This Morning in St. John's Church.

LATIMER—RUSSELL.

One of the prettiest weddings that has ever delighted the vicinity was that which took place at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Riverview Farm, South Monaghan, the homestead of Mr. James Latimer, whose daughter, Miss Lillie, was united in marriage to Mr. Harry Russell of Cavan township, near Millbrook.

Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick, of Bailieboro, performed the ceremony, and there were over fifty guests present, including the mother and brothers of the groom.

The bride wore a very attractive travelling gown of blue ladies' cloth. She was assisted by her sister, Miss Mary Latimer, who was similarly attired. The groomsman was Mr. J. W. Russell, Professor of Mathematics, McMaster University, Toronto.

At the conclusion of the interesting ceremony the guests were invited to partake of a most recherche wedding dejeuner, which was spread in a simple but most elegant manner. The dining room was beautifully decorated for the occasion with smilax and carnations, which were also used upon the tables, the effect being exceedingly effective. Many of the older guests, who had witnessed many wedding occasions, declared that they had never seen the arrangements for a wedding so beautifully carried out, and at the same time with such simple elegance and good taste.

During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Russell left for their home in Cavan, where a fine new brick residence has been erected for them on one of the finest farms in the township.

Amongst the guests present from a distance were Mrs. James Stratton, Mrs. J. R. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Matthews, Mrs. (Dr.) Hunter, and the Misses Stratton, of Peterborough; Dr. Edwy Stratton, of Orting, Washington State, and Miss Belle Dixon, of Belleville.

SHERWOOD—POUSSETTE.

An event which was surrounded by more than ordinary interest was the wedding this morning of Miss Annie Sherwood, third daughter of Mrs. C. E. Sherwood, No. 19 Gilmour street, to Dr. W. Courthope Poussette, of Chicago, son of Mrs. Edw. Poussette, town.

The ceremony was performed in St. John's church by the rector, Rev. J. C. Davidson, at a quarter past eleven in the presence of a few of the most intimate friends and the relatives of the bride and groom.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Wm. Sherwood, looked most charming in a stylish gown of purple covert cloth braided in black and trimmed with sable. She also wore a chic purple velvet toque with purple birds and white osprey and carried a magnificent shower bouquet of white bride roses. Her sister Miss Marion Sherwood, was the bridesmaid and was most attractively gowned in a gray broadcloth suit trimmed with black and white satin and gold braid. A handsome black velvet picture hat was also worn and pink roses were carried.

The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Mackiem Poussette.

The choir were all present in compliment to the bride, who formerly sang with them As the bridal party entered the church Lohengrin's wedding march was played and before the service began the choir sang "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden." As a recessional Mendelssohn's wedding march was played.

Immediately after the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Poussette drove to the Grand Trunk Station, accompanied by the wedding party, and left for Chicago by the noon train.

Both bride and groom were well known Peterborough and were great society favourites. They will be greatly missed in social circles and the most cordial good wishes will accompany them to Chicago, where Dr. Poussette has decided to locate and practice.

—Oranges and Lemons. Spot Cash Grocery Co. Fresh and very choice.

ROCKDALE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. John Brown, of this place, was in Peterborough last week attending the funeral of the late John Barnham.

Mr. James Seeney was quite seriously injured as the result of a fall he received last week.

Miss Aggie Young is home from Minneapolis on a short visit.

Messrs. Taylor & Son have completed their new mill-race and are now ready to commence their winter sawing operations.

Mr. Fred. Preston and sister Bertha attended the wedding of Mr. W. Young, in Harvey, last week.

Mr. W. R. Purdy spent the holidays with friends at Napanee and Desoronto.

Mr. F. H. Breckenridge of Warkworth, called on friends at Waristen during the holidays.

Miss L. Fordham, of Havelock, was the guest of Miss Annie Purdy on Christmas.

Miss B. Graham, of Otonabee, spent Christmas with friends in this vicinity.

Mr. Thomas Marrow, formerly of this place, has retired from farming and has taken up a palatial residence in the suburbs of Havelock.

Mr. David Breckenride is visiting his father at Deer Lake, Haliburton county, this week.

—Fresh supply of smoked and pickled fish; dinna forget. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 98c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

RECEIVED THE HABIT OF THE SISTERHOOD.

A Solemn Ceremony at Mount St. Joseph—Four Young Ladies Received the Habit of the Sisterhood of St. Joseph—Names of the Postulants—Eloquent Sermon by Ven. Archdeacon Casey.

On Tuesday at Mount St. Joseph, the Mother House of the Sisterhood of St. Joseph, four young ladies received the habit of the order. They were: Miss Maria Gilmurray, of Brickley, in religion, Sister Mary Evangelica; Miss Minnie Young, daughter of Mr. C. Young, Young's Point, in religion, Sister Mary Leona; Miss Hannah Costello, daughter of the late Michael Costello, of Emily, in religion, Sister Mary Thecla, and Miss Ellen O'Connell, daughter of Mr. Jas. O'Connell, Ashburnham, in religion, Sister St. Catherine.

The solemn ceremony took place in the chapel, and was celebrated by Rt. Rev. R. A. O'Connor, Bishop of Peterborough, assisted by Rev. Father Bretherton, of Emily, and Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of the Cathedral.

The special sermon, an address of unusual excellence, was preached by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, upon the duties the postulants were called upon to address themselves to in their new relations. His text was from the Gospel of St. Matthew, chap. 19, v 27—"Behold I have left all and followed Thee." The preacher related the incident of the young man that came to our Lord with the statement that he had kept all the commandments from his youth up, and applied our Lord's reply—to sell all he had and follow Him, to the position of the young ladies in their new sphere of duty. They were called upon to serve Christ's poor—the poor materially, intellectually and morally. They were eloquently enjoined to imitate the example of Christ—his poverty, chastity and obedience, and the media of grace to help them in the discharge of their high duties were pointed out, prayer, vocal and mental, the use of the sacraments of the Church and obedience to the rule of the house.

In the sanctuary during the ceremony were Rev. Father McCloskey, Campbellford; Rev. J. J. O'Sullivan, Douro; and Rev. F. J. O'Sullivan, of this Cathedral.

V. Rev. Vicar-General Laurent, of Lindsay, though arriving late for the ceremony, was present for the occasion.

In the congregation were several of the relatives of the postulants.

WARSAW.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The hockey club played their first match in Lakefield on New Year's Day. The teams lined up as follows:

Warsaw.		Lakefield.
Choate	goal	Newbury
Jas Kidd	point	Sawyers
J Conway	cover point	S Redpath
P Doughty	forwards	G Redpath
F Doughty		J Redpath
J Snider		Stabler
F Tully		Gray

Referee— — Wagner.

The score was 10—11 in favour of Lakefield.

The new palace rink has been completed and is now ready for action.

Mr. Greystock spent Sunday with friends out of town.

A hockey match was played in the rink a few days ago between the Stars and Mohawks. The teams lined up as follows:

T Wilson	goal	S Lynn
W Anderson	point	Fred Tully
J Lowry	cover point	D Choate
H Choate	forwards	P Doughty
Chas Conway		Jos Snider
Fred Doughty		H Kidd
Chas James		W Watts
Chas Parcels	umpire	H Clute

C Calder, referee.

The game created a great deal of excitement, being called at 2 p.m., and lasting, so the survivors say, till 3 o'clock, at which hour the "Stars" began to shine.

The report that James touched the puck with his stick is false.

Snyder was ruled off for using a steel hockey stick. Had it been harder than the players' heads it might have been allowed.

Tully when raising the puck, lifted Lowry with it through the goal. Two goals were allowed.

Doughty thought the ice too slippery for good hockey, and should be padded in the future.

Loss—On New Year's day a hockey team. Parties having any information, please inform the secretary. It is understood they were showed under.

The members of the "Chosen Friends" met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Hyde on New Year's Eve and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Xmas Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

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Popular Annuals---Pure Reading.

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See the Dolls we are selling for .8
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ALL DOLLS ¼ LESS THAN USUAL.

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There is great attraction in our varied stock of popular Games and Parlour Amusements. We have no reserve on any of the stock. Come and pick your popular amusement.

The New Game of BOBITY is fascinating sport. See the game and you will like it.

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100 Albums to be cleared out at ¼ off Regular Price.

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Our Great January Clearing-Up-Before-Stock-Taking Sale is now in full blast. All Winter Goods still in stock, including MILLINERY, MANTLES, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS must be closed out before inventory, on the First of February. Below are some of the Prices that will do it:—

25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 65c.
200 yards Tapestry Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

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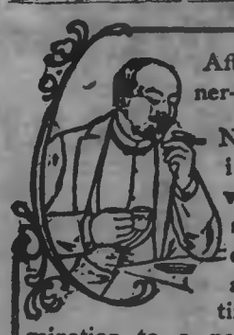

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Nothing in the world is so necessary as a fitting termination to a perfectly served dinner.

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Seats now on sale.

Daily Examiner.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1898.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Dates and Figs. Spot Cash Grocery.

—An increase of $70,000,000 in Montreal bank clearings for the year shows how Montreal has prospered under twelve months of Liberal rule.

—Bulk Worcestershire sauce; fresh stock; low prices. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

—Hockey skates, high grade, low prices, sizes 8½ to 11½, and hockey sticks and pucks at George Stethem & Son's, next the postoffice. 6sod-1w

—The Dingley bill is still at work and it is now announced that about 10,000 cotton mill operators will come in a for a reduction of salary. There is no Happy New Year for them.

—A man who has leisure to devote to statistics, has attempted to figure out how much money there was in the Christmas issue of the New York Sunday Journal. He says there were sixteen coloured advertising pages at $1,200 a page, and other advertising sufficient to bring the total up to between $35,000 and $40,000, which is quite a respectable sum for one issue of a daily paper.

—New tea sifting; choicest blends; 2 lbs for 25. Spot Cash Grocery, 353 George St.

—It is related that at a recent dinner in England, Mark Twain had just finished a piquant address when a prominent lawyer arose, shoved both of his hands down into his trouser's pockets, as was his habit, and laughingly remarked, "Doesn't it strike this company as a little unusual that a professional humorist should be funny?" Mark Twain waited until the laughter excited by this sally had subsided, and then drawled out, "Doesn't it strike this company as a little unusual that a lawyer should have his hands in his own pockets?"

—Trade at the Spot Cash Grocery Co., 353 George street. Diana forget.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

Two more matches were played off last evening in the LeBrun medal contest as follows:

T Bright, skip.,	Dr Caldwell,
R Kerr,	G S Ames,
J McClelland,	T Ferguson,
D Bellingham, skip..12	J Connal, skip 15
W E Loch,	R A W Hay,
H Beeswden,	W Hamilton,
J W Stanger,	W Shilebery,
S Roy, skip..... ..17	M Hamilton, skip....16

On Friday evening in the second draw Skip E. Rutherford plays Skip Roy and Skip Ferguson plays Skip T. Rutherford.

HOCKEY.

It is too bad that arrangements were not made to have the Winnipeg hockey team stop off here this week on its way through to Ottawa. The Winnipegers were given a hot game here once before and such a match would have drawn a big crowd.

The first match in the senior series of the O. H. A. will take place here on Friday, the 14th inst., when the Toronto Athletic Club seven come down to try conclusions with the Peterboroughs. Although the city team is reported to be very fast this year and has secured the services of Hardisty, the great Rat Portage forward, yet the local boys will be in good shape for the event and will doubtless be quite able to hold up their end.

The Globe says that Peterborough will have a very strong Junior team this year and that Walter Phelan is putting up a fine article of the game for the Seniors.

Lionel King is to referee the Brampton-Orangeville game to-morrow night.

ICE RACES.

It has been decided to hold the Belleville ice races on the 25th and 26th inst. On the first day there will be a three-minute race and a 2:37 race. Purses of $100 will be offered for each. On the 26th there will be a 2:40 race and a free-for-all. For the former a purse of $100 will be hung up, and for the free for-all $125 will be offered.

WRESTLING.

In the preface to a Hand Book, on wrestling, Hugh Leonard gives athletes aspiring to distinction in this branch of sport some valuable advice. For instance, he says: "No exercise brings in to play all the muscles of the body in a more thorough manner, and none is more interesting than wrestling. For youth its attractiveness and value need no comment. Nor is it less valuable as an exercise among those of maturer years whose vocations restrict them to indoor exercise. It is also of importance to the specialist in athletics, as a basis exercise for general development, in these days when there is such a tendency to specialties.

"True, there is a prejudice against wrestling among many who mistakedly regard it as too violent an exercise. Of course, at the beginning, care must be taken against over exertion; but that is true of every sport. The muscles must be gradually strengthened and habituated to do their duty. The wrestler must creep before he can walk. But when he has learned thoroughly the art of wrestling, he will find no other exercise more valuable, in the cultivation of faculties which will help him to success, whatever his walk in life—viz, agility, strength, determination, coolness and quick exercise of judgment."

Leonard selects the catch-as-catch-can style as his chief theme. He says: "The catch-as-catch-can style is the least artificial, and the most ancient mode, as well as the one which is destined to have the most lasting popularity. Apart from those styles of wrestling which involve the use of special clothing or accoutrement, this system includes every hold, trip, or throw which is to be found in the other systems."

In his historical review of the sport, Leonard shows us that wrestling as an art dates back to hoary antiquity. Throughout literature from its beginning, we can find records of contests in wrestling, and first among these may be mentioned that celebrated encounter between Ajax and Ulysses, immortalised by Homer. The written history of wrestling, however, ante dates these legendary tales of Homer and the much-sung siege of Troy. In the land of Egypt, which has furnished us so many things to show that there is nothing new under the sun, we find in the ancient temples evidence, indelibly traced, that wrestling was a perfected art 3,000 years before Christ. The Greeks undoubtedly obtained their knowledge of wrestling from the Egyptians. In the old days the sport was frequently continued to the death. In England wrestling began to be practised at an early day. Disorderly conduct at the early contests at St. Giles' Fields and Clerkenwell threw them into disrepute. But wrestling did not die. This is evidenced by the frequent allusions of English writers, the most notable instance of which is the contest between Orlando and the duke's wrestler in "As you Like it." This contest, although it took place in other and imaginary lands is but a description of wrestling as practiced in England in Shakspere's time. It will be recalled that both Leonard and Denny Gallagher have not infrequently played the part of the wrestler on the stage in performances of "As You Like It." In France and Germany the Græco-Roman style of wrestling has prevailed through several centuries.

In America, catch-as-catch-can wrestling is, and long has been, decidedly the most popular. Athletic clubs and universities of the present day throughout the country, have heartily taken up the sport, says Leonard, and hold annual contests among their members in which the most intense interest is taken, and the time seems to be not far distant when it may form the regular part of the education of the average American boy, as in the days of antiquity it was a feature in the education of the Greek youth. In India, China and Japan wrestling has been practised uninterruptedly for thousands of years.

Leonard says the time to throw a man is when he is moving or exerting his strength in the same direction as that in which you desire to throw him. Under the head "fainting," he says: "A wrestling bout is an epitome of a military campaign. In either case success depends more upon strategy than upon strength. With armies of anything like equal strength, the general of neither would think of trying to crush his rival by direct attack." He recommends perseverance. The chances of successful preparation or anticipation by the opponent will be found to decrease with each trial. While securing one hold at a time is the simplest procedure, successful wrestlers often obtain two separate holds—one with each hand. To throw an opponent with either of these holds alone might be possible; when the two are combined, however, they are often irresistible. Weight should always be used in pinning a man to the floor when downed. This is also true of the under man, who, by making himself dead weight, can often frustrate attempts to pull him into shape for a fall. Considerable attention is given to the conduct of the men on the mat. Rigidity of pose or muscles is always to be avoided. Quickness cannot be attained if this rule is ignored.

The Opening Ball

$56,000 WORTH OF WINTER CLOTHING

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS

TO BE SOLD FOR $38,000!

We're booked for a lively time on this, the opening month of 1898. Weeks and weeks ago, before the holiday trade had fairly begun, we arranged for collecting goods for a very special occasion during January, 1898. The extent of that preparation is shown to-day in the vast quantities of **WINTER CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS,** at prices below the market, and with such facilities for quick selling as have never before been equalled. We believe there is plenty of business to be got even in midwinter. Every live clothing dealer knows that the thermometer is a livelier salesman than any other that can be employed. People wont buy until the time comes, and that means until the weather is right. Besides, half the people wear last year's winter garments until January bargain time comes. Acting on that principle this store has been busy every January for years.

COLD WEATHER IS A GREAT BOOMER!

With such prices as we now quote, we expect to surprise those who have been "playing a waiting game," as well as those who will take the trouble to see the goods and the value they represent. What we emphasize now is NEW GOODS, NEW STYLES AND NEW PRICES. It is important that you remember that. Buying as we do in great quantities and selling for Cash, have reduced the cost so materially that shoppers can't help but wonder where our profit comes from.

WE Buy for Cash, Sell for Cash; Buy Low, Sell Low—Because we know how to.

Wide awake waiters, and people on the lookout for January Snaps, have a chance now, the like of which can't be got anywhere else but at this Big Store.

The Wonderful Cheap Men

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PERSONAL.

Mrs. Blackwell is visiting Mrs. Tate, of Lakefield.

Mr. J. M. Irwin has returned from the Rat Portage district.

Mr. B. F. Ackerman, of Toronto, was in Toronto on business yesterday.

Mr. Harrison Garnet, of North Dakota, son of Mr. A. Garnet, of Cavan, is in town visiting friends.

Miss Minnie Turcotte has returned to Toronto, after visiting her parents for the past two weeks.

Mr. Dickson Hall arrived safely at Queenstown on the steamer Majestic on Tuesday last.

Mr. Roland McWilliams left to-day for Toronto where he will resume his studies at Osgoode Hall, after two weeks holidays.

Mr. P. J. Kelly, son of Mr. Thos. Kelly, returns in the morning to Ottawa University after spending the holidays at home.

Mr. Ed. McCormack, formerly of Peterborough, who is now residing in Toronto, is spending a few days in town with relatives.

Mr. Vic. McWilliams left yesterday for Toronto to resume his studies at "Varsity." He was accompanied by Mr. Emile Burns, who spent the Christmas holidays with him.

Mr. Frank L. Somerville, who was formerly connected with the G.T.R. Engineering staff here, and who is now connected with the head office, Montreal, is in town in the interests of the company.

Mr. R. E. Tully, of Saskatchewan Landing, Assiniboia, N. W. T., is in town visiting his brothers, Messrs. Jos. A. and W. C. Tully. He is a successful cattle rancher and comes west on important business, as well as to see his two brothers, after an absence of a number of years.

Miss Addie Caldwell of Toronto, has accepted the situation of head milliner at Mr. J. C. Turnbull's establishment, lately vacated, and is to commence her duties about March 1st. She will be quite an acquisition to the millinery trade of Peterborough as she come very highly recommended both as to business capacity and socially.

—Money saved by buying your teas and coffees from the Spot Cash Grocery Co.

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 25c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLUGE'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

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Ask your grocer for

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For Table and Dairy, Purest and Best

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS NEXT WEEK, AT

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One Price Cash Grocery,

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BRIDGENORTH.

Bridgenorth Court No. 315, C.O.F. intend holding an oyster supper on Friday, Jan. 14th.

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BRONCHITIS,
WHOOPING COUGH,
SORE THROAT,
COUGHS,
COLDS,
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Or any Bronchial or Throat Irritation,

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SEASON 1897—8

The rink is now open for skating forenoons, afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies.....	$2 00
For Gentlemen.....	3 00
For Girls.....	1 50
For Youths.....	2 00
For Boys.....	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

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UNDERWEAR

IN PURE WOOL, FLANNELETTE, AND WOOL AND COTTON.

ALL MARKED DOWN FOR SPEEDY SALE

January Clearance of
—HOSIERY
—GLOVES
—HATS and
—MILLINERY

ALL BELOW COST

As well as my Surplus Stock of Holiday Goods and Fancy Novelties.

MISS ARMSTRONG

390 George Street.

SKATING BOOTS.

Jack Frost has been quite active of late, and as a result we find a demand for our Skating and Hockey Boots. Get ready, boys, for the season by leaving your measure early for CAREY'S Hand-Made Skating Boots.

J. W. CAREY, The Shoe Architect
Shop, 4 George St.

Social Functions.

JANUARY is the month for Social Functions and Reductions in Gentlemen's High-Class Garments and Outfittings. Pleasure in one! Economy in the other!

To those whose dress misfits the occasion, we are accepting a TEN Per Cent. Reduction on all orders for Suits, Overcoats and Single Garments. This Special Reduction, combined with our Superior Spot Cash Values, should induce Gentlemen to participate in this Money-Saving opportunity.

A. Mercer & Co.

VICTORIA CLUB NOTES.

The Rooms Excellently Heated for the Winter Season—Some Suggestions.

When is there to be another free smoker for the members?

What's the matter with that billiard tournament? The committee should arrange dates for the draws to be played off immediately before all interest is lost in the matter.

The heating apparatus is all that could possibly be desired, and the rooms are at all times warm and comfortable.

The officers should arrange another pedro tournament. Challenges have been received from numerous outside parties but have been given no attention.

There is a quartette of cribbage players at the club who would like to arrange a match in the rooms any evening with a like number of outsiders.

The question has been asked as to whether interest in club matters could not be increased by the appointment of an entertainment committee, upon which could be imposed the responsibility of arranging an entertainment of some nature to take place every two weeks.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

During the visit of Li Hung Chang, the "Grand Old Man of China," to this country, the New York Sun said of him: "He is a large, strong, impressive specimen of manhood. He has a massive frame, a shapely head, a commanding face and well posed features. He is a keen observant of mankind, of life and of things. He is seventy-four years of age and still in the hey-day of his power."

If a Chinaman, usually regarded by us as a barbarism, can live to a healthy, hale old age, why cannot Americans, with their more advanced civilization, do the same? The reporters discovered during Li Hung Chang's stay in this country, that he took every thought for his health. He lived upon the simplest of diets and never passed a day without consulting his physician. He limited his toil to a reasonable number of hours, and would not deviate from his rule in this matter. American men follow just the opposite practice. They work to the limit of endurance, will not even take the proper time for eating, resting and sleeping, and never think of their health until it is gone. There is a wonderful medicine for hard-working men. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It takes the place of a physician. It keeps away ill-health and restores health when it is lost. It is the great appetite sharpener, blood-maker and flesh-builder. It makes the digestion perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. Medicine dealers sell it.

"My husband had been a robust young man," writes Mrs. M. J. Tedder, of Ellington, Reynolds Co., Mo. "When he was 31 years old he began to cough very hard. He had pains through his chest and lungs. His mother and the rest of his family had died with consumption. He continued to cough every winter, until in 1885 he had an attack of pneumonia. His cough grew worse and worse. He would vomit immediately after his meals. In 1886 he coughed night and day. He was getting very weak and had no appetite. He commenced Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets.' He improved. His appetite got better. When he had taken seven bottles he looked like a new man and felt like a new person. He weighs more than he ever weighed before. He gained twenty-eight pounds and is cured."

THEY BOTH GOT OFF.

Dr. Hutchinson and Augustus Frezello Are Free by That Marriage.

Ingersoll, Ont., Jan. 5.—The Hutchinson case came up for trial hearing yesterday and, after the evidence was all in, the Crown authorities asked the magistrate to dismiss the charge against Dr. Hutchinson, as there was not a particle of evidence against him, which the magistrate accordingly did.

The case against Augustus Frezello was then proceeded with, but, after argument, the magistrate held there was not sufficient evidence to commit him for trial and summarily discharged him and dismissed the case.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

MADEMOISELLE THERMOMETER.

I know of a restless young lass,
Who lives in a house made of glass,
And from her location
Marks each vibration
Of hot and cold waves as they pass.

When heat is announced, she will spring
To quickly make note of the thing.
'Tis very surprising
That simply by rising
So true a report she can bring.

To self elevation inclined
She has such a volatile mind
That in every season
A suitable reason
For frequent depression she'll find.

Her temper mercurial thus
Creates everywhere such a fuss
That in conversation
Affairs of the nation
Are slighted, this maid to discuss.

—Julia M. Colton in New York Christian Advocate.

Wise Men Know

It is folly to build upon a poor foundation, either in architecture or in health. A foundation of sand is insecure, and to deaden symptoms by narcotics or nerve compounds is equally dangerous and deceptive. The true way to build up health is to make your blood pure, rich and nourishing by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

Princess Beatrice as a German Author.

London, Jan. 4.—It was recently announced that Princess Beatrice, youngest daughter of the Queen and widow of Prince Henry of Battenburg, was writing a devotional book dealing with widows' mourning. The book was published today at Darmstadt. It is written in German and contains a preface by the Rev. Mr. Vogel, a German clergyman, who says that he was requested to revise the work, but that he left unchanged many sentences which were not quite German, fearing to efface their originality. The Daily News publishes long extracts from the book, but does not mention its mode of publication.

Esterhazy to be Tried Secretly.

Paris, Jan. 4.—General Saussier, the Military Governor of Paris, has decided to try Major Count Esterhazy by court-martial behind closed doors on Jan. 10.

How Thin You Look.

Do you like to hear it? If not, take Scott's Emulsion. 'Twill fill out your sunken eyes, hollow cheeks, and thin hands. Why not have a plump figure? Don't let disease steal a march on you.

Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure should be kept in every home; it used rightly would save a world of trouble.

A NATURAL WONDER.

The Tramp Red Sandstone Bowlder of the New Jersey Mountains.

Countless thousands of years ago vast stretches of glacial deposits came sliding across the state of New Jersey, mounted the Palisades, pushed their way across the Hudson river, scoured over Manhattan Island and slid out into the Atlantic ocean, whither they disintegrated and sank into the deep or perhaps glided on to the other shore.

But in their onward march these glaciers left indestructible evidence of their grinding stride, and today all along the palisades the trap rocks and bowlders are worn smooth where the mountains of ice and sand passed over them. In some rocks are deep scratches, all pointing eastward and showing which way the glacial deposits drifted. There is the evidence, mute, but indisputable.

To the careful observer there are numberless other evidences of the presence of glacial influences in the past, but none is more convincing than the tramp bowlder that has finally settled down in the woods in the heart of Englewood borough. There it sits, a towering mass of rock weighing perhaps 200 tons and resting upon three points which in themselves find a purchase on a flat rock that is part of and common to the character of rock which composes the palisades. But, strangely enough and to the wonderment of geologists, the tramp bowlder is red sandstone from the Jersey hills 25 miles inland, and the pedestal is metamorphite or soft granite.

Around this marvelous monument have grown trees that may perhaps be a century old, and they have completely hedged it in, while the rock itself has stood where it stands today for thousands of years. On the pedestal or that part of it which is protected from the action of the elements can be seen the deep ridges and scars made across its flat surface by the great grinding pressure of the body of ice and sand that passed over it countless years ago when New York was ice and snow clad and the world was a desolate waste in a state of chaos.

This tramp bowlder has caused geologists much wonderment and is regarded today as one of the finest specimens ever left in the wake of a glacier. It is equally astounding as though an explorer should find the hull of a steamboat in the Sahara desert. The only way it could get there would be through some great convulsion that had lauded it from the sea in the heart of the inland sands.—New York Journal.

BIRDS' EGGS.

The Reasons Why They Are Not All of One Shape.

Why is there not a fixed form for all eggs? We can see no reason in the anatomy of the bird, but we may often find reasons for the shape of any particular egg in its later history.

It is noticeable, for instance, that the more spherical eggs, as those of owls, trogons and the like, are usually laid in holes in the earth, rocks or trees, where they cannot fall out of the nest, and that the eggs of the ordinary song bird, which makes a well constructed nest, are oval, while the slim, straight sided, conoidal eggs, tapering sharply to a point, belong to birds that construct little or no nest—to the shore birds, terns, guillemots and the like. Why? Because these last drop them in small clutches and with little or no preparation upon sand or rock, where, were they spherical, they could only with difficulty be kept closer beneath the sitting bird, but conical objects will tend always to roll toward a center. An additional advantage is that eggs of the latter shape will take up less space—form a snugger package to be warmed. In the case of guillemots the single egg laid is especially flat sided and tapering, and the species owes its perpetuation largely to this circumstance, since, were it not for the egg's toplike tendency to revolve about its own apex, the chances are that it would be pushed off the ledge of naked sea cliff where the careless or stupid bird leaves it.

This suggests a word in reference to the popular fable that sitting birds carefully turn their eggs every day or oftener in order to warm them equally. No such thing is done, because unnecessary, since, as we have seen, the germinal part always rises to the top and places itself nearest the influential warmth of the mother's body.—Ernest Ingersoll in Harper's Magazine.

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Toronto Man Dies in British Columbia From Cold and Injuries.

Nelson, B.C., Jan. 5.—In an inquest held into the death of Albert Ashton, who was found badly frozen on the Kaslo and Slocan Railway, and who died soon after being found, it was developed that Ashton, who was accompanied by a companion named Kellehan, had trouble with a Whitewater hotelkeeper named Boreen, in which Ashton was used roughly. Kellehan and Ashton then left Whitewater, but Ashton, owing to his injuries, was unable to keep up to his companion, and lay down by the wayside. The jury returned a verdict "that Albert Ashton came to his death through exposure, aggravated by an assault on his person by Charles Boreen, at or near the Victoria Hotel, Whitewater." Boreen was arrested on the charge that he "did unlawfully kill and slay one Albert Ashton." His examination was adjourned and bail fixed at $12,000. Ashton comes from Toronto, though little is known of his people.

Tender, if True.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 5.—At the Lyceum Theatre last night Ernest Williams sang "Mother, I Love You So" to a large audience. The pathetic melody caught the great crowd and the singer was encored.

As the orchestra struck up the prelude for the second time a telegram was handed Williams. He read it, hesitated a moment and then staggered to the footlights and repeated the song with the tears streaming down his face.

When Williams left the stage the manager stepped to the front and explained that the telegram advised the singer of the death of his mother.

Old Toronto Publisher Dead.

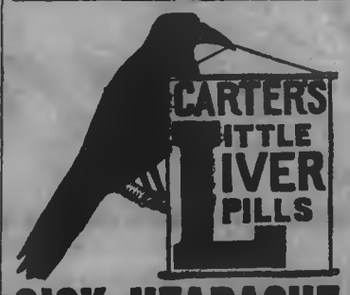
Montreal, Jan. 5.—The death is announced of Thomas Maclean in this city. He was born in Ireland in 1815 and emigrated in 1842. For years he was a leading bookseller and publisher in Toronto. He was one of the first members of the Toronto Board of Trade. He leaves seven children. As a publisher, Mr. Maclean was noted for having published the first Canadian edition of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." He also published the Canadian Almanac.

A Traveling Poultry Exhibit.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, announces the intention of the Government to hold a series of poultry meetings throughout Western Ontario during this year. The meetings will be on an extensive scale and the Government will send to each meeting an exhibit of dressed poultry, specially prepared for the British market, as an object lesson.

Craig Stole a Pig.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 5.—Peter Craig, of Colchester, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment by Judge Horne for stealing a pig from a farmer named Grayer.



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The valley of the Rhone has been quite noted for its goiter victims, although I am happy to say that through the increased watchfulness of the authorities there now is an abatement of the disease. Many different causes are assigned to the terrible affliction—this enlargement of the glands of the throat, goiter, or "big neck," as it is sometimes called—and even the best informed are far from being unanimous as to its origin or prevention. The peasants themselves say it is brought on by the habitual use of snow and glacial water. The water is so cold it acts as a counter irritant, and so inflames the throat, but this explanation hardly holds, as the inhabitants of the upper regions are not so often afflicted as are the people in the lower valleys. The use of chemically impure water, especially hard water, is given as a cause.

The experiment has been made where the water of certain wells was used to the exclusion of all other water. Within a short time goiter symptoms began to manifest themselves where none had been before. Sometimes this disease is epidemic. An instance was noted where in a garrison one out of every 20 men became afflicted. Infants are seldom born with goiter, but after it once takes hold the progress of the disease is very rapid. I believe that it is rarely fatal, but because of this enlargement of the glands and the consequent disfigurement of the throat it is most repulsive, and yet the natives are so accustomed to seeing it that they do not seem to care. It probably is simply a source of discomfort rather than mortification. In fact, in some portions of France, Italy and Switzerland a goiter is a thing to be prised and to be exhibited, for its possession exempts a man from military service. Young men have been known to resort to certain wells supposed to convey this poison to the blood that they might evade conscription. When Savoy was annexed to France, vigorous measures were adopted to stamp out if possible this hateful disease. There was a heavy penalty for drinking the water of forbidden wells, and then the little children were treated in the hope of curing them. Lozenges of iodine were administered, and out of 5,000 children 2,000 were cured, and more would have been helped had not the parents ignorantly opposed the giving of the remedies. The villages also were cleaned and sanitary measures insisted upon. For, aside from all other causes, it is quite agreed that goiter may be transmitted or be sporadic. Like diphtheria, it is a filth disease, and often has its origin in the negligent habits of the villagers. These peasants refuse to live elsewhere than in the old "dorfer" (villages), each morning going far away to the fields, but returning at night to their overcrowded homes, where men, women and children, cows, goats and donkeys dwell together fraternally.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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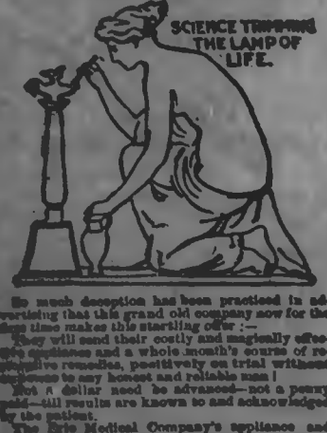

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Occasionally there does exist throughout this hospitable land a hotel which does not require a certificate as to a person's ancestry, status in life, past history and future movements before its clerk permits one the privilege of a room. At least this is the firm belief advanced by a young Chicago couple just back from their wedding trip. Down east one day the train wended its way through the woods and heights of the Adirondacks and miles away from civilization halted at a lone platform bordered by a piny wildness too alluring to be slighted by westerners fresh from prairie lands.

"Train stops 1 hour and 15 minutes," announced the young husband who had made a dash for the conductor. Out on the platform and up the charming road wandered these two, and time flew. However, they kept an eye on their watches and reached the platform with ten minutes to spare.

But the train was gone.

A lone man perched at the end of the platform explained in a bored way in the face of their indignation that it was 15 minutes and not 1 hour and 15 minutes that the train stopped.

"When is the next train?" the travelers begged.

"There isn't any," sweetly said the native.

"Where is a hotel?" they shouted.

"Up the road the other way," the sphinx said in a tired way and turned to watch the antics of a grasshopper.

Up the road the other way they went and discovered in the wilderness a hotel with a haughty clerk, electric lights and all modern improvements.

"Any baggage?" inquired the man at the desk as the young man registered.

The travelers gasped in consternation as they stared wildly at each other with the sudden shock of realizing that trousseau, traveling bags and umbrellas were speeding miles away from them.

"Oh, yes!" gulped the young husband airily. "Baggage — of course." He plunged into one pocket, drew out a small comb, his wife's powder box and its accompanying square of chamois, which he gravely laid before the clerk.

That gentleman never moved an eyelash.

"Front!" he called. "No. 927!"

The heroine of this story still claims the imperturbable clerk was a mind reader, but her husband says it was all due to her helpless, appealing air and the streak of cinders on her nose.—Chicago News.

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The sexton said that the descendants of Franklin would not do anything to repair the grave; neither would they allow anybody else to do anything. Every day he has received offers of subscriptions from visitors, who are distressed by the forlorn appearance of Franklin's resting place and who would like to see it improved. In reply he says, as he has been instructed, that Franklin wished it so, "being a plain man averse to display of any kind." Not long ago, at his own expense, he had the fading inscription recut, or else even the only distinguishing mark, the name, would be gone.

If he had not done so, the last resting place of the greatest man, outside of Washington, in American history would have been forgotten and unknown. Who is responsible for this condition of affairs? Not the living relatives of Franklin. The responsibility rests with the American people, to whom the man belongs. They should see to it in the future that what little is there to mark the grave is kept in better order than it has been in the past.

Before he died Franklin provided for his own gravestone and instructed a stonecutter of his acquaintance in every detail, even to the inscription which was to be placed upon it. He desired to be buried beside his wife, who had died some years before, and a common slab was to be placed over them both. The inscription arranged as he ordered it reads:

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Wabbled When He Came to Possum.

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The other day he was going through his customary devotions, and when he got to the point of expressing thankfulness for the many blessings of life he broke off into a recounting of them, says Cicero T. Sutton of the Owensboro Inquirer. "An den, dar's possum, Lord—how'd you ever think of makin possum? Possum jes' beats all. You jes' couldn't beat it ef you tried ag'in. Possum, he, he! Yes, dar's watahmillion. I hadn't thought of dat. Hit's jes' great. You couldn't beat hit neither, could you, Lord? Now, hones', couldn' you jes' fix it so dey bofe git ripe at oncet? Ef you was to do dat, you mought go out an shet de do'. Doy wouldn't be no mo' sin an no mo' sorrow an no mo' tribelation. Jes' try hit oncet, Lord, an jes' see whut a diffunce hit would make."

And then "old uncle" began to hum a quaint negro camp meeting tune and stopped to look at a piece of liver in a butcher's stall as the best substitute for his loved possum or as best suited to the small piece of money which represented his total movable wealth.

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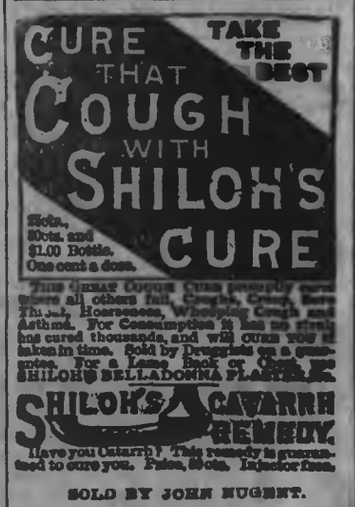
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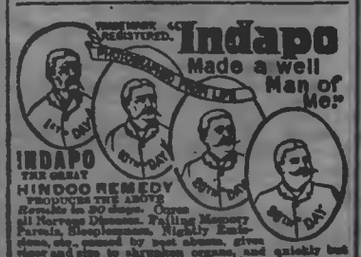

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. D. H. Booth is visiting her brother, Mr. Hunt, in Belleville this week.

Miss Perrin, of Peterborough, has been spending a few days in town, the guest at Mr. Thos. Rork's.

Miss Nellie Davidson is visiting her sister in Keene, Mrs. Anderson.

Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., was in town on Monday.

The Rev. J. A. McCamus conducted the anniversary services of the Port Perry Methodist church on Sunday.

Mr. F. E. Pearsey, of Ottawa, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. A. Wood, who attended Model School here some years ago, is attending the High School.

Dr. Jaffs, of Havelock, paid Norwood a visit on Monday.

Mr. A. W. Coons, of Albert College, conducted the services in the Methodist church here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, of Keene, spent New Years in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Davidson.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church, purpose holding a concert in the town hall on Jan. 21st. They have gone to considerable expense and secured the services of Miss Teesa McCallum, an elocutionist of high rank and Miss Detta E. Liegier, a soprano widely spoken of and very highly recommended by the press. A rare treat may be expected.

Mr. Thos. Dodds, a student of Knox College, delivered an address in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening. Mr. Dodd's described the work done by the Knox Missionary Society and strongly urged the necessity of sending the gospel to the new settled districts of Canada.

The members of the English church are busy preparing for their entertainment. It will probably come off next week.

On Thursday evening last a large number of Mr. F. G. Code's friends assembled at the McGregor House to bid him goodbye before he took his departure for Winnipeg, where he has been transferred. About nine o'clock the guests entered a large dining hall where supper had been prepared in elegant style by Mine Host McGregor. After partaking of the good thing prepared, Mr. H. G. Buck, reeve, took the chair and a number of toasts were proposed and heartily responded to.

"The Queen, Canada Our Home," proposed by Mr. Geo. Sherry, responded to by Rev. Father Conway.

Chorus—"The Maple Leaf."

"Our Village," proposed by Mr. R. J. Stuart, responded to by H. G. Buck, J. W. Rork, D. H. Booth.

"Our Guest," proposed by H. G. Buck and responded to by Mr. F. G. Code.

As Mr. Code rose to respond the boys sang "For he's a Jolly Good Fellow."

"Our Mercantile Interests," proposed by Dr. Prettigrew and responded to by Messrs. Cuff, W. H. Tucker, F. J. Pearce and Geo. Duffield.

Solo by Geo. Sherry, jr.

"The Professions," proposed by J. G. Keefer and responded to by the clergy and medical men present.

"Banking Institutions," proposed by W. A. F. Campbell and replied to by W. Ross Cameron.

"The Ladies," proposed by T. J. Drain and responded to by L. H. Kirkpatrick, R. Wilson and others.

"Our Host and Hostess," proposed by W. A. F. Campbell and responded to by Mr. McGeagor.

Chorus—"For he's a Jolly Good Fellow."

The company then marched to the station to meet the midnight, on which Mr. Code left for Ottawa.

On Monday Anna Jane Powel, of Asphodel, was removed by the hand of death. Mrs. Powel was a daughter of Mr. George Read, of Keene, and was in her 40th year. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock, from the family residence, on the 6th concession of Asphodel, and the remains were interred in the Keene cemetery.

OMEMEE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The very fine sleighing made it lively for the municipal elections.

The contest for the township reeve was a lively one between Messrs. Boates and Adams, the latter having a majority over Boates, the old reeve, of about 60. There was no reason to find much fault with Mr. Boates, being a very competent reeve, as also Mitchell, past deputy-reeve, beaten by W. S. Graham by about 40.

Congratulations from Omemee acquaintances to Mr. A. L. Davis in obtaining such a victory for the honourable position as Mayor of Peterborough. Business men here also extend to T. H. Hamilton the best wishes in becoming councillor at the first attempt. If Tom is as energetic in municipal affairs as in business circles nothing but the top of the ladder in municipal life will satisfy his ambition.

Mrs. Jas. Fowler, Smith, who had her leg broken some time ago, is now in a poor state of health.

Mr. Jardine is the new principal of the high school.

The family of the late Mr. Hunter have left for Dunnville their former home.

The Rev. J. A. Tanner has a good deal of sickness throughout his congregation.

Mr. A. Thornton is still very low.

Miss Williamson, music teacher, has been visiting Mrs. T. H. Hamilton, Peterborough, during the holidays.

Another large purchase of pigs was made here to-day for Matthews, Peterborough.

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NORTH HARVEY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

What blustering, stormy weather we have had lately, but we have good sleighing.

Mr. Egerton Crowe's little daughter, who was seriously ill for a long time, is recovering.

Mr. Adam Brock won the prize, a nice dinner set of dishes, which was offered by Mr. D. Cain of Bobcaygeon, to the one one who would make the nearest guess as to the weight of an immense bar of soap.

Mr. McKnight has resumed his services in connection with the Presbyterian church here.

Mr. Cairndaff, Mr. John Tate and Mr. Sutton have each put in a camp in the woods.

Our school meeting took place on Dec. 20th, and first on the programme was the re-election of trustee McRagian Richmond.

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LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Miss Fraser returned home from Toronto on Monday.

Mrs. Donald McLean, of Calgary, N.W.T., is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Alford.

Mr. R. G. Cottee, wife and family returned to their home at Niagara Falls on Tuesday.

Mr. Charles Gunn, of Peterborough, spent New Years in the village.

Miss Finlay, of Bobcaygeon, is the guest of Mrs Northey.

Mr. Albert Doidge, of Toronto, is home visiting his parents.

Mr. Ernest Burgis, of Sparta, returned home on Monday.

Mr. Harry Frise, of Brighton, spent New Years in the village.

Dr. J. R. Fraser is ill with pleurisy.

Word has been received from Mr. F. R. S. Barlee at Fort Wrangal. He went from Telegraph Creek to Fort Wrangal with a dog train, a distance of 160 miles, occupying 17 days and sleeping out at night with the thermometer 30 to 40 degrees below zero. He reports being none the worse for his trip.

The elections passed off very quietly, the old council being re-elected.

Mr. Giles Stone left here on Monday to go to the Klondike with Mr. G. A. Strickland's company. He will go from here to Telegraph Creek, where he will meet Mr. Barlee.

Capt. W. V. Reynolds is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sowan are visiting friends in Port Hope.

Miss Etta Reynolds is visiting friends in Manvers, Toronto and other places.

Miss Alice Sherin left here on Monday for her school at Barrie.

Mrs. Reynolds and Miss Olive Huton are visiting friends at Port Hope and other places.

Mrs. Finlay, of Bobcaygeon, returned home last week.

For special bargains during January you would do well to call on R. Graham & Son.

On Saturday evening a hockey match was played between a local team and a Warsaw team which resulted in favour of Lakefield, 13-3.

At the regular meeting of Exeter Lodge, Sons of England, held in the lodge room on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Bro Geo Bickell	W P
" A Wood	W P
" A J Jory	V P
" O J Burgis	Sec
" W J Waldon	Treas
" Rev G Warren	Chap
" W Cox	I G
" T Cunford	O G
" R J Jory	1st Com
" Geo Hill	2nd Com
" Chas Waldon	3rd Com
" W Edwards	4th Com
" S White	5th Com
" J E Kelly	6th Com
" J E Kelly	Auditors
" J W Ridpath	Auditors
" A Jory	Trustees
" G Bickell	Trustees
" R J Jory	Grand Lodge Delegate
" G Bickell	Grand Lodge Delegate

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Lakefield District L.O.L. meets in the Orange Hall Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 11th, at 2 o'clock.

The Smith, Eanismore and Lakefield Agricultural Society holds its annual meeting in the town hall on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 19th at 1 o'clock.

This is week of prayer, and the services close Friday by the Young People's Societies meeting in their respective churches.

Schools re-opened Monday. Two new teachers replace Miss Cox and Mr. J. A. McDonald, viz., Miss Lewis at the Ward School and Mr. Gilsby in the second department at the Rink school.

—Dates and Figs at Spot Cash Grocery.

HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. George Banor, of Campbellford, is in town.

Mr. Richard Phillips has gone to Trenton to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark and family, of Georgina Island, Lake Simcoe, spent Christmas holidays at Mr. James Marks.

Mrs. Lancaster and son, Mr. John Lancaster, drove over to Hastings on New Year's day.

Mr. John Daly, of Peterborough, was in town on election day.

Mr. Wm. Coulter, of Toronto Junction, is in town on business.

Our county reeve, Mr. Bryans, is preparing to fill the ice house with ice from Norwood.

Mr. Bennett's house and furniture was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning last. Loss sustained $2,000. $1,200 insurance in an English company. Mr. Bennett and family are now staying at the Dineen House.

There was a Christmas tree in the English church on New Year's eve, one in the Presbyterian church on Wednesday night, and one in the Baptist church on Monday night last. All were successful.

The citizens of Havelock Centre would like to know who kept them awake on the night of the election by the constant ringing of a bell.

Linseed and Turpentine are not only popular remedies, but are also the best known to medical science for the treatment of the nervous membranes of respiratory organs. Dr. Chase compounded this valuable Syrup so as to take away the unpleasant tastes of turpentine and linseed.

GALWAY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

A basket social was held last week at Union School section No. 2, under the auspices of the Roman Catholic church. There was a large attendance, and the proceeds amounted to about fifty dollars.

A farewell party was held at the residence of Mr. C. Coben last Monday evening in honour of the departure of their daughter, Mrs. T. Petrie of Otonabee, who spent the Christmas holidays with her parents. Two sleigh loads of young people drove from the village of Klamount and passed the evening in playing games and music, both vocal and intrumental. Mr. T. Petrie was also present and gave several solos in his usual good style. The crowd dispersed after partaking of an elaborate supper, which was served about midnight. Mr. and Mrs. Petrie left on the morning train for Peterborough.

Mr. Alex. Long of Otonabee, who has been visiting friends here during the past two weeks, returned home on Thursday.

There was a very keen contest for municipal honours here this year. The old officers were returned by an increased majority, with the exception of Mr. Geo. Martin who resigned. Mr. David Curtin fills the vacancy. It appears that the election was held more for the fun than for a change of government.

We have good sleighing now and the farmers are commencing to haul the products of the farms to market.

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THE LONDON DEAD.

Wrong Impressions Got Out During the Excitement of the Forest City's Horror—Twenty Were Killed.

London, Ont., Jan. 6.—The death list has now been cut down to 20, and most of the injured are doing well. Mistakes in identity in the excitement of the calamity led the reporters astray as regards some people. The latest and correct list is as follows:

John Fortner, 1st con. Westminster.
Ex-Ald. John Turner.
B. J. Nash, carriage manufacturer.
L. W. Burke, insurance agent.
W. H. Dell, baker, London West.
W. T. Smith.
R. S. Leigh, plumber.
Noble Carrothers, aged 30 years, nephew of Ald. Carrothers.
Edward Luxton, Centralia.
J. W. Borland.
Fred Heaman, son of William Heaman, aged 15.
Albert Phillips, 194 Albert-street.
John Burridge, shoemaker.
Frank Robinson, corner Horton and Waterloo.
W. E. Talbot, 13 years, 33 Hamilton-road.
Oswald Bruce, a London South lad.
James Harris, moulder, 241 1-2 Dundas-street.
Steve Williams.
Benjamin Jacques, 795 York-street.

A MINING FATALITY.

Capt. Hall, Superintendent, in Stepping Out of the Le Roi Skip Lost His Balance and Fell 600 Feet.

Rossland, B.C., Jan. 6.—Capt. William Hall, superintendent of the Le Roi mine, was killed yesterday afternoon at 5.15. He came up from the 600-foot level in a skip, stepped on the timber and lost his balance, falling six hundred feet. He was crushed to atoms. Deep regret is felt in the camp.

Canadian Bike Champions.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The annual championships of the C.W.A. have just been compiled and were won as follows:

Professional.

½ mile, Harley Davidson, 1.03.
1 mile, Harley Davidson, 2.06 2-5.
5 miles, Angus McLeod, 10.45 2-5.
10 miles, Fred. Westbrook, 24.32 1-5.
25 miles, Angus McLeod, 1.05.17 2-5.
2 miles, tandem, Davidson and McLeod, 4.48 4-5.

Amateur.

½ mile, Frank Moore, Toronto, 1.02 2-5.
1 mile, R. E. Axton, Brantford, 2.04 3-5.
5 miles, G. W. Riddle, Winnipeg, 18.32 2-5.
10 miles, A. Sherritt, Brantford.
25 miles, R. E. Axton, Brantford, 59.35.
2 miles, tandem, L. D. Robertson and H. A. Cousinat, Montreal, 4.48.

Afloat on St. Lawrence Ice.

Quebec, Jan. 6.—A sensation was caused last night along the water front by the frantic cries of two men, Victor Lafrance and Guillaume Longchamps, passing down the river toward the Gulf on a small ice floe. The men were finally rescued by the ferry steamer Queen. They suffered intensely from the frost.

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MAIN LINE.

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Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 8 40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date,

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.43 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.35 p.m.

	WEST	
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.23 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11 35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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YESTERDAY'S ASSEMBLY DOINGS

The Limited Companies—Second Readings—New Plumbing Inspector—Gore Bay an Entry Port—To Purchase Toll Roads—New Laws—Notes of the House Doings.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—The members of both sides of the House are praying the end may come soon; they are having pigs served up to them every day by Mr. St. John, notwithstanding the fact that day after day witness after witness is called who gives his story and theory the lie direct. Yesterday the whole session of the Public Accounts Committee was taken up by Mr. St. John trying to get Mr. Warner, the caretaker at the piggery, to state something which might injure the Government. Mr. St. John failed for the reason, as Mr. Warner stated, there was nothing to "find out." In the meantime the Government is determined to do all in its power to save the country unnecessary expense by facilitating legislation. The Premier gave notice yesterday that after Monday next there would be two sessions of the House daily, one in the forenoon as well as the afternoon and evening.

The Limited Companies.

Hon. Mr. Davis moved the second reading of his bill to amend the Ontario Companies Act, which gives limited companies two years in which to use up their stationery improperly marked.

Mr. Whitney inquired what was to be done about the cases that had already been before the courts.

Hon. Mr. Hardy said the bill provided that in future all such cases could not be brought without the consent of the Crown. The Government would reserve the right to remit costs in all cases that had been passed. The bill was then read a second time.

Second Readings.

These bills were read a second time:

Respecting the Chatham City and Suburban Railway Company—Mr. Pardo.

Respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway—Mr. McKee.

Respecting the County of Simcoe—Mr. Paton.

To confirm and legalize a bylaw of the corporation of the town of Collingwood—Mr. Paton.

Respecting the municipality of the town of Goderich—Mr. Garrow.

New Plumbing Inspector.

Mr. Hobbs introduced a bill to amend the Municipal Act of 1892, which provides that plumbing inspectors may be appointed in cities who may collect fees to remunerate themselves.

Gore Bay an Entry Port.

Mr. Farwell introduced a bill to amend the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act, which simply provides for an extension of the present Act to pulp and cordwood and enables process to be filed at Gore Bay as well as at Sault Ste. Marie.

To Purchase Toll Roads.

Hon. Mr. Hardy introduced a bill to further facilitate the purchase of toll roads. The bill provides that in cases where the parties agree to it the commissioners may act as arbitrators and their judgment will be regarded the same as though rendered by the Provincial Arbitrator.

New Laws.

These bills were passed through the committee stage and will be read a third time early next week: Respecting the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Railway Co.; respecting the city of St. Thomas and the St. Thomas Street Railway Co.; to confirm bylaw number 586 of the town of Berlin; relating to the city hospital at Hamilton; to incorporate the Presbyterian Ladies' College, Ottawa, and to incorporate the Sisters of Loretto.

Notes.

Mr. Hardy introduced a bill to confirm the revised statutes.

Mr. Gibson (Huron), who retires from politics after this session, was moved to tears when Mr. Whitney so feelingly referred to his honorable career.

Hon. Mr. Harty introduced a bill to amend the Municipal Waterworks Acts. The bill gives the water commissioners in cities and towns the right to enter any premises and disconnect the surface pipes.

The Premier has given notice of a bill to amend the Registry Act, also respecting the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors.

Mr. Hobbs gave notice of a bill respecting cemeteries, while Mr. German has an amendment to make to the Assessment Act.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock last evening that Mr. Speaker might entertain a number of gentlemen at dinner. It has been remarked that Mr. Evanturel has, contrary to precedent, never invited a representative of the Legislative press to share his hospitality.

GOLD IN LABRADOR.

A Party Going From Nova Scotia to See What the Possibilities Are in That Northern Country.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 6.—That Labrador is very rich in minerals there is every reason to believe, but whether it contains rich deposits of gold, as many are inclined to believe, is a problem that has yet to be solved. To settle this question is the object of the expedition which is to leave Halifax early next season. The theory that gold exists in larger quantities in northern latitudes than elsewhere may or may not be correct, but true it is that, on account of their being less accessible, and on account of the difficulties to be overcome and the hardships to be undergone in order to reach and work them, rich deposits in the north have lain undisturbed through the centuries and only recently, when the more easily worked deposits of the south are becoming exhausted, men are beginning to turn their faces to the north and face the cold and danger and the difficulty that lies in the path of the gold-seeker in the icy regions in order to seek the precious metal in those parts of the earth where they have not dared to seek it before. Those who have visited Labrador report that there is abundant evidence that gold exists. In fact, the article itself is said to have been found, though no systematic search for it has been made in the more likely places. A reporter asked two or three prominent mining men for their views in regard to the proposed scheme to make a prospecting expedition to Labrador. They all agreed that the possibilities were great, and that there was little doubt that the gold was there if it could but be found. One felt confident that the expedition would meet with success. In the event of starting, he intended to make one of the number.

Many applications had been received and there seemed to be no difficulty in making up the party. It was proposed that it should number about fifteen, and the intention was to leave by a sailing vessel about June 15 and proceed to Sandwich Bay, St. Louis River, and Hamilton Inlet, landing a party of five at each place. The vessel would proceed to the head of the Inlet, which extends about 180 miles inland, where the last party would be landed. Here the vessel would remain in charge of the crew until the return. A full supply of provisions and medicines sufficient for three months would be carried. In making up the party young and active men who could withstand the fatigue and hardships would be selected. Each party would prospect as much of the country as possible and return to the coast at a given time to meet the ship. Another who intends accompanying the expedition was enthusiastic. He had been in the country and believed that within it existed another Klondike. Men who knew nothing of mining had found gold. The difficulty, he believed, would be to strike the right place.

DARING BURGLARY AT HESPELER.

Midnight Mechanics Got Away With a Cartload of Goods.

Hespeler, Ont., Jan. 7.—One of the coolest burglaries that has occurred here for many years was perpetrated yesterday morning about 1 o'clock. Two men drove up to Herman Krieg's coal and wood office, in which a stock of gent's furnishings is also kept. They forced in the front doors, and stole about $100 worth of hats, caps and clothing, loaded them on the sleigh and drove away. A passerby half an hour afterwards noticed that the doors of the store were open, and, suspecting that a robbery had been committed, aroused the proprietor, who at once summoned Chief Constable McMaster, who traced the thieves to Guelph by means of a peculiar mark in the snow made by one of the front hoofs of the horse, caused by the loss of part of the shoe. Word has just reached here that a man by the name of Fulton Smith of Galt has been arrested in Campbellville on suspicion of being connected with the robbery. Chief McMaster left for that place this evening to bring the prisoner here for trial.

TEN CENTS A DAY ON ALIENS.

Another Turn of the Screw Proposed by Assemblyman Clark at Albany.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 7.—Assemblyman C. J. Clark will introduce next week a bill providing a tax of 10 cents per day on each alien laborer employed in this State. It compels every employer to report the number of aliens under him, and to pay the tax under a heavy penalty for failure. The measure is said to be backed by organized labor.

A bill is also to be introduced, limiting the practice of hypnotism to regularly licensed physicians.

A Klondiker Missing.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 7.—September 21st last John W. Horn left San Francisco for Seattle with a letter of credit of $25,000, issued by a San Francisco bank, since which time nothing has been seen or heard of him. Horn was a returned Klondiker and a letter to-day from relatives in Eldon, Iowa, suggests that possibly he has been murdered. The police at San Francisco and Sound cities have been unable to learn anything of him since he stepped on the northbound boat.

Reindeer for the Klondike.

Wahington, D.C., Jan. 7.—A cablegram received at the War Department to-day from Lieutenant Devore, who was sent with Dr. Jackson to Europe to secure reindeer for the Klondike relief expedition, said that a steamer had been chartered for the transportation of the reindeer to the United States and it was expected the party would be able to sail for New York on the 20th inst.

He Used a Razor When Tired of Life.

Cayuga, Ont., Jan. 7.—James Glasby, a young farmer living in the township of North Cayuga, committed suicide yesterday by cutting his throat from ear to ear with a razor. Deceased has been melancholy for a few days, but no idea was entertained of his committing such a rash act. Deceased was unmarried and lived with his parents.

NEW TREATY PORTS.

Condition of Guaranteeing the Chinese Loan.

IT IS BELIEVED TO BE SETTLED.

An Issue of £16,000,000 at Three Per Cent.—German Press Comments—The Eastern Question Becoming More Tranquil—A British-Japanese Alliance Reported.

London, Jan. 7.—It is learned on excellent authority that, in the event of Great Britain guaranteeing the new Chinese loan, the concessions required will take the *form of insisting* upon the opening of new treaty ports, open to all nations alike.

The financial article of the Globe says it is reported on the Stock Exchange that the British Government has arranged to guarantee the Chinese loan of £16,000,000 at 3 per cent., the price of issue to be 110.

Russia Wants a Slice.

London Jan. 7.—According to a special despatch from Shanghai, Russia is endeavoring to obtain terms similar to Germany's for the occupation of Port Arthur and the Liao-Tong Peninsula from a point considerably north of Ta-Lien-Wan. It is believed that the attitude of England and Japan will frustrate her designs.

Matters Becoming More Tranquil.

Berlin, Jan. 7.—The North German Gazette to-day in a semi-official article says:

"The development of affairs in East Asia is becoming more tranquil. Tension was caused by the political antagonism of Great Britain and Russia, but, behind the political antagonism, now appears an economic one, which, however, should be arranged with little difficulty. There is no reason why one state should exclusively undertake the Chinese loan. Prudent considerations suggest the advisability of an international arrangement."

Self-Satisfaction in Germany.

The German press is indulging in a tone of extravagant self-satisfaction over the success of German diplomacy in China. The fact that Emperor William personally conferred the Order of the Red Eagle upon Baron von Bulow, the German Foreign Minister, for his share in the affair, indicates that the Emperor is delighted with the outcome of his policy.

The newspapers, with the exception of the Vossische Zeitung, are full of sneering remarks at England's expense.

It is now discovered that if Germany moves further north she is bound to clash with Russian interests; if further south, then with English interests.

Various rumors are current as to conferences of the powers to settle the Chinese question, but none can be relied upon. Herr Richter, in the Freisinnige, thinks an unnecessary noise has been made for what he calls an omelette; and he says he cannot perceive any commercial advantage in the acquisition of Kiao-Chou.

Crushing Defeat for England.

Vienna, Jan. 7.—The Deutsche Zeitung, echoing German feeling, says:

"England has suffered a crushing defeat, but there is no fear of war. The British lion roars, but he does not bite. All civilized nations ought to be grateful to Emperor William for having destroyed the myth of Great Britain's universal domination."

The Lease is for 99 Years.

London, Jan. 7.—The Times says this morning it understands the terms of Germany's lease of Kiao-Chou to be 99 instead of 50 years.

Anglo-Japanese Alliance.

London, Jan. 7.—According to a special despatch from Shanghai, the existence of an Anglo-Japanese alliance is openly asserted there in well informed quarters, an alliance to maintain the status quo in China and Corea and to declare the independence of Corea under the joint guarantee of England, Russia and Japan.

Russian Cruiser Bound for China.

Port Said, Jan. 7.—The Russian cruiser Bossia, 12,000 tons, has arrived here on her way to China. It is believed she will be compelled to disembark her guns in order to traverse the canal.

THE C. P. R. TELEGRAPHERS.

Some Foundationless Rumors Corrected—The Status Quo.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—The statement that the C.P.R. telegraphers had referred the matters in dispute between them and the company to Sir William Van Horne is without foundation. Nor is there, as implied in a published despatch, an imminent danger of a strike. The points over which there was a difference between Mr. Tait, the assistant manager, and the committee of the telegraphers were referred to Mr. Shaughnessy, who gave his decision. This was not agreeable to the committee, and negotiations were suspended, at least for the present. This does not imply that an end has been reached, but rather that the committee await further instructions from the heads of the order. Both the C.P.R. and the committee maintain the greatest reserve, but it is not thought by either that there will be any insuperable difficulty in arranging a final settlement. The committee, it is understood, are now in communication with Mr. Powell, grand chief telegrapher, regarding the decision of Mr. Shaughnessy upon the points referred to him.

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was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKERSON, 666 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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SEEKING OFFICE.

The Ottawa Journal (Independent Conservative) says:

Nominally the Conservatives at Toronto are kicking about bad hogs sold for pork, but really they are kicking about what seems to them the bad hogs who have been monopolizing the provincial government for the past twenty-five years or more.

We thank an enemy for thus indicating the true motives that animate the policy—if policy it can be called—of the Ontario Opposition. Office and the spoils of the office are what they are seeking, not the good of the country. Matters of petty moment engage their attention, for instance the "piggery issue" is consuming the time of the House and costing a large amount of money besides. Mr. St. John sought to show that the Humber piggery, constructed to convert unused food from public institutions into merchantable pork, and, therefore, profit, cost $35,000 instead of $7,500, the actual cost. Failing in this, he sought to prove that diseased hogs were sold, and is wasting more time and money over a matter that is not all to the point. If diseased pigs were sold (and they were not) the Ontario Government is not responsible. When the disease broke out in the Humber piggery, the matter was turned over to the Dominion Government inspector, and the slaughtering was done under his direction, and whatever pigs were sold, were sold subject to his direction. But there is no proof, except in the diseased imaginations of the Opposition, that a single diseased hog was sold. We have the evidence of three reliable public men to that effect against the testimony of two disgruntled employees who struck for higher pay, and because it was refused, threatened revenge. It is not the public interest that is troubling Mr. St. John and the Opposition, it is the desire for office that leads them to seek political capital, even in the pig sty. All the other grounds of attack are equally without foundation or valid excuse. Subjects that have been discussed and disposed of time after time are brought up and made the basis of windy electioneering speeches by the members of the Opposition. This prolongs the session and of course adds to the expense of legislation. They find the record of the Government's administration unassailable and, therefore, they lug in side issues that have a reality no bearing upon the really vital question—the capacity or integrity of the Government, but are mere matters of procedure. The Ottawa Journal has "cined up" the Opposition to a nicety. All they want is office—not the good of the Province, but office for themselves. The very means they take to gain office is the best possible proof of their unfitness to perform its duties. The people will not be deceived. They have enjoyed good honest and effective government at the hands of the present administration and are not inclined to turn over the government of the Province to the nebulous political intellect and demonstrated incapacity of the present Opposition.

DESERTING THE SHIP.

DR. RYERSON'S retirement from the representation of East Toronto in the Ontario Legislature has no doubt a legitimate excuse in the demand for greater attention to his professional practice. Still it is suggestive for all that. When the late leader of the Opposition, Mr. Meredith, retired Dr. Ryerson's was one of the names mentioned as his successor, the others being Messrs. Marter, Whitney and Howland. Two of the aspirants are out of the running now, Dr. Ryerson and Mr. Howland. It is very probable that Dr. Ryerson is sick of politics—sick of hope deferred. The Canaan of office is still afar, and since there is no prospect of his warming a cushion on the treasury benches, he wisely decides to stick to his scalpel. It is a sign of the times. Within "the space of one revolving moon" Mr. Whitney has lost two of his extremely problematic cabinet colleagues, Mr. Howland and Dr. Ryerson, representatives of two ridings in the capital city of the province. The process of disintergration begins at the heart.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

DR. RYERSON is a skilful specialist in his profession, but he is a great failure as a political practitioner. He undertook the treatment of a "calf-with-a-cough," and the poor creature died on his hands, and never a cent of the fee was collected.

THE Montreal Star, ultra-Conservative as it is, is compelled to admit that "it can hardly be said with any fairness that Mr. Whitney and his colleagues have stampeded the Government in the House. In Mr. Hardy, Mr. Ross, Mr. Harcourt and their colleagues and their supporters, the Opposition have had to meet a formidable phalanx of debaters." It remarks that "the Opposition have made the further mistake of unduly emphasising some very petty issues," and after due reflection it concludes that "the Opposition certainly made a better impression on the 'stump' than face to face with their opponents in the Legislature," all of which proves, says the St. Thomas Journal, that the weakest feature of the Ontario Opposition is itself.

CANADA'S TRADE.

Figures have been recently published showing the monthly returns of Canadian exports and imports for November. These were of a very gratifying character. The imports amounted to $10,460,810, as compared with $8,692,651 for the corresponding month last year. The exports showed an increase for the month of nearly two million dollars.

These figures indicate the continuance of the trade prisperity of Canada, to which we have had occasion to refer several times lately. There seems to be no let up in the demand, both at home and abroad for Canadian goods, and the import trade, due in a measure to the better advertisement of Canada in England, shows most gratifying increases.

Now come the statistics of failures for the past year fully bearing out our contention that with the advent of a wise and business-like federal administration, would come and has come a period of greater prosperity than Canada has known for many years. During 1897 the number of failures in Canada amounted to 1,907, against 2,179 last year, while the total liabilities were only $13,149,939 against $16,208,400 for 1896.

In every province except Nova Scotia and Manitoba, failures show a falling off. In Ontario the number is 64 less than a year ago, while in Quebec they show the large decrease of 206, only 669 being recorded for the year. There were only ten failures in the Northwest Territories, and the same number in Prince Edward Island.

Affairs in Newfoundland were also somewhat better, there being a total of 20 failures against 24 in 1896. Liabilities, however, showed a slight increase.

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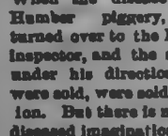

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LITTLE SICK CHILDREN

Short Sketch of the Work Done by the Great Mother Nurse—The Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

From every county in the great Province of Ontario children are admitted free into the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto, whenever their parents cannot afford to pay.

And few of the poor little sufferers who are nursed and cared for have rich parents, it would seem. Last year the expense of the Hospital was nearly $30,000. And to meet this but $1,325 was received from pay patients.

The balance must come from the more fortunate folks, who are charitable and generous.

The Hospital for Sick Children is the largest of its kind in the world—without exception. There are 200 cots. The average number of patients is 100 per day; 476 were nursed in the Hospital this year—312 little ones were cured and departed with health, strength and sturdy limbs.

In the dispensary department medicine was given to 4,133 children.

Thus nearly 5,000 children were treated in one year.

A great record of good.

In twenty-two years some 24,000 sick children have been nursed and cared for by the Hospital for Sick Children.

Where do the little patients come from?

From all parts of the province—in 1897 there were patients received from these places:—Arthur, Banda, Barrie, Bedford Park, Belleville, Bradford, Brampton, Brighton, Brockville, Brooklin, Carney, Cartwright, Collingwood, Corbetton, Davisville, Doncaster, Eagleton, East Toronto, Eldorado, Elmvale, Ennia, Esquesing, Ewan, Foxmead, Frankford, Gananoque, Georgetown, Gravenhurst, Green River, Hamilton, Hampton Mills, Humber Bay, Huttonville, Invermay, Lambton Mills, Lime Lake, Listowel, Little Current, Markham, Markdale, Meadowvale, Merriton, Mimico, Mitchell, Mono Mills, Mortimer's Point, Mount Albert, Mt. Forest, Nauwigewauk, Newmarket, Newtonbrook, Niagara Falls, North Bay, Norwich, Oakville, Orillia, Oshawa, Ottawa, Owen Sound, Parry Sound, Penetanguishene, Port Perry, Picton, Riverview, Saintfield, Scotland, Springfield-on-Credit, Stratford, St. Catharines, St. Mary's, St. Thomas, Thornhill, Toronto, Toronto Junction, Utterson, Victoria Road, Waubaushene, Westport, Whitby, Whitevale, Wingham, Woodstock.

How do they come? Very often parents hear of the work of the Hospital through the newspapers. In some instances friends of the little sufferers make application on behalf of parents who are poor, but independent and self-reliant.

It generally falls to the lot of the chairman of the Hospital Trust to decide when there is a question of ability to pay. One day, about a year ago, this gentleman was driving towards the city of Brockville, and while passing a school-house the scholars rushed out in eager haste for the fifteen minutes of joy they crowd into recess. Mr. Robertson smiled as the youngsters passed him; but the smile vanished when he observed in the rear a little chap who was hobbling along on crutches, happy but crippled. One of his legs was bent at the knee to a right angle. The carriage was stopped, and the little fellow called.

"My boy, how did you injure your leg so badly?" was the enquiry.

The lad explained that he had met with a mishap one day while chopping wood, that he had been treated in an eastern hospital for some time; that his leg had been straightened, but had again become useless. His parents and schoolfellows looked upon him as a cripple for life.

And so he might have been.

"How would you like to have your leg straightened for good?" asked the Hospital chairman, who knew of the complete cure effected at the great Toronto institution in similar cases.

"Well, mister, there is nothing I would like better," said the boy.

He was assisted into the carriage, and told to direct the driver to his father, who had a blacksmith shop near by. The boy was one of a family of seven children. Most gladly did the father give his consent to the child's removal to the Hospital for treatment.

The little deformed lad thus fortunately met on the highway near Brockville is a cripple no longer. His leg is stiff, but it is straight. He remained in the Hospital for many months. But it was a joyous homecoming when the boy walked lamely and straight without the aid of crutches.

This is a simple case. Thousands of cases might be cited.

The editor of this paper has been informed that if anyone knows of any sick child under fourteen years of age, who is suffering from accident or disease, and whose parents cannot afford to pay for proper medical or surgical assistance—they are asked to communicate with the Hospital for Sick Children.

There is room for such children in the Hospital. They will be nicely cared for, and in all probability, cured.

There is a debt of $40,000 hanging over the institution, $20,000 of which is for debts which must be paid at once.

Even with the strictest economy it requires no less than five executive officers, 24 nurses and 20 domestics to carry on the work of the Hospital. Twenty-five more children could be taken care of with the same number of attendants.

The work of the Hospital is ever increasing. Its doors are wide open to every ailing child in the province.

Such a work should have a million friends in Ontario. If each friend could spare a dollar—what a rich endowment with which to carry on the work.

But the trustees only ask for $20,000—a sum which they are required to pay before the end of January.

Everyone can help.

The need is most pressing.

The appeal is the appeal of poor, weak, suffering childhood, of little, wan-faced babies and children who lie on beds of pain.

The Hospital appeals to you—the reader of this newspaper.

Your dollar will bless you in the giving.

And you will give it.

Every penny aids—every dollar helps—and your dollar may restore health, strength and straight limbs to some poor crippled boy or girl.

Won't you help?

A group of little boys whose maimed and deformed limbs are being straightened at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto. (*Re-produced from photograph*).

This is a home charity — something that should appeal to every heart.

It was Charles Dickens, that great-hearted Englishman — the friend of the fatherless, the reliever of the oppressed and down-trodden, who appealed to every human heart, when he said: "The two grim nurses—poverty and sickness—who bring these children before you, preside over their births, rock their wretched cradles, and nail down their coffins."

In this enlightened Canada of ours—this bright Province of Ontario—this shall not be as long as the doors of the Hospital for Sick Children remain open.

Help remove that mortgage.

Help unload that load of debt.

IN AID OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

Matthew xxv. 40.

"Inasmuch as ye gave ear unto the sighing
Of the least of these, the children of my care—
Of your love, from death redeemed them, or, in dying,
Stood between them and the shadow of despair.

"Inasmuch as when the little ones did languish,
You put forth a hand to make their burdens light—
Inasmuch as when they lay on beds of anguish,
Ye were with them in the watches of the night.

"The joy you brought to light, when sorrow hid it,
Now awaits you—an exceeding great reward,
As ye did it unto those—to ME ye did it:
Enter ye into the joy of your Lord."

"Lord, when sought we out the children that did languish?
When put forth the hand to make their burdens light;
Lord, we wist not when they lay on beds of anguish,
And we slept throughout the watches of the night.

"For our lives were full of trouble and of labour,
And the night followed hard upon the day;
Had we lingered with the children of our neighbour,
Our own little ones had perished by the way."

"Inasmuch as though ye might not touch or tend them,
Ye were with them in your love, to heal and save—
And were hands and feet to those who did befriend them,
By the gold and by the silver that you gave.

"Find your treasure where your ransomed ones have hid it;
Take it back a thousandfold for your reward:
As ye did it unto these—to ME ye did it;
Enter ye into the joy of your Lord."

—J. Brunton Stephens, Brisbane.

Contributions for the delivery of the Hospital from the bondage of debt will be acknowledged by letter and also in the columns of The Evening Telegram, a copy of which will be mailed to each doner.

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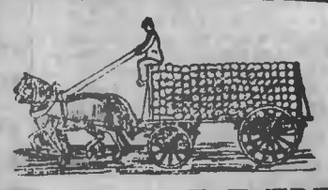

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THEY VARIED.

Lower at Liverpool and Higher in Chicago at the Close of the Day—Local Prices.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 6.

Cash wheat in Chicago ½c higher at 90½c.

Liverpool wheat futures closed 1⅛d to 1⅜d lower than yesterday, and corn is ⅜d to ½d lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90¼	$0 90¼
New York	0 97⅞	0 92½
Milwaukee	0 85½	0 90⅛
St. Louis	0 92½	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 90½	0 92
Detroit	0 90½	0 91⅛
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 89½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 89¼	0 89⅝
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market continues quiet with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The wheat market was quiet with an unsettled feeling. Red winter sold outside at 82c, high freights. Spring sold on Midland at 83c for No. 2, and goose 78c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01 grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and 91c at Fort William.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west. No. 3 extra sold at 28c west and feed at 25c west.

OATS—The market was steady to-day, with sales of white at 24½c west and at 25c Midland. Mixed sold at 23½c west.

PEAS—The market is firmer, with sales at 47c north and west, and at 48c on Midland.

RYE—The market rules steady, with sales at 80c to 81c outside.

CORN—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c to 46c east.

BRAN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c west.

SHORTS—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is firmer, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

The receipts of live stock were large to-day, considering it was Thursday, 27 carloads all told being delivered, composed of 376 cattle, 103 sheep, 4 calves and 1500 hogs. A few export cattle, in lots of twos and threes, offered and sold at $3.75 to $4.25. Export bulls sold at $3 to $3.65. Trade in butchers' cattle fair, with prices a shade firmer. Choice picked lots sold at $3.65 to $3.85; good loads, $3.35 to $3.65; medium, $3 to $3.30; inferior and rough, $2.85 to $3 per cwt.

Prices for milk cows remain the same, 11 being sold.

Calves scarce, selling at $5 to $8 each.

Sheep sold as follows: Ewes, $3 to $3.25; bucks $2.50, and lambs $4.50 to $4.75 per cwt. or $3.50 to $4.50 each.

Hogs, 1500 came in and prices were firm. Best selections sold at $5, with thick and light fats at $4.50 per cwt.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 75 to $4 25	
Mnns, heavy exports, good quality	3 00	3 65
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 25	2 75
Stockers and medium to good	3 00	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 60	3 85
" good	3 35	3 60
" medium	3 00	3 30
" inferior	2 85	3 00
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	40 00
Calves, each	5 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt.	2 25	3 50
Spring lambs, each	3 50	4 50
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75	5 00
" light fats	4 50	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 50	....
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

London—Close—Wheat on passage very little doing. Maize on passage quieter.

Paris—Close—Wheat dull at 22f 10c for June. Flour dull at 50f 25c for March. Weather in France fine.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat dull at 7s 2½d for March, 7s 0⅝d for May and 6s 9⅝d for July. Maize dull at 3s 1¼d for Feb., 3s 1¼d for March and 3s 1⅜d for May. Flour 23s 6d.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—There were about 200 head of butchers' cattle, 6 calves and 100 sheep and lambs offered at the East End abattoir to-day. To-day being a holiday (Epiphany), there was very little business done during the early part of the day, but prices had a slight upward tendency all round. Sales of cattle were made at from 2c to little over 4c per lb., and some of the leaner animals will scarcely bring 2c per lb. The best calves were bought up before reaching the market and only young things were offered here to-day, the prices of which ranged from $3.50 to $5.00 each; good veals would bring pretty high rates. Sheep sold at from 3c to 3½c per lb., and lambs at from 4c to 4½c per lb. Fat hogs sold at from $5.10 to $5.25 per 100 lbs. for fed hogs.

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

Dedication of the Union Church at Skaguay.

REV. FATHER GOBEIT'S SERMON.

The Public Schools of Manitoba Denounced—Off for the Yukon—The Natural Gas Policy—Spain Entitled to the Preferential Tariff—Capital Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Your correspondent learns by private letters from Skaguay of the dedication of the Union Church, erected there through the efforts of the Rev. B. M. Dickey, the young Presbyterian pastor sent to the Yukon by the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, who left Vancouver on the 2nd of October, and finding Skaguay a large community without any religious instruction, stayed there. The dedication of the church took place on Sunday, December 12, Mr. Dickey conducting all the services. In the morning communion was celebrated, 32 communicants participating. The people of Skaguay rallied to the support of Mr. Dickey in an energetic and earnest way. A lot was purchased on McKinney avenue, and a considerable part of the labor required to build was cheerfully contributed. When the congregation assembled on that Sunday morning Mr. Dickey had the pleasure of knowing that the church building of this his first charge had been constructed without incurring a dollar of debt. The building is 24x40, gothic in design, and will comfortably seat 250 people. In course of time it is hoped to put in a ceiling and to otherwise improve the appearance of the interior. Six trustees, representing various Christian denominations, were elected to take charge of the temporal affairs of the church, namely, Messrs. F. A. Wise, Episcopal; J. E. Floyd, Methodist; C. A. Broomfield, Presbyterian; R. K. Latimer, Baptist; H. Lombard, Congregational, and John Davis, Native Christian. Mr. Dickey will always be able in future to recall with pride the fact that the various divisions of the Protestant Church united to worship God under one roof and under one Christian pastor.

After considerable correspondence with the Home Government it has been decided to admit products of Spain to the benefits of the reciprocal tariff up to the 31st of July next. This concession is made, not on the merits of the Spanish tariff, but on account of the treaty arrangements between that country and Great Britain, the law officers of the Crown having decided that Spain is entitled to the privilege. The concession will apply on all importations of Spanish goods from the 28rd of April last.

It is understood that arrangements are completed whereby Canadian goods for the Yukon district will be allowed to pass through the disputed territory without payment of United States customs charges, under the regulations soon to be put in force by the customs authorities at Dyea. The goods are to be entered at customs at Dyea or Skaguay on a list which will be checked by a United States officer at the frontier, or possibly at Tagish. If the goods are found to correspond with the list they will then pass without further charge by the United States customs. The intention is on both sides to remove any unreasonable impediment in the way of transporting goods.

Father Gobeit of Ottawa University preached a sensational sermon in the Basilica yesterday. He stigmatized the Manitoba schools as godless, and said that the Government which supported them was the enemy of religious liberty. The Pope's encyclical, he said, would soon be published, and then he would see who among the Catholics of the Dominion were the true friends of the church. The day will come, he said, when so called Catholic politicians would be hurled from power, and religious liberty would be established in Manitoba, and Catholic schools would be given to Catholic children. The reverend father condemned the school question, and said there was no compromise possible. "We must have our schools or nothing." He compared the political leaders of the day to Herod's heirs, who were among Catholics like wolves in sheep's clothing.

Another party of Ottawa men left yesterday by the C.P.R. for the golden fields of the Yukon Valley to seek their fortunes. It consisted of six well-known business men, namely: Dr. G. P. Matthewman, dentist; C. W. Parker, photographer; Dennis Pulford, M. Berry, J. B. Dorion, photographer, and H. Street. Dennis Pulford is a brother of Harvey Pulford, captain of the Ottawa Hockey Club.

The Government has decided that the companies pumping natural gas across the Detroit River are not to extend their operations, and has ordered the charter of the Interior Construction Co. to be cancelled altogether.

Personal and General News.

Hon. George A. Cox and Mr. B. E. Walker, General Manager of the Bank of Commerce, were here yesterday on business affecting that institution.

The Penitentiary Wardens here yesterday concluded their confreence.

Parliament opens four weeks from yesterday.

Bishop Courtenay of Nova Scotia is a guest at Government House.

The Bishop of Saskatchewan and Mrs. Parker have arrived here.

The Cabinet considered the estimates yesterday afternoon.

A. G. Gilbert, poultry manager at the Experimental Farm, will address a series of meetings in different parts of the province, commencing next week in London. Thence he goes to Peterboro, Owen Sound, Cobourg and other places. He will demonstrate the best methods of dressing poultry for the British markets.

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THE SEALSKIN REGULATIONS.

Collectors of Customs at the Frontiers Are Instructed to Enforce Their Prohibition.

Sarnia, Jan. 7.—United States Collector of Customs Avery of Port Huron received from Washington an official circular relative to the importation of fur sealskins into the United States.

Windsor, Jan. 7.—Detroit customs says that all seal garments not bearing the American Seal Company's brand are prohibited from entering the United States, whether worn by individual travelers or otherwise. The new regulations arrived yesterday.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 7.—United States Customs Officer Nicholls states that no fur sealskins—raw, dyed or manufactured—shall be admitted as part of passengers' personal effects, unless accompanied by an invoice certified to by consul.

Mr. Clark's Request Denied.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 7.—The State Fisheries, Game and Forest Commission has denied a request made by Mr. C. M. Clark, president of the Lake Ontario Fish Company, that it suggest to the Legislature an amendment to the Fish and Game Code of the State which would permit the sale of pike and pickerel in this State during the close season for fish of these species, provided they were caught in waters outside the jurisdiction of the State.

Panic in the Penitentiary Chapel.

Kingston, Jan. 7.—There was a panic in the Penitentiary here yesterday when a candle on the altar in the Roman Catholic Chapel ignited the decorations. It flashed up and seemed to fill the whole altar. The women screeched and wept, and men dashed frantically about. Prisoners soon subdued the flames by smothering them with their coats. The tumult brought a score of guards to the chapel, who feared a riot had broken out.

Waterloo Registrar Dead.

Berlin, Ont. Jan. 7.—Mr. Isaac Master, Registrar for the County of Waterloo, died of dropsy and heart affection. Deceased had been ill for the last four months and was about 64 years old. He succeeded the late D. McDougal, and was for many sessions M.P.P. for South Waterloo. He was greatly respected and widely known.

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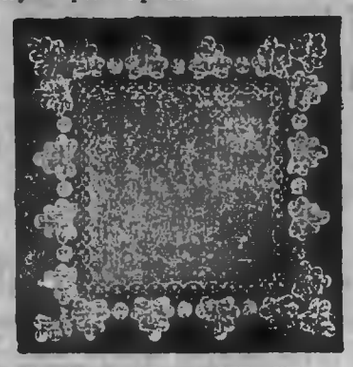

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Jinx has recently become a father. The other morning he was hurrying to the office with the cynical air of a man who had been taking no heir almost all night and has just managed to snatch a few winks after the bawl. It had suddenly flashed across him that he had forgotten to comb his hair when he was accosted by Greens.

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"Y-e-e-s," replied Jinx.

"You seem rather melancholy about it, though. Nothing wrong?"

"No. I was merely thinking that you wouldn't be so glad to hear it if you heard it all night long."—Pearson's Weekly.

Lost Treasures.

Shortly before the war between Turkey and Greece broke out it had been intended to transfer to the Central museum at Athens various old Christian treasures, antiquities and manuscripts dating back in some cases to the fifteenth century and stored in the churches at Tyrnavos and elsewhere. Delay proved fatal. During the war these treasures were all destroyed by fire or carried away.—New York Post.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

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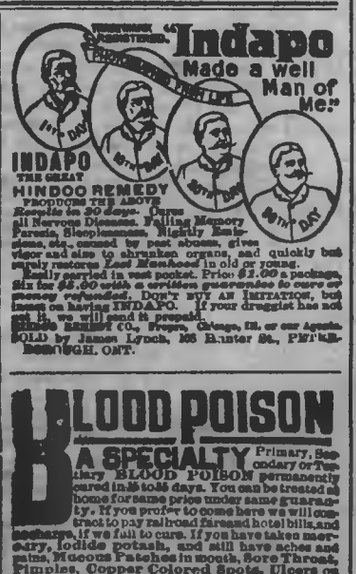

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

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Basket Ball.

Peterborough and Belleville Y.M.C.A. basket ball teams will play the first league game of the season in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium on Thursday evening, Jan. 13th.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

Salvation Army.

Repairs at the Salvation Army have been completed and re-opening services will be held on Saturday at 8 p. m., on Sunday at 7 and 11 a. m. and 3 and 7 p. m., when Brigadier Sharp, of Montreal, will speak.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and see it constantly.

Has a Big Heart.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. T. Fitzgerald gave the Barnardo Home children, to the number of about fifty, a pleasant drive up to the Red Mills and back and also around town. This afternoon he is giving the inmates of the Protestant Home a similar outing.

The Season's Treat.

The Y.M.C.A. has completed arrangements with Miss Tessie McCallum, elocutionist, late of New York City, and Miss Zeigler, soloist, for a concert to be given by them in Association Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25th. Both these young ladies are rising Canadian artists, and a treat is in store for the citizens of Peterborough, which they will do well to take advantage of. Look out for announcements.

Illustrated Buffalo Express.

The Illustrated Buffalo Express has entered upon its thirteenth year as an original, high grade illustrated paper, issued as a daily. There is nothing else in the field with which to compare it. It has improved steadily, year, by year, and its attractions in every issue this year indicates that it is moving ahead, and bids fair to gain a new standard in 1898. It certainly grows steadily in popularity and in circulation.

School Opened on Monday.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, lock boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Grand Production of "Faust."

Of the production of "Faust," which will be given at the Opera House Tuesday evening, the Cincinnati Journal says:—"Cincinnati theatre-goers expected something more than common at the Walnut on Friday night, but they did not expect to see so finished a piece of acting as that presented by John Griffith as Mephisto in 'Faust.' His elocution is faultless, his [illegible] and gestures natural and perfect. Griffith's and his facial expression [illegible] to the elder Booth's, while his [illegible] magnificent voice and superb [illegible]. His support is excellent [illegible] effects grand, startling and [illegible] conception." Prices are [illegible] cents. Seats now on sale.

THE LOST IS FOUND.

Ernest Brault, who Left Home Three Weeks ago, Returned Last Night.

Chief Rousel some time ago wrote to the chiefs of police in the Province asking them to be on the look out for a French-Canadian named Ernest Brault, who had strayed away from his home here about three weeks ago.

Brault was described as being 40 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches, medium stout build and clean shaven. He wore a brown suit, Irish frieze overcoat with large collar and soft black hat when last seen.

His friends received word from Brockville yesterday that Brault was in that town, and his brother-in-law, Mr. Ralph Larocque, left left evening to bring him home, but in the meantime Brault had started to return himself, and on the arrival of Mr. Larocque in Brockville he found a telegram awaiting him from Peterborough stating that Brault was at home.

On being questioned he stated that he had walked to Norwood, then on to Havelock, and down to Stirling, where he took a freight on the Grand Trunk and worked his way as far east as Montreal. That he was well treated whilst away is evidenced by the fact that he had quite a sum of money with him on his return.

BIRD AND BENCH SHOW.

Another Largely Attended Meeting Held Last Evening.

The attendance last evening was most encouraging at the meeting of the members of the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association, and reports were received from committees, stating that arrangements had been completed for the leasing of the Market Hall on January 18th, 19th and 20th for the exhibition, and authority was given for the purchase of lumber for the chicken coops and the benches for the dogs.

Attention was drawn to the fact that a large number of special prizes had been offered for local dogs and that therefore a large number might be expected to be entered, which are owned in Peterborough. It is not necessary to have a pedigree with the entries, but the date of birth must be furnished for statistical purposes. The entry list positively closes on Monday next.

Final arrangements for the show will be made on Wednesday evening next, when a meeting will be held in the council chamber.

AN EXPLANAITON.

The Meaning of "School Girl's" Short Letter.

A correspondence appeared in Wednesday's issue of THE EXAMINER, which seems to demand more explanation. "School Girl's" letter was a protest against the bad quality of the gas by whose alleged light she was endeavouring to learn her lessons. No criticism of the principal of the public school was intended—his moral influence was solicited to assist in improving the quality of the gas so that "School Girl" could report at school with perfect lessons. "Not to put too fine a point upon it," the quality of the gas supplied for consumption could be improved. "School Girl" is not the only one that has reason to complain of the impurities our gas contains in the shape of no stinted quality of Egyptian darkness. Our gas contains "darkness that may be felt"—by those who have to use it for reading purposes.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Fifth Meeting of the Series To-night — Subject. "Foreign Missions."

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Friday, Jan. 7th—Murray street (Baptist)—Speaker Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph.B.—Praise: For the growth and development of the missionary spirit during this century.

Prayer: That consecrated and faithful missionaries may be raised up in all Christian communities; that converts may be established in the faith; that the number of native agents may be multiplied, and their efficiency increased; that the obstacles in Roman Catholic, heathen and Mohammedan lands, arising from ignorance, prejudice and error may disappear before the gospel.—Ps. ii.; Rom. v., 6-11.

—Trade at the Spot Cash Grocery Co., 353 George street. Diana forget.

TURKEY SHOOTS.

A Series to be Held at the Rifle Ranges During the Winter.

Mr. Lew. Felcher, with his accustomed activity in all matters that pertain to athletics or sport has decided to hold a series of rifle matches for turkeys at the butts and is already busy with the preliminary arrangements.

The first will be held within the next week or so and if it is a success the shoots will be continued at intervals during the winter. Mr. Felcher is so sure of the scheme being a success that he is laying in a big stock of gobblers and has already contracted for about a hundred.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Dates and Figs. Spot Cash Grocery.

—The S. A. Supply Co. of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle, Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough.

—Farmers, remember the twenty-first annual convention of the Butter and Cheese Association of Eastern Ontario, which will open in the old opera house, Lindsay, on Tuesday morning next. The leading speakers on dairy subjects in Canada and the United States will be present and will deliver addresses at the morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

—Fresh supply of smoked and pickled fish; dinna forget. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

Preparatory Services.

Services preparatory to communion will be held in St. Paul's church this evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. McIntosh, of Centreville, will preach.

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Show a small hard kernel, covered by layers of hard skin. This tiny corn causes keen pain. The only sure means of extracting it, without pain in a day, is Putnam's Painless Extractor. Sure? Yes. Painless? Yes. Cheap? Yes, indeed! Try it.

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DEPUTY DISTRICT GRANDMASTER FRY, OF NORWOOD.

Those who will Occupy the Chairs in Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges During the Ensuing Term.

The annual installation of officers in connection with Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges, of Independent Order of Oddfellows, was held last evening in the fine suite of apartments occupied by the members of the Order on the corner of Hunter and George streets. The ceremony was performed by Deputy District Grand master Fred, Fry of Norwood, assisted by Past Grand J. McGill, acting as Grand Marshall; Past Grand M. Mowry; Past Grand T. C. Elliott as Grand Recording-Secretary; Past Grand Jas. Edgecombe, as Grand Financial Secretary; and Past Grand R. M. Scott, as Grand Treasurer.

The chairs in the two lodges will be occupied as follows during the coming year:

PETERBOROUGH LODGE.

G E Gilbert	J P G
F Perry	N G
J Fanning	V G
A McFarlane, P G	R S
W J Green	F S
W Madill	Treas
F T Solleth	War
M W Matchett	Con
R F Morrow P G	R S N G
A Davidson	L S N G
R M Scott	R S V G
G McBurney	L S V F
Geo A Goheen	O G
W King	I G
T Anderson	R S S
C H Brown	L S S
T C Elliott, P G	Chap
W Hill, P G	Pianist
J Clark, P G	Phy

Finance Committee—Bros McCrea, Bennett and Matchett.

Property Committee—Bros Solleth, Scott and Galley.

Visiting Committee—Bros Perry, Fanning, Davidson, King, Anderson, Sawers, Morrow.

OTONABEE LODGE.

H Morgan	J P G
A Ross	N G
W D Jewitt	V G
F J Might	R S
J A Tully	F S
W H Meredith	Treas
W Paterson	War
W S Robinson	Con
W Quinn, P P	R S N G
T Dale	L S N G
L Hall	R S V G
S Sharpe	L S V G
W H Smith	O G
D Rummings	I G
R Huffman	R S S
D Hall	L S S
J W Emmerson, P G	Chap
W J Green	Pianist
R W Ball, P G	Phy

Finance Committee—Bros George Armstrong, Jas A McGill, J M Gennnell.

Property Committee—Bros Wm Paterson, W F Green, D Yarnold.

Visiting Committee—Bros A Ross, D Jewett, J W Miller, H Morgan, W J Patterson, Jas Edgecombe, A Rutherford.

THE PROVINCIAL Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

It Has Been Invited to Come to Peterborough for 1899.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Board of Directors held last evening, delegates were elected to represent the Association in Brantford at the twenty-eighth annual convention of the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, which opens in that city on the 20th inst, and continues until the 23rd.

A resolution was passed inviting the convention to Peterborough next year—and there is every possibility of the invitation being accepted, as the Peterborough building is a model one, and those interested in the work at outside points are anxious to see it.

Messrs. Ackerman, Knapman, Bennet and Buxton will be the delegates, and it is probable the list will be added to. A synopsis of the programme will be published in a few days.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Joe Caisse, of Bracebridge, is in town on a visit to his cousin, L. A. Potvin.

Mrs. Lou LeBar and son Harold have returned home after spending the holidays with Mrs. Wm. Fisher, of Ida.

Miss S. Foster, of Bracebridge, who has been the guest of Miss Pearl Hamilton during the holidays, left town last Tuesday.

Master Walter Burritt, son of Mr. D. H. Burritt, has returned to Mr. Drope's Grimsby School, accompanied by Master Francis Ralph, of Singapore, who was his guest during the holidays.

Mr. Archie Stewart has lately returned home, after nine years absence in British Columbia. His many friends and relatives are very glad to see his familiar face. He is at present visiting at his sister's, Mrs. James Laing, Fraserville.

Mr. A. S. Laing left Peterborough on New Year's morning to commence his duties in the Arthur High School. As will be remembered he was at the School of Pedagogy last year, out of which he passed with honours. His many friends and acquaintances wish him every success in his new sphere.

Bad made Worse.

There are many preparations on the market for the cure of toothache that are absolutely injurious to the teeth. "Quick-cure" is recommended by the leading dentists of Canada as a sure cure for toothache, without having any evil effect on the teeth, gums or nerve.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.	27° above zero
	Highest. *Lowest.*
Yesterday	31° 21°

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 98c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

OBITUARY.

The Late Mrs. Fred. Foot.

The many friends of the family will learn with deep regret of the death of Elizabeth Curtis Foot, wife of Mr. Foot, of the firm of Foot & McWhinnie, boot and shoe merchants, which took place last night.

The last illness of Mrs. Foot, was caused by typhoid fever, was of seven week's duration. At the ordinary termination of the disease there was a slight improvement, but she did not convalesce and four weeks later death ensued. The deceased lady was a daughter of Mr. Henry Goodfellow, of North Fredricksburg, near Napanee. She was born in Bristol, England, in 1846, and was therefore 52 years of age at the time of her death. She was married to Mr. Foot in 1867 and came with him to Canada in 1871 and has since been a very highly esteemed and respected resident of the town. She was a member of the congregation of St. John's. She leaves behind her to mourn the loss of a most estimable and well-beloved wife and mother, a husband and seven children, the eldest being Mr. Harry Foot, travelling representative of a wholesale house, the rest being daughters. Mrs. E. Kemp, of Norwood, and Mrs. Joseph Clarke, of North Fredricksburgh, are sisters of deceased. Mr. Foot and family have the earnest sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

The funeral takes place from the family residence, 246 McDonel street, on Sunday, Jan. 9th, at 1.30 o'clock, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

Funeral of the Late Donald Raine in Port Hope.

The following obituary notice of the late Donald Raine, brother of Miss Maggie Raine, of town, appears in the Port Hope Guide:

"The funeral of the late Donald Raine, of New York, who died in that city on Wednesday morning, Dec. 29th, took place here on Sunday afternoon, from the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. A. Smith, John street, to the Union Cemetery. Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, conducted services at the residence and cemetery. A large number of friends were in attendance.

Mr. Raine was 36 years of age and spent the early part of his life in Port Hope. He was an employe in the Guide office in those days and later served Mr. T. George Watson in his drug store. He left some sixteen years ago for New York city and secured a most responsible position in a large manufacturing concern where his duties were so constant that only the legal and half holidays were available, so that he has not visited his native town as he often wished to do.

He received a slight injury while engaged in business, but nothing to cause uneasiness, but his death was caused by brain fever, after an illness of only a few days. A sorrowing wife and sisters mourn his death and his loss will be much regretted by a large circle of friends whose sympathy is with the bereaved ones.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

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Will be held in the TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBER, Peterborough, on

Wednesday, January 12th, 1898,

at 7.30 o'clock p.m., for the election of officers and general business.

GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President. F. BROWNSCOMBE, Secretary. 515

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Daily Examiner.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 1898.

ST. JOHN'S CHRISTMAS TREE.

The Annual Entertainment and Distribution of Prizes to the Children.

The annual Christmas treat of the Sunday school pupils of St. John's Church was held last evening in the school house when the little ones were greatly delighted by the profusely laden tree and the interesting programme which was rendered during the evening.

The Sunday school is greatly indebted to Miss Alma McCollum for the interest which she took in the preparation of the programme, arranging choruses from the Mother Goose stories, which were sung by the children of the Mission Band. The first chorus was 'Sing a Song of Sixpence,' which was splendidly rendered by the children in costume. This was followed by the Pickaninn Minstrely Company, the members of which by special request sang "There'll be a hot time in the old town tonight," and "There's a watermillion spoiling down at Johnsing's." A representation of Mother Hubbard and her dog, arranged by Miss McCollum, was then given, Miss McCollum taking the part of Mother Hubbard, and Master Allen Campbell that of the traditional canine of the rhyme. Afterwards a number of other well adapted choruses from the nursery rhymes were given and then the distribution of presents and prizes from the tree took place to the great delight of the pupils.

The list of prize winners was as follows:

Miss English's class — Katie Graham, Mabel Godfrey, Alma Foot.

Miss Comstock's class—Nellie Graham.

Miss Poole's class—Katie Morris, Gertie Bradburn, Gladys Boy.

Miss Sherwood's class—Olive English, Katie Bullen, Ethel Roberts.

Miss Layfield's class — Ellie Dugan, Pearl Pratt, Jennie McNairn, Daisy Mills.

Mrs. Best's class—Miss Maud Rush, Miss Vida Foot.

Miss Lockridge's class—Misses Vincell Hall, Marion Rush, Ruth Dawson.

Miss Belcher's class—Misses N. Hall, Dollie Comstock, M. Roberts, — Foote.

Miss Lough's class—Misses Maggie English, Charlotte English, Victoria Elliott.

Miss Mellville's class—Douglass Burgess, A. Seward, Charles Kingscote.

Miss Fanning's class—Charlie Kingan.

Miss Boucher's class—Walford Hatton.

Mr. Rush's Class—H. Kingscote, R. Dawson.

Mr. Kingscote's class—A. Graham.

Miss Jenkin's class—Tom Dawson, Allie Gibbs; Horace Walkey, highest marks in school; Warren Dean (special prize.

The success of the evening is largely due to the combined efforts of Miss McCollum and the teachers who spared no pains in perfecting the details. They were kindly assisted by other members of the congregation.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

—Trade at the Spot Cash Grocery Co., 353 George street. Diana forest.

MR. M. H. QUINLAN ELECTED CHAIRMAN

OF THE SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD FOR 1898.

Ven. Archdeacon Casey Re-appointed Local Superintendent—Mr. J. Corkery Re-elected Secretary-Treasurer—The Standing Committees for the Year.

The inaugural meeting of the Separate School Board was held on Wednesday evening. There were present Messrs. M. H. Quinlan, T. B. McGrath, R. Sheehy, T. J. Doris, J. Kylie, J. Hickey and J. Gosselin.

The members who were recently elected filed the necessary declarations.

On motion of Mr. Sheehy, seconded by Mr. Kylie, Mr. Quinlan was nominated for chairman and was unanimously elected.

On motion of Mr. Doris, seconded by Mr. Gosselin, Mr. J. Corkery was re-elected secretary treasurer.

The Ven. Archdeacon Casey was re-appointed local superintendent, on motion of Mr. Kylie, seconded by Mr. Gosselin.

Mr. L. M. Hayes was re-elected High School trustee, on motion of Mr. McGrath, seconded by Mr. Hickey.

THE STANDING COMMITTEES.

Messrs. Quinlan, Kylie, Doris and Sheehy, the special committee to strike the standing committees, reported as follows:

Your committee to strike the standing committees beg to report:

That Messrs. Doris, Sheehy and Lynch be the Finance Committee.

Messrs. Sheehy, Hickey and Gosselin be the Property Committee.

That Messrs. McGrath, Kylie and Doris be the School Management Committee.

The first named on each committee to be chairman thereof.

T. J. DORIS, Chairman.

On motion of Messrs. Doris and Gosselin, the report was adopted.

The minutes of the former meeting were then read and confirmed.

ACCOUNTS

were presented as follows:

Review Printing Co.	$ 2 00
Peterborough Hardware Co.	5 73
P Donohue	1 00
M McFadden	90 00

The last two accounts were ordered to be paid and the first two were referred to the Finance Committee.

The Principal of the Central school asked for some requisites which are required, and on motion it was referred to the Property Committee.

On motion of Mr. Hickey, seconded by Mr. Kylie, the Property Committee were instructed to advertise for the necessary wood for the schools.

The statement of receipts and payments for the year ending 31st December, 1897, was presented:

RECEIPTS.

Balance from 1896	$ 577 82
Taxes county municipalities balance for 1896	418 09
Taxes on account for 1897	373 00
Taxes town of Peterborough, 1897	3,800 00
Provincial Treasurer	433 00
Miscellaneous	15 00
	$5,607 82

PAYMENTS.

Salaries	$3,349 00
Furniture	274 54
Fuel	342 86
Repairs	130 21
Supplies	61 87
Interest	37 75
Miscellaneous	66 67
Balance in bank	1,444 89
	$5,607 82

Received and referred to the auditors. The Board then adjourned.

—Money saved by buying your teas and coffees from the Spot Cash Grocery Co.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

It is Proposed to Reduce the Fees to the Former Figure.

The attendance at the monthly meeting of the Historical Society last evening at the Y.M.C.A. hall was not as large as it would otherwise have been if the weather had not been so disagreeable and several other counter attractions made greater claims on the members.

The chair was occupied by Col. H. C. Rogers, and during the evening another new member was received. The Lecture Committee reported on the financial results of the recent lecture by Miss Fitzgibbons, and a committee was appointed to draft resolutions of condolence concerning the recent death of the Vice-President of the society, Mr. John Burnham.

A notice of motion was received, which will be discussed at the next meeting. It deals with the reduction of the membership fee from $1 a year to the old figure, viz., fifty cents.

The balance of the evening was then spent in discussing the following scheme, which was submitted by Mr. T. A. S. Hay:

As it is essential that the Historical Society should be in possession of all information possible relating to the early history of the town and county. A schedule has been suggested whereby a large amount of information might be obtained without much expense to the Society, and which at the same time will be of some advantage, intellectually and financially to a number of young people, by encouraging research into the past history of their native county. This is to offer prizes to the pupils of the Public and Separate Schools and Collegiate Institutes, for the best paper on the history of the early settlement, growth and development of the Town and County of Peterborough.

For which a few conditions and other points have been drawn up, and it is suggested that the appointment of a committee should be made to carry out the scheme. The general conditions would be as follows, subject of course to approval and revision by the committee:

1. Prizes to be competed for by pupils of the Public and Separate Schools and Collegiate Institutes of the Town and County of Peterborough. All competitors must be certified pupils at time of writing.

2. The paper must contain indisputable facts and correct dates relating to the early settlement, growth and development of the locality written about, to contain not less than ——— words.

3. All papers submitted are to become the property of the Historical Society, and to be filed in the archives.

4. The judges of the competition will be an Examining Board, consisting of ——— on whose decision the awards will be made.

5. The papers are to be legibly written on marginal foolscap paper, and on one side of the sheet only.

7. Competitors will not sign their names to the paper, but mark it with a symbol or nom de plume for identification. The full name, address and school together with the distinguishing symbol used are to be written on a separate piece of paper, enclosed with the historical paper, sealed in an envelope and addressed to the secretary.

7. The papers must be in the hands of the secretary not later than ———

8. Prizes will be awarded on a date to be arranged.

9. Each competitor may select any one of the following subjects for his of her paper and will only be allowed to compete on one subject. Circulars embracing all conditions will be sent to each school in the town and county to be posted in that school:

(a) For history of any township in county of Peterborough.
(b) For history of county of Peterborough.
(c) For history of town of Peterborough.
(d) For history of town and county of Peterborough.

Competitors will state which of the above subjects they intend their paper to be judged under.

Amounts of prizes to be fixed by council.

Moved and seconded that the scheme for obtaining information as above be left in the hands of the Executive Council to report at the next regular meeting of the Society.

—Fairbank's corn beef, fresh, 2 lb tins, prices low. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 29c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLENG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

—Dates and Figs. Spot Cash Grocery.

Your choice of any of the Fancy Holiday Novelties and Made-Up Articles in MRS. APPLEBY'S stock at and below Cost Price during January.

Inventory Time
Your Opportunity!

We are Stock-taking this month. Our Annual Discounts to Reduce Stock will be of keen interest to every gentleman in Peterborough. It gives everyone an opportunity to obtain High-Class Garments at about the cost of Production.

The power of Cash enables us to step in and dispose of our Surplus Stock of Cloths, and give the public a clear benefit of the ordinary retail profit.

TWEED SUITS at - - $14.00.
Special Line of TROUSERS at 3.50.

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$56,000 WORTH OF WINTER CLOTHING

BOOTS, SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS

TO BE SOLD FOR $38,000!

We're booked for a lively time on this, the opening month of 1898. Weeks and weeks ago, before the holiday trade had fairly begun, we arranged for collecting goods for a very special occasion during January, 1898. The extent of that preparation is shown to-day in the vast quantities of WINTER CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND FURNISHINGS, at prices below the market, and with such facilities for quick selling as have never before been equalled. We believe there is plenty of business to be got even in midwinter? Every live clothing dealer knows that the thermometer is a livelier salesman than any other that can be employed. People wont buy until the time comes, and that means until the weather is right. Besides, half the people wear last year's winter garments until January bargain time comes. Acting on that principle this store has been busy every January for years.

COLD WEATHER IS A GREAT BOOMER!

With such prices as we now quote, we expect to surprise those who have been "playing a waiting game," as well as those who will take the trouble to see the goods and the value they represent. What we emphasize now is NEW GOODS, NEW STYLES AND NEW PRICES. It is important that you remember that. Buying as we do in great quantities and selling for Cash, have reduced the cost so materially that shoppers can't help but wonder where our profit comes from.

WE Buy for Cash, Sell for Cash; Buy Low, Sell Low—Because we know how to.

Wide awake waiters, and people on the lookout for January Snaps, have a chance now, the like of which can't be got anywhere else but at this Big Store.

The Wonderful Cheap Men

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

A special meeting of the Thistles is called for this evening after the games to discuss matters of great interest to the club. All members are requested to be present.

The managing committees of the two clubs have arranged the following draws for the Kendry cup and Innes Medal series:

KENDRY CUP.

Thistles.		*Granites.*
Saturday, January 8th.		
E Rutherford	vs.	Geo Edmison
Thos Rutherford	vs.	R S Davidson
Miles Hamilton	vs.	H M Allen
Monday, January 10th.		
R H Kells	vs.	J Jeffries
W G Ferguson	vs.	W D Parker
H LeBrun	vs.	T P Attrill
Thursday, January 11th.		
D Bellegham	vs.	Judge Weller
Jas Connal	vs.	E B Edwards
S Ray	vs.	D W Dumble

INNES MEDAL.

Wednesday, January 12th.		
W G Ferguson	vs.	R S Davidson
R H Kells	vs.	T P Attrill
S Ray	vs.	W D Parker
Thursday, January 13th.		
E Rutherford	vs.	H M Allen
Jas Connal	vs.	D W Dumble
H LeBrun	vs.	Geo Edmison
Saturday, January 15th.		
Thos Rutherford	vs.	J Jeffries
D Bellegham	vs.	E B Edwards
Miles Hamilton	vs.	Judge Weller

HOCKEY.

A telegram was received from the Winnipegs this afternoon stating that they might play here on the 18th.

There will be an extra practice this week on Saturday evening at the rink.

What is the matter with the young ladies that they have not tried any hockey games this winter. If some arrangement could be made whereby the young ladies from Lindsay could be brought over for a game a handsome sum might be realized at the gate for the Protestant Home and House of Providence, or the Children's Aid Society.

The captain of Queen's hockey team has wired the Winnipeg city hockey team, now touring through Ontario, that the game scheduled for Saturday night would have to be cancelled as Queen's could not put a team on the ice. This means that Kingston hockey lovers will be deprived of witnessing the department of a fast team. Here is a chance for Peterborough to make another bid to get the Winnipegs here. They asked too high a figure before but as their Saturday night game is cancelled they might be secured at a reasonable price. They were to get 40 per cent of the gate at Kingston. In referring to the matter the Kingston Whig says:—"Members of Queen's college hockey team requested the Frontenacs to go up against the Winnipeg team on Saturday, feeling uncertain of doing anything creditable to themselves. At a meeting of the executive of the Frontenacs last night the proposition was rejected, the team not being in condition and being weakened by the absence of Rayner. The only alternative left for Queen's is to secure assistance from both Frontenacs and Cadets and put as strong a team as possible on the ice against the visitors. Queen's team is not in a position to meet any team at present." It was afterwards decided to cancel the game.

Fred Metcalfe will play hockey this winter with the Queen's team. He is an old hand with the stick.

Forey Weatherhead is expected to arrive in Kingston to-night to settle down to steady practice with Queen's hockey team, of which aggregation he is captain.

From present indications, says the Kingston Whig, the senior championship cup will go westward to some of the fast hockey teams up that way. It looks as though Queen's mortgage on the trophy had run out.

Manager Arthur Irwin, of the Toronto Baseball Club, has left for Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, Washington and other cities where the Toronto hockeyists will play next month, and while there the baseball magnate will arrange the details of the tour. Leaving Toronto about the third week in February, Mr. Irwin will take with him an all-Toronto hockey team, to play in the cities above mentioned, and perhaps Pittsburg, carrying in all nine or ten men. Many a hockeyist has expressed a desire to go on the trip, but the selection of the team has been left entirely with Geo. Carruthers. He has been requested to choose a representative team from the city, that will be known on the road as the Toronto hockey team, and one that will also defeat everything in sight in Uncle Sam's country. Some people have already made hasty calculations regarding the team and its makeup, but they certainly seem premature, when the seven has not yet been chosen. The team will have lots of time to practice before their departure. Manager Irwin has this year done a lot to advertise Toronto, and the hockey scheme is a further step in that direction.

ICE RACES.

Kingston is talking of holding ice races. It is some years since any were held in Peterborough and a two days' meet should be easily gotten up here.

Ask your grocer for

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KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SPACE FOR BARGAINS NEXT WEEK, AT

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One Price Cash Grocery,

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Advertise in the EXAMINER.

BIRTH.

MILBURN—At Smith, on Wednesday, Jan. 5th, 1898, the wife of Mr. Harry Milburn, of a son.

Peterborough Curling & Skating Rink Co

SKATING TICKETS

SEASON 1897—8

The rink is now open for skating forenoons, afternoons and evenings.

RATES FOR TICKETS FOR THE SEASON:

For Ladies	$2 00
For Gentlemen	3 00
For Girls	1 50
For Youths	2 00
For Boys	1 50

FAMILY TICKETS—First two, full rates, each additional member half rates.

Tickets for sale at the Rink. Apply to Angus McIntosh.

JOHN CRANE, Sec.-Treas.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Incorporated by Act of Legislature, 1891

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A woman's health is her best and most precious endowment. Her good looks, her enjoyment of life, her happiness, and love and its continuance all depend upon her health. Call it vanity if you will, it is a woman's duty to worship at the shrine of her mirror. It is her duty to preserve her good looks and youthful spirits as long as possible.

The woman who suffers from some weakness or derangement of the organs distinctly feminine, can note the daily encroachments of general ill-health, by looking in her mirror. The sallow or blotched complexion, heavy eyes and dark circles under them, the little wrinkles that gradually creep around the corners of her eyes and mouth and the general look of listlessness and despondency will tell the story. Special troubles of this kind are too frequently neglected because the natural and proper modesty of women keeps them from consulting the average run of physicians. These men, because they are without inherent delicacy themselves, imagine that women are the same. They insist upon obnoxious examinations and local treatment from which any sensitive woman shrinks. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will do more for a woman who suffers in this way than all the doctors of this description together. During the past thirty years it has been used by over ninety thousand women with marvelous results. It is an unfailing cure for all weakness and disease peculiar to women. All good medicine dealers sell it.

"For a number of years I suffered with a complication of female troubles," writes Mrs. J. B. Ferguson, of Edgmoor, Chester Co., S. C. "I tried various remedies from physicians, but nothing seemed to do me any good. It seemed that my back would kill me. I had smothering spells at night so bad I could not rest. Also had constipation. I took Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Pleasant Pellets' and was entirely cured."

Send for Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. Paper-bound, 21 one-cent stamps; cloth-bound, 50 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE CANOE SPEAKS.

On the great streams the ships may go
About men's business to and fro,
But I, the eggshell pinnace, sleep
On crystal waters, ankle deep;

I, whose diminutive design,
Of sweeter cedar, pitchier pine,
Is fashioned on so frail a mold
A hand may launch, a hand withhold.

I, the unnamed, inviolate,
Green, rustic rivers navigate.
My dipping paddle scarcely shakes
The berry in the bramble brakes.

Still forth on my green way I wend
Beside the cottage garden end
And by the nested angler fare
And take the lovers unaware.

By willow, wood and water wheel
Speedily fleets my touching keel;
By all retired and shady spots,
Where prosper dim forgetmenots.

—Robert Louis Stevenson.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

So it goes. Everyone who has used Dodd's Kidney Pills has been cured. Bright's Disease, Paralysis, all diseases of the kidneys and the blood, yield to their power. They never fail to cure these ailments.

An Alleged Klondike Defalcator.

London, Jan. 6.—(Telegram Cable.)—At the Mansion House Police Court yesterday Augustus Colin Aitkin, a director of the Klondike Gold Mining and Trading Company, was remanded on a charge of appropriating moneys of the company to his own use, and also of conspiracy with another director.

Australians Win Easily.

Melbourne, Victoria, Jan. 6.—In the cricket match between the Australians and the visiting English eleven, which began on Monday, the Australians won by an innings and 55 runs.

Gen. Yeattman Biggs Dead.

London, Jan. 5.—According to a special despatch from Peshawur, Major-General Arthur Godolphin Yeattman-Biggs, in command of the second division of the Tirah expedition, on the northwest frontier of India, died on Tuesday of dysentery. The news is confirmed from various sources.

—We have a line of granulated sugar, 25 lbs. for $1. Spot Cash Grocery Co., 358 George street, (while it lasts).

Almost Unbearable.

"I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable and I felt tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated and until I took Doan's Kidney Pills I had been unable to do my housework for over a month. These pills have made a complete cure, all my kidney and bladder troubles have disappeared and I feel like a new women." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, Ont.

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The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumors. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

Use Forsyth's Fauitless Catarrh Cure

HOW BAILEY BEAT BARNUM.

And That at the Veteran Showman's Own Game, Advertising.

One of the elephants with the Barnum-Bailey circus was the means of making the fortune that Mr. Bailey is credited with possessing. It was as a baby phenomenon that the pachyderm did the good turn for the successor of "the great and only Barnum."

Columbia is the name of the creature, and of the hundreds of rare animals in the aggregation none is treasured more highly than she, now a huge, ungainly and overgrown creature with not half the wit possessed by the smallest elephant connected with the circus.

It was away back in 1880, when the news got around that the first elephant born in captivity was living and traveling with the Bailey show. Mr. Bailey was a struggling young circus owner then, battling against fearful odds. Barnum was at the height of his most remarkable career—at the very topmost notch of circus fame.

Mr. Barnum, quick to see the advantage of having so important an attraction as a real American baby elephant, telegraphed to Mr. Bailey as follows:

"Will give $100,000 for your baby elephant. Must have it."

Mr. Bailey wired in answer, "Will not sell at any price."

This seemed a daring thing for Mr. Bailey to do, for $100,000 would almost have purchased the entire show. Even Mr. Bailey's best friends, whom he consulted in the matter, advised him to accept the offer. Instead of doing that he refused it and hustled east with his circus to meet Barnum on his own ground.

By the time that the Bailey circus reached the east the whole country was billed with posters on which was printed "What Barnum Thinks of the Baby Elephant." Underneath that heading was printed Barnum's telegram to Mr. Bailey. As the Bailey show followed in the wake of the Barnum circus each town in which the Barnum aggregation appeared was billed with the Bailey posters.

Probably the Bailey advertising did not affect the attendance at the Barnum circus. Mr. Bailey has since said that he thought that it did not. But the advertisements staring the veteran showman in the face everywhere he went worried him, and finally to dodge the huge posters he changed the route of his circus, although that routine had been determined upon nearly 12 months in advance. He jumped from New York to Kansas City and surrendered the whole eastern field to the Bailey show. The next year the two shows were consolidated and have been one show ever since.

Mr. Barnum's one joke with Mr. Bailey as long as the shrewd old circus manager was alive was, "Well, have you any more baby elephants that you do not want to sell?"—New York Press.

Can Work all the Time.

"My daughter was suffering with catarrh of the stomach, and tried many different prescriptions without benefit. Finally she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it helped her at once. She has taken fifteen bottles and is now able to work all the time. We prize Hood's Sarsaparilla very highly." ANNA MERRILL, Eaton, Que.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills, 25 cents.

A Lad Frozen to Death.

St. Jean, Port Joli, Que., Jan. 6.—Pierre Legace, a ten-year-old boy, residing at Ste. Perpetue, left his home on Sunday en route to church. His body was yesterday found in a field about one mile from the church. He had been frozen to death.

Durrant's Fate Sealed.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—In the United States Circuit Court yesterday Judges Morrow and De Haven denied the application in the Durrant case for a writ of habeas corpus, and also refused to grant Durrant's attorneys leave to appeal from this decision.

Frozen So Badly That He Died.

Edmonton, N.W.T., Jan. 5.—Ex-Constable Stickler of Ponkos, who was brought into the General Hospital on Saturday with his feet and hands frozen, died yesterday. He had been lost for several days. One of his horses was so exhausted that it was shot.

The City's Share.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The full year's percentage payable by the Street Railway Company of the City of Toronto for 1897 has been figured up and amounts to $85,672.96.

Over a Mile a Minute.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Capt. Quinn's Volunteer defeated the Valkyrie and Reindeer yesterday in the first iceboat race of the season, over a 15-mile course, on the bay. The time was 14¼ minutes.

There's Money in It.

Kingston, Jan. 6.—A company has been formed here for the export of poultry to the British market. The farmers will be solicited to raise only the best grades.

Canadian Harness for New Zealand.

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—A local leather firm yesterday received an order from New Zealand for fine harness, etc., aggregating $9,500. It is the first ever received here, and is a trial order.

George Higgins Hanged Himself.

Kincardine, Jan. 5.—George Higgins, at one time a farmer, but latterly living in town, committed suicide yesterday by hanging.

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THE LUMPJAW SCOURGE.

An Old and Experienced Butcher Thinks That at Least 10 Per Cent. of the Cattle Are Affected.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 6.—The case of lumpjaw unearthed by the Windsor police is not an isolated one. John Plant, the oldest and most experienced butcher in Windsor, having been in the business, wholesale or retail, for over 40 years, says: "Lumpjaw is very prevalent throughout Essex and Kent counties and I think it should be a very low estimate to say that 10 per cent. of the cattle are affected by it. The farmers are too avaricious to kill the diseased cattle and they don't care if the flesh is sold for food. There is no meat inspector in the city nor any officer whose duty it is to see that no diseased meat is offered for sale. That case of Neville's would never have been discovered and the meat would have been sold on the Windsor market if some enemy of his had not given the tip to the police." "I hardly think that the percentage of affected animals is quite 10 per cent.," said Dr. Orchard, Government Veterinary Surgeon. "Nothing has been done to stamp out the disease, which would entail an enormous expense, but I intend to go out next week and make an investigation. Lumpjaw is classed with glanders and other infectious and contagious diseases, and every animal found to be affected is shot and the Government pays one-third of the expense."

James Neville, of Gosfield North, is to be tried in the Police Court to-morrow on a charge of selling a diseased animal to Charles Shaw. The penalty for a first offense is one year and for a second two years imprisonment.

The C. P. R. in 1897.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—The amount of rolling stock reported by the Canadian Pacific railway at the end of December, 1897, was as follows: Box cars, 12,600; stock cars, 1,085; refrigerators, 4,890; oil tanks, 6; conductors' runs, 318; ventilator cars, 46; passenger coaches, 766; boarding or living cars, 497; locomotives, 549; general cars, 270, the grand total being 20,850.

The gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway for the year 1897 were $24,046,792. In 1896 they were $20,881,596, showing an increase of $3,365,196.

The Pan-American Exposition in 1899.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 6.—The contracts for the six main buildings of the Pan-American Exposition, which is to be held on Cayuga Island, in the Niagara River, in 1899, have been awarded to the firm of Grace & Hyde of New York. The firm will receive $700,000 for the work, which is to be started within ten days. The buildings are to be of steel, brick and staff.

The Junction Mystery.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 6.—The inquest touching the death of Joseph Curley of Weston, whose dead body was found in the Keele street subway, will be resumed this afternoon, when it is expected that George Andrews, who was with Curley on the evening of his death will be present to testify.

To Date Canned Goods.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 6.—The Board of Trade yesterday voted to memorialize the Dominion Government to compel packers of tea, groceries, canned goods, etc., to have the weight and date of packing printed conspicuously on all packages.

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at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board,
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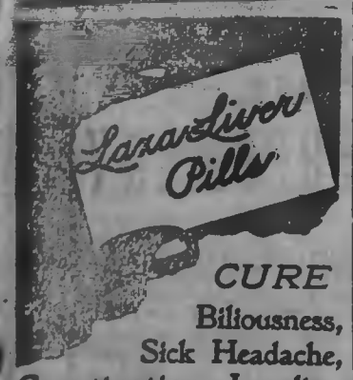

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"Thank you. Don't you find this rather a lonely place—no neighbors, no nothing, that I can see? How came you to settle here, so far removed from other habitation?"

"Waal, perhaps it's best not ter ask too many questions ter once."

"Beg your pardon. No offense was intended, I assure you. Simply idle curiosity."

"Don't say 'nuther word, stranger, but come in an we'll hev a snack fer supper. Polly, bring on the victu'ls. Yer jes' in time."

Polly at once obeyed. She was a typical western girl—tall, lithe, graceful and limpid eyed. She was clear skinned and high spirited, too, and in this case ignorant through no fault of her own. John Barr's eyes scanned her intently, and a flush came to her cheeks. For the first time in her life she was unpleasantly conscious of her bare feet. It may have been this that made her stumble and spill some of the contents of an earthen bowl over the guest's knees as she placed it on the table.

Her eyes flashed and a tear of anger twinkled on the lashes. She stopped, half meaning to apologise, but an oath from her father caused her to set the bowl down heavily and to hurry from the cabin. A moment later Barr saw a flutter of pink calico from behind a pile of rocks. Old Kit Robinson saw it too.

"Don't wonder at yer sayin 'tain't right. She's a ama't gal an a good looker, too, an should hev been sent away frum here ter school ter be oddicated. But she won't leave her no 'count dad. I orter be shot fer cussin her. But I ain't what I use ter be. Settin here an keepin guard makes me narvous."

Barr's eyes asked the question his lips refused to speak. Supper eaten, the men went outside and sat with their chairs tilted back against the cabin. Something in the younger man's frank face had softened old Kit into a reminiscent mood and made him strangely inclined to gratify an idle curiosity.

The soft evening winds sighed through the branches of the tall spruce pines, and the declining rays of the setting sun caused the shadow of the rude home to stretch out longer across the greensward. From its shelter where he sat John Barr looked out on the grand ranges of the Rockies and wondered where in their vastness he would find the man he sought—the finding of whom had brought him out into this wild and almost forsaken mining camp.

"Stranger, I've took a likin ter you. Ye've me of an ho ghosts He l a look when I lieve I "W A t with mind. "C "I' ringer The the a tears easier "I' "D of the thet's the ov ter bu know easy a pa 'noug York. a gen the R wus an wo wus as un He w er wi mos' tle d an I tion it off left Old no o ev'ry ter h me t being Bost thet give hillsi

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Old Kit's voice failed him for a moment, but he quickly regained his composure and continued:

"But when old Sandy, my good old pard, give up I didn't keer fer nothin. We buried him in style. All the boys frum round the diggin's wus thar, an many an eye wus wet. We didn't hev nary a preacher, but the gal she prayed at the grave. Fer the life of me I don't know where she larnt it. Reckon the old woman must hev told her. Next mornin the gal showed me a letter thet Sandy give her jes' afore he died. It was ter his boy, an she wus ter give it ter him if he ever cum out this way, an she's got it yet.

"Thet same evenin after supper, feelin kinder glumish an like thar wus sumthin in my throat I couldn't swoller, I tuk a stroll up the gulch. I went on out ter the top of the edge of the big rock an got ter studyin whar I'd find another pard like Sandy. All ter once I felt a hand touch my shoulder kinder light once or twice. I jumped up, half expectin it wus Sandy, but it wus only the gal. Waal, I wus all tuk back at furst, an then I got mad.

"'What air you doin up here?' I axed, kinder rough. She hed tears in her eyes as she looked at me an said:

"'Pap, don't git mad. I wus lonesum. I seed you cumin up this way, an I follered you, 'cause I wanted ter tell you thet Sandy said ter give his boy his pile when he sums.'

"'Waal,' says I, 'you might hev waited till I cum back ter the house.' An then I sent her back.

"Arter she wuz gone I sot ter studyin whar in the world Sandy's pile wuz. I tried ter think whar could he hev hid it. But it warn't no use. All ter once I noticed it wus plum dark, an as these mountings ain't a he'lthy place fer a man ter roam in arter nightfall, especially if he ain't got his shootin irons on, I cut a pretty swift gait fer the shack.

"Jes' as I cum round the bend thar at the pine I happened ter look up terward the cliff, an thar sot Sandy. Yes, sir. It wus him sure as yer born. My feet felt heavy as lead, an I couldn't move frum the spot. I tried ter holler, but it warn't no go. Finally I gave a sudden jerk an made a step terward him, an as I did so he disappeared. Then I made tracks fer home. But I kept mum, 'cause I knowed the boys would say thet mounting dew wus lickin up my brains an I would be seein snakes an sich things afore long.

"The next night sumhow or 'nuther I thought ter go an see if he wus thar ag'in, an, sure 'nough, thar he sot, lookin kinder sad an makin marks on the rocks with his fingers. I hed my hand on my gun this time, so I got a little closter than afore. But, by hookey, he got away from me ag'in, nor did he cum back.

"I could hardly wait fer the next night ter cum round. At the same time I wus on hand good an early, jes' as it begun ter git dark, an the trees looked like long spooks a-stretchin out their arms. I looked terward the cliff, an thar he sot a-markin an a-scratchin on the rock with his fingers an still lookin sad. Now, this bein the third time, I got kinder bold, an I went a little closter an says:

"'Sandy, wha-what's the ma-mat-matter with you? Didn't the boys do the plantin right fer you?'

"Then as luck would hev it I thought of sumthin else right quick, an I said:

"'Or is it the dust you hev hid whar yer sittin?'

"Waal, he looked up then, an the happiest smile cum ter his face, an all ter once he disappeared ag'in. An since then I hev sot here an guarded the place till the right one cums along ter claim it.

"Let's see. What did you say yer name wus?"

"Pardon me. I thought I had told you. My name is John Willett Barr."

"Polly, oh, Polly! Cum hyar, gal. What wus Sandy's full name? I plum fergot."

"What you want ter know fer?" she asked. "I ain't a-goin ter tell you now. Thet's my own secret."

"Cum, cum, gal. Tell me ter once, or it won't be he'lthy fer you."

"Waal, then," she answered stubbornly, "it's John Willett Barr."

At her reply the younger man's face grew deathly pale, and he started up from his chair, but Kit thrust him back into his seat, saying:

"Bring me the letter, Polly."

"What are you goin ter do with it, pa?" she inquired cautiously.

"I promised old Sandy on my oath ter keep it till the right one cums erlong ter claim it, an I mean ter keep my word. The right one is here, gal. Thar he sits. So trot that letter out an don't parley long with me if you knows whon yer well off."

Polly stared at the younger man in wi- You look "Well, Lowell," says: must have American's 'Howdy!' is as expressive as any of the others, as well as the briefest." —Washington Star.

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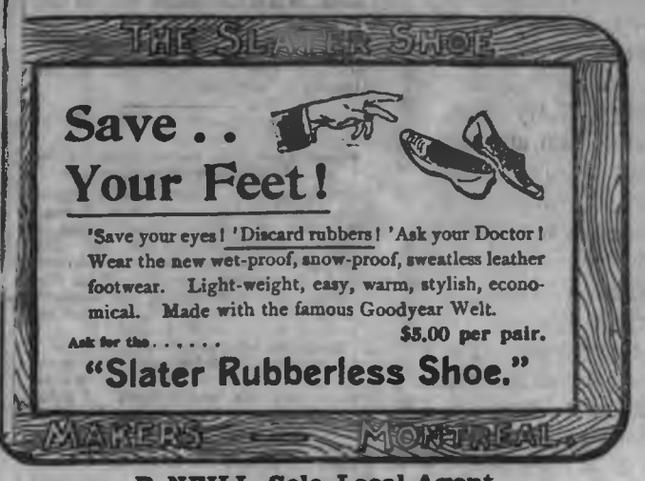
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"ON THE OTHER TACK."

A Charming Boys' Book by Capt. Metcalf, of the Hazel Brae Home.

A delightfully interesting book for boys was placed on the editor's table this morning. It is a sea story entitled "On the other Tack," written by Mr. W. C. Metcalfe, assistant superintendent of the Hazel Brae Branch of Dr. Barnardo's Homes, and better known locally as Captain Metcalfe. The book is published by that eminent publishing firm, Jarrold & Sons, Warwick Lane, London, England. It is printed on good paper, in clear, bold type, is finely illustrated, and bound in illuminated cloth. "On the Other Tack" is a breezy sea story of love and adventure. The hero who "spins the yarn" himself is a young apprentice in the merchant service, who is returning from Australia in a sailing ship to pass his examination for a second officer. Among the passengers is a beautiful girl, the daughter of a rich but crusty father, a banker, who takes an aversion to young Tarle, when he sees that the young people are mutually attracted. An exciting chapter is devoted to the rescue of the young girl from drowning, she having fallen overboard while watching the process of fishing for shark. The middy leaps from the rigging, where he was at work, and lands the lassie safe on board. This act increases the father's antipathy to the youngster, and he forbids his daughter to speak to the lad. An exciting shipwreck and equally exciting rescue follow, and after the arrival in England, fate brings the young lovers together again. The young man interposes to prevent a burglary of the banker's residence in which the young man encounters a titled nonentity, whom the father, with a weakness for "the gentry," designs as a husband for the daughter, who, however, point blank refuses to wed him. The young man becomes a second officer, and on his first voyage to Australia passes through a thrilling experience with ice bergs, is in imminent danger of death, from being cast alone on a berg, but is rescued and reaches Australia, where his "lady love" arrives opportunely on a visit to her brother, and the lovers meet. The stern father, softened by his wife's death, consents to their marriage and as the nursery stories have it, they lived happy ever after. This interesting plot is well worked out and the story is filled with thrilling incident of the very kind to enchain the heart of a boy, and indeed of older persons. The style of the writer is terse and simple, but of good literary quality. The moral tone of the book is high, and while the lessons conveyed savour nothing of cant or "preaching," they teach a reverence for courage, honesty true, manly character and unselfish practice of consideration for the good of others, as contrasted with mean devotion to selfish pursuit of pleasure and profit at the expense of others. Mr. Metcalfe is a practical sailor of twenty years experience and tells a tale of the sea in a charming manner. He is a voluminous writer, about a dozen books for boys standing to his credit as author. All have had large sales have passed through many editions, and a similar success will attend his last published work, "On the Other Tack," which will delight a boy "down to the ground." For sale at the Peterborough Bookstore."

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HENRY GEORGE'S LAST WORK.

The book upon which Henry George spent the last six years of his life will be published this month by Mr. George N. Morang, Toronto. It will take a large octavo volume and contain about as much matter as "Progress and Poverty," the surprising popularity of which is attested by the fact that over 8,000 copies have been sold during the past month. The new book will be entitled "The Science of Political Economy," which the author characterizes in his introduction as follows:

"Of all sciences political economy is that which to civilized men of the day is of the most practical importance. For it is the science which treats of the nature of wealth and the laws of its production and distribution; that is to say, of matters which absorb the larger part of the thought and effort of the vast majority of us—the getting of a living."

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RELIGIOUS POETRY.

The Examiner has been requested to publish the following lines written by Mr. John Snelgrove, of Mariposa, a brother-in-law of Mr. Samuel Edwards, town:

My seventy years are past and gone,
And many conflicts past,
And yet I trust in Jesus Christ
To save my soul at last.

When lying on my bed by night
Midst many doubts and fears,
I wrestle then with God in prayers
And shed my briny tears.

But trusting in the promises
Of God who cannot lie,
I have a hope through Jesus Christ
To save me when I die.

My journey's almost run,
My labour almost ended;
There may be yet a few more days
To my shore life extended.

Now day by day I offer up
To Heaven my earnest prayer,
That you and I and all the rest
May safely enter there.

Gird on your faith and trust in God,
The great eternal reign,
Who promised us that praying breath
Cannot be spent in vain.

May all my own dear family
In Jesus put their trust,
To take their souls to glory
When bodies turn to dust.

When lying on my dying bed,
O Jesus then draw nigh,
And take my soul from earth away
To joys that never die.

Come all my old companions,
Come to the Gospel feast
And put your trust in Jesus
And find eternal rest.

Let concussions shake this solid world,
And the last flames arise,
I put my trust in Jesus Christ
To mount above the skies.

Let mountains fall and mountains hurl,
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By faith I trust in Jesus Christ
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ST. LAWRENCE PARK PROJECT.

St. Mary's Island and Canal Point on Grindstone Island Purchased.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 7.—Commissioners Weed, Davis and Holden, composing the committee of the State Fisheries, Game and Forest Commission, having in charge the purchase of land along the St. Lawrence River for the purpose of carrying into operation the desire of the State, as expressed in a legislative enactment of the last session, to establish, in conjunction with the Dominion of Canada, an international park on the St. Lawrence River, report that they have purchased St. Mary's Island for $5,000, and 70 acres, composing what is known as Canal Point, on Grindstone Island, for $1,900. The last Legislature appropriated $30,000 for the purchase of land, and about $20,000 remains unexpended. It will be used before the close of the present session of the Legislature in the purchase of land on which the State has an option. The Legislature will be asked for an additional appropriation to construct docks and summer houses for the park. The committee is of the opinion that the fish and game laws for the St. Lawrence River should be uniform, and that the State should frame a code that will be acceptable to the Government of the Dominion of Canada.

MAGOWANS ARE SEPARATED.

Report That Mrs. Barnes-Magowan Intends to Return to Her Old Home.

Trenton, N.J., Jan. 7.—Ex-Mayor Frank A. Magowan and Mrs. Barnes-Magowan, nee Miss Edith Riddell, of Toronto, are said to have separated. The woman is at Barlow Hotel, where she and the ex-Mayor went last week after Magowan had been notified by the management of the American House that his presence was no longer desired.

Magowan left Barlow's last night taking with him his belongings and he spent the night at the Trenton House in company with his son Spencer. Neither Magowan nor Mrs. Barnes-Magowan would see any reporters to-day, but the statement that they have separated is generally accepted by Magowan's friends, with some of whom he had a conference yesterday. It is understood that Mrs. Barnes-Magowan will go home to her people in Toronto.

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Coal Tar for Canadian Points.

New York, Jan. 7.—The managers of the Joint Traffic Association have recommended new commodity rates on coal tar, in tank cars, to be furnished by shippers (empty tanks to be shipped back free), from Hamilton, London and Toronto, Ont., to Jersey City and New York (lighterage limits), at 15c and 16c per 100 pounds respectively.

3,000,000 Feet of Lumber Burned.

Saginaw, Mich., Jan. 7.—Eight million feet of lumber was burned on the docks of the Saginaw Lumber & Salt Company at Crow Island, three miles below the city, yesterday, causing a loss of about $120,000. Three-fourths of the loss will be covered by insurance.

Wealthy Woman Suicides.

New York, Jan. 7.—Mrs. Mariana Peters, who came to this city with her family from New South Wales, Australia, about a year ago, and who was apparently very wealthy, committed suicide today at her home by shooting herself in the head with a revolver. She was 63 years old.

The Toronto Junction Mystery.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 7.—At the Curley inquest yesterday afternoon and evening no further light was shed on the mystery, and the inquest was further adjourned for a week.

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THE ONTARIO HOUSE.

Bill Which is to Do Away With Town Wards.

These bills were read a third time and now only await the Lieut.-Governor's signature to become law: Respecting the synod of the diocese of Ottawa; respecting the city of Ottawa; to prevent gambling at agricultural exhibitions; respecting water powers; respecting the Sydenham Glass Company of Wallaceburg; respecting the town of Walkerton; respecting city of Toronto; relating to Victoria University; respecting the village of Huntsville; respecting the city of St. Thomas and the St. Thomas Street Railway; to confirm bylaw No. 586 of the town of Berlin, and incorporating the Sisters of Loretto.

Aid to Hospitals.

Hon. Mr. Davis moved resolutions to ratify orders-in-council granting annual aid to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie; the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Cornwall; the General Hospital, Rat Portage; the Sanitarium for Consumptives, Gravenhurst, and the St. Joseph's Hospital, Sudbury. The motion passed.

Mr. Stratton's Bill.

An important amendment was made to Mr. Stratton's bill to amend the Municipal Act in the Municipal Committee yesterday. The bill now reads that adjoining townships in the same county or not may purchase jointly road working machinery and appliances, fire engines and fire appliances and hold them in common, the expenses to be divided.

NOTICE TO "AGRICULTURAL" POLICY HOLDERS.

The British America Assurance Co. having re-insured the business of the Agricultural Insurance Co. before it withdrew from Canada, assuming thereby to pay all losses which might occur under their policies, it is very important that all changes to be made in said policies be reported at our office, as we are the only authorized Agents.

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UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

John McCullogh, an Irishman, 59 years old, was appointed Chief of Police of Greater New York.

A fire started in the mess room of Sing Sing Prison, and the convicts put it out instead of trying to escape.

Nearly two hundred invitations are out for the hanging of Theodore Durrant in San Francisco, and it is expected there will be 175 acceptances.

The Earl of Ava, eldest son of the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, the former Governor-General of Canada, arrived at New York by the Teutonic.

Theodore Durrant, the murderer of Blanche Lamont at San Francisco, has now given up all hope; so has his father. The prisoner is said to have lost his nerve completely.

William T. Buckley of Durham, Buckley & Co., dry goods, New York, shot himself at his beautiful home in Wave Crest, Long Island, and is dead. He was worth a million, but became despondent, no one knows why.

Clark Braden, a night clerk in the American Express Company's employ, in New York, is alleged to have stolen $5,000 worth of Consumers' Gas bonds and $5,000 in cash and skipped. He had only held the position three days.

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Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.20 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.20 a. m. and 12.25 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 3.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.53 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.22 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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THE NEXT STEP

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Bill Which is to Do Away With Town Wards.

IT HAS PASSED THE COMMITTEE.

Mr. Middleton Withdraws His Departmental Store Bill—An Inquiry to be Made—New Laws—Aid to Hospitals—Mr. Stratton's Bill—The Election Day Soon to Come.

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Probably the most important bill that has come before the Legislature this year was that of Mr. Caven, which passed the Municipal Committee yesterday. The bill provides that every town of a population of 5,000 or under shall have a mayor and not more than six councillors by a general vote of the electors. This does away with wards in the towns. The office of reeve and deputy reeve is also abolished, and each voter may vote for mayor and also for six councillors. In the case of villages there shall be a reeve and but four councillors elected in the same way and by general vote. The bill also provides that township councils shall be composed of a reeve and four councillors. At the end of two years the electors may decide by a majority vote whether or not they shall go back to the ward system, with this difference, however, that but one councillor may be elected in each ward and the other members of the council by general vote.

Departmental Stores.

Mr. Middleton last week moved the second reading of a bill which provides that departmental stores having more than three departments shall be taxed. The debate was hot and was not finished at the hour of adjournment. Yesterday the debate was resumed.

Mr. Haycock wished to know where the Government would draw the line should such a bill become law. Why not make it more than one department, why not more than ten? Why had the figure three been selected? He thought Canada was a free country and that any man should feel that he could engage in any honest legitimate business he pleased. (Cheers.)

Hon. Mr. Hardy said the bill was a very important one and he was sorry it had not been introduced at an earlier stage of the session. Such a bill had passed in several of the United States. In Illinois it had passed the Senate, but had been thrown out by the Representatives. There was a good deal in what Mr. Haycock said, but it must be remembered the bill did not prohibit departmental stores handling all classes of goods, it would simply act as a check. The matter was serious. The natural current of trade was to be respected. He would not say, however, that these currents could not be disturbed when they tended to grind out of existence the smaller merchants. He advised that the bill should be withdrawn and that next session a resolution along the same lines should be moved at an early stage in the session, that deputations should then be heard upon both sides by a select committee and all the facts possible should be obtained. Then if it was considered necessary legislation might be introduced. It had been suggested there should be a royal commission appointed to gather evidence upon the subject. He thought a special committee could do the work just as well. In any case he did not think such a law should apply to the merchants of towns and villages. So far as he knew complaint had been made only of the large institutions of this character in the larger cities.

Mr. Middleton said there was nothing in what Mr. Haycock had said about freedom of trade. Doctors, lawyers, druggists, architects and others now could not enter business as they liked. Canada was not a free country in the sense that any man could enter any business he pleased and run it as he liked. There was no doubt but that there was a strong feeling against these stores in the country on the ground they were greatly injuring trade. He withdrew the bill, glad to have it upon such an authority as that of the Attorney-General that legislation could be passed dealing with this subject. He would move in the matter next session if he came back. (Laughter.)

Mr. Crawford opposed the idea of placing any restrictions upon departmental stores. He said the cry they were not popular was false and proved so by the fact that so many people purchased from them. (Hear, hear.) He was sure when the matter came up next session there would be many strong arguments against the bill.

These bills were read a third time and now only await the Lieut.-Governor's signature to become law: Respecting the synod of the diocese of Ottawa; respecting the city of Ottawa; to prevent gambling at agricultural exhibitions; respecting water powers; respecting the Sydenham Glass Company of Wallaceburg; respecting the town of Walkerton; respecting city of Toronto; relating to Victoria University; respecting the village of Huntsville; respecting the city of St. Thomas and the St. Thomas Street Railway; to confirm bylaw No. 586 of the town of Berlin, and incorporating the Sisters of Loretto.

Aid to Hospitals.

Hon. Mr. Davis moved resolutions to ratify orders-in-council granting annual aid to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Barrie; the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Cornwall; the General Hospital, Rat Portage; the Sanitarium for Consumptives, Gravenhurst, and the St. Joseph's Hospital, Sudbury. The motion passed.

Mr. Stratton's Bill.

An important amendment was made to Mr. Stratton's bill to amend the Municipal Act in the Municipal Committee yesterday. The bill now reads that adjoining townships in the same county or not may purchase jointly road working machinery and appliances, fire engines and fire appliances and hold them in common, the expenses to be divided.

Last Year's Finances.

The Provincial Treasurer laid this statement of the full receipts and expenditures for 1897 on the table of the House yesterday:

RECEIPTS, 1897.

Subsidy	$1,1 6,872 80
Specific grant	8,000 00
Total	$1,190,872 80
Interest on capital held and debts due by the Dominion to Ontario	212,414 48
Interest on investments	35,020 07
Total	$ 247,435 15
Crown Lands Department—	
Crown lands	$ 93,045 98
Rents re Crown lands	18,356 54
Railway lands	176 58
Clergy lands	155 25
Common school lands	10,751 55
Grammar school lands	2,414 12
University lands	895 64
Woods and forests	1,32 ,140 08
Mining licenses	2,042 15
Miscellaneous	350 48
Refunds	48 22
Total	$1,600,285 90
Algoma taxes	1,934 64
Law stamps	50,981 34
Licenses	280,391 30
Education Department	86,516 90
Sale of lands at Toronto L. A.	4,000 00
Public Institutions Revenue—	
Toronto Lunatic Asylum	$ 34,780 77
Mimico "	4,416 30
London "	12,035 61
Hamilton "	11 997 18
Kingston "	8,426 49
Brockville "	3,507 16
Orillia "	3,8 8 06
Reformatory for Females	1,2 3 04
Reformatory for Boys	350 25
Blind Institute	383 00
Deaf and Dumb Institute	100 00
Central Prison Industries	22,000 00
Total	$102,705 26
Provincial Secretary's Department	38,885 25

CASUAL REVENUE.

Provincial Registrar' branch	150 50
Registrar-General's branch	332 50
Fines, etc	3,528 08
Insurance Companies' fees—Ontario Act and 1891 Act	15,003 20
Loan Companies—Fees	10,388 05
Public Officers' Surplus Fees (57 Vic., cap. 9, and R.S.O. cap. 50)	12,701 85
Fees—Local Masters of Titles	2,950 82
Shooting and Fishing Licenses	7,167 75
Circus Licenses	801 26
Intestate estates moneys	6,845 16
Official Gazette	11,970 76
Private bills	8,540 10
Statutes	1,712 69
Ground rent, old Agricultural Hall site	4,000 00
County of York—re expenses, Master of Land Titles' Office	2,550 70
County of Simcoe—Fees and expenses of inspection by Municipal Auditor	222 00
Refunds	4 41
Incidentals	185 92
Insurance Companies' Assessment re Expenditure for Insurance Branch	2,999 99
Removal of patients to asylums	4794 80
	$135,844 69
Succession duties	228,818 46
Drainage works assessments	4,673 90
	$3,937,400 34
Drainage debentures	35,034 90
Drainage debentures tile	10,109 84
Sale of annuities	156,342 51
	$4,139,847 68

EXPENDITURE, 1897.

Civil Government	$ 250,945 32
Legislation	150,392 21
Administration of Justice	427,800 11
Education	719,815 93
Public Institutions maintenance	808,131 54
Immigration	9,706 03
Agriculture	186,064 56
Hospitals and Charities	122,634 06
Repairs and Maintenance	79,228 44
Public Buildings	136,788 55
Public Works	82,135 73
Colonization Roads	93,379 10
Charges Crown Lands	193,065 72
Refunds	30,854 28
Statutes Consolidated	27,896 62
Miscellaneous	154,009 77
	$3,500,653 90
Drainage Debentures	6,572 94
Drainage Debentures (Tile)	6,900 00
Railway Aid Certificates	159,548 77
Annuity Certificates	93,700 00
	$3,767,675 70

Plague Raging at Bombay.

Bombay, Jan. 7.—The plague returns for the past 48 hours record 142 new cases and 105 deaths. There is a general exodus of the population, and a suspension of business is threatened.

Heavy Withdrawal of Bullion.

London, Jan. 7.—Amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day £520,000.

Ex-King Milan Commander-in-Chief.

Belgrade, Jan. 7.—A royal decree has been gazetted, reorganizing the Servian army and appointing ex-King Milan, the father of King Alexander, commander-in-chief.

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THE ORR MURDERER.

Allison Has Confessed to the Murder of Mrs. Orr.

THE BOY TELLS HOW HE DID IT.

Shot the Woman From the Woodshed as She Was Milking and Finished His Work With an Axe—He Says He Committed the Crime Out of Revenge.

Berlin, Jan. 8.—The confession of James Allison, the murderer of Mrs. Orr on August last, was made yesterday to Governor Cook of the jail. The confession was set down in writing at noon yesterday, but in reality Allison made it over a month ago, shortly after he was sentenced to be hanged. As is often the case with murderers, the wretched youth found it impossible to keep the awful secret any longer, and he had to make a confidant

JAMES ALLISON.

of some one. Governor Cook was the very first person Allison spoke to about the crime. Since then he has made confessions to others, but that to the Governor was the first. Mr. Cook does not remember exactly what day it was, but it was one day about a month ago that he had occasion to visit Allison in his cell. There was something on the boy's mind it was quite evident. Presently he began to talk about the murder, and finally said that the Orrs were entirely wrong about his having tried to assault Mrs. Orr. It was not that at all, he said. Mr. Cook let him talk, and by putting in a question here and there and making suggestions he got the whole story out of the condemned man. Allison did not want him to make it public, however, and out of consideration for him Mr. Cook agreed to keep it quiet. Yesterday Allison made up his mind that he would give the story to the public, and he sent for Mr. Cook. Writing materials were furnished, and at Allison's dictation the following was written down:

"I want this to be at once made public. I told it to the authorities some time ago. I never at any time made any improper proposals to Mrs. Orr. I had made up my mind to get even with the Orrs for things they said and did to me. That morning I got mad because they would not let me go to Niagara Falls. After breakfast I left my loaded gun in the woodshed. I did some chores. Mrs. Orr was milking about 20 feet from the woodshed. I went into it and fired at her through the door. She fell off her seat and never moved again. An ax lay near her. I took it and struck her on the head with it. I had the grave in the swamp ready some days before, but it was too far off, so in a hurry I made the grave in the corn patch and dragged her to it by the hands and buried her. I hid the gun and raked up the tracks with the fork after I got back from Barnes'. This is the truth, so help me God! (Signed) James Allison."

Witnesses: J. Cook, jailer; Thomas Tracey, turnkey.

It is a peculiar circumstance that Allison should make a confession on the day four weeks exactly from which he is to be hanged. The jail people say the lad is greatly changed lately, and they expect him to go to the gallows undaunted and without fear. Under the ministration of his spiritual adviser Allison seems to have changed from a stupid, ignorant boy to a thoughtful young man, giving evidence of intelligence which lay dormant so long a time, and which, had it been cultivated before, would have saved him from his present awful situation. Three copies of the confession were written, one for each of the two local evening papers and one for the representative of a Toronto paper here. These were sent to the post-office. Only one of the local papers got the confession from the post-office, and the result was that one local daily was last night badly "scooped."

THE FIRST CENTURY.

Bicycle Riding, Under Difficulties, to Kingston, Ont.

Kingston, Jan. 8.—In a storm of sleet and rain, with a foot of snow on the roads, F. O. Myers, of Road King fame, rode a century from Port Hope to Kingston, getting over the distance in nine hours and forty minutes, making the first century run in Canada for 1898. He was delayed considerably on the road through friends stopping him to offer congratulations. When he jumped off his wheel at the British American Hotel his clothing was thoroughly drenched. The last 25 miles were covered under two hours. The first century ridden in '97 was made by Sergt. Beatty, Toronto, on April 5. He also held the same honor in 1896.

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was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKERSON, 269 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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INTENSIVE FARMING.

Mr. D. M. MacPherson, M.P.P. for Glengarry County, has given to "Farming," a Toronto agricultural journal, an account of a year's working of his farm of 125 acres. The results are so remarkable as to be worthy of the widest possible publicity. The net value of his crop for this past summer was $6,577. Of this $3,735 represents silage corn, hay and oats cut for fodder, 1,105 tons in all, raised from 75 acres. The remainder comes from 47 acres of cow pasture and three acres of pig pasture. The farm accounts for last year, from November 1st, 1896, to November 1st, 1897, show a profit remaining to Mr. MacPherson, of $1,445. And besides this he was able to pay for labour the tidy sum of $2,150.

This is an exceptionally good farm statement, and if it were the rule rather than the exception there would be plenty of prosperity in the country. Mr. MacPherson has demonstrated clearly that there is wealth in the soil and in the climate if there is only the needed intelligence available to get it out.

The plan on which this farm is operated is to turn every square foot of it into producing milk for the cheese factory or creamery, or beef and pork for the best available market. It is an extraordinary thing that Mr. MacPherson can get thirty tons of silage corn where other farmers can only get ten or eleven; that he can get three tons of hay to the acre where others get from one to two; that he can make three acres of land devoted to hog products yield a profit of $213 an acre, and that his cows give an average of 6,000 pounds of milk a year. It is a pity, the Montreal Herald thinks, there is not a larger percentage of men who are energetic enough to conduct farms on such a basis as this, and public-spirited enough to give to others the benefits derivable from a knowledge of what they are doing.

It is this sort of farming that the Ontario Government by the various helps it provides, aims to make general. Through the Agricultural College, Dairy Schools, Travelling Dairy, Farmers' Institutes and other media the farmer gets the results of the latest scientific research and most exhaustive experiment. This is the true function of Government and it is the policy of the Ontario Administration to devote the public revenues for the benefit of the people. No greater benefit can be conferred than the improvement of the methods and, consequently, results of farming. Farming lies at the base of all commercial and financial movements. The farmer in his straw hat and sweat-stained clothing is as important, and in effect, a more important factor than the bank president in his irreproachable broadcloth. The state of a season's crop is the pulse upon which the financial physician places his finger in order to form a prognosis of the future of the financial and commercial world. Under these circumstances a Government will the more amply justify its existence as the custodian of the interests of the state, the more devotes its efforts towards the improvement of the farming industry. Give prosperity to the farmer, and, as a rule all other interests are safe and sound. Besides the more attractive and profitable farming can be made, the more will be attracted to it as a calling, thus improving the national condition.

The term "intensive" farming at the head of this article, defines the most profitable and only rational mode of successful farming. It means, in a word, mixing brains with soil. It means the devotion of the culture, intellect and well informed mind of the farmer to the problem of giving the soil the most productive conditions; a system of farming in which the old "rule of thumb" so to speak, is replaced by the application of reason, research and intelligent experiment. Some farmers will do this of themselves, but for the great mass of the farming community, with deficient means for such a purpose, the Ontario Government conducts the research and experiment, and at no cost to the people. The entire farming population derives as much and, and perhaps more benefit than the favoured farmer, with thousands at his disposal, for he has to spend these thousands to reach results which every farmer in the land can get, by virtue of the Government's aid, through a 25 cents membership with a Farmers' Institute. The farmer who decries the value of our Agricultural College and its kindred institutions is no friend to himself or his calling; and the politician who, for his partisan ends, casts discredit upon the Ontario Agricultural College involves the sacrifice of the interests of the most important class of the country, and consequently the best interests of the state.

HAULTAIN.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Christmas tree of the English church, Haultain, was as usual a great success. The tree was loaded down with beautiful presents. There was a large attendance and everyone seemed happy. The programme was superintended by Mrs. W. G. Stone, who takes a great interest in the Sunday school work. She is assisted by Mrs. Dunsford and Miss McCauley. Addresses were also given by Rev. A. H. Greene and Mr. Bradshaw. We were very glad to see some of our Young's Point friends. The children of the English church, Haultain and Young's Point wish to return thanks to the Mission Band of St. John's church, Peterborough, for their beautiful Xmas presents and wish them all a Happy New Year.

REVOKED

Is the 2-Cent Postage From Canada to Any Point Within the Empire—Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—The following notice appears to-day in the Canadian Gazette, signed by Dr. Coulter, Deputy Postmaster-General: "Negotiations being on foot for a conference between the Imperial, Canadian and other colonial authorities for the purpose of considering the whole subject of inter-Imperial postage, the proposed reduction by Canada of the letter rate from Canada to Great Britain and other parts of the empire from five cents per half ounce to three cents per ounce will not take effect until further notice. Accordingly, the existing rate of five cents per half ounce, or fraction thereof, on letters from Canada to all parts of the empire will continue in force, and senders must prepay such letters by affixing stamps for the full amount of postage required; otherwise such letters will be liable on delivery to a double rate in respect of the amount of such shortage."

Still another batch of countries is added to the list of those entitled to the benefit of the Canadian reciprocal tariff. They are Morocco, Liberia, Salvador, Tonga and the South African Republic. The concession is not made on the merits of the tariffs of these countries, but on account of Great Britain's treaty obligations.

One of the Government bills to be introduced in Parliament the coming session will be to revise and consolidate the irrigation accounts. The experience of the past three years of the workings of these Acts in the Territories, demonstrated certain defects in the law, which it is proposed to amend, and at the same time to simplify the law.

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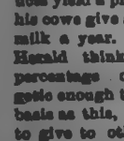

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A Widow and Six Orphans.

...lt, Ont., Jan. 8.—Fred. Palmer, ... repairer, was found in a dying con..., lying on the road below the C.P. ...ridge that crosses Beverley street. ...injured man, in trying to cross the ...e, fell to the ground, a distance of ...et. He died before the arrival of a ...r. The coroner decided an inquest ...cessary. Deceased was about 50 years ... and leaves a wife and six children.

"The Satanic Press."

...ronto, Jan. 8.—The last service in ...otion with the week of prayer was ...yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Par...cook for his text the last command ...let "The ...

CLEO'S THRIFTY MOTHER.

Washed and Ironed the Dancer's Clothes and Walked Miles For Twenty Cents.

The parsimony of foreign celebrities who come to this country has been frequently amusing to Americans. There have been some very striking instances of it in recent years, but the mother of Mlle. Cleo de Merode seems to have carried off the palm in this respect. Salvini, it is said, was so penurious that he bought a sandwich on the street for 5 cents rather than pay for his supper at a hotel, and one of the stories told about him on his last visit to this country was that once in Philadelphia he gave the porter of a hotel a penny and told him to buy him three tacks. The actor had discovered that his trunk was damaged, and he wanted to repair it himself.

Tamaqua was notorious here for his stinginess. It was said that he sold the tickets sent to him in view of his artist's privilege and hired his own brother as a valet because he could be got at a cheap figure. Then he used to make him roll his trunks around on a truck at the foreign custom houses rather than pay the porters a fee for the work. Herr Van Biene marked as a curiosity and sent back to England a hotel bill of fare on which he had marked the price, $1.50, for a tenderloin steak as one of the wonders of an extravagant and youthful country. It may have been nothing more than good business judgment which prompted Mlle. Calve to look for a business manager while she was here and then express the greatest astonishment that such an assistant of the most capable kind could not be hired for $10 a week.

These are some of the stories told about the highly paid foreigners who come to exhibit themselves here. But Cleo's mother holds the record. It is said that she astonished the servants at the Imperial hotel by washing her daughter's clothes in the bathtub and ironing them herself. On the day before they returned to Europe the ballerina and her mother were seen on lower Broadway. They had gone down to one of the exchange offices in order to get $100 in French money. It was raining. An acquaintance met the two just as they were coming out of the office.

"Why, that wretch inside," exclaimed the mother indignantly, "wants to give me only 517 francs for $100." Then Mme. la Mere de Cleo de Merode put up her umbrella with a mighty emphasis and stepped out on to the sidewalk. "Why, a man offered me 518 up town. But I thought I could get 520 down here. Now we shall have to walk up town, for otherwise there will be no profit left for us." Then Cleo and her mother started to trudge up town. The dancer received $9,000 for her appearances here.—New York Sun.

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THE WATCH OF DEATH.

Mrs. Sternaman, Convicted of Murdering Her Husband, Now Continually Under the View of Sharp Eyes.

Cayuga, Ont., Jan. 8.—Man's mercy alone can now save Mrs. Olive Adele Sternaman from death. They notified the doomed woman yesterday that her appeal for a new trial had been denied and that her last hope lay in executive clemency. The death watch was put on duty in the morning, and from now until she goes to the gallows on Jan. 24 sharp eyes will watch her every movement.

Not in twenty years has the Crown demanded a woman's life as the cost of a crime and as the adequate warning to other lawless souls. Women have been hanged in Canada, but none of the rising generation can recall an instance. This fact adds to the interest aroused by Mrs. Sternaman's seemingly hopeless situation. Petitions have been scattered broadcast throughout Canada, and in every county of the Province of Ontario people are peddling them and securing signatures. Late yesterday afternoon W. M. German of Welland, who defended Mrs. Sternaman, sent word to her that he would appear before the Minister of Justice early next week, and would appeal for clemency and urge a commutation of her sentence to life imprisonment. It is the last card, the final play in the woman's game with death. If it wins she will spend her life in Kingston Prison, in the murderess' ward. If it loses she will go to her death sixteen days from to-day.

HIS SENTENCE COMMUTED.

James Troy, the Murderer of Angus McLeod, Will Not Hang After All.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—James F. Troy, who was sentenced to be hanged at Napanee on January 14, for the murder of Angus McLeod, will not meet his death on the gallows. The Governor-General has approved of an order-in-council commuting the sentence to life imprisonment. The self-confessed murderer has gone insane, and this is the reason given for the commutation. The same plea was brought forward at Troy's trial, but he has grown worse since.

Lumberman Killed in Muskoka.

Barrie, Ont., Jan. 8.—James Ellis, son of James Ellis, Vine, about six miles south of here, was instantly killed at Anderson's lumber camp near Gravenhurst on Monday, and was buried in the cemetery near his home yesterday. He was felling a tree, and upon looking up was struck in the forehead by a falling limb and instantly killed. He was about 35 years of age and unmarried.

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WHEAT HIGHER.

This is in Consequence of an Increased and Firm Export Demand—The Local Prices.

Friday Evening, Jan. 7.

Cash wheat in Chicago 1½d higher at 82c.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¼d to ¾d higher.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 82	$0 81½
New York	0 99	0 85½
Milwaukee	0 80½	0 81½
St. Louis	0 83	0 84⅜
Toledo	0 91½	0 85⅛
Detroit	0 91¾	0 82⅞
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 84⅞	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 91
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with the tone a little firmer. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.95, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand for wheat was better to-day, with prices firmer. Red winter sold outside at 82½c, high freights. Spring sold on Midland at 83½c for No. 2 and goose for Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.02, grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and one at Fort William, and at 99c Owen Sound and Midland.

BRAN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 82c west. No. 3 extra sold at 28c west and feed at 25c to 26c west.

OATS—The market was firmer to-day, with sales of white at 25c west and at 26½c Midland. Mixed sold at 24c west.

PEAS—The market is higher, with sales at 48c north and west and at 49c on Midland.

RYE—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c to 32c outside.

CORN—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c to 46c east.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c west.

FLOUR—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do., short cut, $15 to $15.25; do., shoulder mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

Toronto Live Stock.

The receipts of live stock at the Western Cattle Market to-day were large, 42 car loads having come in, composed of 814 cattle, 427 sheep, 1,100 hogs and 14 calves.

Prices for export cattle remain the same, $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt. being paid for small lots.

Export bulls $3.12½ to $3.65.

Prices at the present time are $1 per cwt. better than they were a year ago, yet many of the dealers complain of losing money, having paid the farmers too much for their cattle.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 75 to	$4 25
Do., heavy exports, good quality	3 12½	3 65
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 25	2 75
Stockers and medium to good	3 00	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 00	3 85
" good	3 35	3 60
" medium	3 00	3 30
" inferior	2 85	3 00
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	44 00
Calves, each	5 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 00	3 25
Bucks, per cwt.	2 25	2 50
Spring lambs, each	3 50	4 50
Hogs, 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75	5 00
" light fats	4 50	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 50	....
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	2 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 7.—No. 1 Northern wheat, 7s 8¼d to 7s 9¾d; No. 1 Cal. 8s 1d to 8s 1½d; red winter, stocks exhausted; peas, 5s 4d; corn, 3s 2¾d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 25s 3d; bacon, heavy, 1c., 27s 6d; do., light, 27s 6d; do., short cut, 27s 6d; tallow, 19s 6d; cheese, 48s 6d.

Liverpool Wheat futures steady at 7s 3d for March, 7s 1d for May, and 6s 10½d for July. Maize steady at 3s 1½d for Feb., 3s 1¾d for March, and 3s 2d for May. Flour 23s 3d.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quieter. Maize on passage quiet and steady. Clipped oats, Jan. and Feb., 14s 9d.

Paris—Wheat, 27f 80c for June. Flour, 53f 80c for March.

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CHINA'S NEW LOAN.

Great Britain May Furnish the Money.

RUSSIAN GUARANTEE REFUSED.

China Will Not Accept a Loan Guaranteed by the Russian Bear—Britain's Star in the Ascendant—Britain's Premier Will Help China to Preserve Her Autonomy.

London, Jan. 8.—The Standard says it is now rumored that Great Britain will lend China £16,000,000 direct, without the issue of a private guaranteed loan.

Russia's Offer Rejected.

Pekin, China, Jan. 8.—China has rejected the proposals for a Russian guaranteed loan.

Kiao-Chou has been leased to Germany for 50 years only, although Germany had demanded a 99-year term.

To-day the Chinese Ministers and the Members of the Tsung Li Yamen (Board of Foreign Affairs), paid New Year's visits to the foreign legations.

SALISBURY IN THE FIELD.

He Will Help the Chinese Emperor to Rule in His Own House.

London, Jan. 8.—The Cabinet will meet to-day, presumably to decide about the Chinese loan.

The Standard, in an important editorial, apparently inspired, says: "For the present, it must suffice to say that China has made earnest overtures for Great Britain's good offices, and that Lord Salisbury is giving the closest attention to the matter in its practical aspects. The probabilities point to a settlement, which, without involving undue risk to the British exchequer, will secure for England advantages the value of which cannot be appraised in mere monetary terms."

The editorial proceeds to state that the loan will be partly devoted to paying the Japanese indemnity and "will thus make the Emperor of China again master of his own house, while enabling the Mikado so to increase his army and fleet as to render Japan a power which the strongest western state cannot afford to affront."

The editorial declares: "It is the policy of England and Japan to bring the commercial development of China into harmony with its territorial integrity, and in pursuance of this policy the cordial co-operation of the United States may be presumed upon."

With reference to difficulties in the way of a British guarantee loan the editorial says: "Happily there is no absolute dearth of expedients."

Japs Are With Britain.

London, Jan. 8.—A special despatch from Shanghai says that a Japanese fleet of three battleships, 10 first-class cruisers and numerous smaller vessels has received orders practically placing it at the disposal of Sir Alexander Buller, commander-in-chief on the China station, this step being taken "in case Russia persists in ignoring the joint interests of England and Japan."

The Amalgamated Engineers.

London, Jan. 8.—The Engineers' Society only received £600 yesterday toward its fund. A report that the society had collapsed was circulated in Glasgow today. It had the effect of booming the Scotch railway securities, but later the report was denied.

The Employers' Federation has been further strengthened by accessions of firms in Leeds, Wigan, Preston and Nottingham.

Chamberlain Has "Tersely Refused."

London, Jan. 8.—A despatch from Cape Town to the Daily Mail says that Mr. Chamberlain, the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, has "tersely refused" to submit to arbitration the difficulties between the Transvaal and the British Government.

Fearful Explosion in Glasgow.

Glasgow, Jan. 8.—During a fire to-day at Hatrick's chemical works an explosion, which killed four firemen and injured a number of other people, took place. The damage done is estimated to amount to £50,000.

Lady Somerset Resigns.

London, Jan. 8.—Lady Henry Somerset has resigned the presidency of the Women's Temperance Association and the vice-presidency of the World's W.C.T.U.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 8—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

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LAWYER SUES DOCTOR.

A Peculiar Case for Malpractice in the Town of Pembroke.

Pembroke, Jan. 8.—Lennox Irving, barrister, of this town, has entered a legal claim for $10,000, which is one of the strangest on record. While playing a game of football three years ago he fell, breaking his leg. Dr. W. W. Dickson attended to his injuries, but Mr. Irving never regained the full use of his limb and is compelled to limp owing to a shortage of an inch or more. This he claims is owing to lack of surgical skill on the part of Dr. Dickson.

He refused to pay the bill for attendance, the doctor sued, and Mr. Irving has entered a counter claim for $10,000 damages. To this Dr. Dickson pleads the statute of limitation. It appears that a medical man cannot be sued for damage for malpractice after one year from the time of his attendance on cases.

A Widow and Six Orphans.

Galt, Ont., Jan. 8.—Fred. Palmer, clock repairer, was found in a dying condition, lying on the road below the C.P.R. bridge that crosses Beverley street. The injured man, in trying to cross the bridge, fell to the ground, a distance of 20 feet. He died before the arrival of a doctor. The coroner decided an inquest unnecessary. Deceased was about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and six children.

"The Satanic Press."

Toronto, Jan. 8.—The last service in connection with the week of prayer was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Parsons took for his text the last command of Christ. "The enemy is in the camp," exclaimed the speaker. "Just the other day a wealthy New York Presbyterian trustee died renouncing the Gospel, and the satanic press made this known the world over."

Meat at $1 a Pound.

Vancouver, Jan. 8.—J. A. McRae of this city has just received a letter from his brother, Archie McRae, who is in Dawson City. He states that he refused $1,500 for 200 pounds of supplies. Flour will probably be rather scarce before spring, but fresh meat is plentiful at $1 per pound.

Choked to Death by a Piece of Beef.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Angus McPherson, a farmer residing a few miles north of Maxville, met with a peculiar death. While eating his dinner a piece of beef, which was not properly masticated, stuck in his throat. He died almost immediately in terrible agony.

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THE PECULIARITIES OF THIS WORD.

No Name on Earth So Famous—No Name More Widely Imitated.

No name on earth, perhaps, is so well known, more peculiarly constructed or more widely imitated than the word DODD. It possesses a peculiarity that makes it stand out prominently and fastens it in the memory. It contains four letters, but only two letters of the alphabet. Everyone knows that the first kidney remedy ever patented or sold in pill form was named DODD'S. Their discovery startled the medical profession the world over, and revolutionized the treatment of kidney diseases.

No imitator has ever succeeded in constructing a name possessing the peculiarity of DODD, though they nearly all adopt names as similar as possible in sound and construction to this. Their foolishness prevents them realizing that attempts to imitate increase the fame of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Why is the name "Dodd's Kidney Pills" imitated? As well ask why are diamonds and gold imitated. Because diamonds are the most precious gems, gold the most precious metal. Dodd's Kidney Pills are imitated because they are the most valuable medicine the world has ever known.

No medicine was ever named kidney pills till years of medical research gave Dodd's Kidney Pills to the world. No medicine ever cured Bright's disease except Dodd's Kidney Pills. No other medicine has cured as many cases of Rheumatism, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Dropsy, Female Weakness, and other kidney diseases as Dodd's Kidney Pills have. It is universally known that they have never failed to cure these diseases, hence they are so widely and shamelessly imitated.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

A Code of Signals.

Nature has a code of signals—a listless step and tired, weary feeling are in the code. They show that the system is run down and dragged out. Nature's medicine for this is Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills—they benefit the entire system, brace the nerves, and brighten the brain, curing nervousness, sleeplessness, weakness and palpitation of the heart, etc.

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Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

For nervous headache use Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure.

The Greatest Bargains in Overcoats and Underclothing ever offered by H. LeBRUN & CO. are being handed out this week to Reduce Stock. Blizzards and Cold Waves won't interfere with the Big Reductions in Prices. Come quickly and share in the prosperity.

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—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
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—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
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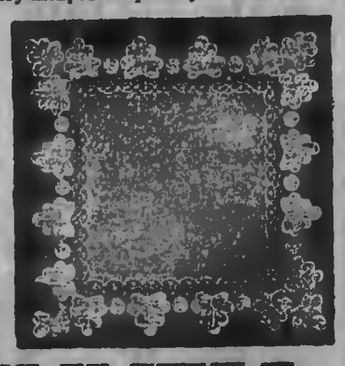

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LOCAL NEWS.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

Baptist Missions.

The Rev. A. J. Vining, Superintendant of Baptist Missions in Manitoba and Northwest, will preach in Murray street Baptist church to-morrow morning; in Park street church in the afternoon; and in Gilmour Memorial in the evening.

Card of Thanks.

The officers and members of the S. O. E. Band desire to return their sincere thanks to their friends for their generous response to their New Year's calls, and wish them increased prosperity. Signed on behalf of the band.

H. T. EVERETT, Secretary. J. C. MILLER, Leader.

Silver Gray Fox.

A trapper from North Bay sent the skin of a silver fox in to Lech Bros. yesterday. As this fur is much in demand the skin, which was a fine one, was immediately shipped away. The pelts range in price from $20 to $100, according to size and quality. Along with the skin was one of the biggest lynx pelts ever received in the store.

Foresters' Carnival.

The initiatory team of Court Peterborough, Canadian Order of Foresters, has made arrangements to secure the Skating Rink for the winter carnivals. The first will be held on the evening of February 4th, and a number of new features which are being introduced promise to lend more than ordinary interest to the event.

School Opened on Monday.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, lock boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

A Curiosity.

Mr. Robert Prymar has a peculiar freak of nature on exhibition at his place, near Trent Bridge. About two weeks ago a two-year-old heifer belonging to him died. On being opened her stomach was found to contain a large growth, connected to the the rest by a large cord. The growth was surrounded by a number of smaller ones. It weighed about 24 lbs., somewhat resembling a liver, and on being cut into blood oozed out of the wound. The cow always ate well until she died, but seemed to be growing weaker all the time.

Clearing Sale

of Groceries, Provisions, etc. Having purchased the grocery stock of the T. W. Robinson Co. at a great sacrifice, we will sell the entire lot at less than wholesale prices. The stock is perfectly new and fresh, and consists of the finest grades of Teas and Coffees, Spices, Canned Goods, etc. Sale to commence Saturday morning, 8th inst., and will be continued from day to day until the entire stock is disposed of. This presents a rare opportunity for housekeepers and others to lay in provisions, as the stock must be clearyll out at once, regardless of what it will bring. Buyers are advised to come early before the goods are picked over. Remember the place, The T. W. Robinson & Co.'s stand at the head of George street (corner Smith and George). Telephone No. 230.—R. F. MASON & Co.

HANGING ON SLEIGHS.

The Danger which is Involved for Those who Amuse Themselves in this Manner.

With the opening of the sleighing season begins the usual list of casualties and narrow escapes caused by the great risks incurred by school children in their endeavour to "hang on" to every passing cutter or bobsleigh.

Yesterday at noon a small boy was struck by a whiffletree on the head and knocked insensible ac George street. He soon recovered and was none the worse of the accident, but it would not need to have been much more serious to have inflicted what might prove to be a permanent injury.

The practice of stealing rides is more in evidence on Saturdays of course than any other day, as the children have a holiday on that day, and there are a great many sleighs in from the country, offering unlimited opportunities for indulging in the fun. The upper and lower ends of George street and the streets in the outlying portions of the town are literally lined with children, and who in the pursuit of this facinating amusement, run a risk every time they indulge in it.

Only last year a little lad was killed in south end of the town, whilst amusing himself in this manner, and the narrow escape of the youngster yesterday would appear to be strong reasons for the town authorities taking some action in the matter. Haveloeg has passed a bylaw prohibiting the hanging on to sleighs of children, and it has been suggested that Peterborough make a like move.

RETAIL MERCHANTS.

They Will Probably Form an Association for Protection.

Mr. T. H. Smith, organiser for Eastern Ontario of the Retail Grocers' Association of Canada, is in town with the object of establishing a a branch in Peterborough.

He has already interested a large number of the merchants, and on Tuesday evening a meeting will be held in the town council chamber, presided over by Mayor Davis, when a discussion will take place on "The fair system of taxation for retail merchants and the proper plans for charging the personalty tax." A remedy for the departmental store innovations will also be presented.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

A Paper on "King Lear" to be Read by Sheriff Hall.

The next meeting of the Fortnightly Club will be held on Tuesday evening and a programme containing especially entertaining features has been prepared for the occasion.

Sheriff Hall read a paper on "King Lear" and his well-known literary ability promises to invest the subject with a great deal of interest. A musical programme has been arranged.

FOR MEN.

Rev. A. Dykeman will address the men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. on Sunday at 4 15. All men welcome.

Young men's meeting at 8 o'clock tonight. The general secretary will lead.

Bible class on Sunday for all men not members of other Bible classes. Subject, the Unjust Steward.

ASHBURNHAM BREVITIES.

The statutory meeting of the Ashburnham School Board will be held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 19th, when the newly-elected members, Messrs. Sheridan, Polk and Manisee, together with the other members, Messrs. Adams, Agnew and Pollock, will elect a chairman, committees, etc., and enter on the duties of the year.

A new butcher shop has been opened on Elizabeth street.

There was a very large attendance at the cottage prayer meeting at Mr. A. McCarthy's on Friday evening. Next Friday evening the meeting will be at Mr. D. McGregor's.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Management of the Y.W.C.A. will be held at the rooms on Monday, Jan. 10th, at 3.30 o'clock.

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Horticultural Society.

The annual meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held on Wednesday evening next in the town council chamber. As the Society has full charge of Victoria Park the citizens should be generally interested, and a large attendance will doubtless be present at the meeting. Directors for the year will be elected.

At the Yukon.

A report is current, says the Bobcaygeon Independent, that a statement has been seen somewhere to the effect that Harry Downing and Robert Mellmoyle were attacked at their shanty by some marauders who overpowered them and robbed them of their provisions. Nothing is said of anyone being shot, and it is supposed that Harry was taken by surprise and held up, for in that horrid region, where the loss of provisions means loss of life, a man would be perfectly justified in protecting his grub with his revolver. If the report is true it is evidently time that Major Walsh got on to the ground and administered a little summary admonition through the medium of a policeman's carbine. It is to be hoped that our plucky boys who have ventured into this terrible region will safely pull out of their difficulties.

More Powerful Than a Sermon.

John Griffith, whose performance of Mephistopheles in "Faust" is pronounced the best now before the public, will come to the Opera House next Tuesday evening. The mere pointing of a moral, the preaching of a powerful sermon, or the evolving of a great principle from the author could not alone make a successful play. Goethe's "Faust," as dramatized for the stage, is of coarse immortal. Mr. Griffith's conception of the Devil is plausible and one of those impressive characterizations that carry the thoughts into the hereafter. The scenery to be used is carried by the Griffith combination complete. The effects are strangely wierd. Mr. Griffith is supported by a very strong company of dramatic celebrities and his performance is well worth a visit. Secure seats early. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. 1d

Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened up and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Delphis Legare is "Sent up" on the Charge of Stealing a Coat and Pair of Gauntlets.

Delphis Legare, the traveller, for whom the Chief went to Quebec city, was before Magistrate Dumble this morning charged with the theft of a fur coat and pair of gauntlets from Mr. George Graham, of the Oriental Hotel, on December 18th, last.

Mr. Graham identified the coat and gloves, which were given up by the prisoner, and stated that they were borrowed from him two weeks ago Saturday by Legare, who promised to return them on the following Tuesday. He had heard nothing from Legar until his arrest, when he had written explaining the circumstances under which he had neglected to return them.

Wm. LeBar testified that he was working at Leary's livery stable on the evening in question and had been telephoned from the C.P.R. by the operator, who stated that a traveller wished to be driven to Bobcaygeon. A bargain was made and on inquiry being made about about a heavy coat, LeBar offered to lend one which was in the office. Later on in the evening he had called for the prisoner at the Oriental Hotel, when the coat was found to be too small for him. Witness then suggested that Mr. Graham might have one. Chris. Graham had gone to see about it but found that his father was out. Prisoner and witness then tried to borrow one from Fairweather's, but there was none in stock which he wished to allow out. On returning to the hotel Mr. Graham, being in, consented to lend the coat, and also offered a pair of gauntlets. The prisoner said he would return them on Tuesday. Witness drove him out to Bobcaygeon, where he wished to see some relatives, and leaving him there, returned to Peterborough.

Mr. Chris Graham gave evidence as to the prisoner asking for the coat and getting it.

Chief Rossel in the box stated that on going to Quebec for the prisoner, he had found his man in the detective's office. The coat and gloves were there with him.

The prisoner, Legare, then testified in his own behalf, his story being substantially as follows: On his way back east from Toronto he had stopped off in Peterborough in order to go out and see a brother-in-law living near Bobcaygeon. He had inquired of the C.P.R. operator about the route and as the stage was gone was advised to hire a rig, and the arrangement was then made over the telephone. He then drove to the Oriental and had tea. When the driver called for him with a fur coat it was too small, and some one had suggested that Mr. Graham had one. He eventually secured this coat and Mr. Graham had also lent him a pair of mittens. He said at the time that he would return them about Tuesday. He then drove to Bobcaygeon and spent Sunday there, the driver returning to town. On Sunday he made arrangements for the stage to call for him on Monday morning and bring him back to Peterborough but it did not call. He then took the stage to Lindsay, thinking he could come on over to Peterborough on the evening train. After boarding the train he secured a ticket and asked the conductor to wake him on arriving here and then went to sleep. He did not wake until he reached Port Hope. He was much incensed at the conductor but could not afford the time or money to return again to Peterborough. He had just enough money to get a ticket for Montreal and purchased one. On getting there he raised enough money to get home to Quebec. As this was his first trip and it had been unsuccessful he lost his position. He intended to return the coat and gloves as soon as he could get the money to pay the express charges. He did not like to send them "collect," having borrowed them. The detectives had come upon him at dinner a few days ago and asked for the coat and gloves, which he had immediately given them, and accompanied them to Judge Chauvis. He explained the circumstances, and was told that the matter could doubtless be easily settled. He had not been detained, but was allowed to go without bail on the understanding that he would appear when called on.

The Magistrate in reviewing the evidence found great fault with the prisoner for not communicating with Mr. Graham prior to his arrest. If he had done this all trouble would have been avoided, but as he had not, there was no other alternative but to commit him for trial.

County Crown Attorney Wood conducted the prosecution and Mr. D. O'Connell appeared for the defense.

IMPORTANT BUSINESS CHANGE.

Oak Hall Bought by Gough Bros.

It was known for the past week that negotiations were in progress between the Sandford Clothing Manufacturing Company, of Hamilton, and Gough Bros., of town, for the purchase, by the latter, of the Oak Hall stock on the corner of George and Hunter streets. The negotiations were finally completed on Thursday evening, by which Gough Bros. secured the entire stock, the purchase price being at the rate of 62½ cents on the dollar of the manufacturers' cost. Considerable surprise was felt at the announcement but the business reasons which have influenced the Sandford Company to close out their branch in Peterborough are such as would naturally influence a wholesale concern desirous of dropping out of the retail trade. Gough Bros. have made another lucky stroke of business and to them will doubtless come the cream of the transaction. This is the second time in four years that Gough Bros.' enterprise has come to the rescue of clothing dealers in this corner store.

The "Oak Hall" store at the corner of George and Hunter streets will be closed on Monday to make preparations for the rushing clearing sale which begins on Wednesday morning and will continue—well, not very long, for the prices at which this superb stock is offered will speedily empty the shelves and tables. Particulars in Monday's EXAMINER.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 35° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	35°	24°

THE BIRD AND BENCH SHOW.

An Experimental Farm Exhibit of Poultry Dressed to Suit the British Market, Promised.

Wide spread interest is being taken in the Poultry and Bench Show to be held in Peterborough on January 18th, 19th and 20th.

Mr. Collins, secretary, has received the following letter from Mr. A. G. Gilbert, manager of the Poultry Department of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa:

DEAR SIR,—I have been instructed to attend your poultry show, and bring poultry dressed to suit the British market. I will do so if I can get the turkeys and geese which I have ordered. Will you want an address on "Profitable Poultry Keeping" and when, during the exhibition? I have to be in Owen Sound on the evening of the 19th, so you can govern yourselves accordingly. Your dates almost conflict with Owen Sound, but I am willing to do the best I can to help your show. I hope your exhibition will be a big success, and wishing you and your brother officers a very happy New Year, I am,

Yours very truly,
A. G. GILBERT,
Manager Poultry Department.

Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, 7th January, 1898.

P.S.—The exhibition of dressed poultry will remain with you whether I do or not.

A. G. G.

This is a very important announcement, especially to the farmers, who will find it to their interest to visit the exhibition, even if only to see this one exhibit. In these days of intensive farming, when every department of farming has to be worked to insure profit, the raising of poultry should receive attention as a side issue, and a very profitable one, of successful farming. There is money in poultry, especially if we send it properly dressed for the British market. Our British cousins are good pay and good buyers, but they must have things to suit them. There is a right and a wrong way to dress poultry to suit the British market, and the right way will be demonstrated at the poultry show on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 18th, 19th and 20th. Every farmer who wishes to sell poultry for shipment to the British market, should visit this exhibition. He will learn more by five minutes' observation of poultry properly dressed than he will by columns of reading. Exhibition in the Market Hall, Peterborough, Jan. 18th, 19th and 20th. Besides the show of dressed poultry, there will be a magnificent show of live poultry and the best dog show ever presented in the Midland district. All under one canvas—that is, all for the one price of admission, which is 15 cents.

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BIRTH.

GOUGH—On Tuesday, Dec. 28th, 1897, the wife of A. J. Gough, Homewood avenue, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

PAGE—SHAW—At the Mark street Methodist parsonage, Ashburnham, on January 5 h, 1898, by Rev. J. E. Moore, Mr. Thomas Page to Miss Maria E. Shaw, both of Manvers, County Durham.

DIED.

JOHNSTON—At the Nicholls' Hospital on Saturday morning, Jan. 8th, 1898, George Johnston, of Otonabee.

Funeral from the family residence, Lot 19, con. 7, Otonabee at 2 p.m., on Monday, to Fife's cemetery.

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6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
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12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
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6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
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10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 85c, sale price 65c.
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BIG ICE CONTRACT.

The Swift Company to Obtain Their Supply of Ice at Norwood.

Messrs. Squire Bros. of this place, says the Norwood Register, have secured the contract from the Swift Company, of Chicago, for Mr. Roland Scriver, of supplying the company with 2000 tons of ice for their ice house at Havelock. This is quite a "wind-fall" for the labouring men of this place as it will furnish employment for 20 men and 6 teams for three weeks every winter. The company have tested the ice and found it to be thicker and of better quality than that supplied them at Peterborough. Mr. Scriver commenced work this week erecting derricks and slides for loading the ice on the cars. Messrs. Squire Bros. have given the sole control of the ice in the pond to Mr. Scriver, and parties in town wishing to secure a supply will make application to Mr. Scriver.

APOPLECTIC STROKE.

Mr. Stephen Clarke, of Belmont, Struck Down.

On Tuesday evening last Mr. Stephen Clarke, of Belmont, was seized with an apoplectic stroke while sitting in a chair reading a newspaper. The left side of his face and of his leg are partially paralyzed and his arm is completely useless. Mr. Clarke was apparently in perfect health on Monday but his condition at present is critical. His mother and grandmother each died from the same cause, so that it is, apparently, hereditary. Mr. Clarke is one of Belmont's most popular residents and his sudden illness is sincerely regretted by his many friends.

Grafton's Big Clearing Sale now going on.

PERSONAL.

Misses Mary and Lottie Wilkins of Bowmanville are visiting friends in town.

Miss B. Mark has been visiting her brother, Mr. Jas. Mark in Havelock.

Mr. Al. White returns to Toronto Monday to resume his studies at Osgoode Hall.

Miss Agnes Brown, Port Perry, is the guest of Mrs. R. J. Kidd, 160 Aylmer street.

Mr. R. J. Gough, who has been spending the last week in town, returned to Toronto this afternoon.

Mr. Lou Dobbin is leaving for Perth, where he may possibly remain for the balance of the winter.

Mr. Gerald Hall, son of Mr. E H.D. Hall, left during the week to attend Mr. Drope's boys' school at Grimsby.

Mr. Maitland Boswell returns to Toronto this evening to resume his studies at the School of Practical Science.

Misses Ada and Edith Potter of town, have been visiting at the residence of Mr. G. H. Joll, Bowmanville, for the last week or so.

Mrs. M. Clemens returned to Port Perry yesterday after a lengthened visit with her son, Mr. Chris. Clemens, Bonaccord street.

Miss Maud Macfarlane, who has been visiting in Millbrook, returned this afternoon, accompanied by Miss Maud Carveth, whose guest she has been.

Master Jimmy Lundy, son of Mr. D. J. Lundy, Aylmer, street, has returned to Mr. Drope's Grimsby School after spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Mr. Osias Leplante who has been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah T. Leplante, leaves on Monday to again take uphis law studies in Toronto.

The first page of Saturday's Globe presents a splendid photo-engravure portrait of His Honour John A. Barron, Q.C., ex-M.P., of Lindsay, recently appointed judge of the county of Perth.

Miss Lucy Stevenson, who has charge of the third classes in Ashburnham Public School, has been ill and unable to be present at school this week. It is hoped she will soon be convalescent.

Rev. H. Symonds, rector of St. Luke's, leaves on Monday to attend the annual meeting of Trinity University theological graduates in Toronto. He will read a paper on "How to encourage theological study amongst the clergy." Rev. C. B. Kenrick and Rev. Mr. Hedley, formerly of town, will also be in attendance.

Jack Curran, of Orillia, better known here as "Mary Ann," is firm in his intentions to go to the Klondike in the spring. Curran has no superior in the Canadian Lacrosse Association as an all round good man and so clean a game did he play that his presence on the field did much to elevate lacrosse. He will be missed on the Orillia team.

Mr. E. B. Willis, representing Dr. Wood's Blood and Nerve pills, is in town in the interests of his company and is flooding the town with advertising matter. The testimonials as to the efficiency of the remedy speak strongly as to its worth in regard to the restoration of lost vim, energy and strength Orders have been placed with all the local druggists.

Mr. W. L. Allen, councillor for No. 2 Ward, left on the noon train to-day for the home of his parents in Bowmanville, as his right knee, which was injured in the gymnasium some time ago and which necessitated his going home once before, is again giving him considerable trouble. His physician has prescribed him five or six weeks of absolute rest in bed with associated treatment. Mr. Allen's many friends regret the circumstances that take him from the town and will prevent his attendance at the inaugural meeting of the town council, to which he was so handsomely elected last Monday.

Mr. W. L. Baynes Reed, of Keene, has been appointed by the Bishop of Toronto, to be incumbent—practically rector—of St. John's church, a north-eastern suburb of Toronto. This is a fitting promotion and recognition of Rev. Mr. Reed's services in the parish of St. Mark's Otonabee, where he has laboured two years and a half, and is a source of pleasure to his many friends. Rev. Mr. Reed succeeds in Norway Rev. G. L. Star, who has been translated to the curacy of St. George's Cathedral in the diocese of Ontario. During his incumbency of his late parish, Mr. Reed, has won the confidence and commendations of his bishop, and greatly endeared himself to the members of his flock by his faithful and effective pastoral work as well as by his kindness of heart, evidenced in his attention to the poor and his ministrations to the suffering and afflicted. In his home, Keene, he has won a high degree of popularity and has co-operated in commendable harmony, with the ministers and congregations of other denominations in the promotion of moral and social improvement. Mr. Reed's many friends, in his late parish in Ashburnham and in Peterborough, while regretting his departure, heartily congratulate him in the promotion involved in his new appointment. He leaves for Norway at the end of the month.

The Baby Boy Covered with Eczema and Cured By Dr. Chase.

Mr. Jas. Brown of Molesworth, Ont., tells how her boy (eight months old) was cured of torturing Eczema. Mothers whose children are afflicted can write her regarding the great cure, Dr. Chase's Ointment. Her child was afflicted from birth and three boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment cured him.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Every hope is now entertained of being able to bring the Winnipegs here within the next couple of weeks.

The first match in the junior series of the O.H.A. will be played here Tuesday evening between Norwood and Peterborough II. Mr. Myles Hamilton will referee. The juniors are very strong this year, and an exciting game may be expected.

The Ottawa Free Press in speaking of the Wednesday evening game with the Winnipeg team, says: "Although the match was not a brilliant one by any means it was fairly good for so early in the season. Winnipeg's men are very fast skaters, and in this respect outclassed the home players. The westerners depended on their speed at all times to carry the puck through. They have a strong defence. Baker in goal made many clever stops and Swinford at point used his body to advantage. In Breen at cover point they have an excellent player, who never loses his head. Leyecque did lots of telling work, and the cover-point had a habit of passing back to the point man when closely pressed."

The chances are good for a game with the western team on the 18th.

CURLIANA.

The first match in the annual Lindsay-Peterborough medal series will be played next week, six rinks participating in each town as usual.

Four rinks played off last evening in the second draw of the LeBrun medal series, with the appended result:

G S Ames,	W E Leh,
R Kerr,	W J Thompson,
T Ferguson,	J Stanger,
E Rutherford, sk...20	S Ray, sk 10
J Baptie,	J A Cameron,
H Snowden,	C N Brown,
C McGill,	D Davidson,
T Rutherford, sk...16	W G Ferguson, sk....15

CRICKET.

The gate money of the English cricket team in Australia has been enormous, and big profits are in sight for the promoters of the tour. At Melbourne in four days of the match with Victoria the takings were over $10,000, and about $8,000 at Adelaide. From Melbourne for the first test match at Sydney, the journey of 570 miles was made in a special train at an expense of over $1,000. Prince Ranjitsinhji thinks that McLaren, who is in Australia with Stoddard's cricket team, has shown himself to be the finest batsman in the world.

THE WHEEL.

In the current issue of Cycling appears a fine photo engraving of Mr. Milt Walker, of town, and the following remarks about him: We present herewith a cut of Mr. M. G. Walker, one of Peterborough's old reliables on the racing path. Removing to the eastern town in '94 and beginning to ride that summer, he won his novice and the Midland District and Peterborough championships, which he has held ever since. In '95 he landed first in the half-mile handicap in 1.01 in the Peterborough L.A.W. Circuit Meet. He rode later in the R.Q.T., starting from the 7-minute mark, when he passed 230 men and finished in seventeenth place, making the fourth best time, 1.01.06.

At Quebec on July 1st, '96 he was one of Peterborough's trio in the W.G. & R. team trophy race, and out of the eighteen flyers competing, he landed third from the front. Although only racing a part of last season, he won several firsts, two seconds and two third prizes. He wound up the year by winning first time prize in the twenty-mile handicap road race, in which nearly all the cracks of Eastern Ontario came to the scratch. Mr. Walker is an expert bicycle machinist, and to the Peterborough Bicycle Works, of which he is the proprietor, come, therefore, a large proportion of the disabled mounts of the district for repairs.

THE RING.

Kid McCoy was asked what he would do if he fights Fitzsimmons and his reply was:—"Fitzsimmons is the worst proposition that any man has ever had to go up against. He is not clever, nor does he resort to strategy, but he can stand punishment as no one else ever did. I was once his trainer and know something of his weakness as well as his strength.

"I would not try the solar plexus blow; at least I would not make a special effort to land one. That can be used effectively only when a man is not expecting it, and Fitzsimmons would be anticipating it from start to finish. I will always have in mind the fact that I am facing the gamest and best fighter that I ever saw. I have a jab and a hook punch that I think are ahead of any blows ever tried. It was one of these latter that I used on Creedon, and it did the work so quickly that I did not realize what force there was to it. My arm was drawn back only a few inches, but it flew with the speed of a ball out of a cannon. One of these might not put Fits out, nor two of them, but a constant hammering away will do wonders. I would play for the point of the Australian's jaw. When he is knocked out that is the blow that will do the work. My scheme would be to prolong matters as much as possible, thereby weakening my opponent, and then to take advantage of every opening I saw. I would try the hook or the overhand blow as the circumstances permitted. I would make a waiting fight, but I do not mean to be understood as stating that I would not take advantage of opportunities to administer good, hard body blows. On the contrary, I would punish Fits as much as possible, and try for a knock-out only when I believed the time for it had arrived. Some persons have said that the punishment given him by Corbett at Carson had no apparent effect. I tell you it did, and I am satisfied that had the solar plexus blow been anticipated and avoided Fitzsimmons would not have won. Corbett committed the one unpardonable sin of the prize ring—he held his man cheap.

"I will show you how I could have guarded that solar plexus blow had I been Corbett. I would have drawn away my body and thrown off the blow with my right while swinging for Fitz's jaw with my left. Then to stop a left-hand hook I would block with my right and shoot in the same hand for the jaw, while stopping the right with my left. For a right hand swing or straight lead, I would duck and counter or reverse the above."

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TRENT CANAL ITEMS.

Mr. Geo. Charlton, of Douro, Meets With an Accident, as Does Mr. E. Thompson.

On Wednesday Mr. Geo. Charlton, of Douro, who drives a team and wagon on the canal, met with a severe accident. It appears that he was unloading stone at the dumping place near Lakefield, when he fell off the wagon on his back. When he was picked up he was found to be insensible, and remained in that state for over two hours. On regaining consciousness, it was found that he had sustained a number of severe bruises and was injured internally. He is again able to be around, but is a little sore.

During the week Mr. E. Thompson, foreman on the T.V.C. met with a severe accident. It appears he had a gang of men putting a portable engine in the planing mill at lock 4. The men were backing the engine down a slight grade, when the front wheels suddenly cramped and the engine started down the grade. Mr. Thompson was behind the engine and before he could get out of its road it caught one of his hands and jammed it against the building. Crow bars were required to force the engine from the building before his hand was released, and it was found to be badly bruised.

THE ENGINEER.

(Dedicated to the Trent Valley Staff.)

Who comes with Faber sharpened keen,
With profile long and sober mien,
With transit, level, book and tape,
And glittering axe to swat the stape?
The Engineer.

Who sets the level, bends his spine,
Squints through the glass along the line,
Swings both his arms at rapid rate,
Yells "Hold that bloomin' rod up straight!"
The Engineer.

Who raves and snorts like one insane,
Jumps in the air and claws his mane,
Whene'er he sees a scraper take
A whack at his most cherished stake?
The Engineer.

Who swears he'll charge "an eyenlten"
For stakes destroyed by mules or men,
While on all fours he tries in vain
To find the vanished stake again?
The Engineer.

Who saws the air with maddened rage,
And turns with haste the figured page,
And then with patience out of joint,
Tries in another "reference point?"
The Engineer.

Who calls it "your unrivalled gall,"
Whene'er you kick for "overhaul,"
And gives your spine the frigid chill
Whene'er you spring an "extra bill?"
The Engineer.

Who deals with figures quite profane,
Then tells you solid rock is loose;
That hard pan's nothing more than loam,
While gumbo's lighter than sea foam?
The Engineer.

Who, after all, commands our praise,
(In spite of his peculiar ways),
While others harvest all the gains
That spring from his prolific brains?
The Engineer.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

The Sixth Meeting of the Series To Night—Subject "Home Missions and the Jews."

HOME MISSIONS AND THE JEWS.

Saturday, Jan. 8th.—Prayer: That Christian people may be led to greater personal effort on behalf of the spiritual welfare of their neighbours and fellow countrymen; that blessing may accompany the work of home missionary societies, of inner missions, and of labourers among special classes, that God's ancient people may be brought in the fold of Christ.—Acts I, 1-8; Rev. vi., 4-12.

Sunday, Jan. 9th, sermons on the following subjects—God's people—His witnesses to the world; "Ye are my witnesses saith the Lord."—Isa. xliii, 10. "Ye shall be my witnesses . . . unto the uttermost parts of the earth."—Acts I, 8.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Out of 189 pupils in the second book of a Chatham school, only fourteen passed the recent examinations.

—Farmers' Institute meetings are being held in Bridgenorth this afternoon and evening, and, and at Buckhorn on Monday afternoon.

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle, Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough.

—The Whitby Chronicle has changed hands. Mr. A. H. Gibbard, late headmaster of the Georgetown High School, succeeding Messrs. Henderson and Graham.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—Dog fanciers remember that the entry list for the Bench Show of dogs, Market Hall, Jan. 18th, 19th and 20th, closes positively on Monday, Jan. 10th. Don't delay in making your entries.

—All the members of the Banjo and Guitar Club are requested to be at practice on Tuesday evening next at eight o'clock, as business of importance is to be considered.

—Mr. Thos. Russell is one of the noted breeders of Berkshire and Yorkshire whites in the Bobcaygeon district. Last week he sold a Berkshire white sow to Mr. J. L. Read, that weighed dressed, 515 lbs.

—Best Cabinet Photos, finished in the new Platino finish, only $2 per dozen at G. E. Whiten's. Gem photos, best finish, only 50 cents per dozen, at G. E. Whiten's studio, 138 Hunter street west. 1d1w

—One day last week Mr. Geo. Scrimger, of Lakefield, had the luck to shoot a silver gray fox in the country. The skin of this animal is very valuable, and it is seldom that foxes of this kind are seen around this part of the country.

—Bracebridge Gazette: One of the largest birch sticks in this country, perhaps on record, was taken off George Groom's place, lot 7, con. 7, township of Bethune. The stick was 30 ft long lines 24x25 inches, strings 22x23 inches and contains 108 feet.

What Everybody Knows

Or ought to know, is that health and even life itself depends upon the condition of the blood. Feeding, as it does all the organs of the body, it must be rich and pure in order to give proper nourishment. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the body pure, rich and nourishing, and in this way strengthens the nerves, creates an appetite, tones the stomach and builds up the health. Hood's Sarsaparilla ward off colds, pneumonia and fevers, which are prevalent at this time.

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SHE HAD A THIRST

And Tried to Turn on the Water Tap. But Struck the Air Brake and Caused Trouble.

The New York Central Chicago Express came into the Grand Central station about six minutes behind its scheduled time the other day. The cause of it was the thirst of a young lady, who is said to have travelled on a pass issued to Miss Caroline Hurt, Chicago.

The train was a few minutes late, but was making up time rapidly on the stretch of road just this side of Garrison's. Suddenly the engine gave out a terrific screech, and the train came to a standstill so suddenly as to throw the passengers half-way out of their seats.

An investigation showed that the young lady, becoming thirsty, had tried to open the faucet of the water cooler. Being unsuccessful, and spying above her head the lever of the emergency brakes, she had supposed that it was intended to turn on and off the water. One tug at it had brought the train to its sudden standstill.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In re Estate of WILLIAM WALSH, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, chapter 110, section 36, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Walsh, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, druggist, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of June, 1897, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the Solicitors for the Executors, Messrs. Roger & Bennet, 375 Water street, Peterborough, on or before the

19th day of February, 1898,

full particulars of their claims against the said William Walsh, and of the securities (if any) held by them, and after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

Dated this 7th January, 1898.

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Nearly every man has it in his power to live to a green old age like the great statesman of England. It is simply a matter of a little daily thought and regard for health. If, when a man feels that he is a little out of sorts, he will resort to the right remedy, he will never have to submit to the more serious ills of life. Most men, when they have a headache, feel drowsy during the day and are restless during the night, and find their appetite falling off, pay little or no heed to these warnings. The inevitable result is some dangerous and possibly fatal malady. The doctor may call it consumption, malaria or biliousness, or perhaps some blood or skin disease. It makes but little difference. These troubles all have their inception in the same cause — improper and insufficient nourishment. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery corrects that cause. It makes the appetite keen and hearty, the digestion perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It facilitates the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food, filling the blood with the nutriment that makes new and healthy flesh and nerve tissue. Medicine dealers sell it.

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CANADIAN CURRENCY.

New Brunswick Legislature is to meet for business Feb. 10.

M. Britton, M.P., has been elected president of the Kingston branch of the Bible Society.

Mrs. Stornaman still claims innocence and hopes for a reprieve. The condemned woman has failed rapidly since the death sentence was passed on her.

Captain Hall, who met his death on Wednesday at the Le Roi mine in Rossland, B.C., was 60 years old, and left a widow and several grown up children.

Richard Oke, London, Ont.; C. J. Daniels, Toronto; A. W. Bell, Toronto, and Henry Emrick of Bridgeburg, Ont., took prizes at the Buffalo Poultry Show, which opened Monday and is to continue all week.

A ST. THOMAS CASE.

The Entire Population Talking of the Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure.

St. Thomas, Dec. 27.—The great wave has reached St. Thomas. The cures wrought by Dodd's Kidney Pills are numbered by hundreds here, and the entire population almost is talking of them.

Michael Holleran, a farmer living near here, told our reporter that "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved me from an untimely grave." He was cured of Diabetes of an aggravated type by a few boxes, after his doctors had failed to even relieve him.

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CURRENT CABLES.

According to a Rome despatch the Pope has nominated Father Searle of New York director of the Vatican Observatory. He will reside at the Vatican.

John E. Redmond, the Irish M.P., and Mr. Rupert Guinness, have arrived at New York. The former will lecture on the Irish rebellion of 1798, and try to enthuse Irish Americans in the centenary pilgrimage proposed for next July.

Captain Severdup, Dr. Nansen's navigator, will lead an exploring party to the frozen north next summer, backed by the Norwegian Government. He will take fifty men with him, and the object will be scientific research. No effort will be made to find the North Pole.

Was it an Earthquake?

Harrow, Ont., Jan. 7.—About 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon quite a severe shock was felt in this vicinity. Every building in town was shaken, but no damage done. The shock was accompanied by a distant roar as of some great explosion, which seemed to come from over Lake Erie. Some think it was an earthquake.

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THE WORLD'S POPULATION.

It Could All Find Standing Room on One of England's Shires.

England today contains 30,000,000 people, but it has trebled its population in the course of a century, inasmuch as the population was 10,000,000 on the accession of the Hanoverian dynasty. At the time of the great revolution in 1688 England contained 5,500,000, while London, now 5,500,000, contained only 500,000 inhabitants.

It further appears that the entire population of the country was under 1,000,000 when the "Domesday Book" was compiled shortly after the Norman conquest. Other nations are more or less amenable to the same principle of increase, and modern ideas of the vast populations of antiquity are far from being correct. In spite of the grossly exaggerated statistics of Josephus, the site of Jerusalem and the course of its ancient walls, which can easily be traced, prove that the Holy City could never have accommodated more than 100,000 people, while the outer walls of Rome, still standing, indicate that the ancient population of the Eternal City could not, even in its palmy days, have exceeded 1,000,000 people.

"Westward the star of civilization takes it course" is a truth confirmed by the history of the ancient world and set forth in the rise and fall of the successive empires of China, India, Assyria, Babylonia, Egypt, Greece and Rome. The westward trend of the Aryan families of Celts, Teutons and Slavs in prehistoric times points to an eastern origin of the primitive nations that gathered strength as they marched toward the lands of the setting sun, and it now appears highly probable that the bulk of the world's population had congregated around the blue waters of the Mediterranean when Greece and Rome were in the meridian of their power. The numerical strength of these nations was not great, and modern ideas of the vast population of the ancient world are more fanciful than real.

From the foregoing considerations it would appear that the regular home troops of the British army, numbering about 100,000 men, could find standing room on four acres of ground, a space equal to that of Trafalgar square, London, while the entire force of volunteers in this country, numbering about 250,000, could be accommodated in Lord's cricket ground.

The 5,500,000 people in London could easily stand in Regent's park, while the 40,000,000 of the United Kingdom could be packed together in a space within range of a cannon that can fire the distance of a mile.

The present population of the world could stand in Middlesex, while all who have ever lived since the Christian era could stand in Yorkshire, and all the inhabitants of the world, reckoning from the time of Adam to the present day, could, as far as area is concerned, have found ample standing room in England.—London Tit-Bits.

EMERSON AS A FATHER.

The Author Wanted His Children to Ride and Dance.

A baby's cry or its joyful little crow would instantly bring my father from his books or writing. Many men are rather afraid to take a little baby. The younger the better for him. His skill in handling and amusing them was great, and it was strange to see how this was divined in advance by those somewhat shapeless beings of whom Artemus Ward said: "How beautiful is babes! So like human beings, only so small!" They were pretty sure to stretch out their small, pudgy hands to him.

The boy, natural, independent, enterprising, acting on simplest motives, was always looked at with sympathy by him—a relief from the caution, the sentimentality, cant or indirectness that his elders often showed. "See how well that boy rides bareback and sticks like a burr!" "Look at that fine girl, simple and fearless as Iphigenia," he would say as he saw the children of the Concord farmers go by his window, and forgot his task in the pleasure of looking at them.

Indeed they were pretty sure to reappear in his books. When I, having no mother and only older sisters for companions at home and attending a small private school, was naturally timid and slow in finding my place among the boys of the neighborhood, it troubled my father, and he called Tommy Hazel, the "naughty boy" of our part of the village, and promised him a quarter if he would work me into the ball playing of the public school opposite the house. The game was "four old cats," baseball in its modern form being then unknown.

Today athletics and amusements perhaps get something more than their fair share of attention, probably because two generations ago the body was neglected and the mind and soul alone were deemed worth training.

But life is like a stool with these three legs—body, mind and spirit. For its perfect poise all three of these must be good. My father saw how much of real value he had missed in his boyhood and that games, adventures, even fights, are good schoolmasters, teach some things better than books and must supplement these.

Because he had not learned to ride and dance and enter a company with ease he wished all the more that we should. He put me under the orders of our loyal Irish workman, an ex-dragoon, did not worry lest I be thrown off, but charged me, if I were, to be sure to get right on the same horse again, and I have always been most grateful that I was denied saddle and stirrups until I had grown rather independent of such aids.—R. W. Emerson in Youth's Companion.

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Washington, Jan. 7.—The Navy Department has received a report from the naval attache at London, Eng., telling of the ceremony attending the laying of the first plates for the Queen's new yacht, to replace the antiquated Victoria and Albert, which has carried royalty for many years.

The new yacht is to cost $1,000,000. The new vessel will be the same length as the cruiser New York 380 feet over all. She will have a speed of 21 knots. Only two guns will be in her battery, and those are intended principally for saluting purposes.

Denounced the Daily Press.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—At the general meeting of the Evangelical Alliance last night Hon. S. H. Blake, the president, made a strong address, in the course of which he asked: "What are we to do with the daily press?" Then Mr. Blake told how in England, where the standard of the press was the highest in the world, people were keeping the newspapers out of their homes and away from their children. He argued that the long details they contained about murders and every other nasty piece of news made men and women vicious and even criminals, and instanced the case of a man who had confessed when convicted of the murder of his wife that he had learned how to mix the poison by reading of precedent cases in the newspapers. The newspapers were robbing the home life of its privacy. Family affairs were being continually made public.

"Where they get it, the devil only knows," was his blunt commentary.

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James Corbett Killed.

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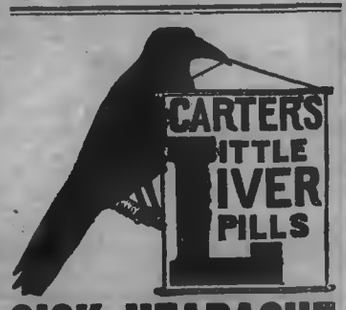
First Boat This Year.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—The schooner Defiance arrived in Toronto harbor on Wednesday afternoon with a load of stone. This beats the record for early arrivals, and in accordance with custom the captain yesterday received the Harbor Master's silk hat.



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A NARROW ESCAPE.

'Twas a bright morning in the summer of 1860, said Captain Handy, that Jack Bolles and I, a couple of boys not yet 20 years old, were discharged in Valparaiso from the whaling bark Golconda of New Bedford with $110 apiece in gold "condors" in our pockets. All the romance of whaling in the south seas and its attendant dangers which had filled our imaginations when we shipped as green hands at the "one hundred and ninetieth lay," had been effectually dissipated by the greasy realities of "blanket and hawse pieces," cutting up in the "blubber room," "down scrape" and "trying out," supplemented by a ten hours' pull in the boats every other day, poor food, and rough, if not brutal, treatment, from the officers.

So, as we stood that morning on the jetty, clinking the money in our pockets and watching our old ship disappear in the offing, we felt indeed "monarchs of all we surveyed."

At last the hull was down, and, turning away with sighs of relief, we clattered once more up the ill paved street to the consul's office, where we had been paid off, and inquired of him when we could take passage for home. We learned, much to our disappointment, that there were no ships in port bound for the States, nor would there be any, except an occasional whaler, for six months to come.

"We must resign ourselves to the inevitable," said Jack, "and the next question is, Where are we going to stop?"

The consul assured us that an American named Henderson kept the only decent place in town outside of the rough sailor boarding houses and recommended us to go there. We found Henderson a good fellow, who gave us a large room with two beds in it, and after seeing our chests safely stowed away we strolled out to look at the town and incidentally to get work.

After walking about the city for an hour or two we descended to the first or commercial street to look for work. Being young, persistent and fairly well educated, we were lucky enough to find employment with two English firms, branch houses of London and Liverpool traders. Next morning we went to work, and for a couple of months our lives moved on tranquilly enough. In the evenings after supper we smoked our cigarettes and managed with the aid of a little grammar to learn a little Spanish. Occasionally on moonlight nights we walked out through the town, but we never went far, as Henderson warned us that it was no uncommon thing for a stranger to be found in the outlying parts of the city with his pockets rifled and a dagger wound in his breast.

One evening my superintendent discovered that a mistake had been made in the outward manifest of the ship Lord Palmerston, and, noting that she was lying "off and on" with her anchor atrip, ordered me to board her as soon as possible before she squared away for old England and rectify the error. So without delay I hurried to the jetty, embarked and in a half hour climbed up the side of the Palmerston.

My business retained me longer than I had anticipated, and it was fully 9 o'clock before I stepped to the side. As the tide was on the ebb my boatman had to land me at the nearest point, and I figured that I had about four miles to walk home.

It was moonlight, but here and there the dark shadows seemed to invite the assassin, and as I hurried on I cast many an anxious glance behind me. I had reached the outskirts of the city and was congratulating myself, when suddenly, from under an overhanging "balcon," a woman darted forth and clutched my arm, crying out in piteous accents:

"Por el amor de Dios, Senor Americano! Por el amor de Dios!" (For the love of God, Senor American!)

"Que quiere conmigo, senorita?" (What do you want with me, lady?) I replied as I stepped under the solitary lamp on the corner and looked at her more closely.

She was dressed in somber black, and the mantilla she wore was so drawn over the face that but one eye was visible. That single orb, however, shone with singular limpidity and beauty.

She was evidently greatly excited, and as she went on in her voluble Spanish I gathered from the little I knew of the language that her father was lying at the point of death in a house near by and she wanted me to go with her to his assistance. Why she wanted me to accompany her I could not understand. Therefore I asked her why she did not appeal to her own people.

She replied that she and her father were strangers, who had but recently come from Santiago, and that there were so many "ladrones," or robbers, among her own people that she dared not trust them, and in a still more urgent tone begged me to go with her.

Truly, "he who hesitates is lost," for, as I thought of Henderson's warning, the lateness of the hour and the woman's singular persistence, and faltered, undecided, she dropped her mantilla, and in an instant every scruple had vanished. The light from the moon illumined a face perfect in its classic beauty and as innocent as that of the Madonna, and as I saw the girl's tear stained cheeks (she was only about 16) and looked into her beautiful, imploring eyes I threw caution to the winds, sailorlike, and motioned her to lead and I would follow.

A look of joy overspread her face, and she fervently murmured her thanks as she guided me up the dark and narrow street. Here and there some building was fantastically silhouetted by the moon, and among its grim shadows I fancied I could see a dark form moving, but at the low, sweet sound of my fair guide's "Por aca, senor" (This way, sir), all my suspicions would vanish, and I felt heartily ashamed of myself and hurried forward in her wake. Graceful as a fawn, she bounded lightly up the steps which led to the street above, revealing as she did so a beautiful foot and ankle, and I, agile though I was, could hardly keep up with her.

Panting with exertion, at last we reached the top of the plateau which overlooked the town, and my guide gracefully waved her hand toward a light, like a star in the distance, and murmured:

"Ahi esta la casa" (Yonder is the house).

At that moment the moon sank behind a mass of black clouds and everything became dark about us. But my guide, pressing her little palm into mine, advanced steadily toward the light. Everything was as still as the dead, and a damp and chilly mist penetrated my very marrow.

As the moon shone out in radiant beauty my blood for a moment seemed to freeze in my veins, for there before me, gleaming brightly in the moonlight and winding like a serpent among the doddering crosses and moldering graves of the Pantheon, was the path that led to our destination.

The low lying wall of the Pantheon lay directly in front of me, and my guide quickly tripped up the steps which led over it, beckoning for me to follow. Though loath to go farther, yet the wondrous beauty of the girl held me as in a spell, and step by step I advanced until I stood upon the top of the wall.

As I looked downward I thought I saw the gleam of steel beneath the steps and the shadow of a man's form crouching there.

I halted and called out to the girl:

"Espera!" (Wait!)

At that moment the moon was again obscured, and in the semidarkness, for there was no street lamp there, and now all my senses were on the alert, I felt, rather than saw, her form as she mounted the steps, and reaching forward took my hand, saying "Porque?" (Why?)

"Porque no me voy" (Because I shall not go), I answered sternly.

As I spoke her fingers clutched mine and with incredible strength she strove to drag me forward, but ignoring her efforts I cast a final look downward, and this time I saw distinctly, for the cloud had passed from the moon, a man coming swiftly and silently toward the foot of the steps.

With one glance at the girl, whose face was now transformed by fury into that of a demon, I hurled her aside, rushed down the steps, every nerve strung to its highest tension and ran at my utmost speed toward the city.

I heard a man's hoarse shout behind me and had reached the steps which led down into the city in safety when suddenly I caught my foot, stumbled and half fell to the ground. Just as I fell forward something grazed my cheek, searing it like a redhot iron, and fell with ringing sound on the steps far below me.

Terror now lent additional wings to my speed, and I never paused until I fell exhausted through the portales of Henderson's home. Managing to crawl up the steps, I staggered into the dining room, where Jack and Henderson sat anxiously awaiting me, and sank breathless into a chair.

Their looks of astonishment were succeeded by those of horror as Jack exclaimed:

"My God, Henderson, look at the blood!"

Putting my hand up to my face I withdrew it wet with blood, and Henderson, who busied himself in washing it away, disclosed a cut two inches long where the knife had just touched me.

Explanations followed, and as I ate the meal waiting for me I told the strange adventure to my willing listeners. As I finished Henderson, who had listened quietly, as was his wont, burst out calmly:

"This explains it all, boys. It's no longer a mystery!"

Pressing him for his reasons, he went on to say that for the last two years foreigners had frequently been found stabbed in outlying and solitary parts of the city. The victims were invariably well dressed, but as no money or papers were ever found upon them investigation had been of no avail.

"But here's a clew which can be followed up," said Henderson, "and tomorrow morning we'll consult the chief of police."

Bright and early next morning, for we got but little sleep that night, we repaired to the chief of police, and to him I told my tale, Henderson acting as interpreter.

The chief was very much surprised and pleased by my information, and after cautioning us to keep silent dismissed us by saying we'd hear from him in a few days.

Two days later the foreign element of the city was thrilled by another atrocious murder. This time it was a rich young Englishman named Burton, who had come down from Lima to visit some friends, and who, after spending the evening with them, left about 11 o'clock for his hotel, which was only two blocks away. Next morning his body, robbed of all his valuables and papers, was found floating in the bay with a gaping dagger wound in the neck.

Burton's friends, who were rich and influential, backed by the British consul, made a vigorous attack upon the supine methods of the police, and at last aroused the authorities to something like activity. Following up the clew received from me, the "jefe" took a personal interest in the matter, and within a few weeks succeeded in capturing the gang, which consisted of five persons—the girl, who was used as a decoy, and four men. It was estimated that more than twoscore foreigners had been murdered by this gang during the 18 months of their sinister operations. At the trial Burton's wallet and passport, found in the robbers' rendezvous, convicted the men, and my identification of the girl completed the case. The men were sentenced, and, according to the methods of that country, were shot three days after the trial. The girl, owing to her youth and beauty, was sent to finish her days in the penal colony at San Carlos.

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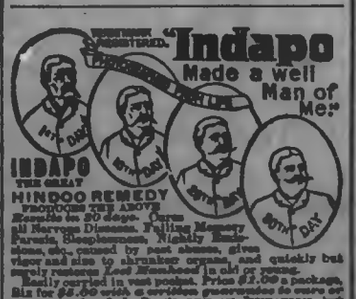
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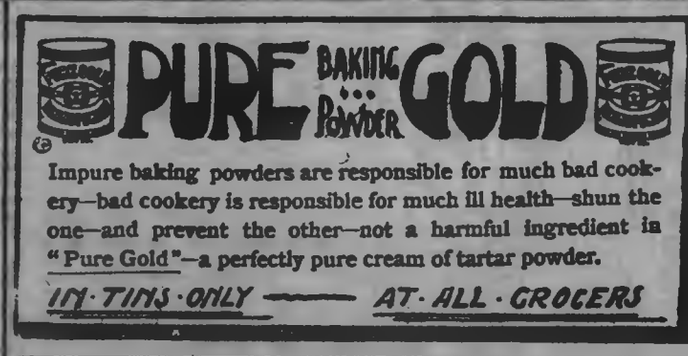

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DURRANT HANGED AT LAST.

The Murderer of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams Pays the Capital Punishment for His Crime.

San Quentin Prison, Cal., Jan. 8.—Theodore Durrant was executed at 10.35 yesterday morning in the State Penitentiary. He ascended the scaffold calmly, following Father Logan, who administered to his spiritual wants. He made a brief speech in quiet tones asserting his innocence and forgiving those who had persecuted him, mentioning especially the press of San Francisco. His last words were: "I am innocent."

His death appeared to be painless.

After the drop, Durrant did not struggle. In 15 minutes he was cut down. The neck was broken by the fall.

Story of the Crime.

William Henry Theodore Durrant, who was hanged at the State Prison at San Quentin yesterday, gave his life in exchange for the lives of two young women, who were members of the church to which he belonged. While Durrant was convicted of but one murder under the law, he was held responsible by public opinion for the murder of both Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams, and it is felt that his death expiates one crime as much as the other.

Durrant's crimes were peculiar in their atrocity from any point of view. Blanche Lamont disappeared on April 3, 1895, and was never seen alive afterwards. She left the home of her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Noble, on that day to go to school. Ten days had passed since Miss Lamont had disappeared, and her friends had almost given up hope of ever knowing her fate, when a discovery was made which led to the finding of Miss Lamont's body. The ladies of Emmanuel Church were engaged in decorating the edifice preparatory to the celebration of the Easter Sunday services, when the mangled body of Minnie Williams was found in the library. A number of ugly knife wounds and some rags that had been forced down the young woman's throat told of the unequal struggle she had made to protect her life. Miss Williams' body was discovered in the afternoon, and late the same night the first clue to the murderer was obtained. From some of the young woman's friends it was learned that she had been seen the evening before with Durrant, and, although there was nothing else to show that he had any connection with the crime, the police decided to arrest him. From the first the police associated the finding of Miss Williams' body with the disappearance of Miss Lamont, and a search was at once begun in the church for her body. Men worked all night and finally lying in the corner of the darkened belfry, the body of the murdered girl was found.

The trial, which began on July 22 and lasted until Nov. 1, was one of the most celebrated in criminal jurisprudence. The evidence throughout was circumstantial but when taken together formed a chain so strong as to admit of no reasonable doubt. The case was submitted to the jury on the afternoon of Nov. 1, 1893, after having been on trial over three months. Twenty minutes after they left the court room the jurors returned and rendered a verdict of guilty in the first degree. Judge Murphy a few days later sentenced Durrant to be hanged on Feb. 1, 1896.

Then began a fight for delay, vigorously maintained for over two years, not even ceasing with the execution of the death sentence. Appeals were taken to every court in the State, exceptions were taken to judges' decisions on technical points, writs of habeas corpus were asked for, and, in fact, every possible thing that the smartest and shrewdest lawyers in California could think of was done to stave off the fateful day.

When, at last, it was seen by the condemned man's friends that nothing could be done through the courts, an appeal for clemency was made to Governor Budd. This, however, was refused, and the sheriff was ordered to carry out the verdict of the court, rendered two years and two months ago.

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To love but you e'ermore.

Each rose will die, each petal fade
And wither fast away.
Each freighted heart that speaks my love
Will languish and decay.
Not so with love—my soul that's hid
Within each rose's core.
That love will breathe and speak and live
Forever, evermore.

'Twill live for you and speak to you
When roses cease to be.
'Twill breathe the rose's fragrance rare
For thee, my sweet, for thee!
Then haste, my messengers of love,
Tell her my each emotion.
Oh, petals sweet, at her dear feet
Bespeak my fond devotion!

—William Manley in New York Times.

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ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Jan 9th, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. First Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 9th. Services:—8.30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. First Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 9th. Services—11 a. m., Morning prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. All seats free.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 9th, services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Morning subject, "A voice from Heaven," evening subject, "Besetting Sins." Sabbath school, 2.30 p. m.; young people's class and No. 2 will meet at 10 a. m., and No. 1 at 12.15. The annual sabbath school meeting for the election of officers for 1898 will be held on Thursday evening, 13th inst., at 8 o'clock. The E. L. of C. E. at 8 o'clock, Monday evening. Seats free. Attentive ushers. Everbody welcome.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 9th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 9th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance, B.D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 9th. Services as follows:—11 a. m., Communion service; and 7 p.m.; both services conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Collections for colleges at both services.

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BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 9th. Services at 11 a. m., conducted by Rev. A. J. Visick, Superintendent of Baptist Missions in Manitoba and the Northwest; and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Evening subject, "Jesus a Compassionate Saviour." Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p. m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

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LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m.,	1.45 p. m
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Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.53 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.53 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
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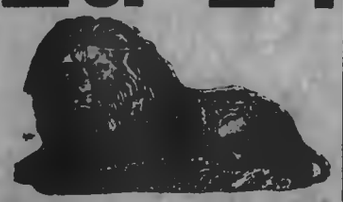

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Business Being Rushed at the Assembly.

THE DATE OF THE ELECTIONS.

No Conclusion as Yet Reached by the Government—The Premier's Statement—Prorogation Likely to Take Place Within a Week—What Was Done on Saturday.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—The end of the session rush is now on, and if the expectations of the Government are realized this week will suffice to despatch the business on the programme. The Premier intimated that prorogation might, if the printing is sufficiently advanced, take place on Saturday, or at latest on Monday. Mr. Hardy was unable to satisfy the public curiosity as to when the election will be held. In response to an invitation by Mr. Whitney to unbosom himself of this important State secret, he intimated that the Government had not yet come to any conclusion as to the date.

The following bills were given a third and final reading:

To prevent the spread of the San Jose scale.

To make further provision respecting maternity boarding houses and the protection of infant children.

The Attorney-General gave notice that after to-day (Monday) there shall, unless otherwise ordered, be a morning as well as afternoon and an evening session of the House.

Hon. Mr. Davis' bill to amend the Ontario Companies Act passed the committee stage.

The Attorney-General's bill to amend the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act was read a second time.

Hon. Mr. Ross moved the second reading of his bill extending for six years the right of Victoria University graduates to five separate and distinct representatives on the Toronto University Senate.

Mr. Whitney asked if it was intended that at the end of the six years in question a complete fusion would take place.

Hon. Mr. Ross, in reply, expressed the hope that at the end of six years the fusion of the universities would be brought about easily and naturally.

The bill was read a second time, the Ministers leaving it an entirely open question as to whether, at the end of six years, the special representation should be again extended to Victoria.

Hon. Mr. Hardy read a second time his bill respecting the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, and it was also put through the committee stage.

The Attorney-General's bill to "further facilitate the purchase of toll roads by municipalities," was read a second time.

Hon. Mr. Gibson introduced and had read a first time a bill to amend the Act respecting the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors.

The Attorney-General introduced a bill "respecting the investment of court funds."

Mr. Whitney asked the Attorney-General for the probable date of prorogation.

The Premier, in reply, said that he thought prorogation should take place on Monday, Jan. 17, or perhaps next Saturday. As to the date of the elections he could not say. As a matter of fact, the Government had as yet decided upon no date.

KLONDIKE REPORTS.

A Great Rush to Skaguay—Wm. Byrne's Awful Experience—No Danger of Starvation.

Juneau, Alaska, Jan. 3, via. Seattle, Jan. 10.—Twenty men have arrived here from Dawson. Some of them have been in the interior of Alaska for 10 years. They unhesitatingly state that there is no danger of starvation and no necessity for a Government relief expedition. They say that Thirty Mile River between Lake Laberge and the Hootalinqua is open water, and they were compelled to take to the side hills. Most of those who arrived to-night intend going back as soon as possible with supplies for the coming year. The trail is reported to be in very fair condition For two weeks the weather has been very mild.

A Good Place for Thieves.

Ed. Lard, the man who was recently arrested at Dawson for stealing $92,000 worth of gold dust from a saloon in which he was barkeeper, has been released. It is said that the reason for Lard's discharge was that the police had no food for the prisoners. Major Perry of the Mounted Police is inquiring very closely into the action of the Canadian customs officials who are collecting duty at Lake Lindermann, with a view to determining what amount of provisions an American miner should be allowed to take in duty free.

A Police Precaution.

Skaguay, Alaska, Jan. 9, via Seattle, Wash., Jan. 10.—Captain Wood, in command of the detachment of the Northwest Mounted Police in the district which extends from the White Pass summit to Lake Tagish, warns all persons en route to the Klondike that they will not be permitted to pass Tagish House unless each person has at least 600 pounds of provisions.

His Feet Frozen Off.

William Byrne of Chicago lies in a cabin on the Lewes River with both feet amputated. Byrne and his uncle, James E. Maguire, also of Chicago, were making their way up the river from Dawson, and on Dec. 6, Byrne, who is only 18 years of age, had both feet frozen. The men continued their journey for five days. The boy suffered horribly, and the flesh began to drop from the frozen feet. Still they forged ahead with the bones protruding from Byrne's feet until Lewes River was reached, and the boy placed in a cabin where he could receive some care. It was found necessary to amputate both feet near the knee. A doctor, who happened to be in the Lewes River camp, performed the operation. Maguire, the Uncle of Byrne, reached Skaguay in a dying condition, having been seized with quick consumption on the way up. He will probably live long enough to reach his home in Chicago.

Building Operations at Skaguay.

Building operations are being pushed night and day. Some of the buildings are to be used as hotels and lodging houses, more as dance halls, variety theatres and saloons. Each incoming steamer brings hundreds of people. It is almost impossible for people to secure hotel or lodging house accommodations.

The restaurants, saloons and gambling houses are thronged day and night while general business is good. Tents are being put up wherever an available site can be found, generally in the street.

Skaguay's First Postmaster.

W. B. Sampson, the first postmaster of Skaguay, took charge of his office yesterday.

The first public school will open tomorrow in the new church building.

REV. JOHN HALL D. D.,

Pastor of 5th Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York, Resigns His Pastorate—Well Known in Canada.

New York, Jan. 10.—Rev. Dr. John Hall announced to his congregation yesterday morning his resignation as pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church. Many of his old parishioners heard it with deep emotion and when the services were concluded not a few members of this rich congregation forgot the restraints of formality and clustered around the pastor of three decades.

"Having served the church for 48 years, and as pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church for 30 years," Dr. Hall read from his letter of resignation, "after prayerful and long consideration, I have decided to resign this pastorate so as to allow the brethren of the session to choose a successor of requisite energy."

Dr. John Hall was born in Armagh, Ireland, July 31, 1829. He entered Belfast College when 13 years old. In June, 1849, he first began to preach as a missionary in western Ireland. In 1867 Dr. Hall came to this country as a delegate to the Old School Presbytery Assembly of the United States, which met in Cincinnati. In New York he was invited to speak in the Fifth Avenue Church, and after the services was tendered the pastorate, which he finally accepted. Dr. Hall has been receiving about $30,000 for his services, $15,000 of which was his salary as pastor of the church.

EX-KING MILAN.

His Appointment as Commander of the Servian Army Creates a Sensation.

London, Jan. 10.—The appointment of ex-King Milan as Commander-in-Chief of the Servian Army has caused a sensation. In well-informed circles the opinion is expressed that the appointment was necessary, as the Servian Army, which has great admiration for the former King, is assuming an independent attitude. The Government hopes Milan will be able to calm the disaffection; but the course of affairs in Servia indicates that King Alexander may ere long retire in favor of his father.

An Italian Frenchman.

London, Jan. 10.—A scandal is agitating the Roman aristocracy. The celebrated ducal house of Litta-Visconti-Arese has renounced its Italian nationality. The Duke married Countess Rosa Tarsis, a noted beauty, by whom he had two daughters, and some time afterwards a boy. The Duke repudiated the boy's paternity and accuses a very high person. He has established the fact in the courts that the child is not his; but, as divorce does not exist in Italy, the Duke has become a French citizen and has instituted proceedings.

A French Purchase in London.

London, Jan. 10.—The French Government has purchased for £25,000 the large mansion at Albert Gate which has long been occupied by the Embassy of France. It is also proposed to rent three smaller houses adjoining the mansion, and to build a big banquet room and offices for the staff.

A Yacht for J. G. Bennett.

London, Jan. 10.—George L. Watson is finishing the design of a very large steam yacht for Mr. James Gordon Bennett, proprietor of the New York Herald, which will probably be built on the Clyde.

PAPAL ENCYCLICAL

Promulgated From the Basilica Pulpit Yesterday.

THE POSITION OF THE CHURCH.

Secular Instruction for Children Not Deemed Sufficient—Mgr. Merry Del Val's Report and Visit to Canada Referred to by His Holiness—The Clergy's Zeal Commended.

Quebec, Jan. 9.—(Special)—The long expected Papal Encyclical on the Manitoba School Question was read in the Basilica here to-day. It had been announced in the press that the document would be promulgated throughout the province, but such was not the case. His Holiness speaks as follows:

Apostolical letter of our Holy Father Leo. XIII., Pope, by Divine Providence:

To the archbishops, bishops, and other ordinaries of the Confederation of Canada, in peace and in communion with the Apostolical See:

To our venerable brethren, the archbishops, bishops and other ordinaries of the Confederation of Canada, in peace and in communion with the Apostolical See, Leo XIII., Pope—Venerable brethren, greeting and Apostolical benediction:

In addressing you to-day, and we do so with a loving heart, our mind naturally reverts to those relations of mutual kindness, to that interchange of good services, which have always existed between the Apostolic See and the Canadian people. Beside your very cradle we behold the Church with her charity, and ever since she has received you into her bosom she has not ceased to keep you in close embrace and to lavish upon you her bounties. If that man of imperishable memory, who was Francois de Laval Montmorency, was enabled to accomplish deeds of such exalted virtue and so fruitful for your country of which your ancestors were witnesses, it was assuredly with the support of authority and favor of the Roman Empire. Nor was it from any other source that the works performed by succeeding bishops—men of most striking merits—drew their origin and the assurance of their success. Likewise to ascend to the remotest period, it is truly under the inspiration and owing to the initiative of the Apostolic See that generous bands of missionaries learned the way leading to your country in order to bear thither with the light of the Gospel a higher culture of the first germs of civilization, and it is those germs which, fertilized by them also at the cost of long and patient labors, have placed the Canadian people on a level with the most civilized and the most glorious, and have made that people, although of later birth, the rival of its elders.

Agreeable Memory.

All these facts are most agreeable to our memory. All the more so that the fruits thereof, fruits of no little importance, remain under our eyes. The most considerable of all assuredly is among those Catholic multitudes an ardent love and zeal for our holy religion, for that religion which your forefathers, coming providentially firstly and especially from France, then from Ireland, and again from elsewhere in later years, scrupulously professed and handed down to their posterity as an inviolable trust. But if their sons faithfully keep that precious inheritance we can easily understand what great share of praise is due to your vigilance and activity, venerable brethren, how great a share also belongs to the zeal of your clergy, for, all together, with one soul, you labor assiduously for the preservation and the advancement of the Catholic faith, and such a homage is due to truth, without encountering either disfavor or trammel in the laws of the British Empire. Wherefore, when, urged by the consideration of your common merits, we conferred some few years past on the Archbishop of Quebec the honor of the Roman purple, we had in view not only to set forth his personal virtues, but also to render a solemn homage to the piety of all your faithful.

Concerning what regards the education of youth, upon which rest the best hopes of religious and civil society, the Apostolic See has never ceased to take an active interest therein, in concert with you and with your predecessors. Thus have been founded in great numbers in your country institutions destined for the moral and scientific training of youth, institutions which are so flourishing under the guardianship and protection of the church. Among them the University of Quebec, adorned with all the titles and endowed with all the rights that the apostolic authority is wont to confer, occupies a rank of honor, and sufficiently proves that the Holy See has no greater preoccupation nor more ardent desire than the forming of a youth equally distinguished by its intellectual culture and recommendable by its virtues.

It was therefore with extreme solicitude, as you may easily understand, that we have observed the regrettable events which have marked in later years the history of Catholic education in Manitoba. It is our will—and this will is for us a duty—to strive to obtain, and in effect to obtain by all the means and all the endeavors in our power, that no injury be done to religion among so many thousands of souls whose salvation has been specially committed unto us, above all in a religion which owes to the church its initiation to Christian doctrine, and to the first rudiments of civilisation.

The Delegate's Report.

And as many expected us to speak on the question, and begged of us to trace out a line of conduct and the course to pursue, and we were pleased to decide nothing in this matter before our apostolic delegate had been on the spot, charged with proceeding to a thorough examination of the situation and with presenting us a report of the state of matters. He has faithfully and zealously fulfilled the mandate we had committed to him.

The question agitated is assuredly one of the greatest importance, and of exceptional gravity. We mean the decisions taken several years ago regarding the schools by the Parliament of Manitoba. The act of union of the Canadian Confederation had assured the Catholic children the right of being educated in Public schools according to the prescriptions of their conscience. Now, that right the Parliament of Manitoba abolished by a contrary law. Such a law is injurious. For one children cannot be free to go and ask for the boon of instruction from schools which ignore the Catholic religion or positively oppose it, from schools where its doctrine is despised and its fundamental principles repudiated.

In Self Defence.

If ever anywhere the Church granted such permission it was only with reluctance, in self-defence, and after surrounding the children with many safeguards, which, moreover, have too often been found insufficient to ward off the danger. In like manner must be shunned at any cost, as most pernicious, those schools where all beliefs are indifferently harbored and placed on the same footing, as if for what concerns God and things divine it mattered little to have

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A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 10, 1898.

ONTARIO'S INDUCEMENTS TO SETTLERS.

With the great natural resources of this Province, with its inexhaustible wealth of agricultural, timber and mineral lands, the great desiderata are population and capital for their development. The condition that will bring these to bear is good government and capable and progressive administration. This the present Government has supplied, and will continue to supply. Public confidence in the capacity and willingness of the Government to make Ontario a profitable and desirable home, will induce immigration from, not only the Old Country, but from congested portions of this continent, or from portions where settlers have not found the conditions, either of soil or climate, or form of government and political conditions conducive to desirable residence.

The Crown Lands Department of the Province of Ontario has set apart two townships in Rainy River district in the neighbourhood of the town of Arno for the accommodation of one of the largest and wealthiest band of settlers that has ever entered Canada. The influx is under the leadership of Rev. R. C. Burris, of Bowmanville. There are over a hundred families in the band. They are at present residents in the United States, and will emigrate to the Rainy River district as soon as navigation opens in the spring. The district they are to occupy is a very rich farming country.

The settlers will require no aid from the Government. Besides their household effects, stock, farming implements, they will bring into the district about $200,000 in cash, which they will expend in developing their farms and in opening roads to the railroad lines.

Mr. Burris has been working on the project for some time alone and unaided by the Government. He is at present making arrangements for steamboat and railroad transportation for the newcomers. This is a difficult matter, because the settlers are scattered over several states.

We welcome the new comers and there is every reason to believe that they will make prosperous, useful and contented settlers. In the first place they are enterprising or they would not break up their home to seek new ones on Ontario soil. They are descriminating, for they recognise the fact that good soil, good climate and good government, are the conditions that will yield the best results in the way of prosperity and success. We in Ontario are so accustomed to the blessings of good government that its blessings do not receive the fullest measure of appreciation, as a man that is always well fed does not appreciate this been like one who is deprived of it. We have had a quarter of a century of good government at the hands of the present administration, which is just as alert, just as capable, and just as anxious as ever to advance the interests and develop the resources of the grandest province of the confederation group.

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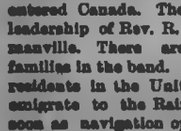

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE Hardy Government, says the Bobcaygeon Independent, is certainly striking out a more progressive policy than the Province has ventured on for many years. And it is eminently in the right direction—retention of State resources. The Forest Reserves Act will meet with general approval. Tracts of land that are unfit for cultivation, and there are in this Province immense areas of such, are to be set apart as Forest Reserves for the cultivation of pine and spruce. By putting these lands under proper regulations, such as other countries have successfully carried out, they can be made a permanent annual source of direct income, to say nothing of the incalculable climatic benefit in maintaining the water supply of our lakes and rivers.

POINTER ON PIGS.

The Canadian Pecker Scores in the Old Land.

The Canadian pig has another grievance. Following closely on the misuse of his name and dignity, for political ends, by Mr. St. John, comes a story from Great Britain which ought to make him grunt with indignation. It appears the Junior Army and Navy stores, a co-operative concern, has just been fined £50 and costs for selling "British and Irish" hams which were not B. and I., but simply Canadian. But the Canadian pig has the consolation of knowing that he was as good in the teeth of the transatlantic purchasers, as the real original, and that the difference would never have been known had the "informer" not made his repulsive appearance. A discharged employee of the stores, thirsting for revenge, gave evidence, and stated that whenever the stores ran short of British or Irish hams, he was instructed to convert a suitable foreigner by the simple process of giving him another brand, and selling him at the higher price of the genuine article. Thus, if a "real" Wiltshire ham was demanded, and there was no supply, one was made according to this witness, as follows: "A good looking Canadian ham was picked out and rubbed with oil, dusted with peameal and charged so much more per pound." There was no defence and the stores were convicted of the deceit and fined as stated. It is the old old story over again—fancy. Very likely some of our own people have received a Christmas present of a "real English or Irish cured ham" which, after having come from the establishment of one or other of our numerous and excellent pork packers, has been for some time a pilgrim and sojourner in the mother country. Something of the kind occurred not long ago in connection with cheese. Loving British hearts purchased a "real Stilton" and sent it to a relative in Western Ontario and after the many wrappings and dusty casing of the precious mummy had been removed an expert eye noted the impression of a well-known Guelph firm on it. But with regard to this ham controversy the British pig may well say—another such victory and I am lost. His honour or fame is vindicated, perhaps, but at the same time the vindication has raised our Canadian hams and bacon to the top notch in the pinnacle of merit. There was no difference between the British or the Canadian discovered until the "informer" came in. The lesson is one which should be well remembered. The Canadian cured meats have received an advertisement of a very unusual character, but one which should spur us on to renewed efforts. We have before this referred to the enormous importation into England of colonial, foreign and American cured meats, and of this the share of Canada is not in anything like the proportion, or as great as she could make it without much effort. By no means let our producers attempt to make Wiltshires or other hams by the unworthy 'oil,' 'peameal' and rubbing process. Let us send as many honest, above board, Canadian hams as we can. The people, now that they have been paying high prices for Canadian ham under another and assumed name, and liked them as well as the article they falsely purported to be, will doubtless turn to them in preference, and great will be the sale thereof.

ADVERTISING AS AN ART.

Sometimes it is said that a large part of the feminine world on opening a newspaper reads the marriages and deaths and then turns to the fresh advertisements. It would be nearer the fact to say that a woman who is the head of the family reads the important news and then settles down to study the advertisements that touch her round of duties. Such a course is perfectly natural and business-like. Men look over advertisements for the same reason, though in the line of their own daily transactions. The law of choice is at work in both cases. All mankind love a bargain and all desire to keep up with the spirit of the times. So the utilities and the attractiveness of advertising grow from year. The specially trained writer and the artist combine to render it more pleasing and effective and all possible typographical ingenuities are employed to the same end. Advertisements are brightened also, by the value of the newspaper space. There may have been a time when the eye of the reader avoided the advertising columns, but that is past. This is an era of enterprise in news and no less of successful progress in advertising.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF AGONY.

Suffering Ended in a Few Weeks by the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; may remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

This story, with variations as to the disease, is told by hundreds in Petrolea. Dodd's Kidney Pills have not been known to fail one yet. Every case has been a cure.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a ball. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 399 Georges treet.

LASSWADE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

There is lots of snow in this vicinity. Never was better sleighing.

W. B. Dingman, wife and daughter, Miss Pearl Dingman, from Rochester, and Archie McColl, from Lakehurst, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Dingman, Christmas.

We have J. W. McLean with us again for another year. The trustees are very fortunate in securing his services for this third year, as he is an excellent teacher and a favourite with both old and young of this place. We all join in wishing Mr. McLean a happy and prosperous New Year.

Wm. Dingman was taken a few weeks ago with a third stroke of paralysis which left him speechless for a few hours. He is around again, however, and able to work and ride a distance of 20 miles.

Nicholas Dingman has built a kitchen and wood house this fall which is a great improvement to the place.

Wm. Clary was in our midst this week calling on C. N. Dingman.

The annual school meeting was held at S. S. No. 13. Mr. Lewis Washburn was elected as trustee in place of Jered Dingman. J. Snelgrove is still in the same office, while A. Nicholls is auditor.

Mr. A. Palmeteer, of Warkworth, was here for a few days on business.

There was a party Christmas eve at Mr. M. Woodbeck's. They had a very enjoyable time.

Wilfred Rusaw and Miss Allen were married on the 22nd of December.

Wesley Newbery, who has been very ill, is on the mend again.

The Rathbun Co. have given out jobs to a number of men of this place, but they can't do much yet as the swamps seem to be full of water and not frozen it is impossible to get in with a team.

Walter Woodbeck has sold his place and stock to a young man by the name of Dumanee, of Colborne. Walter started for Michigan last Monday.

Mr. Baskin is stocking his mill this winter. He will be apt to have quite a long season of sawing this coming summer.

Wesley Dulmage's home at Oakdale was made happy on Dec. 19th by the birth of a bouncing baby boy.

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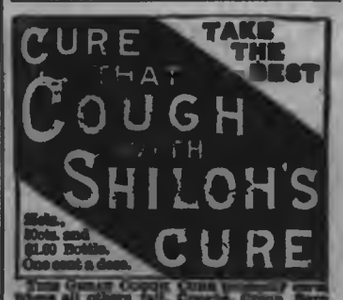
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Saturday Evening, Jan. 8,

Liverpool wheat futures ¾d to ⅞d higher.

Cash wheat in Chicago 92¾c, an advance of ¾c.

Exports of wheat for the week were 3,461,576, as against 5,495,061 bushels last week and 3,186,608 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Corn exports this week 4,086,000 bushels.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 92¾	$0 91¾
New York	0 96¾	0 93½
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 92¾	0 90¾
St. Louis	0 93	0 94
Toledo	0 91½	0 93
Detroit	0 91½	0 92
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90½
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR.—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.95, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand is not as active, with feeling unsettled. Red winter sold outside at 82½c, high freights. Spring sold on Midland at 83c for No. 2 and goose 78c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.02, grinding in transit, Toronto freight, and No. 1 Fort William, and at 96c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west, No. 3 extra sold at 28c west and feed at 25c to 26c west.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c west and at 25½c Midland. Mixed sold at 24c west.

PEAS—The market is higher, with sales at 49c north and west and at 50c on Midland.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c to 32c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c to 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c west.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9¾c to 9½c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece here. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS—Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.25; do., short cut, $15 to $15.25; do., shoulder mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

HOGS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 3c to 3c.

British Markets.

London.—Close—Wheat on passage, sellers ask 3d advance. Manitoba No. 1 hard, steam, 37s 6d. Maize on passage firmer.

Liverpool.—Close—Spot wheat dull. Futures steady at 7s 3½d for March, 7s 1½d for May, and 6s 10½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1¾d for Feb. and March, and 3s 2d for May. Flour 26s.

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PAPAL ENCYCLICAL.

(Continued From First Page.)

or not sound doctrine, to adopt truth or error. You are far from ignoring, venerable brethren, that all schools of such a nature have been condemned by the Church, because nothing can be more pernicious, more likely to ruin the integrity of the faith, and to turn away youthful minds from the path of truth. There is another point on which we shall easily agree with those very minds which might dissent from us as to all else, to wit, that it is not by means of a purely scientific instruction, nor of vague and superficial notions of virtue, that Catholic children will leave the school much as their country desires and expects them to be. They must be nourished with far more grave and important knowledge in order to become good Christians, upright and honest citizens. Their training must be the result of principles which, engraved upon their conscience, impose themselves on their life as natural consequences of their faith, and of their religion.

Moral Education.

For without religion there is no moral education worthy of the name nor truly efficacious, whereas the very nature and force of every duty are derived from those special duties that bind man to God—to God who commands, who forbids, and who appends a sanction to good and evil. Wherefore to desire that souls be imbued with good morals and to leave them at the same time deprived of religion is as unwise as to invite to virtue after having ruined its very groundwork. Now, for Catholics there is only one true religion, the Catholic religion, and therefore in the matter of doctrines of morality and religion, they may not accept or acknowledge any that is not drawn from the very sources of Catholic teaching. Justice and reason then demand that our pupils find in the schools not only scientific instruction but also moral knowledge, in harmony, as we have said, with the principles of their religion—knowledge without which, far from being fruitful, no education can be otherwise than absolutely baneful, whence the necessity of having Catholic teachers, readers, and text-books approved by the bishops and of having the liberty to organize the schools so that the teaching be in full accord with the Catholic faith, as also with all the duties that spring therefrom.

Besides as to deciding in what institutions the children shall be brought up, what masters shall be called to teach them the moral precepts, that is a right inherent in paternal authority. When, therefore, Catholics demand—and it is their duty to thus demand—and claim that the teaching of the masters agree with the religion of their children, they make use of their own right, and nothing would be more unjust than to place them in the alternative, either of setting their children grow up in ignorance or casting them into a sphere which constitutes manifest danger for the supreme interests of their souls.

It is not allowable to question nor to abandon in any way these principles of judgment and of conduct, which rest upon truth and justice, and which are the safeguards of both public and private interests. Wherefore, when the new law inflicted a blow upon Catholics' education in the Province of Manitoba, was it your duty, venerable brethren, to protest openly against the injustice and against the injury that it had received; and the manner in which you have fulfilled that duty is a striking proof of your common vigilance, and of a zeal truly worthy of bishops. And although at this point each one of you meets with a sufficient approbation in the testimony of his conscience, learn nevertheless that we add thereto our endorsement and our approbation. For those things which you have sought and still seek to guard and defend are sacred.

However, the inconveniences of the law in question by themselves gave warning that to find an opportune alleviation of the evil a perfect understanding was necessary. Such was the cause of the Catholics that all upright and honest citizens, without distinction of party, should have concerted and closely associated to become the defenders thereof. To the great detriment of that same cause, it was the contrary that took place. What is more deplorable still is that the Catholic Canadians themselves did not succeed in agreeing to defend the interests which concern in such a high degree the common good, and the greatness and gravity of which should impose silence on the interests of political parties, which are of a far inferior order.

We are not unaware that something has been done to amend the law. The men who are at the head of the Federal Government and of the Government of the province have already taken certain decisions with a view to diminish the complaints of grievances, otherwise so legitimate of the Catholics of Manitoba.

We have no reason to doubt that they were inspired by the love of equity and by a laudable intention. We cannot, however, dissimulate the truth. The law which has been enacted for the purpose of reparation is defective, imperfect, insufficient. That which the Catholics demand, and which they have, as nobody doubts, the right to demand, is far greater. Moreover, those very concessions which have been granted suffer likewise from this defect, that owing to changes in local circumstances they may easily miss their practical effect. To sum up the whole, the rights of the Catholics and the education of our children in Manitoba have not yet been sufficiently provided for. Now, everything demands in this question and in justice that full provision be made therefor, that is to say that the immutable and sacred principles we have above touched upon be sheltered and secured. Such must be the aim in view, such the object to be pursued with zeal and prudence. Now, nothing can be more contrary to that end than discord; for that purpose the union of minds and harmony of action are absolutely necessary. However, as the object intended to be attained, and that must be attained in effect, does not impose a determined and exclusive tone of conduct, but, on the contrary admits of several, as it usually happens in matters of this sort, it follows that there may be concerning the course to be pursued certain multiplicity of opinions equally good and plausible. Let no one therefore lose sight of the rules of moderation, of meekness and of brotherly charity. Let no one forget the respect he owes to others, but let all weigh maturely that which circumstances demand, determine what is best to do, and do in a thoroughly cordial agreement, and not without having taken your advice.

Concerning what regards in particular the Catholics of Manitoba, we feel confident that, God helping, they will succeed one day in obtaining full satisfaction. This confidence is based especially on the goodness of their cause, and also on the equity and wisdom of those who hold in their hands the government of the commonwealth, and finally on the good-will of all the upright men of Canada. Meanwhile, until it shall be granted them to obtain the triumph of all their claims, let them not refuse partial satisfactions. Wherefore, wherever the law, or the fact, or the good dispositions of persons offer them some means of attenuating the evil, and of better avoiding its dangers, it is altogether becoming and it is useful that they make use of such, and that they derive therefrom the best possible advantage. Wherever, on the contrary, there would be no other remedy for the evil, we exhort and beseech them to obviate the same by an increase of generous liberality. They can do nothing more salutary for themselves, and more favorable to the prosperity of their country, than to contribute to the maintenance of their schools, according to the full measure of their resources.

There is another point which also calls for your joint solicitude; it is, that by your authority, and with the concurrence of those who direct establishments of education, the entire program of studies be elaborated with care and wisdom, and that care be taken that none be admitted to the office of teacher but men abundantly provided with all the qualities requisite therefor, both natural and acquired. For it is but fitting that Catholic schools should rival the most flourishing by the excellence of their methods of training, and by the splendor of their teaching. From the standpoint of intellectual culture, and of the progress of civilization, there is nothing but what is great and noble in the plan conceived by the Canadian provinces of developing public instruction, of raising its standard ever higher, and of thus making it something greater and more perfect. Now, there is no kind of study, no progress of human knowledge that may not fully harmonize with Catholic doctrine. To explain and to defend all that we have heretofore said those among Catholics may powerfully contribute who have devoted themselves to the labors of the press, and especially of the daily press. Let them therefore remember their duty. Let them defend religiously and with courage whatever is truth, right, the interests of the Church and of society, in such a manner, however, that they remain worthy the respect of persons measured in all things. Let them be respectful, and show a scrupulous deference towards Episcopal authority, and towards all lawful power. The more difficult the times the more threatening is the danger of division, the more also must they study to inculcate that unity of thought and action without which there is little or even not any hope of ever obtaining that which is the object of our common desires.

As a pledge of the Heavenly gifts, and of our paternal affection, receive the apostolic benediction that we most lovingly grant in the Lord to you, venerable brethren, to your clergy, and to your flocks.

Given at Rome, near St. Peter's, the eighth day of December, of the year 1897, the twentieth of our pontificate.

LEO XIII., Pope.

Rev. Wm. McNichol, Methodist Episcopal pastor at Bridgeport, Conn., has made a violent attack on President McKinley for holding saloon property and serving alcoholic liquors at his table. A semi-denial of the facts is made by Mr. John M. Porter, the President's secretary.

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Human Body in a Box.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 8.—Representatives of the Adams Express Company opened an ill-smelling box at Charlton yesterday and found the remains of a human body cut into bits. The box had stood several days in the express office, and the officers, becoming suspicious, pried off the lid. Detectives were at once put to work.

Earthquake in New York State.

Malone, N.Y., Jan. 8.—Quite a severe earthquake shock was felt in Malone at twenty minutes past 1 yesterday afternoon. Buildings trembled so that occupants were startled. No damage was done.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

The Late Frederick Poulette.

Another of our old citizens, one who has resided in Peterborough for about 45 years, passed away last night at his residence, McDonel street, at the advanced age of 69 years. The late Mr. Poulette was a native of Quebec and came to Peterborough about 45 years ago. He leaves behind him two children, Mr. John Poulette, London street, Mrs. Armstrong, Waterford street, Mrs. W. Miller, St. Thomas and Mrs. J. Kelly, Welland. Funeral from the family residence, 319 McDonel street, on Wednesday, at nine o'clock to St. Peter's Cathedral and the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Clearing Sale

of Groceries, Provisions, etc. Having purchased the grocery stock of the T. W. Robinson Co. at a great sacrifice, we will sell the entire lot at less than wholesale prices. The stock is perfectly new and fresh, and consists of the finest grades of Teas and Coffees, Spices, Canned Goods, etc. Sale to commence Saturday morning, 8th inst., and will be continued from day to day until the entire stock is disposed of. This presents a rare opportunity for housekeepers and others to lay in provisions, as the stock must be cleared out at once, regardless of what it will bring. Buyers are advised to come early before the goods are picked over. Remember the place, The T. W. Robinson & Co.'s stand at the head of George street (corner Smith and George). Telephone No. 386.—E. F. MASON & Co.

To-morrow Night's Attraction.

The following is clipped from the Ottawa Free Press:—John Griffith, the young Canadian tragedian, appeared at the Russell last night to a highly cultivated and appreciative audience. Goethe's masterpiece, "Faust," was produced by a strong company, with Mr. Griffith as Mephisto. He established anew his reputation as being the greatest living Mephisto. In Mr. Griffith's version and in his capable hands, Mephistophiles runs the whole show to his liking, and his impersonation of his Satanic Majesty will long be remembered for the power and peculiar mocking characteristics, vivid to a degree in bringing out the protean nature of the gentleman from below. Miss Cathryn Purnell makes a splendid Marguerite, and soon won the admiration of the audience. She possesses the requisite grace and beauty as well as the ability necessary to a perfect portrayal of this important character. Faust, John Fay Palmer; Martha, Mrs. Inman; Elsie, Maude Atkinson, and Wagner, Mr. Lawson, were in able hands. The production as a whole shows careful study and good stage direction, not a single detail being lost. The scenic and electrical effects are of marvellous construction. Bradburn's Opera House, Tuesday, Jan. 11th.

OAK HALL GIFT PRICES.

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THE TOWN COUNCIL'S INAUGURAL MEETING.

Mayor Davis Delivers His Address to the Members.

AUDITORS WERE APPOINTED.

The Council Will Meet Again This Evening to Receive the Report of the Committee Which is Striking the Standing Committees for the Year This Afternoon.

The inaugural meeting of the town council was held this morning and that things in general are to be shaken up around the town hall was evidenced by the fact that the mayor took the chair promptly at eleven o'clock. The Councillors present were: No. 1 Ward—Councillors H. Best, W. H. White and C. B. Robertson. No. 2 Ward—Councillors T. H. G. Deane and T. H. Hamilton. No. 3 Ward—Councillors Adam Dawson, J. H. Cobb and J. B. McWilliams. No. 4 Ward—Councillors Wm. Langford, W. H. Meldrum and J. M. White.

On taking the chair Mayor Davis congratulated the members on their election to seats at the Board and in remarking on the affairs of the town he urged that the estimates be brought down at the February meeting of the council in order that a clear understanding might exist as to the position in which the finances stood. There was no reason why the rate should be any higher this year than last. Concerning the sewer system the mayor explained that about half the contract work was now finished and he advised that new work be not forced, but rather that it be not undertaken at present unless petitioned for by the ratepayers concerned. In reference to the streets he stated that as was known there was a large quantity of broken and unbroken stone on hand. It would be the duty of the Street and Bridge Committee to consider the disposition of this stone in order to give employment to labour and at the same time to use the material in such a way as to guarrantee the work done as permanent as possible. The caterpillar pest of last year was referred to, and the mayor thought that if dealt with at the proper time the nuisance could be greatly abated at a small expense. The charity given by the town, he hoped, would be administered in a similar manner to that of last year. Personal mention was make of the Central Board, which handled the funds so capably. The Market Committee during the year would have to make some amendments to the bylaw in order to protect the market more fully. Peterborough was most advantageously located for the location of manufactures, as being a smaller town than the large manufacturing centres, capitalists would escape much trouble from strikes by coming here. There had been too much dilly-dallying over the question of the erection of a Home of Refuge or home for the aged poor. Some investigation had been made into the matter, but the figures received were almost appalling as regarding the cost of erection and maintenance, and the town was not in a position to look at it. At present, however, there were only six of these unfortunates in the gaol and surely something could be done at a small outlay to do a little for them. It was a disgrace to think that in a Christian community they would have to end their days in gaol. He suggested that a committee composed of two members of the council, Jas. Kendry, M.P., J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., J. J. McBain, Peter Hamilton and George Webber be appointed to devise some scheme for the approval of the ratepayers, so that the matter might be wiped off the slate. In conclusion he hoped that in the year on which the council was now entering, that the members would lose sight of all selfish aims and have an eye only for the benefit of the town and the interests of the ratepayers.

THE AUDITORS.

Councillors Dawson and Cobb moved that Sheriff Hall be appointed one of the auditors.—Carried.

The Mayor offered the name of Mr. F. E. Bell as the other auditor.

Councillor Maldrum suggested that returns be made by the auditors of all the remissions in taxes granted during the year.

This was put in the form of a motion and carried.

Councillor Deane stated that the auditors' report didn't give a fair idea of the assets of the town. He thought that the value of the town buildings, gaol, hospital, schools, etc., should be shown to the town's credit.

Councillor Best thought that the only duties of the auditors was to check the accounts, but he gave notice of motion along the lines suggested by Councillor Deane.

A. M. Clark applied for appointment as auditor—Received.

The Barnardo Home asked for remisson of taxes.

Councillor Dawson objected to remission being granted, stating that the Home people spent very little money in Peterborough. He had inquired amongst the merchants and ascertained that $7 had been spent for repairs of boots, and only one merchant on George street stated that they dealt with him. The grocers stated that no more than four or five hundred dollars was spent amongst them annually.

Councillor Cobb drew attention to the fact that this matter had been left to the Court of Revision a second time and they had not dealt with it.

Councillor McWilliams urged that the Home be asked to produce its books and show how much money had been spent amongst the merchants.

Councillor Meldrum and McWilliams moved that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee and that a representative of the Home be asked to appear at the meeting.

Councillor Cobb thought the matter was not in the jurisdiction of the council after it had been handed to the Court of Revision to deal with.

Councillor McWilliams inquired whether the Court had asked anyone from the Home to appear before it.

Councillor Cobb replied that he had himself made inquiries amongst the merchants as to the trade they received from the Barnardo Home and had been told that the profit was all wiped out by the presents which they were asked to give.

Councillor McWilliams then stated that if the matter was as Councillors Dawson and Cobb represented, he would be against exemption, but he asked that the books be produced from the Home in order that no mistake be made.

The matter was then left in the hands of the Finance Committee.

The Fire Underwriters' Association wrote asking what action had been taken regarding the perfecting of Peterborough's fire protection.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

The estimates as received from the Board of Education were referred to the Finance Committee.

Mrs. K. Mark's application for remission of taxes was referred to the Court of Revision.

A petition from W.D. Points and a number of other asking for a light to be placed on the corner by the South Ward school.—Referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

On behalf of his client, Mr. E. B. Stone wrote stating that Mr. Parrington was entitled to some consideration from the council, both morally and legally, in regard to taxes remitted when he had served notices.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

A. Rhodes asked for remission of statute labour tax.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

SOME RESOLUTIONS.

On motion of Councillors McWilliams and Cobb, Mayor Davis and Councillors Dawson, Best, Deane and White were appointed a committee to draft a resolution of condolence from the Council to the widow and family of the late John Burnham.

Councillors Meldrum and Cobb moved that the committee to strike the standing committees for the year be composed of Councillors Best, Deane, Cobb and J. M. White.

In amendment, Councillors Robertson and McWilliams moved that a committee of the whole council strike the committees for the year.

The original motion was carried and the council will meet at 8:15 this evening to hear the report.

ACCOUNTS

were received as follows and referred to the Finance Committee.

Fred E Jones	$ 2 00
T Fitzgerald	3 30
R H Leary	9 00
R H Leary	1 00
Pet L & P Co	15 00
"	4 60
Salisbury & Co	3 40
Review	105 96
J W Brisbin	3 25
E F Moore & Co	3 10
W Donell	50
Bell Tel Co	110 00
"	39 60
Alfred Sherwood	1 87
J F Allin	1 00
Dickson Co	3 84
Wm Hetherington	2 00
Dom Eng Co	45
Walter Stocker	6 50

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Herbert Burrows, late of the Toronto World, takes charge of the news department of the Ottawa Citizen.

—Remember the Boys' Brigade Minstrel entertainment, splendid programme—St. John's school house to-night.

—The annual sale of magazines and periodicals at the Public Library takes place on Monday evening, Jan. 17th.

—The meeting in the council chamber to-morrow evening will be in the interests of the retail merchants as a whole, and not for the grocers only.

—Seven fine breeding sheep, owned by Mr. Walter Hay, near Minden, were killed by dogs on Wednesday night. He tracked the curs and shot them.

—Butter exports to Ontario for 1897 show an increase of 20 per cent. over the average of the past three years and dairying was unusually profitable.

—Ed. Welsh has shell oysters, Saddle, Rock, No. 1 selects and extra prime standard, direct from Baltimore, the finest and cheapest stock in Peterborough.

—Mr. Hogg, of Beaverton, has offered to sell his water power at Eugenia Falls, Beaver river, to Toronto. He claims that the falls will develop 4,400 horse power.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 20

—The Midland and Durham Districts of Royal Templars of Temperance have united under the name of the Midland District. Mr. Lant, of Cobourg, is one of the officers.

—Walter T. Ross, customs collector at Picton, has two fully developed lemons grown by himself. They measured eight and three-quarter inches in circumference and the two weighed twelve and one-half ounces.

—A new firm has, it is said, acquired possession of the Ground Floor Photograph Gallery, Charlotte street. One of the members of the new firm is a brother of a local minister. Further particulars will no doubt be available in a day or two.

—It requires two teams of horses to get a load of wood over the Hunter street bridge. The planking is bare of snow. The Grand Trunk crossings at Charlotte and Hunter streets are also "stickers" for loaded teams.

—A boom stick that won't break the next time, is now laid down for the derrick to be used at the pits for the lift lock east of Armour's hill, on the Trent Valley Canal works. It is 103 feet long, two feet in diameter at the butt and nearly a foot at the top.

—The year 1898 will have six eclipses, three of the sun and three of the moon. This is the first time in two hundred years that there have been three eclipses of the moon in one year, an occurrence, the astronomers say, that will not take place in two hundred more years.

School Opened on Monday.

Scholars who have been promoted into higher forms and who require new school books for the new term can get all their school supplies in perfect order at the Peterborough Bookstore. Scholars all know where they can buy the best scribblers, exercise and note books for the least money. The largest stock in town of scholars' companions, lock boxes, school bags, slates, pencils, copy books, drawing books and every other requisite is to be found at the Peterborough Bookstore.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Your choice of any of the Fancy Holiday Novelties and Made-Up Articles in MRS. APPLEBY'S stock at and below Cost Price during January.

PERSONAL.

Mr. W. W. Daly has returned from a trip north.

Mr. Gordon Logan has returned from a visit to Toronto.

Mr. C. LeBrun is on a two week's visit with friends in Montreal.

Miss Edythe Macdonald, of Lindsay, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) Butler.

Mr. James Kelly, of the M.C.R. station, Welland, with Mrs. Kelly, is in town on a visit.

Mrs. H. LeBrun has gone to Montreal with her daughter, Miss Dot Hackett, who is returning to school.

Rev. W. R. Young, pastor of the Methodist church, Port Hope, preached anniversary sermons in Newcastle yesterday.

Mr. J. Herbert Hall has returned from Montreal, where he was spending Christmas and New Year's with his sister.

Mr. Wm. Lee returned to Peterborough on Saturday from the Northwest, after an absence of six years. He is visiting his parents.

Mrs. Swanson, one of the oldest residents of Ashburnham, and a resident even when it was called the "Scotch Village," is confined to her bed with illness.

General Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, "farewells" at Southampton on Saturday, and sets sail for Canada. Appositely enough he comes on board the steamer St. Paul.

The Cobourg World says:—Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sorsoleil returned to Peterborough by the early Monday morning train. "Milt" is a big success as a teacher in the enterprising town to the north.

Mr. J. T. McCabe has just returned from Rochester where he has been attending the funeral of his uncle, the late Owen Elliott McCabe, who left Peterborough in 1849 and has since been a resident of the Flower City. The deceased was native of the County Cavan, Ireland, and was amongst the first of the early settlers who took up ground in Ashburnham. He was 73 years of age and leaves a wife and one daughter. Deceased was a brother of Messrs. Samuel and James McCabe.

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 98c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

BIRTH.

KIRKPATRICK—On Jan. 10th, 1898, at Valetta, Malta, the wife of Captain G. M. Kirkpatrick, R.M., of a daughter.

DIED.

POULETTE—At 319 McDonel street, on Monday, Jan. 10, 1898, Frederick Poulette, aged 69 years.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 8 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated January 10th, 1898.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. HENRY DENNE, President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE
PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Will be held in the TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBER, Peterborough, on

Wednesday, January 12th, 1898,

at 7.30 o'clock p.m., for the election of officers and general business.

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25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
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5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
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The Annual Distribution of Prizes.

Yesterday afternoon at the close of the Sunday school the prizes for last year's work were distributed at St. Luke's. The prizes are given according to the following standard:—To obtain first prize, there must have been an attendance of 50 Sundays with 275 marks; 310 is the maximum. For a 2nd prize, 48 Sundays and 255 marks; for a 3rd prize, 43 Sundays and 235 marks. Three girls attended 52 Sundays and obtained 310 marks—Rossie and Bessie Price and Maud Long.

Class 1, Mr. H. Adams teacher.—1st prize, Addie Armstrong, Edith Beattie and Mollie Blois; 2nd prize, Mary Deane.

Class 2, Miss H. Burnham teacher.—1st prize, Percy Jameson; 3rd prize, Claud Rogers.

Class 3, Miss Deane teacher.—1st prize, Rossie Price, Bessie Price and Alice Scott; 2nd prize, Lottie Mitchell.

Class 4, Mrs. Scott teacher.—1st prize, George Armstrong; 2nd prize, Sidney Gibbs.

Class 5, Mr. Gaskins teacher—1st prize, Maud Long; 3rd prize, Florence Scott.

Class 6, Miss Armstrong teacher.—1st prize, Percy Graham, D'Eyncourt Stone; 3rd prize, Howard Bennett and Arnold Drummond.

Class 7, Miss Helen Rogers, teacher.—1st prize, Eva Nesbitt; 2nd prize, Bertha Symonds; 3rd prize, Helen Stetham.

Class 8 Miss Bysha, teacher.—2nd prize, Charlie Crane; 3rd prize, George Rogers.

Class 9, Mrs. S. Long, teacher.—1st prize, Madeline Stone; 2nd prize, Greta Symonds; 3rd prize, Beatrice Bartley, Mary Prattley, Mabel Ferguson and Blanche Westlake.

Class 10, Mrs. H. Adams, teacher.—1st prize, Clara Craig, Lula Scott, Carrie Dope; 2nd prize, Edna Rogers, Muriel Scott; 3rd prize, Bella Long and Nettie Castle.

Class 11, Mr. D. Curtis, teacher.—2nd prize, Gordon Butcher; 3rd prize, George Butcher, Harry Wyatt.

Class 12, Miss Mills, teacher.—1st prize, Annie Maxwell; 2nd prize, Fleasy Wyatt, Beatrice Drummond, Rossie Bennett; 3rd prize, Hilda Symonds.

Class 13, Miss Rummings, teacher.—2nd prize, Keith Rogers; 3rd prize, Willie Maxwell.

Class 14, Miss Rogers, teacher.—1st prize, Clara Adams, Edith Scott, Lillie Scott.

Class 15, Miss F. Burnham, teacher.—1st prize, Willie Butcher; 2nd prize, R. Ferguson; 3rd prize, Jim Burgess.

Prizes are not awarded in the Bible classes.

The Junior Bible Class is taken by Miss Burnham and has about twelve names on the roll, and the Senior Bible Class by the Rector, with fifty-five names on the roll, the largest number since its foundation.

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor of the church, spoke at the morning service on "A Voice from Heaven," taking as his text Heb. xii, 25, "See that ye refuse not him that speaketh. For if they escaped not who refused him that spake on earth much more shall not be escape if we refuse Him that spake from Heaven." He gave a very practical discourse to a good congregation.

In the evening he chose as his subject, "Besetting Sins," and for his text Heb. 12, 1. On these two verses he based an excellent discourse, which was listened to by a large congregation.

Every Sunday large congregations are present to hear the earnest gospel sermons by Mr. Moore, who shuns not to declare the whole counsel of God.

On Monday evening Mrs. (Rev.) Moore will take the topic at the League.

On Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 all ladies interested in forming a Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the parsonage.

The usual church prayer meeting will be on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All interested will be welcome.

The cottage prayer meeting will be held on Friday evening at Mr. D. McGregor's, Douro street. All are cordially invited.

The Mark street church choir will hold a concert in the new town hall on Friday evening, January 21st, with a view to getting a new church organ.

Next Sunday evening there will be an old people's service. All fifty and over will occupy the centre seats. Others will please occupy the side seats. Everybody will be welcome.

The Most Prominent are Fashionable.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion has become a fashionable disease. There are very few individuals who have not at various time experienced the miserable feeling caused by defective digestion. No pen can describe the keen suffering of the body, and the agony and anguish of mind endured by the Dyspeptic. Dr. La Londe, of 236 Pine Ave., Montreal, says, "When I ever run across chronic cases of Dyspepsia I always prescribe Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and my patients generally have quick relief."

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 26c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLINE'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Don't forget the hockey match to-morrow evening—Norwood vs. Peterborough II.

At a meeting of the hockey club Saturday evening Mr. Walter Phelan was elected Captain of the team for 1898. Walter, or "Scuddy" as he is more familiarly known amongst his friends, is by long odds the best hockey player ever turned out in Peterborough and since his *debut* on the ice has been referred to as "the backbone of the team." It is most fitting therefore that he should captain the team which is to win the senior championship this year.

The team committee was also selected Saturday evening. It is composed of Messrs. R. J. Fife, W. J. Montgomery and Walter Phelan.

The team for to-morrow night has been picked as follows: goal, E. Wasson; point, R. Thorne; cover point, B. Glover; forwards, Harry King, C. Graham, B. Bellegbem and W. Crossley. Referee, Myles Hamilton.

Cobourg on the home ice beat Oshawa by 6 goals to 3.

The Ottawa Journal in speaking of the Winnipeg-Capital game says:—The Capitals introduced a new feature in hockey, at least as far as Ottawa is concerned. They played to a great extent what would be termed in football an interference game. They played it very successfully too, and a man skating with the puck was frequently protected from attack by another skater in front of him.

CURLIANA.

A deputation of Cobourg curlers met a number of Port Hope curlers in Mr. Burton's office in Port Hope on Wednesday and offered them them the privilege of Cobourg rink for the sum of $3 per member. The offer is being considered.

OFF-HAND GUN CLUB.

The Officers Were Elected Saturday Evening Last.

A meeting of the sportsmen of the town was held on Saturday evening in the Palace Restaurant parlours for the purpose of organising an off-hand gun club. Officers were elected for the year as follows:

Hon. President—H. LeBrun.
President—R. B. McKee.
1st Vice-President—W. D. Parker.
2nd Vice-President—G. W. Hatton.
Secretary-Treasurer—C. LeBrun.
Committee of Management—H. C. Winch, Thos. Rutherford, W. H. Bradburn, A. H. Stratton and Col. J. Z. Rogers.

The members intend to hold monthly rifle matches for turkeys at the butts, and arrangements to this end will be made at once. A comfortable shack will be erected in which the marksmen can keep warm between times, and busses will run at intervals from town in order that spectators may go and see the fun. The first shoot is on the 27th.

BUSINESS BOOMING.

A Big Increase in the Amount of Goods Imported.

The customs returns for the months of November and December show a most gratifying increase under the Liberal regime at Ottawa. For Peterborough the returns are given as follows:—

	Imports.	*Duty.*
November, 1896	$16,676 00	$2,964 96
" 1897	22,297 00	3,965 13
Increase	$43,621 00	$6,930 17
December, 1896	$21,080 00	$3,082 28
" 1897	34,799 00	5,630 04
Increase	$13,719 00	$2,547 46

DEATH OF A PROMINENT PORT HOPE CITIZEN.

Mr. Stanley Patterson Passes Away.

Mr. Stanley Patterson, one of the most prominent citizens of Port Hope, died Sunday afternoon. Mr. Patterson was a successful private banker, was President of the Midland Trust Company, and has been for many years agent of the Great North-Western Telegraph Company and the Canadian Express Company. He was a progressive and highly-respected citizen. His death added to that of his two sons makes the third death in the family in two years.

OBITUARY.

Word has just been received in town of the death of Mr. Wm. Griffin, in Perth. The deceased has for the last four years been employed by Mr. P. Simons in his merchant tailoring establishment, but has lately been going into a gradual decline. Four weeks ago he left for his home Perth. During his residence in town Mr. Griffin was well thought of and most highly respected.

The Probabilities

Are, that your temper will improve, and you will enjoy walking and skating in real earnest once that sore corn is removed. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor never fails, gives no pain and will relieve in twenty-four hours. Give Putnam's Corn Extractor a trial and be happy.

Inventory Time Your Opportunity!

We are Stock-taking this month. Our Annual Discounts to Reduce Stock will be of keen interest to every gentleman in Peterborough. It gives everyone an opportunity to obtain High-Class Garments at about the cost of Production.

The power of Cash enables us to step in and dispose of our Surplus Stock of Cloths, and give the public a clear benefit of the ordinary retail profit.

TWEED SUITS at - - $14.00.
Special Line of TROUSERS at 3.50.

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CANADA'S GREATEST HUSTLERS.

"NORTHWARD the Sweep of Conquest Takes its Way!"

We come before the public again with an announcement so important—so sensational in its effect—that it leaves no room for doubt that the battle of business means THE SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

We announce with pleasure the Matchless Stock of Millionare Santord's Clothing Company in Peterborough, known as "OAK HALL," Corner of George and Hunter Streets, by which we come into possession of

$16,430 Worth of Clothing

OF UNMATCHABLE EXCELLENCE Purchased at a Rate on the Dollar of

62½ CENTS

On the Manufacturer's Cost.

The offer of the Sanford Company to buy out Oak Hall has been open to us for some time. It has been known that this wealthy firm have been anxious to close up their Peterborough Branch rather than continue the fight against competition such as GOUGH BROS. have always put up—with a constituency extending over Ontario, and forming the largest syndicate of Clothing dealers in Canada. It was a mistake to plant an "Oak Hall" acorn alongside the Dauntless Goughs. And so, another rich scalp has been added to GOUGH BROS.' belt. And so, "The Corner" has been cornered again by the Wonderful Cheap Men.

To Wake Up the Town

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 12th, we inaugurate a Clean Sweep of the whole of Oak Hall's stock—from the roof through every floor to the basement—from the door strip in front to the wall at the back. It begins and stops at the end.

Everything goes! Necessity has no law. Manufacturer's Prices dashed down without mercy! Not a garment left if we can prevent it.

A TRIUMPHANT SALE!

—A Sale to wake up the Town—a Sale that will be without precedent and hopelessly out of reach of competition—beyond the possibility of an equal in this or any other portion of Canada.

A Clothing Blizzard—Sweeping Oak Hall Counters and Shelves at Prices a QUARTER and a THIRD below original values.

THE QUALITY of this High Class Stock of Clothing will speak—you can be absolutely sure of that. It all bears the label of the Sanford Manufacturing Company. You might be able to get as good Clothing in one or two other stores in Canada, but you can never equal the Clothing and our Prices both together. While it was a notorious fact that Oak Hall never could match or undersell GOUGH BROS., it was acknowledged that their Clothing always took high rank among the Highest Class Goods of America.

THIS SALE, therefore, appeals to the best class of people, who desire to put the stamp of their approval on HIGH QUALITY.

We want a Great Sale—a Great Crowd—a Great Celebration of our latest Famous Victory! The Millionare Merchant Clothier's Sacrifice to GOUGH BROS. will put many a coin in the pockets of those who buy during this Triumphant Sale. Don't forget to follow the Mile Posts to

GOUGH BROS.

BUYERS OF OAK HALL STOCK.

The door of health stands open to every woman who will enter. All that she needs is the key and a little knowledge. The knowledge that she needs is concerning her own nature, her own physical make-up and the principal cause of ill-health in women.

When a woman suffers from headaches and pains in the back and sides, and burning and dragging sensations and the weakness, nervousness and despondency that are caused by diseases peculiar to her sex, she cannot enjoy good general health. The key to the door of health—the cure for all disorders of this description—is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a medicine specially devised for disorders of this nature and no other. It is the invention of an eminent and skillful specialist, Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. When a woman writes to Dr. Pierce she consults a physician who has practiced for thirty years right in one place, and who was some years ago honored by his own townspeople by an election to the National Congress. He will answer letters from women free of charge. All professional correspondence is regarded as sacredly confidential.

"For years I kept failing in health and getting worse and more nervous all the time," writes Mrs. Annie Dulan, of East Stroudsburg, Monroe Co., Pa. "I doctored with two different doctors without relief. My system was run down and my nerves weak. I had ulcers of the uterus which were so painful at times that I was afraid they must be cancers. I felt discouraged and did not get any better until my nurse advised me to write to Dr. Pierce. In May I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took twelve bottles in all, six of each. Thanks to God and Dr. Pierce's medicines, I am cured and am a well woman."

A MORNING GLORY CULT.

This Flower Taking the Place of Chrysanthemums In Japan.

Miss Eliza Ruhamah Scidmore has an article on "The Wonderful Morning Glories of Japan" in The Century. Miss Scidmore says:

As a floral sensation the chrysanthemum may be said to have had its day, the carnation is going, going, and seekers after novelty among flower fanciers are sighing for a new flower to conquer. It is hardly known, even to foreign residents in Japan, that that land, which has given us so much of art and beauty, has lately revived the culture of its most remarkable flower, the asagao, our morning glory. For size, beauty, range of color and illimitable variety there attained this sunrise flower precedes all others until its cultivation has become a craze, which is likely to spread to other countries, and—who knows—perhaps there introduce the current Japanese custom of 5 o'clock in the morning teas and garden parties.

Asagao, the morning flower, is more especially Japan's own blossom than the chrysanthemum, which, like it, came from China as a primitive sort of weed, afterward to be evolved by Japanese art or magic into a floral wonder of a hundred varying forms.

We who know and grow the morning glory as a humble back yard vine on a string—a vine with leaves like those of the sweet potato and puny little pink or purple flowers—are as far in the floral darkness as the Chinese, who know it chiefly as a wild thing of fields and hedge rows, the vine of "the little trumpets" or the "dawn flower," that is entangled with briers and bushes for miles along the top of Peking's walls. The old poetry and the old art do not seem to be permeated with it, as in Japan, where the forms of vases, bowls and cups, the designs and paintings of the greatest masters, repeat the graceful lines of vine and flower, and scores of famous poems celebrate the asagao in written characters as beautiful to the eye as is their sound to the ear.

The asagao was brought to Japan with the Buddhist religion, that particular cult of early rising. Scholars and priests who went over to study the new religion brought back the seeds of many Chinese plants. The tea plant came then, and Eisai brought the seeds of the sacred bo tree, and Tai Kwan, the Chinese priest at the Obaku temple in Uji, who may have introduced the flower to Japan, was one of the first to sing of the asagao in graceful outas, classic poems which scholarly brushes repeat today. "Asagaos bloom and fade so quickly, only to prepare for the morrow's glory," is Tai Kwan's best known verse.

After a Severe Cold.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of scrofula. I was weak and debilitated and Hood's Sarsaparilla built me up and made me strong and well. After a severe cold I had catarrhal fever. I again resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla which accomplished a complete cure." SARAH E. DEVAT, Annapolis, Nova Scotia.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic, easy to take, easy to operate.

Almost Unbearable.

"I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable and I felt tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated and until I took Doan's Kidney Pills I had been unable to do my housework for over a month. These pills have made a complete cure, all my kidney and bladder troubles have disappeared and I feel like a new woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, Ont.

Worms cannot exist either in children or adults when Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is used. 25c. All dealers.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Fac-simile Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

THE DISASTER AT LONDON.

Resumption of the Inquest Into the Cause of the Terrible Disaster—The Hall's Condition.

London, Ont., Jan. 3.—The inquest in connection with the death of Edward Luxton of Centralia, Ont., one of the victims of the City Hall disaster on Monday night, Jan. 3, was resumed yesterday afternoon. James Magee, Q.C., represented the Crown, and T. G. Meredith, City Solicitor, the corporation of London.

The first witness, Mr. Henry Frank Whelter, commercial traveler, said he stood near the door, about ten feet from the platform. The floor in front of him suddenly gave way, leaving him about an inch from the gap. So far as he could judge, the platform did not break. The only noise was that caused by the falling of the floor and people. Witness saw no extraordinary movement just before the crash, neither did he see any breaking of seats. He estimated that between 250 and 300 people went down with the floor.

City Clerk C. A. Kingston said that no complaints had been made to him regarding the City Hall during his term of office, nor to his knowledge, ever had been made to the City Council, or to any city official concerning the condition of the hall. So far as he knew there was no foundation for the report that the City Hall had been complained of. The City Engineer's office, above which the floor gave way, had been so occupied for two years, previous to which it was used as a barber shop. In 1888 or 1889, a brick partition was taken out of the shop.

The next witness was Thomas Tracy, barber, who was a former occupant of the City Engineer's office, when it was leased as a barber shop. When he took possession a brick wall was removed to oblige him, and the fatal beam took its place. The wall was taken down by a contractor acting under the instructions of Col. Tracy, the City Engineer. Witness had heard that the hall was unsafe for the past 14 or 15 years, and his shaving cups used to rattle when a dance was in progress overhead. Witness did not know the basis of these rumors.

Several of those who fell with the floor then described the accident.

Henry Merrit, janitor of the City Hall, testified to the removal in 1888 of the brick support under the flooring which fell and the substitution of the fatal cross beam, which broke the night of the accident. On the opposite side of the City Hall, in the City Treasurer's office, there is a beam corresponding to that which broke, but it is supported by an iron pillar. That pillar was put up some years ago by the City Engineer because of complaints that the windows in the City Treasurer's office shook whenever there was a dance on the floor above. Witness always considered the hall safe.

Mayor Little said that during his three years' term in office he had heard no complaints of the City Hall's condition. The matter had never been discussed in Council. Witness had never questioned the hall's safety.

The inquest was then adjourned until Monday next at 2 p.m.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

How Punch and Judy Came to England.

The heyday of the puppet show in England was during the last century. Long before then strolling showmen had exhibited "drolls" or "motions"—as the English puppets were known in the early days—to crowds of gaping rustics, but it was not until the time of Steele and Addison that the puppet show became a fashionable amusement, patronized by upper tendom.

Pulcinella came to London in 1660, when an Italian puppet player set up his booth at Charing Cross and paid a small rental to the overseers of St. Martin's parish. His name was at once Englished into Punchinello, which was soon to be completely Anglicized as Punch.—Harper's Magazine.

A Contingent Name.

The Syracuse Post says that a girl baby was recently brought to a clergyman of the city to be baptized. The latter asked the name of the baby.

"Dinah M.," the father responded.

"But what does the 'M' stand for?" interrogated the minister.

"Well, I do not know yet. It all depends upon how she turns out."

"How she turns out? Why, I do not understand you," said the dominie.

"Oh, if she turns out nice and sweet and handy about the house, like her mother, I shall call her Dinah May, but if she has a fiery temper and displays a bombshell disposition, like mine, I shall call her Dinah Might."

How Thin You Look:

Do you like to hear it? If not, take Scott's Emulsion. 'Twill fill out your sunken eyes, hollow cheeks, and thin hands. Why not have a plump figure? Don't let disease steal a march on you.

Yellow Skin and Eyes.

Biliousness causes yellow skin and eyes, tired, weary, sluggish feeling, etc. Burdock Blood Bitters cleanses the blood and regulates the liver, curing all its diseases: "From a child I suffered from biliousness and headache, and all the money I spent for medicine brought me no relief. Four bottles of B. B. B. cured me completely, however, and I gladly recommend it."

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THE LONG WHITE SEAM.

As I came round the harbor buoy
The lights began to gleam.
No wave t'se landlocked water stirred.
The crags were white as cream,
And I marked my love by candle light
Sewing her long white seam.
It's aye sowing ashore, my dear,
Watch and steer at sea!
It's reef and furl and haul the line,
Set sail and think of thee!

I climbed to reach her cottage door.
Oh, sweetly my love sings!
Like a shaft of light her voice breaks forth,
My soul to meet it springs
As the shining water leaped of old
When stirred by angel wings.
Aye longing to list anew,
Awake and in my dream,
But never a song she sang like this,
Sewing her long white seam!

Fair fall the lights, the harbor lights,
That brought me in to thee,
And peace drop down on that low roof
For the sight that I did see,

And the voice, my dear, that rang so clear
All for the love of me,
For oh, for oh, with brows bent low
By the candle's flickering gleam,
Her wedding gown it was she wrought,
Sewing the long white seam!

—Jean Ingelow.

Economy and strength are combined in Hood's Sarsaparilla. Every bottle contains 100 doses and will average to last a month.

Von Moltke.

Von Moltke was originally an officer in the Danish army. At the age of 9 years he was entered as a royal cadet—i. e., he was to be educated at the expense of the king, Frederick VI, in the Copenhagen Military academy—and, having taken his examinations, he wore the Danish uniform until he, as a sub-lieutenant at the age of 27, petitioned the king for three years' leave to proceed to the continent to study the military art, as he says in his petition, "to be able on his return to employ his acquirements for the good of his country." This petition was granted, but the count also asked to be allowed to retain his pay, and as the king refused this he took his discharge and entered the Prussian army, a recruit whom that organization has every reason to hold in enduring memory.

Papa Is Excused.

Here is the latest of an enfant terrible who lords it over the home of a politician in this city, says the Toledo Blade: The minister came to the house the other day and the kid entertained him for a short time.

"I say, I'm awful 'fraid of the dark," was his first remark.

"You should not be," admonished the visitor, "for God takes care of you everywhere."

"I know it, and I say my prayers every night, but pop he don't have to, as he don't get home till 'most morning."

English In Japan.

Here are some attempts at English to be seen on the signboards in the streets of Tokyo:

"Wine, beer and other medicines."

"A shop, the kind of umbrella, parasol or stick."

"The shop for the furniture of the several countries."

"Prices, no increase or diminish."

"All kinds of 'superior sundries kept here."

"Skin maker and seller" (portmanteau shop).—London Tit-Bits.

THE ACHING BACK.

MANY women have to do their own housework. The constant bending over—making beds, sweeping, ironing, sewing—comes hard on the kidneys; cramps and strains them. Backaches, sideaches, headaches follow.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

remedy all these things simply by making the kidneys resume healthy action.

MRS. T. LANGDON, 202 Queen Street, Ottawa, Ont., says: "For two years I suffered greatly with pains in my back across the kidneys. They were very severe, and caused me great weakness so that at times I could not attend to my household duties. The medicines I took did me no good. From when I started taking Doan's Kidney Pills I experienced relief, and it took only one box to make the pains and aches all vanish."

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If you have, you don't need to suffer with it another day. Get Dr. Chase's Kidney Pills and they will give you relief as promptly and effectually as they did MR. D. C. SIMMONS, of Maybee, Ont. He says his kidneys and back were so bad he was unable to work or sleep. His urine had a brick-dust deposit, and he had to get up 3 or 4 times in the night to pass water. He has only taken half a box of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the back pain has gone, he sleeps well, and feels well enough to do any kind of work.

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If you are discussing a Chickering Piano there is an emphatic answer.

No matter what YOUR age rest assured the piano will outlive you.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

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THE KELPIE'S POOL.

Fergus Grahame lashed the water—too brown as yet from the spring rains for the trout to take freely. He felt the sense of his own freedom somewhat irksome. Perhaps his wood of Garve had cast its shadow on his spirits. On the few occasions when he had visited his ancestral towers a chill had seemed to fall on him as he entered the dark pine avenue that led to the door of Garve. Whether it came from his father's presence or from the trees he could never tell. He was beginning to know that the penalty of freedom is loneliness.

A thought suddenly came to him, and he reeled up his line and moved quickly down stream. When he came forth into the open, he was seen to be a goodly youth. He looked younger than his years, which were 26. The movement of his limbs revealed a sinewy strength whereof his slight, tall figure when at rest scarce gave promise. The face was dark and pleasant looking, but it was hardly that of a man who might be crossed with impunity. The hazel eyes could on occasion give out a flash of resolution and temper, and the lips under the brown mustache could harden into sour, stern lines.

His long strides quickly brought him to the spot near the neck of the valley where the Black wood runs down to the brink of the river and throws a skirmishing party of gnarled and veteran trees across to the farther bank. The water, instead of roaring and tumbling unceasingly over the rocks in its narrow bed, moves by leaps, with rests between. Below the projecting ledges and the writhing fir roots the turbid stream dashes over mossy bowlders into pot holes of unfathomed depth, where the froth spins dizzily all day long. There the trout love to lie, and the most noted of the pools on the Garryvalt was that in which the old bull trout had taken up his quarters. It was said that he had been known for a generation to haunt this spot. Marvelous tales were told of the size and the cunning of this specimen of the Salmo ferox. Every lure had been employed to capture him, but fly and bait, and even hand net and "leister," had all been tried in vain. From his favorite shelter under a great stone this leviathan of the burn seemed to laugh at the attempts to put a hook into his jaw and draw him forth. At length the country people had come to regard him and his pool with a feeling of fear and awe. He had inherited in their eye some of the attributes of his predecessor, the waterkelpie. It was impossible to take him. It was dangerous to try.

The fortunate youth has resolved to give up his day to making spoil of the ancient bull trout. He was free to choose, among other things, the bank of the river whence he should fish. Looking over the family papers last night, he had noticed that the march of his lands with the neighboring estate of the Stewarts of Drumbane followed not the stream, but the skirt of the wood. It crossed the water and inclosed both sides of Kelpie's pool. Fergus had some vague memory that the spot had been the scene or the occasion, or both, of the long feud that had raged between the Grahames of Garve and the Stewarts of Drumbane, but the tale eluded him when he sought to recall it. In his wading boots and with the aid of his rod he crossed the slippery stones to the other bank, and, taking up his position on a platform of rock raised a dozen feet above the surface of the black and troubled water, began dexterously whipping the Kelpie's pool.

The great trout, it seemed, was not at home, or he sulked in his watery cave, scornfully regardless of the red back fly that so persistently lit and skimmed on the water over his nose. At least he made no sign. Meanwhile time passed, and the sun rose higher. The light forced its way everywhere save to the shadowy side of the pool. To the ear of the fisher the hoarse, monotonous chant of the falling waters seemed to be broken now and again by a low chuckle of laughter, as of some elfish thing that mocked his efforts. Still, he had no intention of abandoning his quest, and he tried a new lure. Hardly had he made a fresh cast when he became aware of two figures watching him from the cliff behind. One was a big man, with a beard like a wisp of dry heather, clad in rough Harris tweeds—unmistakably a gillie or gamekeeper. He carried a fishing rod and basket and was evidently in attendance on the slim and upright little lady at his side. Though the water was his, in the legal sense and in the sporting, Fergus' first impulse would have been to cede the place to the lady and to move elsewhere. But the giant trout gave him no choice. Our fathers believe that there is a magic in circling passes and in woven paces, especially when made over running water, that is strong enough to conjure the fish from the flood and even the stars from the sky. Perhaps the rod and the feet, helped by the will of the fisher, had unconsciously wrought this spell of power and drawn the laggard from his lair. Be this as it may, there were in the pool a sudden rush and a mighty splash, and the line ran out with a scream.

"It's either the trout or the devil," muttered the angler as he bent all his thought and skill to playing his unruly victim and keeping him clear of the rocks. Had his mind been less engrossed in his task he might almost have heard what was being spoken behind him.

"Somebody has got before us, Sandy," said the heiress of Drumbane in a vexed voice. She, too, had issued forth that morning bent on making a prey of the great trout. "Who is he?"

"Nae doot ane o' thae cockney vecsitors frae the Clashmore hotel, Miss Elsie," Sandy responded in tones of pronounced disgust. "Do they think wi' their bits o' permits they hae the wyle o' the haill water? Does he ken he's trespassin?"

With Sandy Tosh to "trespass" was more heinous than to commit the seven deadly sins.

"He has spoiled our day. He has taken a great liberty," spoke Sandy's mistress, looking down with sparkling eyes of disfavor on the stranger.

"Dagon him, he's done waur. He's hookit oor big troot!" cried the gillie in uncontrollable excitement as he hastened with great leaps down to the scene of action, followed by the lady.

Fergus Grahame was in the critical part of his struggle with the fish when a wrathful voice at his elbow shouted:

"Put up your rod, my man, an clear awa' oot o' this."

Hardly taking in the sense of the words, he called out fiercely over his shoulder:

"Hold your confounded noise, can't you? Don't you see I've got the trout on the hook?"

At the same moment a hand was laid roughly on the collar of his coat. There was a sudden jerk, and the fish broke away, carrying with it hook and gut.

Fergus dropped the rod and wheeled about in a white fury, and the huge highlander, taking utterly unawares by the fierce onslaught, found himself in an instant shot over the edge of the rock into the depths of the Kelpie's pool. The young laird of Garve gazed after him till he saw him clamber on to the submerged bowlder underneath which the great trout made his retreat. The rocks were too steep and slippery to be climbed by a drenched and unnerved man. Sandy Tosh waist deep in the water could merely cling to them desperately, swearing and loudly calling for help in English and Gaelic and glancing behind him into the mysterious depths of the pool, as much in superstitious terror as in bodily fear.

Fergus Grahame faced about again to confront a new antagonist. The hot blood of her race flushed Elsie Stewart's cheeks. The fire of battle was in her eyes. Her head was held aloft. Her hands were tightly clinched. Had a sword been in her grasp she would have run him through.

"You coward! You murderer!" she cried, stamping her little foot on the rock.

Grahame was now quite cool. He looked straight and steadily into her eyes. Never had a woman seemed so fair in his sight.

"Your man is quite safe and unhurt," he said quietly. "Listen to him!" And indeed Sandy's bellow was easily heard above the roar of the lin.

She made to pass him and to scramble down to the water's edge to the rescue of her clamorous henchman, but her woman's skirts were a hopeless impediment.

"Permit me, Miss Stewart," said the imperturbable young man. "I'll gaff him for you in a moment."

With a skillful but not too gentle hand Sandy was gaffed by the collar and brought floundering and gasping to the bank as if he had been the big trout himself. He rose upright, with the water streaming from his clothes and his great beard and forming a pool at his feet, and stood waiting for a signal from his young mistress, irresolute whether to fight or to fly. Fergus Grahame settled the matter.

"Run up to Garve House and get a change of clothes and a dram. There's half a sovereign for your wetting and your fright. Do you know, man," he added, with a touch of malice, "that you've been guilty of trespass as well as assault?"

At the word "trespass" Sandy Tosh quailed and disappeared in the direction of the dram. The anger had not fled from the eyes of the lady of Drumbane. Into them, however, had come some confusion.

"You are the trespasser, sir," she said proudly.

"You are welcome to fish and walk where you like on Garve, Miss Stewart," he replied composedly. "But I think you will find that I am standing on my own ground."

The young laird strode home less fancy free than before. A new presence seemed to haunt the vistas of the Black wood—a face fair and proud, eyes menacing and scornful that might yet kindle with the light of love. He had been balked in his wish to bring home the great trout. Was he setting forth on a longer and more ticklish quest?

As for Elsie, she was left sole mistress of the field of quarrel, but hot and vexed at heart. What was this young man that he should have tripped up, along with the heels of her gillie, her own maidenly composure and taken from her a woman's dearest privilege—the right of the last word? It was hopeless any longer to think of seeking the wily guardian of the pool when the stranger had failed. There was that in the bull trout's jaw that would keep him from rising to fly for many a day.

Next morning saw her pony at the office door, in the main street of Clashmore, of the "old writer," who was agent and local adviser for the family of Drumbane, as well as for Garve and for other properties around. She got small comfort.

"Sandy Tosh may thank his stars that he got off with a ducking, the gomeril!" said the lawyer dryly. "The ground is Garve's. The question has been fought with sharp steel by the waterside and with counsels' tongues in the court of session, and there is no longer room for doubt."

"But I have stood there and fished scores of times," objected Miss Stewart of Drumbane, "and the old laird has watched me when he thought I did not see him and never said a word."

"Naturally you are your mother's own image, forbye having her quick temper, and this lad, if I am not mistaken, has a good swatch of his father's dourness. You know that 80 years ago Garve and Drumbane were to have joined acres and fortunes?"

"I have heard something. Tell me about it."

"The marriage day was fixed when they quarreled beside the Kelpie's pool, their trysting place. What the quarrel was about there is none that knows unless it be the big trout of the spirit of mischief. But neither would make it up, and they went their several ways. Your mother married her cousin, and Norman Grahame went abroad for his wife."

"And evil came of it," murmured the girl, her bright eyes clouding and dimming with memories.

"Nay, there was one very charming result," was the gallant response.

Elsie was silent for a little. Then a whimsical thought came into her head:

"Then this young man narrowly escaped being my brother?"

"He is no doubt better pleased with things as they are."

"That is not a compliment to me, Mr. Falconer," said Miss Stewart of Drumbane, willfully misunderstanding.

The courtly old lawyer saw his fair client to the door. As he helped her to mount there was the rattle of wheels careering along the Clashmore causeway. Young Grahame drove past, sitting in a high trap behind his swift stepping mare. He raised his whip arm in salutation to the factor and glanced with suppressed eagerness at his companion. At last came his reward. She bowed slightly and smiled. The eyes of the old friend of the family followed them as they went their different ways. When she had ridden a few paces, the lady, as if moved by some will more powerful than her own, turned her head and looked after the charioteer. He, too, was gazing backward, while his mare pranced and curveted to the peril of the gas lamps and windows of Clashmore, his whip raised aloft as if it was another wishing wand. Then the shrewd man of affairs smiled in his turn.

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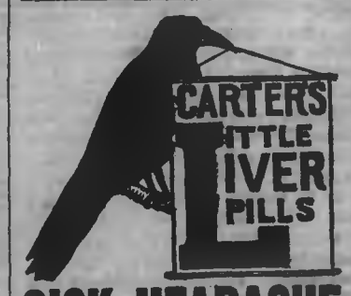

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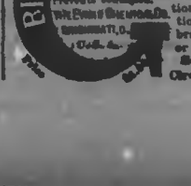

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Every Carcase Was Inspected Carefully—Cleland Calls St. John a Bully.

In the piggery inquiry this morning the Government kept its promise, and put in evidence which seems effectually to discredit Mr. St. John's case. The man who received the hogs at the Central Prison, a butcher of thirty years' standing, swore positively that not one in the 97 was unsound, and that if there had been any signs of disease he could not have failed to see them.

Another important point as to which there has been some doubt hitherto was cleared up. It was shown that Dr. Sweetapple inspected the hogs after all of them had been taken to the Central Prison. His certificate of soundness, therefore, applies not to a few of the hogs, but to the whole of them.

AN EXPERT'S EVIDENCE.

The Government called Charles Moore, who has been employed eighteen years in the Government slaughter house. Moore testified that he had been a butcher for thirty years. He received the hogs at the cold storage house at the Central Prison. He received them from William Newton. The delivery was finished about seven o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, July 14th, 1896. The hogs were put in cold storage, all except some four or five that were hung in the slaughter house. Dr. Sweetapple inspected the hogs first about one o'clock on Monday, the 13th. At that time there were some thirty hogs in storage.

On the Tuesday evening Dr. Sweetapple inspected the hogs a second time. This time the doctor was accompanied by Hunter, the Government cattle buyer. Moore was not present at this inspection.

Mr. St. John questioned Moore closely on this point, and told him that Dr. Sweetapple testified that he had not seen the hogs on the second night. Moore swore positively that if Dr. Sweetapple had said that he had made a mistake.

Subsequently, as will be seen, Dr. Sweetapple accepted Moore's correction.

The hogs were all carted away by Harris, the butcher, on the following morning, Wednesday, the 15th.

The four or five hogs in the slaughter house were not examined by Sweetapple. Moore, however, examined them closely himself and said they were in good condition.

"Would you eat them yourself?"

"Yes."

Harris, who bought the hogs, also examined them. He examined every hog that he took away.

Moore denied that the carcases were mutilated. He denied that they showed spots. If there had been mutilations or spots he would have seen them. He examined the hogs closely enough for that.

CALLED ST. JOHN A BULLY.

Mr. St. John took the witness in hand and spent time some in the examination of departmental regulations. In this pursuit he succeeded in stirring up one of those little discussions which have characterized the progress of the enquiry from the beginning.

Colonel Matheson complained that the Government officials sitting about the room were trying to prompt the witness, and he suggested that any such interrupter be expelled from the room.

But Mr. Cleland declared that the trouble lay in the manner of cross-examination. He protested against the bullying manner adopted by Mr. St. John; the demand for an answer, "yes or no," and similar tactics. This was a committee of the Legislature, not a court of law. The evidence was conflicting. The committee wanted to get at the truth, but it could never do so if the enquiry were to pursue the lines laid down by Mr. St. John. Mr. St. John treated the witnesses as if they were criminals, or defendants in a divorce court.

Colonel Matheson declared that such question were necessary, because witnesses in the enquiry had perjured themselves.

The storm blown over, Mr. St. John tried to find why Moore had no books to show the handling of these particular hogs. Moore replied that Hunter had told him all about the hogs; that they had been slaughtered at the piggery; that they had been sent to the prison for cold storage purposes alone. Therefore, as they were not to be distributed to any of the Government institutions, as is all meat slaughtered at the Central Prison, there was no reason why he should make an entry of them.

NOT A TRACE OF DISEASE.

Moore declared most emphatically, and under rigid examination repeated and reinforced his declaration, that he himself examined every hog in the ninety-seven, and found no traces of disease in any of them.

Dr. Sweetapple was recalled by Mr. Harcourt, who asked him if placing the carcasses in cold storage would have removed any cholera spots that might have been on them. The doctor replied that the cold would have had no effect on spots, or, as he called them, "extravasations."

Mr. St. John produced his book, Miller and Tellor, again. Dr. Sweetapple denied that it was an authority.

"Miller is the chief veterinary official of the United States," said Mr. St. John, "and yet you say this book is not an authority."

The doctor was silent.

"Well," said Mr. St. John, "we'll let that pass. What do you say to Miller's statement that the flesh of hogs suffering from any form of cholera is unfit for human food?"

Dr. Sweetapple declined to contradict this statement. He said, however, that it had never been proved.

Then Mr. Davis asked him as to Moore's testimony that he had inspected the hogs a second time. He reminded the committee that, as he originally testified, he had taken no memoranda as to the date of his visits to the cold storage. He remembered, however, that, having visited the cattle market one evening with Hunter, Hunter had driven him back by way of the prison. He now professed his entire willingness to accept the statement that he had inspected the hogs on the second evening. This is quite in accord with his original testimony, in which he said he was not quite positive as to the date of his visit, and that if Hunter were to say that he had seen the hogs on the second evening he would not deny it.

Now, Moore swears positively that on the evening of Tuesday, the 14th—that is to say, on the second evening, Dr. Sweetapple, accompanied by Mr. Hunter, visited the cold storage house. At that time all of the hogs but the four hanging in the four hangings in the slaughter house were in cold storage. The inference, therefore, is that Dr. Sweetapple inspected them all and found them all sound.

The enquiry will be resumed on Tuesday, but it is pretty generally believed now that Mr. St. John's progress in the establishment of his charges will be purely nominal.

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Marmora, Jan. 7.

An incident of great benefit to the mining district of North Hastings, and one of similar interest to the whole province, took place lately at the Belmont mine, near this place, now being operated by the Cordova Exploration Co., Limited, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England. I refer to the official opening of the company's new stamp mill by Miss Grace Carscallen, daughter of A. W. Carscallen, M.P., who formerly owned and developed the property.

The opening took place in the presence of a number of persons who had been invited by the general manager, Mr. David G. Kerr, of Glasgow, Scotland, late Superintendent of one of the mines of this same company in Norway, who arrived in this country to take charge of the property on the 15th of August last.

In company with Mr. Kerr, the party made an examination of the main shaft, which is sunk to a depth of 132 feet, and is now being still further developed by sinking and drifting. A level is being run at a depth of seventy feet and one at the bottom of the shaft. Both of the levels are turning out good ore, highly mineralised and rich in the precious metal.

The shaft house over the opening of the shaft is large and capacious, with a dressing room for the men attached. It contains a large steam hoist, steam pump, ore cars, or skips and all the adjuncts necessary to speedy and economical taking from the bowels of the earth the quartz containing the gold. From the shaft house to the mill, a distance of 200 feet, is erected a very substantial tramway, on which is laid the track over which the cars containing the ore are run to the mill, and are dumped on to the grisly, through which the smaller pieces go to the ore bin. The larger pieces are put through the large Blake crusher, and are broken to the proper size to be fed into the stamp battery below by two self-feeders, which are gauged so that only the proper quantity is fed to each battery of stamps. Below the latter are the amalgamation tables, on which is collected the precious metal freed by the stamps. Below the amalgamation table are two vanners, over which the pulp is run and the concentrates are collected and saved for future treatment.

On the arrival of the party in the engine room, Miss Carscallen very gracefully and courageously pulled the lever starting the machinery, when every part of the plant was set in motion, and the regular dropping of the stamps soon reduced to a pulp the ore being therein, the steady flow of water taking it over the plates, soon coating them with a covering of amalgam, which, after being retorted and melted, yields the bright yellow gold so pleasant to the eye and so greedily sought after by high and low.

While it is impossible to give a full description of the mine and plant in a short article that would be understood by the general public, it is only right to say that Mr. Kerr, the competent and experienced manager, who, in the few short months since his arrival in a strange country, with conditions with which he was wholly unfamiliar, has worked such a transformation, deserves the highest praise. The completion of this plant, the thorough renovation and remodeling of the shafts in the most modern and scientific manner, the erection of the necessary buildings, shaft houses, tank house, brick assay office, and many other minor but necessary details in so short a time is certainly worthy of commendation and shows what experience, coupled with energy and close attention to one's business, can do.

The mill was erected and the machinery built and put in place by the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Limited, of Peterborough, and speaks well for this firm, who are so widely and favourably known throughout the Dominion as mining machinery manufacturers. The construction was under the supervision of Mr. Richard Proust, of Marmora, which in itself is a sufficient guarantee of excellence, strength and convenience.

The whole plant reflects credit upon all connected with it and especially on Mr. Kerr, the effects of whose guiding hand are everywhere visible, making it the most complete, substantial and convenient mill the writer has ever seen.

After the ceremony of opening and inspection was over, and after visiting the assay office which is in charge of Mr. Geo. Hardy, chemist, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, a young employee of the Cordova Exploration Co., the party were entertained to a sumptuous repast at the manager's residence.

The whole day passed agreeably and profitably and our thanks are due to Mr Kerr for a very pleasant time.

NOTES.

The Belmont is booming up and will soon be a gold shipper of some magnitude. The development work being done is proving the property to be rich, and the daily working of the stamps with the regular clean up of the gold, substantiate the favorable reports always made by experts who have examined it. The men forming the company who are working it, are probably the wealthiest in England. They are, at all events, the largest employers of labour in that country. I wish them success. This section is having good times. The Canadian Gold Fields Co., Limited, and the Cordova Exploration Co., both employ a large number of men and are paying out monthly in the neighbourhood of $7,000 to $10,000. This means prosperity, and the best part of it is they have come to stay.

A reliable party states that the Canadian Gold Fields Company have capitalized their property at £10,000,000 sterling and are preparing to extract the arsenic and sulphur from the tailings at their Deloro mine. Our informant adds that arsenic is now worth $105 per ton, there being but three years' supply on hand in the word. This, he says, gives to operators in this region virtually a "corner" in arsenic.

ATTRACTIONS.

The game of basket ball between the Peterborough and Belleville association teams in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium on Thursday evening will be interesting. There will be an exhibition between the halves of the game.

The first concert of the season under Y. M.C.A. auspices will be held in Association Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25. The artists will be Miss Tessie McCallum, elocutionist, and Miss Zeigler, soprano.

Yesterday Rev. A. T. Dykeman gave a practical address at the men's meeting on the subject, "The Evidences of Conversion."

In the boys' department a pop corn social for members only will be held Friday evening.

The new feature in connection with the Saturday evening meetings will be introduced this week and continued at all future meetings. The practical points of the Sunday School lesson for the following Sunday will be discussed by different leaders.

The Secretary's Sunday Bible class will also have a new feature next Sunday in the form of a question box.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to R.S.O., chapter 110 and amending Acts, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Thomas Brooks, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, manufacturer, deceased, who died on or about the 8th day of November, 1897, are required on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, to send by post prepaid or deliver to E. B. Stone, 374½ Water street, Peterborough, Ont., Solicitor for Frank Brooks, Arthur M. Brooks, Burton H. Brooks and Julia E. Brooks, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their christian and surnames, addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims, the statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them.

And that after such date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice and said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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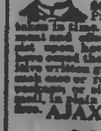

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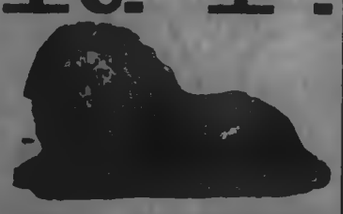

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The Minister of Customs Issues a Circular Full of Clear-Cut Information to Civil Servants Who May Wish to Influence the Department in Their Favor—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 11.—The case of Mrs. Sternaman, convicted at Cayuga of murder, is now receiving the consideration of the Minister of Justice. It is believed that the chances are in favor of the law being allowed to take its course.

A Treasury Board Minute.

Hon. Wm. Paterson has caused the issuance of a circular to all Collectors of Customs, calling the attention of all inside and outside service employes of the department to a minute of the Treasury Board of Jan. 28, 1879, which in part reads as follows:

"The Treasury Board have observed with much regret the growing practice on the part of gentlemen employed in the public service, to endeavor to influence the Minister to accede to their applications for increase of salary or additional retiring allowance, by means of the private solicitations of members of Parliament and other persons of political influence. It is the duty as well as the wish of the board to whom these matters are referred to give the most careful consideration to every representation made to them in the recognized way, on behalf of any public servant, whatever be his social status or his official promotion, and also with regard to the amount of his retiring allowances on quitting the public service. It is the practice of the board to consider questions of salary with reference to the duties and responsibilities of the individual or class whose case is brought before them, and to decide upon them after communication with the heads of the department concerned.

"In fixing the amount of retiring allowance in those cases where the Legislature has left the board a discretion, they have been in the habit of proceeding upon certain principles which they have prescribed for themselves and within the limit of those principles they endeavor to deal with each case impartially upon its merits.

"It appears to the board that any attempt on the part of an officer to approach them on these matters through the private intercession of persons unconnected with his department, is virtually imputing to the board, either that it is likely to turn a deaf ear to a reasonable application unless supported by political influence, or that it may be induced to accede to an unreasonable application if such influence be brought to bear upon it. The board declines either alternative. In order to prevent for the future any misapprehension upon this subject, they wish it to be understood by every public officer, that any attempt made by him to obtain their sanction to his application by any such solicitation as is hereinbefore referred to, will be treated by them as an admission on the part of such officer that the case is not good upon its merits, and such application will be dealt with by them accordingly."

W. T. Crandall, who has been acting as agent of the Department of Agriculture is England for several months, has returned to Canada. He superintended the marketing of the trial shipments of fruit and then waited over to watch the sale of poultry. Despite advices and warnings given to shippers, large consignments of poultry for the English market were sent over in an unsalable condition. English purchasers call for dressed birds, and although this fact was strongly impressed upon farmers by the department, little attention was paid to it. Those who sent over poultry dressed will derive fair returns as a result of their venture, but there will be practically little or no profit for those who sent over poultry in the feather. As demonstrating the difference in price, it may be stated that Canadian birds unplucked only brought 7d per pound in retail stores, while Irish birds plucked, but not as good as the Canadian, brought 9d.

Judge Lavergne, Major Gourdeau, Deputy Minister of Marine, and Commander Wakeham have been appointed a commission to enquire into alleged grievances of St. Lawrence pilots, and also into the complaints of shipping men against the pilots.

Edward L. Bond, a leading underwriter of Montreal, is in town to-day on business connected with the St. Lawrence channel. Mr. Bond has been taking a prominent part in the agitation in Montreal to improve the channel buoys and lights, which have been too few in number, and sometimes not satisfactorily placed.

There has been much discussion in the Montreal Board of Trade on these questions, and the feeling is strong there that the port will lose business seriously if a change for the better is not effected for the navigation of the river.

An admirable pamphlet, prepared by Mr. M. St. John, on the Mineral Resources of Canada, has just been issued by the Department of the Interior. It shows the principal localities in which precious and other metals are mined, how to get there, and the best places for prospectors and miners to obtain their outfits, embellished with a map and some good views.

Another contingent of Mounted Police, consisting of 20 officers and men, will leave Regina for the Yukon on Wednesday. They will sail from Vancouver on the 16th.

The Minister of Justice has three capital cases under consideration.

Judge Dugas, who is going out to the Crow's Nest Pass as a commissioner to investigate the complaints of the workmen, arrived here yesterday. He and Mr. Pedley leave for the west to-day.

Prof. Robertson, Agricultural Commissioner, leaves for Lindsay to-day, where he is to attend the annual convention of the Butter and Cheese Association of Eastern Ontario.

The Right Hon. Horace Plunkett, M. P., who spent a few days in the city, left for England on Saturday.

The Minister of Customs has decided to send an officer to the Stickeen next week.

A. T. Freed, Hamilton's Inspector of Weights and Measures, is here. He is the advance guard of the inspectors who are to revise the regulations pertaining to this branch of the service.

FIGHTING IN CUBA

Gallant Defence of a Fort by Spanish Soldiers Against the Cuban Insurgents—Loss Large.

Havana, Jan. 11.—News from Spanish sources just received here gives an account of what appears to have been a gallant defence of a fort in Santiago de Cuba by Spanish troops. It seems that the principal fortifications protecting the buildings of the central plantation of Ysabel, belonging to Beattie & Company, an English concern, at Media Lima, near Manzanillo, was attacked by a strong force of insurgents during the night of Jan. 9. The insurgent had with them, it is claimed, a rapid-fire cannon, which they placed in position about 600 metres from the fort and behind an embankment of earth a yard thick and about 18 inches high. At the same time 200 insurgents captured the machinery house of the plantation. The fort defending the latter consisted of a brick building two storeys high and in the form of a cross. It was surrounded by wire fences and ditches, and was garrisoned by 96 soldiers, under the command of Captain Esterban Benedicto Manilo, who had two lieutenants under him.

At 6 o'clock in the morning the insurgents began cannonading the Spanish fort, and in the afternoon they began an attack upon it from both sides of the river, and eventually they tried to take it by assault, but they were repulsed. Thereupon the insurgents resumed their artillery fire and kept it up until dark.

The bombardment of the fort was quite severe. The insurgents fired 64 shots, and several of the projectiles exploded within the fort, destroying the walls and compelling the garrison to seek refuge behind the earthworks. From there the soldiers continued the fight and succeeded in beating off the enemy.

The fort was relieved by Capt. Oryan, in command of the local guerilla force of Niquera, and a detachment of Spanish infantry, reinforced by two cannons. The Spaniards then attacked the insurgent earthworks and compelled the enemy to retire with severe loss. The garrison of the fort lost 17 men killed and had 85 men injured.

BACK TO THE LAND.

New York's Typographical Union So Decides for the Unemployed.

New York, Jan. 11.—How to find work for the unemployed in large cities, on a self-sustaining basis, is a question which Typographical Union No. 6 is trying to solve. The officers of the union have come to the conclusion that the cultivation of unused land is the most reasonable form of relief, and it has unanimously decided to make use of vacant lot farms.

F. H. Goodyear of Buffalo, President of the Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad and owner of 100,000 acres of land in Northwestern Pennsylvania, has offered to Big Six a tract of from 1,000 to 2,000 acres for a colony. He expects the presence of a colony to bring business to his railroad. Title would be conveyed after the colony was fairly established. The union is expected to raise $10,000 and the donor of the land will contribute a like amount. The union appointed a committee to consider the project.

Medals for the Militia.

London, Jan. 11.—(Telegram Cable.)—Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia in the Dominion Government, sails on Wednesday. It is almost certain that he takes with him an official decision granting long service medals to Canadian volunteers.

The President of the Board of Trade has called a meeting, the object of which is to certify to societies mentioned in Lloyd's Register Bureau. The question of loadline imposed on vessels plying between northern and southern ports will be re-considered. If the regulations now in force vessels from southern ports are allowed deeper loading during the winter months. The Grand Trunk Railway and the Lehigh Valley road are interested.

OFFICIAL SALARIES.

Government Bill Subjecting Them to Garnishee.

THE SALE OF PATENT MEDICINES

Hon. Mr. Hardy Explains the Measure Regulating the Sale of Such Preparations—An Amendment to the Election Act—Many Bills Advanced a Stage.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—The House had a busy routine session yesterday, and rose early that the Government might have an opportunity of giving a hearing to the James Bay Railway deputation. An important feature of the day was the introduction by the Premier of a bill providing for the garnishee of the salaries of civil servants.

Hon. J. M. Gibson introduced and had read a first time a bill respecting incorporated townships.

The following bills were read for the third and last time:

Respecting the Hamilton and Dundas Railway Company.

Respecting the Sisters of St. Joseph for the Diocese of Toronto, in Upper Canada.

To incorporate the Ottawa Stock Exchange.

Relating to the City Hospital of Hamilton.

Respecting the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897.

The Attorney-General's bill to amend the Election Act passed the committee stage after being amended so as to remove the polling division at Jack Fish from East Algoma and add it to West Algoma for election purposes.

The House went into committee upon the bill respecting the sale of patent and other medicines and of alcohol for the purposes of arts and manufactures.

The Attorney-General explained the changes proposed by the bill. The bill was passed through committee and stands for third reading. As it now stands it provides that chemists and merchants who deal in patent or proprietary medicines may sell any patent or proprietary medicine in the original and unbroken package, which contains only sufficient alcohol to hold the medicinal constituents thereof in solution or to prevent fermentation. Chemists may also sell tinctures, fluid extracts, essences, medicated spirits or perfumes containing alcohol and prepared according to any recognized standard work on pharmacy, and when in original packages the same may also be sold by merchants dealing in drugs and medicines elsewhere than in a city. The sale of drugs and medicines containing alcohol by a chemist for strictly medicinal purposes is confined to a quantity which does not exceed six ounces of alcohol, and an exception is made in cases of emergency arising from the serious injury or fainting of any person who may be brought or shall come into a drug store, or in the immediate neighborhood, in which case a druggist may sell not more than six ounces of liquor without the medical certificate required by the Liquor License Act. Chemists or merchants who keep patent or proprietary medicines for sale are required to allow any officer of the license branch to take away samples for the purpose of analysis. The Act is to be read with and as a part of the Liquor License and Pharmacy Acts, and the penalties of the first-named Act will apply when medicinal preparations are found to have been sold as a colorable evasion of that Act.

The Premier's bill relating to judgment summonses and other matters passed the committee stage. As explained before in these columns it curtails the power of Division Court judges to commit judgment debtors to jail.

The Attorney-General's bill to amend the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act, passed the committee stage, as also did Hon. Mr. Ross' bill to extend the separate representation of Victoria on the Toronto University Senate.

The following bills were read a second time: The Attorney-General's bill to allow the investment of court funds in municipal debentures, and the bill to amend the Act respecting the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors.

Mr. Crawford asked for a second reading for his bill to amend the Municipal Act.

The Attorney-General objected and the bill was referred to the Municipal Committee.

Mr. Farwell's bill to amend the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act was read a second time.

Attempted Murder in Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Alfred Thomas, a colored man 30 years of age, went into Debney's restaurant, 208 York street, at 5.30 last night, and fired two shots into his wife, Lizzie Thomas, a white woman, from whom he had been separated for the past nine months. The woman is in St. Michael's hospital with two bullet wounds in the abdomen, one only of the bullets has been extracted. She will likely die. Thomas is in jail. This is the second attempt he has made to kill his wife.

Ballington Booth's Boat Wrecked.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The American brig Manson, official representative on the sea of Ballington Booth's American Volunteers, is stranded on Turner's Lamp, off the Delaware coast, and will be a total loss. The crew was saved.

Mrs. Nack Sentenced.

New York, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Nack was allowed to plead guilty of manslaughter in the first degree to-day, and was sentenced to 15 years in the Auburn State prison.

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—How Relieved.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—"I have had a good opportunity of noting the great medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My wife has been a sufferer from catarrh for the past four years, and the disease had gone so far that the bones of the nose had become affected and particles had come away through an opening in the left side. Her eyesight was also affected to the extent that for nearly a year she was unable to read for more than five minutes at a time. She suffered

Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURSDEN.

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DISHONEST JOURNALISM.

THE Mail and Empire over-reaches itself in the bitter unfairness it manifests in treating political matters. It sticks at no perversion of the truth. It still insists that the policy of the Ontario Government is, as it brazingly asserts, "Our Logs for Michigan Lumbermen." Everybody knows that this has never been, and is not now, the policy of the Ontario Government. Everybody knows that the policy and practice of the Liberal and Conservative Governments since Confederation has been the same in regard to our timber, and that in 1878 a policy was agreed on between both sides of the House. Everybody knows that in regard to timber limits sold in 1890, the condition was attached that the logs cut then should be manufactured in Ontario. Everybody knows that the Government has decided, and the the Legislature will enact before the session is over, that every log cut on Ontario limits after the 30th April must be manufactured in Ontario. And knowing all this, the Mail and Empire brazenly prints the falsehood quoted. If the people of Ontario were illiterate and could not read, such shameless perversion of facts as that employed by the chief Conservative organ might pass. But with a thinking, reading people such attempts to mislead will recoil on the organ—"return to plague the inventor." If the Mail and Empire insists on "rubbing in" the mark of the beast in its forehead, it must look to have its assertions discredited when, by chance, they happen to be, by some momentary lapse, in a line with truth.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THE style of the Ontario Opposition is pig-sty-le.

THE Ottawa Free Press says: "A sure sign of an approaching general election and an eighth Liberal victory. The Conservative papers are figuring out the seats they are "going to win," but never do win. They did this in 1871, in 1875, in 1879, in 1883, in 1886, in 1890, in 1894. They are doing it again in 1898. They will doubtless do it again in the year one of the coming century. It is a very vain repetition."

THE Toronto Telegram says:—Ontario journalism is represented in the present legislature by two publishers of more than ordinary ability. The talents of J. R. Stratton, of Peterborough, and Andrew Patullo, of Oxford, are sufficient to equip them for careers as useful as the career of W. D. Balfour.

THE National Magazine for January, contains what is called a "strong article" on the present political and social condition of Canada, by Charles Aubrey Eaton.

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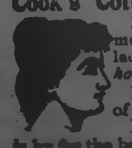

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THE publishers of text books for the schools of Ontario are from time to time required to furnish to the Government a statement of the school books furnished during the year. Taking the average cost during the last three years for those students attending school it is shown that the cost of text books to the pupils attending the public schools of Ontario averaged 19 2-5 cents per pupil. This is certainly not an extravagant sum, such as Opposition critics would try to make the people believe. Opposition bubbles pricked by the point of fact show similar results in all their reckless charges.

THE Jubilee year was not all padded with show and fuss and feathers. It had its solid side, too. The component elements of the empire were welded, under the white heat of Jubilee enthusiasm, into closer relations, and now Great Britain has to chronicle the biggest foreign trade for 1897 in her history, the enormous sum of £745,423,000, or three thousand seven hundred and twenty-seven million dollars. There's plenty of life in the old empire yet. Detractors may talk of decay and waning influence, but every day adds to the grip of the roots of the empire on the frame work of the globe.

THE mineral output of West Kootenay for the year, or rather the mineral exports from that district for 1897, according to the Nelson Tribune, exceed in value eight millions of dollars. The mineral exports for the month total in value $598,950. Of this value gold represents $224,567; copper, $48,710; lead, $64,629; silver, $253,043; gold bullion, $3,976. The entries for the December week bring the total value of mineral exports for 1897 up to $8,136,696. Including 401,162 pounds of matte from the Trail smelter, and $719,132 worth of product shipped via Revelstoke to 31st October, the total sent out of Kootenay was 53,525 tons ore, of a total value of $8,136,696.

IN a paragraph commenting on the complaint of the Irish World, New York that the Irish do not get a fair share of official recognition in the United States, the Globe remarks: "We are inclined to think that Canada is more liberal—or perhaps it is better to say more just—in its treatment of race and religious minorities than the United States. Two Premiers out of seven since Confederation have been Catholics, one a French Canadian, and there are always five or six Catholics in the Cabinet. There has never been a Catholic President of the United States, and there have been very few, if any, Catholic members of an American Ministry. Ontario has a Catholic Minister and a Catholic Speaker of the Legislature, and we believe that in the Catholic Province of Quebec Protestants are treated with equal consideration." All our citizens, of whatever race, are Canadians, and have their share in national affairs according to the capacity they show.

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Baby Fell and Killed Itself.

Kingsville, Ont., Jan. 10.—The 10-months-old baby of Mr. and Mrs Samuel Ewing, whilst sleeping in a baby carriage Saturday morning, awakened and fell out on the floor, alighting on its head, causing concussion of the brain. The child remained in spasms all the forenoon and died in the afternoon.

Canada Overlooked.

London, Jan. 10.—Surprise is expressed here that the Admiralty authorities in despatching naval officers to join the vessels of the British squadron in Chinese waters should send them by way of the Suez Canal in preference to the Canadian route.

More Fashionable Barbarity.

London, Jan. 10.—Living tortoises, with their backs covered with jewels, attached by a gold chain to ladies' dresses, are the rage in Paris. They cost about £16. The society for the protection of animals is agitating the matter.

License Inspector Cole is Dead.

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 10.—Seth Cole, License Inspector for the city of Brantford, with but a short illness, died at an early hour Sunday morning.

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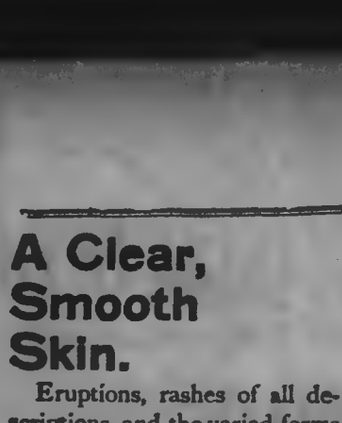

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OUTBREAK IN UGANDA, AFRICA.

Lieut. Macdonald and Missionary Pilkington Killed—Fears for a General Soudanese Revolt—Troops for the Front—Tenders for India Bills to Provide Currency—Cable News.

London, Jan. 11.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail declares that, despite denials, the French Government is aware that Captain Marchand has occupied Fashoda, and it intends to base a claim to possession of that region in priority of occupation. The correspondent says, moreover, that the French Government regards this as the most critical issue in foreign politics.

FIGHTING IN UGANDA.

Lieut. Macdonald and Missionary Pilkington Slain—Troops Hurrying Forward.

London, Jan. 11.—A despatch from Mombasa, capital of the coast province in the British East Africa protectorate, says news of renewed fighting in Uganda has been received there from Fort Lubwas, in the Usoga country, under date of Dec. 19. Lieut. Macdonald, brother of Major Macdonald, the commander of the British forces, and Mr. Pilkington, the missionary, have been killed.

Troops are hurrying to the front from Machakos Station. It is reported that the garrison at Buddu, numbering 300 Soudanese under two officers, may join the revolt.

No further details are given. Mr. Pilkington was one of the leading Englishmen in Uganda. He joined Major Macdonald after the mutiny of the Soudanese, to act as interpreter.

The rebellion among the Soudanese soldiers in Uganda broke out in the early part of October last, and the danger has been a general rise of the Soudanese throughout the country and a massacre of the Europeans. Uganda is about as large as France. The Government stations, between 20 and 30 in number, are manned by Soudanese, perhaps 1,200 in all. In the early part of October 300 Soudanese soldiers from the Kampala garrison at Mango, capital of Uganda, on the north shore of the Victoria Nyanza, were sent to the Eldoma station, better known as the ravine. There they mutinied and looted the Government agent's store. They then resolved to march back to Mango, raising the standard of general revolt, to kill the Europeans and establish a Soudanese kingdom in Uganda. They looted the station at Nandi, obtaining 3,000 rounds of ball cartridges. Fortified by this and provided with plenty of ammunition they pushed on toward Mango, looting the stations as they advanced. At Jutas Station the garrison revolted and joined the mutineers, seized Major Thurston, commander of the fort, and occupied the post.

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BRITAIN'S EASTERN POLICY

Explained by Mr. Balfour in a Speech to His Constituents.

London, Jan. 11.—Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury and Government leader in the House of Commons, addressed his constituents at Manchester last evening. He confined himself to generalities. Mr. Balfour said the concert of Europe had not added to its reputation by its treatment of Crete. He declared that it would be better to have a third-rate governor of the island than none at all, and that it was strange the concert could not find one either in Europe or America.

He eulogized the bravery displayed by the British troops in the Indian campaign, a campaign "more difficult than the Afghan war of 1879."

British Interests in China.

Turning to China, Mr. Balfour said British interests there were commercial, not territorial. Except as a base for possible warlike operation, the territory would be a disadvantage, because it would involve responsibility and expense in money and men. He dilated upon the fact that "the extent of our trade in China gives us a special claim to prevent her pursuing a policy that would discourage trade," and added, "but the deepest traditions of our policy preclude us from using any trading privileges as a weapon to exclude our rivals. If we ask freedom of trade, it is not for England alone, but for the whole world."

There was no objection, said Mr. Balfour, in conclusion, to Russia having an ice-free port, provided England was not excluded, but the Government would do its utmost to prevent China yielding to foreign pressure to make regulations adverse to Great Britain or "any improbable but possible attempt to dot the coast of China with foreign stations by protectionist countries who would raise customs or other barriers to our trade."

The burden of the whole declaration was that England's policy in China is for the benefit of the world at large.

Urgency for Money in India.

London, Jan. 11.—Yesterday the Government invited tenders for India bills to the amount of £1,000,000 for the discharge of bills payable on the 23nd. The stringency in money in India is so great it is believed gold shipments will be necessary. Special allotments of telegraphic transfers on Bombay were made to-day at 16 5/16d per rupee.

So great is the urgency for money in India that the India Council is considering plans to increase the supply of currency. In order to facilitate the operation of issuing silver coin against gold deposits at the rate of 16d per rupee and to save the time and expense involved in the remittances of gold to India, it is said the Council will receive, on behalf of the Indian banks or merchants in London, gold for deposit in the Bank of England, against which orders or transfers will enable silver coin to be drawn from the Indian currency departments.

The Strike of the Engineers.

London, Jan. 11.—There are signs that the end of the great strike in the engineering trade of Great Britain is approaching. Large numbers of Glasgow engineers applied to-day for reinstatement, while a meeting of the engineers of Fairfield decided to continue to work, in spite of their previous threats to leave work when the first 25 per cent. of their number were locked out.

England, Japan and Russia to Agree.

London, Jan. 11.—According to a special despatch from Shanghai, it is said there that the agreement between England, Japan and Russia, with respect to Corea involves a restoration of the status quo ante and the reinstatement of Mr. McLeavy Brown as Chief Commissioner of Customs, with a Russian Commissioner at Gensan, the port of Broughton Bay on the east coast, and a Japanese Commissioner at Fusan, in the extreme south-east.

Two Noted Men Dead.

London, Jan. 11.—Sir Charles Hutton Gregory, the well-known engineer and a former President of the Institution of Civil Engineers, is dead.

Mr. Henry Stacy Marks, the painter and honorary retired academician, is dead.

The Queen's Decision.

London, Jan. 11.—The Queen has decided to convert the old palace at Kew, near the Botanic Gardens, into a public museum. The state rooms of Kensington Palace, including the famous banqueting hall decorated by Sir Christopher Wren, all of which have been closed and unoccupied since 1760, are to be restored and thrown open to the public.

CURRENT CABLES.

Orders have been given to the officials at the French dockyards to hasten the completion of the warships in hand.

At the Old Bailey in London a true bill was returned against Richard Arthur Prince, who assassinated Actor William Terris on Dec. 16.

Martial law, which was proclaimed at Prague, Bohemia, on Dec. 2, as a result of the riotous demonstrations owing to the demonstrations in the Reichstag, has been abrogated.

The trial by court-martial of Count Esterhazy, the retired officer, charged with writing letters condemning the French army, has been opened in Paris. So far as the evidence went, it was favorable to the Count. Efforts to have the trial take place in secret were unavailing.

Rosa Banko, a music hall singer, and several male accomplices, have been arrested at Buda Pest, Hungary, charged with blackmailing King Alexandria of Servia. They tried to work Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria also, and ex-King Milan of Servia. It was the latter that secured the arrests.

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UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

Judge Gilbert, for 24 years political editor of the Detroit Free Press, died Sunday evening at the Alma, Mich., Sanitarium.

The Cuban insurgents are besieging and have attacked the Port of Mayari, on the north coast of the Province of Santiago de Cuba.

A cyclone struck Morgansfield, Ky., Sunday night, blew down the Methodist Church, Parson's Hotel and several business houses. Harry Sellers, the City Marshal, was killed by a falling wall.

The crematories in San Francisco refuse to handle the body of Murderer Durrant, and the father of the dead criminal is at his wits' end to know what to do with the remains.

A collision between two Lehigh Valley locomotives in the company's yard at Buffalo resulted in the death of Robert B. Young and the probable fatal injury of James Smith. Both were switchmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wiss of Buffalo, while driving across the New York Central tracks at the Broadway crossing Sunday night, were struck by the fast mail from the east and instantly killed. The horse was thrown 70 feet and also instantly killed.

At Brookfield, Mass., Francis D. Newton, a prosperous farmer, his wife and daughter were found dead in their blood-soaked beds on Saturday. They had been killed with an ax. The authorities are looking for the hired man named Paul, who is missing.

Prince Declared to Be Crazy.

London, Jan. 11.—It is said at the Home Office that the experts' report agrees that Prince, the assassin of Actor Terriss, is insane. In spite of this his trial will commence on Wednesday next under the Lunatics' Act of 1883.

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CANADIAN CURRENCY.

Joseph Hinds, an old and respected resident of Colborne Village, Ont., died from the effects of a fall, aged 78. He leaves a widow, a son and a daughter.

John L. Harris, the most prominent citizen of Moncton, N.B., president of the street railway, and a very enterprising man, died of heart failure, aged 65.

A report from Wardsville, Ont., tells how Frank Davis of that place went hunting and chased a rabbit into a hollow log. Davis crawled into the hole after the animal. The log was lying on a hillside and Davis' movement started it down hill. It struck in such a way as to shut the man in, and he was kept there 24 hours, when a Mrs. Till heard his cries and released him by means of an ax and spade.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Auction Sale of Household Furniture.

Don't forget the auction sale of household furniture at 352½ Water street, on Wednesday, Jan. 12th, 1898, at 2 o'clock.

Ashburnham Council.

A large amount of interesting local matter is crowded out to day, including the report of the inaugural meeting of the Ashburnham council. It will appear in to-morrow's issue.

See FAUST at the Opera House To-Night. Banner Attraction of the Season. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

The Mayor's Office.

Mr. Mayor Davis will be in attendance at the mayor's office, town buildings, from nine till ten o'clock every morning, to deal with any business that requires his personal attention. Ratepayers or others who have any matters to bring to the mayor's notice will govern themselves accordingly.

Retail Merchants' Association.

A meeting of the merchants of Peterborough is called in the council chamber this evening at 8 o'clock to consider the matter of forming a local branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Ontario. The meeting will be addressed by several speakers from Toronto. The question of departmental stores will also probably come up for discussion. Mayor Davis will preside at the meeting.

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There is a wonderful contrast between the general worth of the goods we sell and the exceedingly low prices we sell them at. Every purchase at the Peterborough Bookstore is in favour of the customer, because the discounts are from 10 to 75 per cent. These discounts will continue all month. The greatest reductions are in cloth bound books, and afford an unusual chance for Sunday schools and libraries to renew their selections. Also, in purses, pocket books, diaries, albums, fancy novelties, dolls, games, etc. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

THE MAYOR'S BANQUET HELD LAST EVENING.

COUNCILLORS AND OFFICIALS ENJOY HIS WORSHIP'S HOSPITALITY.

Strong Speeches Made During the Evening Regarding the Encouraging of Manufactories—Lower Taxation the Keynote.

The supper to which Mayor Davis invited the Councillors and town officials last evening at the Snowden House was quite an elaborate affair. The Mayor, of course, occupied the chair, at his right was Magistrate Dumble, and at his left Councillor Meldrum. Councillor McWilliams and Mr. Aaron Cox also sat at the head of the table. Along the sides were Councillors W. H. White, Cobb, Best, J. M. White, Robertson, Dawson, Langford and Hamilton, also Messrs. J. J. Hartley, E. B. Edwards, Samuel Belcher, Dr. Clark, S. R. Armstrong, Felix Brownscombe, Chief *Roszel* and Relief Officer Miller.

In responding to the various toasts during the evening almost every guest had an opportunity of speaking and, without exception, all urged the great need of encouraging manufactories in the town. Strong representations were also made as to the necessity of keeping down the taxes.

The menu, and the manner in which it was served, reflected great credit on the proprietor of the Snowden House, even the details

BEING MOST PERFECT.

After full justice had been done it, the toast list was opened by the health of the Queen being proposed, followed by the singing of the National Anthem. Mr. D. W. Dumble then proposed a toast to the health of him whose hospitality was being enjoyed, and those assembled sang "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," with gusto. In replying, Mayor Davis stated that his experiences during the last few weeks seemed to him like a dream, as just prior to engaging in the contest he had fully made up his mind to retire. As one of the experiences he read the appended letter which had been received:

HAMILTON, Jan. 7th, 1898.

A. L. Davis, Esq., Mayor of Peterborough:

Dear Sir,—Please accept the hearty congratulations of a namesake on your elevation to the highest office within your city.

I did not know until I saw your name in the papers yesterday that there was any person in existence who bore the same name and initials as myself.

We are certainly the two greatest people on earth and should you at any time come here do not fail to look me up. I want to grasp your hand because you cannot but otherwise be a jolly good fellow.

Whenever contemplating a visit here, write a few days before hand, as I am generally on the road except Saturdays and Sundays.

Wishing my namesake all sorts of good luck, I remain,

Faithfully yours,
ANSON LEONARD DAVIS,
Hamilton.

The Mayor concluded his remarks by expressing the hope that all might be spared to sit around the same board another year with him.

The toast "The new Council" was then proposed. Mr. Adam Dawson as the oldest councillor present responded first. He explained that his position in the council this year, as chairman of the Streets and Bridges Committee, would be a hard one to fill, and he asked the assistance of all the council.

Councillor Langford thought if the council helped the mayor out during the year as well as they had that evening, he could not complain. He spoke of the manufacturing interests of the town and the keeping down of the taxes.

Councillor Best referred to the sewer system, his particular department, and explained that if the work was done on the initiatory principle, as at present, it would cost exactly the same, as if no more work was done unless it was petitioned for. This he thought was not generally understood. He also referred to the outstanding liabilities of the town, the amount of which he was anxious to ascertain.

Councillor McWilliams stated that although he had not taken any active part in the election of Mr. Davis to the mayoralty, yet he was prepared to give him

EVERY ASSISTANCE

in his power. He then took up question of encouraging manufacturers here and spoke of a strong English syndicate whose representative he had taken to see the great water power possessed by the town, and who had been greatly pleased with it, as well as with the one at Lakefield. A syndicate was also anxious to make a deal for the street railway, when the line would be connected into a paying and well managed investment.

Councillor J. M. White proposed the health of the "Baby of the Council," Mr. T. H. Hamilton, the youngest member present.

In responding, Councillor Hamilton referred to the English syndicate, of which Mr. McWilliams had spoken. He had also accompanied one of the members on a trip through the back lakes, when the representative had been greatly pleased with the scheme of running an electric railway out to Lakefield and across to Chemong and then into town again. There were bright prospects of such a deal being made. He urged that the Manufacturers' Committee give especial attention to this syndicate.

Councillor Dawson then proposed the health of the officers of the town. Mr. Dumble responded first and made quite a lengthy address on the prospects of the town. He urged that all work with one aim—to do the best they could for the town. The keynote, he thought, had been struck when the council was asked to keep down the taxes. The town could not grow if left to itself as it was already too big to be kept up by the surrounding country. It must grow within itself by encouraging the location of new manufactories.

Mr. E. B. Edwards commended the idea of the annual supper, being held as a more cordial feeling would thereby be created as amongst the councillors and officials. When referring to the oldest councillor, he though that he could lay some claim to being the oldest officer, as he had been interested in the affairs of the town for over a quarter of a century.

Dr. Clarke spoke of the enormous amount of thrift and energy which was to be seen in some of the western manufacturing towns and urged that stronger measures be adopted in putting Peterborough on a footing with them. There was no reason why Peterborough should not be made

A WHOLESALE CENTRE

as it was a capital distributing point. He often wondered why so insurance companies had their headquarters here.

Mr. Samuel Belcher reminded those who complained of high taxes that if they were increasing steadily it was owing to the fact that greater luxuries were being enjoyed.

Mr. Felix Brownscombe paid a neat tribute to the mayor's executive ability as a councillor and to the attention which he had given the poor of the town.

The Chief of Police briefly thanked those present for the cordial way in which they had honoured the toast.

Mr. S. R. Armstrong drew attention to the fact that whilst the affairs of the town were being looked after, it must not be forgotten that certain foreign relations were somewhat strained. The fire protection question is unsettled; a municipality to the south was ready to go to war on the sewerage question, and the Fire Underwriters had recently been writing some threatening letters.

Mr. F. W. Miller thought that the hearty way in which the toast had been honoured was proof of the fact that none present had ever been forced to apply to him for relief.

Councillor Meldrum made a very kindly mention of the Press when he proposed the toast, which was responded to by the members present.

Councillor Dawson coupled the name of Mr. J. J. Hartly with the toast of the "School Board and Ex-Councillors." Mr. Hartley responded very eloquently, and taking a different view of the town's prospects than the previous speakers, stated that he thought higher taxes would be willingly borne, if manufacturers could be induced to locate here. It was not the taxes which were complained of but the lack of work to enable the men to pay them. With plenty work there would be no trouble.

The toast of "The Bankers and Monetary Institutions," brought Mr. Aaron Cox to his feet. He was sure on looking around the board that the future of the town for the present year was safe in the hands of such men.

Councillor Meldrum, on being called upon, thought that the keynote of prosperity for the town was to be found in keeping down the taxes. The expenditure had now reached its limit. It must not be increased. Careful management was necessary and inducement must be held out to manufacturers to locate in town in order that more people might be brought to Peterborough and the taxes thereby lightened.

During the evening Messrs. E. B. Edwards, F. W. Miller, and the Mayor contributed vocal selections to the evening's enjoyment, which was concluded by the singing of the National Anthem.

PERSONAL.

Miss Gibson, of Beamsville, who has been the guest of Miss Kate Hall, London street, for the past few weeks, returned home to-day.

Mr. P. J. Kelly, son of Mr. Thomas Kelly, is a most promising student. During his visit home from Ottawa College he received the Bishop O'Connor silver medal for mathematics at St. Michael's College, and in the fifth (highest) form at Ottawa College he stood first in the Christmas examinations. He is a credit to his family, the town and the schools where he has studied.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

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	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	26°	14°

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THE BOYS' BRIGADE MINSTRELS.

A Successful Entertainment Last Night.

St. John's school house was well filled last night with an audience assembled to enjoy a lively entertainment put on by the Boys' Brigade. The juvenile calcined cork artists formed a picturesque group on the stage, and their "jokes," many of them fresh, some possibly a little too "fresh," were as a rule less antediluvian than the average "gags" of the minstrel fraternity. The following programme was presented:

Opening overture ..... The Company
Round song—"There's a Watermelon Spoilin' [Down at Johnsang's"
Solo and chorus—"McCarthy"..Solo by Master [Alf Hodgson, chorus by company
Selection..... Banjo and Guitar Club
Solo and chorus—"Swinging on the Grape Vine [Swing.....Master Ed Kennedy
Round song—"Kentucky Babe," with whistling [obligato
Solo and chorus—"Whose dat a-calling?"..Mas- [ter Hagan Sawyers
Song and chorus—"Kitty Wells".....Mr Herb [Morphet
Round song—"There'll be a Hot Time in the [Old Town To-night"
"God Save the Queen"

Mr. Percy Owens was accompanyist and Mr. Fred Sawyers held the chair of interlocutor.

Extra value in plain Scotch Knit at 50c at Grafton & Co.

Oysters.

Ed. Walsh is selling the nicest standard oysters in town for 35c. per quart, direct from the oyster beds, Baltimore.

C. M. B. A.

A meeting of the local branch of the C. M. B. A. will be held this evening for the installation of officers, whose election was recently announced.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Ladies' Auxiliary.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. will be held in the members' parlour on Wednesday, Dec. 12th, at 4 o'clock. The business to be considered is the election of a delegate to the Brantford convention. A large attendance is requested.

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 98c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

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LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated January 10th, 1898.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. HENRY DENNE, President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE
PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Will be held in the TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBER, Peterborough, on

Wednesday, January 12th, 1898,

at 7.30 o'clock p.m., for the election of officers and general business.

GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President. F. BROWNSCOMBE, Secretary. 585

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WHOOPING COUGH,
SORE THROAT,
COUGHS,
COLDS,
HOARSENESS,

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—Dickens complete 16 volumes.
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—Bulwer Lytton complete 13 volumes.
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—Marryatt complete 12 volumes.
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Our Great January Clearing-Up-Before-Stock-Taking Sale is now in full blast. All Winter Goods still in stock, including MILLINERY, MANTLES, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS must be closed out before inventory, on the First of February. Below are some of the Prices that will do it:—

25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
8 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 65c.
200 yards Tapestry Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

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Clear as a crystal and delightful in its invigorating and aromatic odor is the coffee that comes to you in pound and two-pound tin cans from the famous tea and coffee importers,

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ONE NIGHT ONLY .... **TUESDAY, JAN. 11**

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More Powerful Than a Sermon!
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Produced with every care to detail. Special scenery costume and Electrical Effects. A revelation in Legitimate Drama.

PRICES—25, 35, 50 and 75c.

Seats now on sale.

TO HIM THAT HATH.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—Mr. Sheriff Hall has again been appointed auditor of the town books, notwithstanding the fact that he has been for years, is now, and (apparently) ever shall be the holder of a position that yields him a handsome income, whilst others in the town having no steady employment, but depending entirely upon such casual, ill paid work as comes to their hand—and that's mighty little—may fight the battle of life as best they can, and if the landlord don't get his rent, or the scribes' families a meal, or, if someone whose "bowels of compassion" are overdistended, (presumably with Christian charity) supplies the necessaries of life on credit until the account has also become over-distended and summary measures become necessary for its collection, the Sheriff (the same one) will serve the writ and pocket the fee with perfect complacency, and the town council seek re-election upon their past record of common sense and impartiality. It is claimed that the "milk of human kindness" is plentiful in this world. Yea, verily! It flows in a full stream, but unfortunately, in the majority of cases, it flows in the wrong direction.

Yours, etc.,
SCRIBE.

CLOTHING WANTED.

In a wretched hovel in this town a sick woman and her five destitute children were found by the Agent of Children's Aid Society. The mother was removed to the Hospital; the children taken to the society's shelter, corner of Charlotte and Stewart streets. As these children are absolutely without one decent article of clothing, contributions of clothing, etc., from the public will be very gratefully received. Ladies interested are kindly requested to meet for sewing at the Shelter on Thursday at two o'clock. The management wish cordially to thank Miss Gow for her very generous gift of a handsome new Singer Sewing machine to the Society. Miss Gow's assistance has been invaluable in the practical work of clothing the children taken over by the Children's Aid Society.

Three Months in Gaol.

Isaiah Badgely pleaded guilty this morning before Magistrate Dumble to the charge of stealing a pair of gloves from the overcoat pocket of Joshua Jackson in the C. P. P. Hotel. He was committed to gaol for three months.

Clearing Sale

of Groceries, Provisions, etc. Having purchased the grocery stock of the T. W. Robinson Co. at a great sacrifice, we will sell the entire lot at less than wholesale prices. The stock is perfectly new and fresh, and consists of the finest grades of Teas and Coffees, Spices, Canned Goods, etc. Sale to commence Saturday morning, 8th inst., and will be continued from day to day until the entire stock is disposed of. This presents a rare opportunity for housekeepers and others to lay in provisions, as the stock must be cleared out at once, regardless of what it will bring. Buyers are advised to come early before the goods are picked over. Remember the place, The T. W. Robinson & Co.'s stand at the head of George street (corner Smith and George). Telephone No. 338.—E. F. MASON & CO.

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Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
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CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS

Double Installation Ceremony—The New Officers of Courts Littlejohn Invested With Their Badges of Office.

The pretty suite of rooms of Court Littlejohn, No. 92, Canadian Order of Foresters were the scene of another very interesting event on on Monday evening. Being the first January meeting of the Court, the installing of the new officers for 1898 was the principal business of the evening.

In a very laudable spirit of brotherhood, Court Littlejohn had extended an invitation to their sister court in town Court Langton, to join with them and have their new officers installed at the same time—as that Court was moving into a new hall which was not quite finished. Accordingly after the regular business of Court Littlejohn was transacted, which included the initiation of another new Forester, the Chief Ranger handed the gavel to Bro. E. A. Kemp, D. D. H. C. R., who officiated during the installing ceremonies. He was assisted by Bro. Robt. Robt. Morrison as H. C. R., Bro. Joseph Saunders as H. M., who discharged their responsible duties with official zeal and skill.

At the conclusion of the installing ceremonies Court Littlejohn's members invited their visiting brethren to a spread in their refreshment room, where about sixty Foresters sat down to hot coffee, cake and etc., served by Bro. McCallum, of the McCallum restaurant. After ample justice was done to the refreshments, Bro. E A. Kemp was requested to act as chairman when a series of loyal and appropriate toasts were proposed and responded to, interspersed with hearty singing.

The toast of "The Queen" was received with expressions of that spirit of loyalty which is so forcibly inculcated by this Order and aroused the enthusiasm of the brethren.

Speeches were delivered during the evening by several gentlemen in response to various toasts.

The chairman proposed the toast of "The Visiting Brethren," which was responded to by Bros. Thos. Drew and W. S. Robinson.

The toast of "The Canadian Order of Foresters" was appropriately replied to by Bros. W. S. Robinson, Harry Evans, and W. M. Green. About 12 o'clock the meeting broke up with "Auld Lang Syne."

BAPTIST MISSIONS.

A Strong Appeal for Aid to Assist the Work in the Great North West.

Rev. A. J. Vining, Superintendent of the Missions for Manitoba and the Northwest, occupied the pulpit of the Murray street Baptist church on Sunday morning and spoke in the Park street church in the afternoon. The superintendent stated that this special work had been undertaken in 1875, when a church with seven members was organized in Winnipeg. The work had spread until there were now seventy-five churches in the Northwest. Only eleven of these were self-supporting at present, but an enormous amount of work was being done. No more important branch of mission work was before the consideration of the church this year. There were over a hundred openings for churches and advantage must be taken of the opportunity at once or the doors would be closed. Money spent in this field now meant the establishment of churches which would in the near future be able to contribute to send missionaries to other fields. Mr. Vining's appeal for aid was most eloquent and was liberally responded to.

SPRINGVILLE ENTERTAINMENT.

The Programme Furnished by Talent From Peterborough.

A large number of citizens drove out to Springville last evening to attend the entertainment in the Presbyterian church of that village.

Rev. Mr. McMullen presided and amongst those contributing numbers to the programme were St. Paul's choir, Messrs. Jas. Brown, D. Gordon, R. Maybee, J. Jones, H. F. McKeown, R. Mein, C. N. Brown, and Miss Rutherford. Miss Eva Rutherford, Miss Lough and Miss Pascoe. Addresses were delivered by Rev. J. G. Potter, Rev. Mr. McKee and Rev. Mr. Tanner.

The church was crowded to the doors and the results totalled up to eighty-five dollars. The affair was regarded as the most successful ever held in the church.

BUTTER AND CHEESE MAKERS

In Annual Convention at Lindsay—A Large Attendance.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the Eastern Butter and Cheese Association opened to-day in Lindsay with the largest attendance yet recorded. The President, Mr. D. Derbyshire, of Brockville, occupied the chair, and delivered his annual address, which will be published in full to-morrow. Short addresses were also made by the directors Messrs. Jas. Whitton, Edward Kidd, T. B. Carlaw, Jas. McTavish, J. R. Dargavill and Thos. McGillicuddy.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Football and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

Last night two more rinks played off in the first draw for the Kendry cup with the following result:

Granites.	*Thistles.*
M O'Brien,	W H Meredith,
C Fessenden,	G S Ames,
H R H Kenner,	D Davidson,
J Jeffries, sk.....11	R H Kells, sk.....10
H J Grassett,	H Phelan,
G Giroux,	F White,
G E Whites,	R B McKee,
T P Axtell, sk.....16	M VoBrun, sk.....10

The curlers have arranged to run their annual excursion west on January 25th. This year the trip will be to Toronto and Hamilton. Posters will be issued in a few days giving the particulars.

HOCKEY.

Arrangements were completed last night by telegram with the touring Winnipeg hockey team for a game in Peterborough, and the match will come off on Jan. 18th. Lionel King is coming down from Toronto to play, and the crack western team will have its hands full when it tries to gather in the Peterboroughs.

The first game in the Junior series of the O.H.A. takes place here this evening, when the Norwood team will run up against Peterborough II. It will be a fast and interesting game.

For internal or external use Hagyard's Yellow Oil cannot be excelled as a pain relieving and soothing remedy for all pain.

"SILKOLENE."

Something new in Shaded Cotton arrived at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, Water street.

ANOTHER VICTORY

THE CORNER CORNERED AGAIN!

OAK HALL

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CANADA'S GREATEST HUSTLERS.

"NORTHWARD the Sweep of Conquest Takes its Way!"

We come before the public again with an announcement so important—so sensational in its effect—that it leaves no room for doubt that the battle of business means THE SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

We announce with pleasure the purchase of the Stock of the Millionare Santord's Clothing Company in Peterborough, known as "OAK HALL," Corner of George and Hunter Streets, by which we come into possession of

$16,430 Worth of Clothing 62½ CENTS

OF UNMATCHABLE EXCELLENCE Purchased at a Rate on the Dollar of **On the Manufacturer's Cost.**

The offer of the Sanford Company to buy out Oak Hall has been open to us for some time. It has been known that this wealthy firm have been anxious to close up their Peterborough Branch rather than continue the fight against competition such as GOUGH BROS. have always put up. With a constituency extending over Ontario, and forming the largest syndicate of Clothing dealers in Canada, it was a mistake to plant an "Oak Hall" acorn alongside the Dauntless Goughs. And so, another rich scalp has been added to GOUGH BROS.' belt. And so, "The Corner" has been cornered again by the Wonderful Cheap Men.

To Wake Up the Town

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 12th, we inaugurate a Clean Sweep of the whole of Oak Hall's stock—from the roof through every floor to the basement—from the door strip in front to the wall at the back. It begins and stops at the end.

Everything goes! Necessity has no law. Manufacturer's Prices dashed down without mercy! Not a garment left if we can prevent it.

A TRIUMPHANT SALE!

—A Sale to wake up the Town—a Sale that will be without precedent and hopelessly out of reach of competition—beyond the possibility of a n equal in this or any other portion of Canada.

A Clothing Blizzard—Sweeping Oak Hall Counters and Shelves at Prices a QUARTER and a THIRD below original values.

THE QUALITY of this High Class Stock of Clothing will speak—you can be absolutely sure of that. It all bears the label of the Sanford Manufacturing Company. You might be able to get as good Clothing in one or two other stores in Canada, but you can never equal the Clothing and our Prices both together. While it was a notorious fact that Oak Hall never could match or undersell GOUGH BROS., it was acknowledged that their Clothing always took high rank among the Highest Class Goods of America.

THIS SALE, therefore, appeals to the best class of people, who desire to put the stamp of their approval on HIGH QUALITY.

We want a Great Sale—a Great Crowd—a Great Celebration of our latest Famous Victory! The Millionare Merchant Clothier's Sacrifice to GOUGH BROS. will put many a coin in the pockets of those who buy during this Triumphant Sale. Don't forget to follow the Mile Posts to

GOUGH BROS.

BUYERS OF OAK HALL STOCK.

Oliver Wendell Holmes says that if a man truly loved a woman he would not marry her unless he was absolutely positive that he was the very best man in all the world that she could marry. According to this a man would have to be very conceited indeed or remain a bachelor.

This is going a little bit to extremes, but in sober fact, no man should marry a woman so long as he is the victim of ill-health. No man has a right to ask a woman not only to be his wife, but a life-long nurse. No man has a right to ask a woman to share the burden of his ill-health, and that is what he does when he asks her to be his wife. Ill-health in man is almost invariably the result of disorders of the digestive and nutritive organs. If a man's stomach is right and his liver right, his blood will be pure and rich, and his nerves strong and steady. When the blood is pure and rich a man cannot suffer from ill-health. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the great digestive tonic. It is not a mere appetizer, but a scientific aid to the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It makes the appetite keen and hearty, promotes the flow of digestive juices, makes the assimilation perfect, the liver active and the blood pure and rich. It builds firm, healthy flesh tissues. It is the greatest known nerve tonic and restorative.

Mrs. P. Mortenson, of Sanger, Oliver Co., N. Dak., writes: "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best cough medicine I ever tried. A little over two years ago I was afflicted with a very bad cough and my home physician prescribed Cod Liver Oil and other kinds of medicine. He said I might go into quick consumption and might die in two or three months. His medicine did not do me any good. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and began taking it; when I had taken it about two months, according to directions, my cough was cured, and since that time we have always kept your medicine in the house."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. By all medicine dealers.

BRITAIN'S TRADE.

Last Year's Was the Largest in the Country's History.

London, Jan. 10.—The foreign trade of Great Britain during 1897 was the largest in its history. The total exports, imports and re exports amounted to £745,428,000. The increase was entirely in imports and re-exports, the decline in exports amounting to £5,795,000. The growth of the imports is almost entirely due to the huge purchases of produce in the United States, amounting to £114,600,000. The greatest quantity of the exports were textiles.

White House Etiquette.

London, Jan. 10.—The newspapers ridicule the new rules of etiquette at the White House, saying that President McKinley's protocol will rival President Faure's, who has been long taunted with adopting monarchical airs. Vanity Fair, quoting the rule beginning "Invitations issued by Mrs. McKinley take precedence over all other invitations," says: "Such rules prove that under the Stars and Stripes it is quite possible to be 'Plus royaliste que le Roi,' (More royalist than the King). We wonder what Lincoln would have said to any officious understrapper suggesting such rules?"

Dervishes Are Active.

Cairo, Jan., 10.—The Dervishes continue massing their forces at Metemmeh and Shendy, between 80 and 90 miles below Khartoum and Omdurman, and there is great activity at Omdurman with forwarding of supplies to that port.

Nothing is known here in confirmation of the report that the French mission under Captain Marchand has arrived at Fashoda.

The railway to Assouan, just below the first cataract, will be completed in a few days.

French Flagship Ordered to China.

Paris, Jan. 10.—The cruiser Duguay, flagship of the French Pacific squadron, has been ordered to Chinese waters.

The Duguay Trouin is a second-class cruiser, iron and wooden hull, of 8,593 tons displacement. Her complement is 311 men and she has a speed of 15.9 knots. Her armament consists of five 6.2 inch, five 5.5 inch and four 1.8 inch quick-firing guns, together with five muzzle-loading guns.

Trouble in Basutoland.

London, Jan. 10.—A special despatch from Cape Town says that Lorothodi, the paramount chief of Basutoland, has attacked Maougha with 15,000 men. Numbers are reported to have been killed and wounded on both sides. Several villages have been sacked. The whole country is in a ferment and all traders are leaving.

The Frontier of India.

Simla, Jan. 10.—Gen. Sir Bindon Blood has made a good beginning in punishing the Bunerwals for joining the Swatis in their attack on the Malakand Pass. Without serious resistance, he has captured the Tanga and Persai Passes. The Afridis have deserted the Khyber Pass.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glenco and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using Dodd's Kidney Pills. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not unique. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

Worms cannot exist either in children or adults when Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is used. 25c. All dealers.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Fac-Simile Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. is an exact wrapper.

WEIGHTS---MEASURES.

The Inspectors to Meet and Straighten Out Kinks.

ADMINISTRATION OF THE YUKON

The Canadian Customs Regulations as Adopted for the Klondike Country --The Exemption Wiped Out— Same Rule to Govern as in the Case of Canadians Entering the States.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Some of the principal inspectors of weights and measures employed by the Department of Inland Revenue are to meet here in a few days for the purpose of considering the regulations governing this particular branch. The inspectors will discuss the question of increasing the toleration of error in weights and measures, in order to bring it more to a commercial basis, instead of letting it rest on the purely scientific basis on which it is based to-day. For instance, the toleration of error in the short ton at present is one pound. It is felt that in regard to some weights and measures the toleration is too sharply defined. The object of the department is to protect the public within commercial bounds, but not to require that every trader's scales should be scientifically accurate to one two-thousandth part.

Baggage for the Yukon.

A decision has been reached by the Minister of Customs in reference to travelers' baggage which will cover the supplies of miners destined for the Yukon in a manner satisfactory to British Columbians. Although not promulgated in specific terms, the 100-lb. exemption of last season has been wiped out, and there will be applied to Americans entering Canada exactly the same rule that pertains to Canadian travelers entering the States. The circular, issued Saturday, says:

"Wearing apparel, articles of personal adornment, toilet articles and similar personal effects of persons arriving in Canada may be passed free of duty as travelers' baggage under the provisions of the customs tariff, but this provision shall only include such articles as are actually accompanying the parties, or are necessary and appropriate for wearing or the use of such persons for immediate purposes of the journey and for present comfort and convenience, and shall not be held to apply to merchandise or articles intended for other purposes, or for sale."

It will be seen from the foregoing that no person can bring in a stock of clothing or provisions intending to last any length of time. Broken packages of food for immediate consumption by the parties carrying them will be admitted, or, in other words, such provisions as may be brought in by a picnic party spending the day in Canada, but it will not be possible to secure exemption on any supplies brought from the States, and the moral is: "Outfit for Yukon in Canada."

Under the item in the tariff governing settlers' effects it is possible to bring in a large number of articles, but they must have been in actual use and the property of the person bringing them in, for six months previous. Miners' tools will not, therefore, come within this category, as no miner destined for the Klondike is going to bring in second hand articles. On the whole, the new instructions seem to be satisfactory from the Canadian standpoint.

The Customs Department has been taken to task for having issued recently a circular charging duty upon small commercial parcels passing through the mails. While the circular referred to this class of importation, yet it does not indicate any new policy on the part of the department, the practice having been in vogue for several years past.

FORTUNES MADE IN A DAY.

A Record-Breaking Clean-Up on the Montreal Stock Exchange.

Montreal, Jan. 10.—Saturday was the heaviest day on the Montreal Stock Exchange for five years or more, no less than 12,600 shares having changed hands within an hour and a half. The wonderful rise in Montreal Street Railway from 236 to 244 has made a difference of $400,000 in the capital stock, and the increased value of holdings represents little fortunes to many of the operators. James Ross stands to make $20,000 in a single day, and the Forgets the same amount. Mr. A. Turcotte is also $16,000 better off than on Friday, while Mr. A. D. Porcheron, one of the leading operators of the Street, made $7,000 during that bright Saturday morning. Others, of more or less note, have also made their little pile.

Troy is in a Bad Way.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 10.—Troy, the respited Napanee murderer, will be brought to Kingston Penitentiary and placed in the criminal asylum. His conduct in Napanee Jail is very exciting. He raves and talks incoherently, but indignantly denies that he is the subject of hallucination. He says he does not expect to be here on Jan. 14; that before that day he will, in some unexplainable way, be removed. The medical men say that it is one of the strangest cases that ever came under their notice.

Tired, Nervous, Sleepless

Men and women—how gratefully they write about Hood's Sarsaparilla. Once helpless and discouraged, having lost all faith in medicines, now in good health and "able to do my work," because Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to enrich and purify the blood and make weak strong—this is the experience of a host of people.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

None So Excellent.

"I have been troubled with sick headache for over a year. Lately I have used Laxa Liver Pills, and find that they help me more than any other medicine I have ever taken. They are an excellent pill, causing no pain or griping, and leaving no after ill effects."

Miss Mary Ellen Hooks
South Bay, Ont.

Accept Mothers find Dr. Low's worm syrup the best medicine to expel worms. Children like it—worms don't.

THE CASE OF MRS. MAYBRICK.

Her Friends Abandon One Position to Take Another.

London, Jan. 10.—Recent advices show that the supporters there of Mrs. Florence Maybrick have finally decided to abandon the attempts which they have so long persisted in, to secure the release of the American woman from prison on technical grounds. Their future efforts will be based entirely upon the arguments that the punishment which she is suffering is excessive and disproportionate to the sentence customarily imposed for the crime of attempted poisoning, which, they assert, is all that was attempted to be proven against her, and upon appeals for clemency on account of Mrs. Maybrick's physical condition. The possibility that clemency will be extended to Mrs. Edith May Carew, who was convicted of poisoning her husband, by the British Consular Court in Japan, and who was recently brought to the English prison wherein Mrs. Maybrick is confined, has rekindled the hopes of Mrs. Maybrick's friends.

British Force in Egypt.

London, Jan. 10.—The Anglo-Egyptian force now operating on the Nile consists of 18,000 Egyptians, three battalions of British troops, and the Nile gunboats, all commanded by the Sirdar, Sir Herbert Kitchener. The latter refuses to allow the war correspondents to go beyond the rail head.

The Parnellites.

London, Jan. 10.—The Parnellites will introduce their customary amnesty amendment to the Queen's speech at the opening of Parliament.

Gen. Booth Sails.

Southampton, Jan. 10.—A great crowd assembled here Saturday to bid farewell to "General" William Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, who sailed for New York on the American Line steamship St. Paul.

The Extravagant Czar.

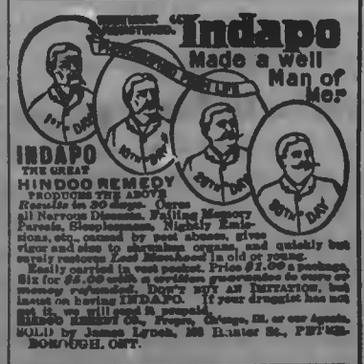
London, Jan. 10.—The Czar and Czarina will receive their friends at the Paris Exposition of 1900 in their own pavilion, which will cost £90,000.

The Jewin Street Fire.

London, Jan. 10.—It has been ascertained that the loss resulting from the recent so-called Jewin street fire (also known as the Cripplegate fire) amounts to £750,000. The inquiry is dragging, the evidence obtained being directed towards proving the fire of incendiary origin, and in the direction of demonstrating that the fire brigade is inefficient.

$3,000 Blaze in Trenton.

Trenton, Ont., Jan. 10.—Saturday night about 9 o'clock fire was discovered in the rear of A. W. Hawley's drug store, Front street. The stock was badly damaged by smoke and water. Loss about $3,000, covered by insurance. Cause of fire unknown.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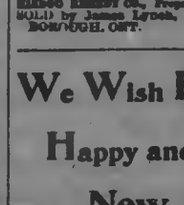

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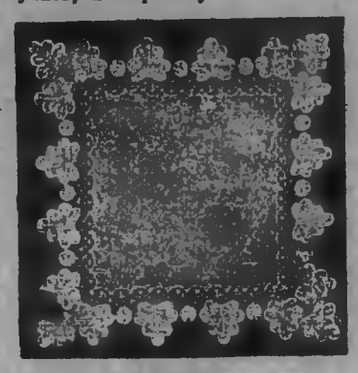

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A GRAVE MISTAKE.

When the body of Henderson Hesslerigg was found dangling from a cellar beam, his neck encircled by a self adjusted noose, his eyes turned ceilingward and his life extinct, those whom he had numbered among his acquaintances were amazed exceedingly. And when Mrs. Henderson Hesslerigg, who had always paused to look in a mirror when she remembered for how many years she had been the faithful wife of the deceased, listened to their words of consolation with undiminished cheerfulness and gave no indication of approaching hysteria or a desire to faint away, they stood aghast. In all the long time Mr. Hesslerigg had dwelt among them he had never said or done anything to lead them to believe that he would endure, even for a few brief moments, the physical discomfort which taking one's life entails. By profession an inventor, he had slumbered on through the multiplying years with a minimum of exertion, contentedly eating the three meals a day which were the result of Mrs. Hesslerigg's fruitful toil, and philosophical enough to yearn for none of the things which were beyond his reach.

As for Mrs. Hesslerigg, the very fact that she carned and cooked three meals a day for her amiably indolent husband was an indication, so thought her neighbors, of a character the reverse of firm. They knew she had always been unresenting, if not uncomplaining, and were disappointed and disposed to gossip when their proffered sympathy made no impression on her as a widow. She appeared to them marvelously changed, but it was apparent that grief had nothing to do with the transformation, for she seemed as unconcerned as though the suicide of a husband was a very trivial matter. Conjecture, of course, was rife, but the suicide had almost been forgotten when the true story became known.

One day, while his mind was as yet untainted by a suicidal thought, Mr. Hesslerigg might have been seen in a recumbent attitude on a much worn sofa which ornamented the sunniest room in the house, smoking and thinking. It was while he was thus engaged that Mrs. Hesslerigg entered the room, sank wearily into a chair, covered her face with her apron and announced almost tearfully:

"I just haven't the heart to work any more."

"Ha!" exclaimed Mr. Hesslerigg thoughtfully, taking the pipe from between his teeth. "You have no heart for work." He pondered more deeply than usually for a moment and then said, "My dear, that remark of yours has given me the germ of a great idea."

"Oh, you and your ideas will drive me crazy," declared poor Mrs. Hesslerigg, bursting into tears. "If you had fewer ideas and would do enough work to support your children, I could keep them out of the streets and teach them something and not be forever bending over the tubs and other people's washings," and Mrs. Hesslerigg sobbed in a manner that was really heartbreaking.

For it was a fact pretty well known among the neighbors that Mrs. Hesslerigg took in washing, the proceeds whereof she devoted to the liquidation of her weekly grocery bill, and in view of the circumstances of Mr. Hesslerigg's not having contributed anything material to the family board for a space of several years it was small wonder that she should enter an occasional protest.

"But, my dear," insisted Mr. Hesslerigg, becoming so animated that he actually arose to a sitting posture on the sofa, "this is really a wonderful idea. You say your heart will not let you work," he continued. "I will make a new heart for you, my dear—a mechanical heart, which, possessing all the properties of the natural organ, will not in its sentimental action interfere with your physical labors. It is a glorious idea. It will be the greatest discovery in modern science." And Mr. Hesslerigg, worked up to a perfect frenzy of enthusiasm, concluded by saying, "I will set about it at once."

Mrs. Hesslerigg kept her head on the table while her husband was talking, and then she arose and went back to her tubs. Mr. Hesslerigg's remarks failed to interest her. She had heard him say exactly the same things about 50 dozen different ideas which had never resulted in anything but the accumulation of a vast deal of old junk about the house. So she did not even look at him as he jumped up in an unwonted state of excitement and proceeded to the little shed in the back yard, which he called his laboratory, entering and locking the door after him.

For four days, while Mrs. Hesslerigg sozzled sheets and pillow cases around in the suds, Mr. Hesslerigg toiled unceasingly at his invention. The tinkle of his hammer made music for the neighborhood and the smell of molten metals and noxious chemicals hung over the shop. His lounge was deserted, he did not smoke, and when he appeared at his meals he was preoccupied and deep in thought. Mrs. Hesslerigg became more despondent than ever, and was firmly convinced that her husband had gone crazy. But when he made his appearance at supper time on the fourth day there was an unusual dignity in his manner, a flush of conscious triumph on his face. He stretched himself again on the old sofa and lighted his pipe once more, and his laugh was happy and joyous.

"My dear," he said, "I have finished. I have succeeded beyond my wildest dreams. I have completed the mechanical heart, the greatest invention ever given to the world. It is destined to perform every physical function of the natural organ in a perfectly automatic manner. Deaths from heart failure will in the future be unheard of. Life may be prolonged almost indefinitely. Invested with this mechanical heart, my dear, you may pursue the avocations which secure to your small family the means of a continued existence without any of those distressing feelings which now pervade your bosom. And you, my dear, shall be the first to be endowed with this marvelous result of my inventive genius. Your breast shall be the one beneath which the first mechanical heart shall beat."

Now, Mrs. Hesslerigg was on this auspicious evening in an unusual state of mind. In the first place, her grocer had refused that very morning to enlarge her account with him to the extent of a bar of soap. Then her bluing was too strong and instead of making her clothes look clear and white it dyed them an uncertain and irregular green. These things had so vexed her uncomplaining soul that she was really revolving in her mind what means she had at hand for terminating an existence so entirely unsatisfactory.

Perceiving in Mr. Hesslerigg's suggestion something which might relieve her of the decidedly unpleasant task of swallowing a dose of liquid microbe exterminator, her only available poison, and yet accomplish the same result, she acquiesced, explaining, however, the spirit with which she entered into the scheme. But Mr. Hesslerigg repelled the idea with great vehemence.

"That feeling arises from your present heart, my dear," he assured her. "My wonderful contrivance will render a recurrence of it impossible."

Accordingly the only two silver teaspoons in the house were disposed of and Mr. Hesslerigg purchased a bottle of ether. The tubs were cleared out of the way, the kitchen table pushed into the middle of the room, and after a brief inward prayer Mrs. Hesslerigg, fully convinced that she was about to be relieved forever from the cares of earth and devoutly thankful that the transition was to be so easy, absorbed as much of the fluid as she could and became oblivious to things around her.

Just what Mr. Hesslerigg did to her Mrs. Hesslerigg will never know, but several days afterward she was able to arise from her bed, perfectly sound and healthy. The operation, much to her surprise, had been successful. She was convinced, not so much by anything Mr. Hesslerigg told her, as by her own feelings, that she had been invested with the mechanical heart. A lightness and buoyancy pervaded her being, and there was none of the old despondency. Her attitude toward her husband, too, had undergone a complete change. She was no longer humble and subservient. Her slavish affection for him had disappeared with her old heart, and in the new organ he occupied no place. She regarded his sluggish, indolent habits with aversion rather than tolerance.

All those feminine characteristics which had contributed so much to his comfort had given place to a perfectly masculine selfishness. The idea of any longer earning and cooking three meals a day for him filled her with a scornful amusement. The old ties which years of association had entangled into gordian knots she severed with relentless strokes, cooking only for herself and allowing Mr. Hesslerigg to get along as best he could.

It was some time before Mr. Hesslerigg could realise fully the awfulness of his mistake. He had expected that the substitution of his invention for the natural heart of his wife would enable him to go on in the old way without any of the tearful outbursts which had occasionally marred his domestic quiet. But the entirely unlooked for result was overwhelming. He became restless, watched Mrs. Hesslerigg furtively and kept out of her way as much as possible. He hoped it would soon wear away. But his hope was vain. Matters became worse for him, and soon Mrs. Hesslerigg, evidently grown tired of seeing him around, suggested that he go out and do something.

"But, my dear," he ventured, in timid remonstrance, "I want to perfect my invention. Besides, what shall I do? There's nothing for an inventor to do outside of his home."

Mrs. Hesslerigg stood erect, and folding her arms towered over her husband. "Henderson Hesslerigg," she said, "if you think I am going to slop around in the washtub while you do nothing, you are mistaken. I have supported this family long enough, and it's your turn now. I want you to get right out of here this minute and stay out until you have found some work."

Completely crushed, Mr. Hesslerigg, without venturing a reply, went out into the street. He did not know how to look for work, and he wouldn't know how to do it if he found any. He thought and pondered, but could not get his mind off his own misery except to let it dwell for a moment on a bit of rope down in the cellar and the peaceful oblivion that lay in one end of it. He walked around until evening, disconsolate and dejected, and then, hoping that his wife had relented, he returned home. But Mrs. Hesslerigg hadn't softened a bit and was waiting for him.

"Have you got any money?" she demanded as soon as he entered the house.

"No, my dear," he faltered, "but"—

"Then get right out again," she said obdurately, cutting him short. "I don't want you loafing around here."

Once more Mr. Hesslerigg issued forth, and a great sob which arose in his throat and choked him reminded him again of the rope. He would—yes, he would put a period to his unhappy life as abruptly as possible. His last act would surely reach the heart which he himself had tempered.

But even that failed. The mechanical heart beat on as evenly as ever, and to this day, in the full enjoyment of a successful career, in which washtubs have no part, Mrs. Hesslerigg continues to be as free from the sentimentalities of her sex as though she had been born without that organ.—Joseph E. O'Brien in Washington Post.

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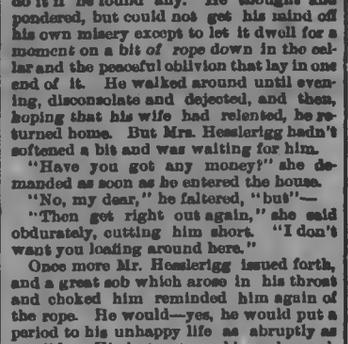

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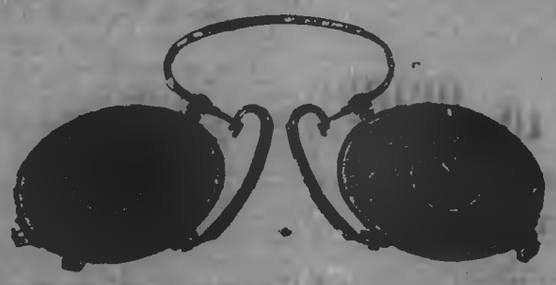

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STANDING COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR APPOINTED.

The Report of the Standing Committee was Adopted without Amendment—A Report Wanted on the Outstanding Liabilities of 1897.

The council assembled in adjourned session last evening, with Mayor Davis presiding and the following members in their seats:—Councillors Best, W. H. White, Robertson, Deane, Hamilton, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Langford, Meldrum and J. M. White.

The attendance of ratepayers was so large as to crowd the seats and necessitate many to stand.

COMMUNICATIONS

were received and referred as follows:

From J. J. Douglas, asking remission of taxation on houses Nos. 260, 264 and 266 Murray street.—Referred to the Court of Revision.

From J. W. Leonard, Superintendent C. P. R., enclosing agreement and plans re the Wolfe street property.—Referred to a committee of the whole council.

From the Ontario Bank, stating that the town's balance on Dec. 31, 1897 was $12,750 at debit.—Referred to the Finance Committee.

THE STANDING COMMITTEES.

Councillor Meldrum presented the report of the committee appointed to strike the standing committees of the year as appended:

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Peterborough:

Your committee appointed to strike the standing committees beg leave to report and recommend as follows:

1. That the standing committees be composed as follows:

Finance—Councillors Deane, Best, Cobb, McWilliams, Meldrum and J M White.

Sewerage—Councillors Best, McWilliams, Dawson, W H White, Deane, Langford and Cobb.

Streets and Bridges—Councillors Dawson, Best, W H White, Hamilton, Meldrum, McWilliams and Langford.

Fire, Water and Light—Councillors J M White, Cobb, Allen, W H White and Robertson.

Court of Revision—Councillors Langford, Robertson, Allen, Dawson and Hamilton.

Charity—Councillors Cobb, Robertson, Deane and Meldrum.

Licenses—Councillors Hamilton, W H White, Cobb, Allen and Robertson.

Printing—Councillors Meldrum, Robertson, Dawson, J M White and Cobb.

Manufactures and Railways—Councillors Meldrum, McWilliams, Deane, Best and Langford.

Appointments and Supervision of Police—Councillors McWilliams, Dawson, Meldrum, Best, Hamilton, Langford and J M White.

Property and Health—Councillors W H White, Robertson, Langford, Cobb and Allen.

Market—Councillors Robertson, Deane, Cobb, Langford and Hamilton.

Joint—Councillors—Langford, Allen, McWilliams, Best, Meldrum and Dawson.

Legal—Councillors McWilliams, Meldrum, Best, Deane, Langford and J M White.

2. That the first named on each Committee be chairman.

3. That the usual grant of $200 be made to the Mayor to meet the contingent expenses of his office.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. MELDRUM, Chairman.

Seconded by Councillor Cobb, Councillor Meldrum moved the adoption of the report.

Before the motion was put Councillor McWilliams rose and stated that the report confirmed the rumour which had been afloat concerning an impending change in the chairmanships. Representatives of certain companies had buttonholed the councillors with the object of endeavouring to keep him out of the chairship of the Street and Bridge Committee. He had discharged his duties to the best of his ability during the past year and nine out of every ten of the taxpayers were satisfied with the result. The shelving had been a personal matter directed against himself. He was in the council to defend the interests of the taxpayers and if in so doing he had gained the illwill of these companies he would abide by it. The action of the committee in removing him from the chairmanship of the Street and Bridge Committee was a personal insult and before the year was out the ratepayers would understand the motive.

Councillor Meldrum stated that if what Councillor McWilliams said referred to him, it was untrue. It was well known that two slates had been prepared for the committees and he had, therefore, moved for the appointment of a small committee to do the work of selecting in order to avoid friction. Mr. Dawson was

AN OLD MEMBER

of the council and had never held this chairmanship. No man had a claim on it, and no man had a better right to it than Councillor Dawson. In the action of the committee nothing derogatory to Mr. McWilliams was intended, and no insult was meant to be conveyed. Councillors Langford and McWilliams had both been mentioned for the chairmanship, and the committee thought it better to appoint an outsider.

Councillor Cobb denied ever having been button-holed in reference to the matter.

Councillor McWilliams thought that no better proof was needed to show that a clique had been at work than the fact that the chairmen of the Committees on Manufacturing, Finance and Sewerage had been re-appointed.

Councillor Best contradfeted the assertion regarding the "button-holing" as concerning himself. He had not been a party to putting himself back into his chairmanship. He had not been buttonholed. If any man had a claim on the chairmanship it was Adam Dawson.

Councillor Langford stated that he had never asked a man for a vote

FOR THE CHAIRMANSHIP

of the Street and Bridge Committee, though if it had been offered he would have accepted. Mr. McWilliams had issued a circular concerning the expenditure on streets in 1896, which was false in every particular. He had said that $14,500 was expended on streets in 1896. The fact was that in 1897 more money had been spent on the streets than in any previous year. Outstanding accounts would bring up the total. A thousand dollars was owing Mr. Kelly for lumber, and $200 more was due Mr. McDonald. There were also many small accounts outstanding, whilst there had been no sidewalks built to cause a great expenditure. Old sidewalks had been repaired with new lumber when several miles of new sidewalk should have been laid down. In 1896 there was an expenditure of $6,000 over the ordinary. Debts had been previously contracted which were paid in 1896 and were charged against that year. This is what swelled the total to $14,500. The extraordinary expenditure included the erection of the George street bridge, the cost of repairing water works plant damaged by dynamite, flooring old bridges, building the McDonal street bridge and the Jackson ends.

Councillor McWilliams in replying stated that

THERE WAS NO ERROR

in his figures. He had received them all from the town treasurer and was told by that official that they included everything, even Mr. Kelly's account of $1,000. If there were some some small accounts outstanding the treasurer had stated that like accounts had been paid in 1897 which had been contracted the year before. These accounts which were left standing generally balanced each other.

Councillor Deane denied having put himself back in his chairmanship. No one had asked him to support Mr. Dawson.

Councillor Dawson was sorry such a discussion had arisen. He had never sought the position and did not care about it, as he had not the necessary time to give. In taking it he would have to depend largely on the assistance of the other members to carry out the work. No manufacturer had dared to buttonhole him.

The motion was then put and the report was adopted.

BYLAWS.

Councillor McWilliams and Meldrum introduced bylaws appointing High School Trustees and members of the Board of Health to vacancies occasioned by the expiration of the terms of Messrs. Peter Hamilton and Henry Deane on the Board of Education, and Dr. Burnham and Dr. McGrath on the Board of Health. The bylaws provided for the re-appointment of the same gentleman, and were passed.

RESOLUTIONS.

Councillors Best and W. H. White moved that the Finance Committee of 1898 at the first regular meeting of the Town Council shall report on the outstanding liabilities created in 1897 upon the streets and bridges, and other controllable expenditure, and not paid out of 1897 current income.

Councillor Best explained that this information was desirable in order that the Council might understand just how it stood. In reality there was no surplus. It was important that the members should know the position of the town exactly in order that they could govern themselves accordingly. If there was a deficit it should be assumed.

Councillor Deane contradicted the statement that there was no surplus. After all accounts had been paid there would still be a balance on the right side. There was no deficit. Everything had been provided for.

The motion was then carried.

Councillor Best and W.H. White moved, that the proceedings of all committee meetings shall be kept by the town clerk recorded in a minute book to be provided for that purpose by the town, upan which reports of committees shall be based for presentation to council—Carried.

Councillor Dawson asked if it was the wish of the council to have the stone on hand broken up at once. He would like to see the work start as soon as possible, as men were badly in need of work.

Councillor McWilliams urged that the stone be broken at once. It was a great deal better to give the ratepayers a chance to earn a livelihood than to have them asking for charity, and the men would sooner have it so.

Councillor Meldrum stated that the workingmen had very little money to spare at present and need the work. He suggested that the matter of selecting the men be left to Mr. Dawson.

Councillors Dawson and McWilliams then moved that the stone on hand be broken and that payment for the work be on the same basis as heretofore.

Councillor McWilliams in speaking in reference to the practice of allowing only ratepayers to do this work, urged that a departure be made from the rule in order to allow the sons of certain widows to break stone, as in some cases the sons were not on the assessment roll as yet.

This was agreed to and the council then adjourned.

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THE BARNARDO HOME.

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DEAR SIR,—At the inaugural meeting of the town council yesterday morning, when remission of taxes was asked for the Barnardo Home, statements were made which are calculated to mislead people, and cannot be allowed to remain unchallenged and unrefuted. Objection to the remission was made on the ground that the Home people spent very little money in Peterborough. It would be interesting to know what the objector would consider as the proper amount of money which should be spent by the Home people in Peterborough before they were entitled to claim exemption from paying taxes! We learn that upon inquiry amongst the merchants it was ascertained that seven dollars had been spent upon repairs of boots; and only one merchant in George street stated that he had dealings with the Home. Is so small a sum spent for the repair of boots, any evidence of the very little money spent in Peterborough? And is it the correct thing to deal with more than one boot merchant? Further inquiries amongst the grocers were made, and the inquirer was told that no more than four or five hundred dollars were spent amongst them annually. This is not quite correct. Last year's account with the two grocers amounted to five hundred and seventy-six dollars, and even supposing the lesser sum were spent, the grocers would have no reason to complain; and the grocers themselves do not complain. But here again—like the bootmaker—the grocers do not absorb all the money spent by the Home people in Peterborough. The objectors must remember that there are the dry goods merchant, the meat merchant, the drug store, the wood and coal merchant, the baker, the dairyman, etc., etc. Like other people residing in Peterborough, we are dependent upon these people for supplies and like other people we have to pay for them. We learn that another "objector" whilst pursuing his inquiries amongst the merchants as to the trade which they received from the Barnardo Home had been told "that the profit was all wiped out by the presents which they were asked to give. This is a gross falsehood and perfectly ridiculous in itself. Is it to be supposed that any storekeeper gifted with the smallest modicum of common sense would still care to enjoy year after year a custom, the profits from which were to be wiped out by the giving away of presents? To make this assertion—most probably based on the remark of some storekeeper's assistant without going any further to verify the same, is, to say the least of it, most uncosiness like. We have never asked the merchants for any presents, and we never intend to do so. The merchants are, however, kind enough to give us presents at Christmas, without being asked for them—a few turkeys, boxes of candies, etc., etc., all of which, if realized, would fetch about twelve dollars. And this large sum presumably "wipes out all profits!" How infinitessimally small must be the margin of profit enjoyed by the Peterborough merchants! How do they exist? How much better, more manly and more business-like a proceeding it would have been to have gone to the Home and asked permission to see the books than to go about the stores and accept every statement made as gospel truth!

Time and space will not permit me to go into details. I will simply say that a sum of not less than $4,000 is spent by the home annually, nearly every cent of which is spent in Peterborough, and if any one doubts this assertion he is at perfect liberty to come to the Home and see the books for himself. In conclusion, I must state that the taxes have always previously been remitted to us, but now, it would appear, that a change of feeling had set in. To what is this change attributable?

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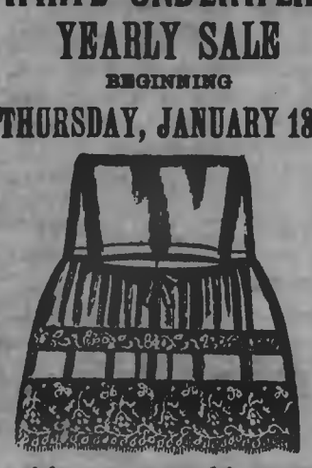

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THEY PLAYED TO THE GALLERY

Opposition to All Appropriations—Vote After Vote Taken—All Amendments Rejected by the House—Mr. Whitney in His New Role as Watchdog of the Treasury.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—The Opposition, apparently in pursuance of a pre-arranged plan, lost no opportunity yesterday of dividing the House, with the result that little else was accomplished beyond the recording of votes, the outcome of which was never in doubt. They pursued the policy of challenging almost every appropriation that the House was asked to concur in. Instead of accepting one division as the record of their attitude toward the expenditures to which they objected, they insisted in exhausting time and patience by repeating over and over again the tedious proceeding of taking the vote. The party whips were kept busy rounding up the members, and the clerks of the House were fully occupied. The appropriations which were made the subject of attack represented different branches of the public service. The following reductions were proposed: Public Works salaries, $4,000; Registrar-General's branch, additional clerk, $900; Inspector Noxon's salary, $2,400; sessional clerks, $8,000; education, $17,950; London Asylum, $1,700; Kingston Asylum, $1,800; Penetanguishene Reformatory, $2,500; Parliament buildings, $4,000; miscellaneous expense, $10,000.

Hon. Mr. Gibson introduced and had read a first time a bill entitled "An Act to amend the Timber Slide Company's Act." It makes slight alterations in the tolls charged.

The following bills were read a third and final time:

To incorporate the Canadian Consolidated Copper and Nickel Company.

Respecting the consolidated debt of the town of Cobourg, and for other purposes.

Respecting the Kingston, Portsmouth and Cataraqui Railway Company.

To consolidate the Shebandowan Mining Company, and incorporating the Frue Shebandowan Gold Mining Company, Limited.

To confirm a certain agreement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, the St. Clair Tunnel Company and the town of Sarnia.

Respecting public libraries in police villages.

To amend the Act incorporating the Strathroy and Western Counties Railway Company.

Respecting the Sandwich, Windsor and Amherstburg Railway.

The House went into committee to concur in the estimates for 1898, and Hon. Mr. Harcourt moved that the item of $16,400 for Public Works Department salaries be concurred in.

Dr. Willoughby moved, in amendment, that the item be reduced by $4,000.

The Attorney-General said that when the Government tried to cut down expenses the Opposition only stirred up trouble for the Ministry and sent all the officials and their friends buzzing about their ears.

Messrs. Whitney and Stratton also spoke and a division was taken, resulting in a vote of 49 to 33 against Dr. Willoughby's amendment. The vote stood:

Yeas—Beatty (Leeds), Brower, Bush, Carnegie, Caven, Crawford, Dynes, Fallis, Gurd, Haggerty, Haycock, Hiscott, Kerns, Kidd, Langford, Little, McCallum, McDonald, McNeil, McNichol, Magwood, Marter, Matheson, Meacham, Miscampbell, Preston, Reid (Addington), Reid (Durham), St. John, Shore, Tucker, Whitney, Willoughby—33.

Nays—Auld, Barr, Baxter, Beatty (Parry Sound), Bennett, Blezard, Burt, Campbell, Carpenter, Chapple, Charlton, Cleland, Connee, Craig, Dana, Davis, Dickenson, Dryden, Farwell, Ferguson, Field, Flatt, German, Gibson (Hamilton), Harcourt, Hardy, Harty, Hobbs, Loughrin, Macnish, McKay (Oxford), McKay (Victoria), McLean, McPherson, Middleton, Moore, Mutrie, O'Keefe, Pardo, Paton, Pattullo, Richardson, Robertson, Robillard, Ross, Smith, Stratton, Taylor, Truax—49.

Pairs—Garrow and Currie; Gibson (Huron) and McLaren; Biggar and Ryerson.

The House rose at 6 o'clock.

After Recess.

After the dinner intermission the House went again into concurrence of the estimates, and Mr. Bush moved in amendment to the clause covering the Provincial Secretary's department that the item be reduced by $900. The motion was lost by a vote of 55 to 38.

Mr. Kidd then moved in amendment to the motion for concurrence in the estimate for the inspection of public buildings that from the item there be struck out the sum of $2,400, that being the salary of the third inspector of public institutions. This man (Mr. Kidd referred to Mr. Noxon) never seemed to have anything to do, and never made any report to the House.

Hon. Mr. Davis defended Mr. Noxon, and, while admitting that he was away during two months of '97, held he was a valuable official.

Hon. J. M. Gibson had charge of the Provincial Secretary's department when Mr. Noxon was appointed. He said the demands of the Opposition for details regarding even the food used at the public institutions, made Mr. Noxon's appointment necessary.

Mr. Bush's amendment was lost by a vote of 58 to 33, and the item was concurred in.

Mr. Brower moved for a reduction by $2,000 of the item of $127,100 paid to sessional clerks. The motion was lost on the same vote as on the last division.

Dr. Preston tried to secure a reduction of $2,500, being the salary and traveling expenses of the Director of Teachers' Institutes, and for a reduction of $15,000 in the salaries of examiners at departmental examinations. The motion was lost on a vote of 60 to 24.

Mr. Magwood moved the reduction of the estimate for feed and fodder at the London Insane Asylum farm by $1,700, and the motion failed to carry by a vote of 50 to 33.

Mr. Langford's motion that the estimate for the farming expenses and feed and fodder at the Kingston Asylum be reduced by $3,800 was lost without division.

Mr. Little's motion that $2,500 be struck off the allowances for Penetanguishene Reformatory, was lost on division.

Dr. Meacham's motion that $4,000 should be cut off the item of $8,000 for fuel at the Parliament Buildings, was lost.

Mr. Carnegie moved the reduction by $10,000 of the estimates regarding arbitrations, and Algonquin Park appearing under the head of miscellaneous expenditures. The amendment was declared lost on division. The House adjourned at 79.05 a.m.

Close of Piggery Investigation.

In the Public Accounts Committee yesterday morning the diseased meat end of the Humber piggery investigation was brought to a close, and to-day Mr. St. John's charges of financial extravagance in connection with the institution will be gone into.

The Lord's Day Act.

Premier Hardy yesterday received monster deputations from Toronto, Hamilton, Ottawa, Kingston, London, and other provincial cities, besides representatives of special interests and trades, against the Lord's Day Act amendments, and also heard a deputation in favor of the changes. The Premier, in dismissing the opposing factions, intimated that the more swooping features of the amending bill would be abandoned.

FAILURES IN CANADA.

R. G. Dun & Co. Report a Large Decrease in Number of Failures and the Amount Involved.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—It is gratifying that Canadian failures have decreased materially in number and amount. The bank failures were five, against three in 1896, but with liabilities of only $154,000, against $212,000. The commercial failures were 1,809, against 2,118 in 1896, a decrease of 14.6 per cent., and the liabilities were $14,157,498, against $17,169,688, a decrease of 17.5 per cent. In manufacturing, the decrease in number was over 22 per cent., and in liabilities over $2,000,000, or 35.8 per cent. But in trading the decrease in number was 12.6 per cent., and in liabilities only 12.7 per cent. An increase appears in brokerage and other failures of 10 in number, or 40 per cent., and of $471,000 in liabilities, or almost 100 per cent. The statement of business shows increase over 1896 in iron manufacture, a large increase in woolen manufacture, and some increase in liquors and earthenware, with decrease in all other classes, especially in the miscellaneous class, and in lumber. Of trading classes, general stores show a considerable increase, and groceries, dry goods and jewelry less in proportion, but other classes show a decrease, which is relatively large in liquors, clothing, shoes, hardware and the miscellaneous class.

SAFE ARRIVAL AT DAWSON CITY.

Geo. Dawson and Party of St. Catharines Have Reached the Eldorado.

St. Catharines, Ont., Jan. 12.—Word was received here last night from George Dawson and party, dated at Dawson City, announcing their safe arrival in that city on Oct. 25 last. They left St. Catharines on Aug. 5, 1897, and, as this is the first news from them since their departure, it was received with great rejoicing. They describe their journey as rough and tedious, especially over the passes. They are all in good health and have sufficient provisions and medicines to last until July next. They were offered $1 per pound for flour and $2 per pound for their meats. They are now located 80 miles north of Dawson City, where they will remain prospecting. Their letter was 80 days in reaching here.

ONE CHILD LOST.

A Family's Terrible Struggle for Life in the St. Lawrence.

Cornwall, Jan. 12.—Joseph Leparle, with his wife and three children, left here last evening to cross the river to Hoganesburg, N.Y. When about half way between the St. Lawrence Park and Cornwall Island the ice suddenly gave way, and they were all left in the water. Leparle threw an eight-year-old boy on the solid ice, and after about ten minutes' life and death struggle managed to get out himself. An Indian who was some distance ahead came back and pulled out Mrs. Leparle. She was nearly exhausted, and the two-year-old child she was holding slipped from her nerveless grasp and was lost. The third child was left in another rig coming behind. The horse and rig were lost.

CANADA'S DEFENCES.

Report That the Imperial Government Will Establish New Depots for Troops on the Pacific.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—A Star special cable from London says: "Hon. Dr. Borden sails for home to-day. A statement is published that he has arranged with the War Office for an elaborate rearrangement of Canadian defences, including new depots for British troops at Vancouver and elsewhere on the Pacific coast, and much increased armaments. It is officially stated, however, that while Dr. Borden naturally discussed the latest necessities of Canada's defences no elaborate plans of this kind are in view. The fact of credence being given to the statement shows, however, Canada's growing importance from an Imperial standpoint, in view of the coming struggle between England, Russia, Japan and America for the supremacy of the Pacific."

Dr. McEachren, Chief Veterinary Inspector of the Dominion, is here. It is understood he has hopes of inducing the Board of Agriculture to remove the schedule from Canadian cattle. That, however, is most improbable. Not even Mr. Chamberlain, with all his Canadian sympathies, can act against the interests, supposed or real, of the British farmer.

IN PERIL OF WATER.

The Serious Fears Entertained of the Electric Works Dam in Chambly.

St. John's, Que., Jan. 12.—A serious accident is imminent at Chambly. The dam of the new Electric Power Works in Chambly has raised the water in the river to the height of 25 feet above the normal level at this season of the year. The water is now on a level with the Yuile general traffic bridge and the superstructure of the railway bridge, a short distance further up the stream. A strong south wind or a jam of ice will greatly imperil both these structures. The basin above the dam is frozen over and pedestrians cross it. This is unprecedented.

PURELY ACCIDENTAL.

The Jury in the Case of the London Disaster Came to the Above Decision.

London, Ont., Jan. 12.—The City Hall calamity inquest concluded yesterday morning, the jury retiring to deliberate about noon. The jury were out one hour. They returned a unanimous verdict that Edward Luxton had met death by suffocation, and concluded as follows: "That the beam which broke causing the floor to give way was placed there in October, 1889. Its construction and placing was done by John S. Dodd, builder, under the supervision of Col. Tracey, then city engineer; that more than ordinary care was used in its construction and selection of material. That no complaint was made by any of the city officials or any others. That the evidence touching the matter has been very carefully gone into, and the jury are unanimous in their opinion that the sad occurrence was purely accidental."

International Foreign Methodist Missions.

New York, Jan. 12.—The first session of the sixth conference of the Foreign Mission Boards of the United States and Canada was held in the Methodist Building at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The report shows that there are six Foreign Missionary Societies in Canada, whose work includes 60 principal stations, 227 out stations, 242 Canadian missionaries, 506 native laborers, 119 native churches, 9,141 communicants, 1,040 additions last year, native contributions last year of $32,339, and contributions in Canada last year of $282,706.

Thirty-Six Fishermen Lost.

Gloucester, Mass., Jan. 12.—After hoping against hope that the passing days might bring some tidings of the overdue fishing schooners Hustler and John E. McKenzie, their owners have been forced reluctantly to the decision that the vessels have foundered and that their crews of 36 men have perished.

Principal Grant has accepted the challenge of Rev. Dr. Lucas to debate the liquor question, the latter to name the date, which must be before the end of the month. The wordy duel is to take place in Kingston.

Germans Defeat Hottentots.

London, Jan. 12.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Cape Town says the German troops, after a long forced march, have engaged and defeated a section of the rebellious Hottentots in Damaraland. Commander Von Erstorff was wounded.

Diplomatic Privilege Claimed.

London, Jan. 12.—At the Maidenhead County Court yesterday summonses against Mr. Spencer Eddy (secretary of the United States Ambassador, Col. John Hay) and Mr. J. E. White (son of Mr. Henry White, secretary of the United States Embassy) for bicycling on side walks, were adjourned in consequence of the Home Office telegraphing to the magistrates that Mr. Henry White claimed diplomatic privilege for his son.

Shortage in Land.

Sydney, N.S.W., Jan. 12.—Owing to the shortage in the land available for agriculture, the Government is withdrawing a million acres leased to pastorals, and is placing farmers upon this land.

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THE WAY THINGS STAND.

The Opposition critics are fond of denouncing in general terms what they are pleased to call the "extravagance" of the Liberal Government of the Province, but they are extremely careful not to venture on the (to them) dangerous grounds of particulars. They assert that a surplus of $3,800,000 left in the treasury by Sandfield Macdonald has disappeared. So it has and millions besides in advancing the interests of the Province. As to the Macdonald surplus—it is not fair to call it a surplus, for nearly the whole amount was mortgaged to construct public buildings and other projects begun but not completed, before the present government came into power. Since the present government came into office the large sum of nearly 90 millions has been spent in promoting the interests of Ontario, six or seven millions on railways and the province has been equipped with splendid public buildings for whose cost no one will deny that first class value has been received. Since 1890, in addition to the Parliament buildings, all paid for out of current revenue, $1,680,000 dollars has been spent on public buildings, yet there is a surplus and reserve, a surplus of over five and a quarter millions, consisting essentially of $4,200,000 in the hands of the Dominion Government, $700,000 in the bank and $300,000 in drainage debentures. We stand thus: with a surplus of Ontario assets over Ontario liabilities of $5,991,000, and with at present little prospective expenditure on capital account, we have decreasing expenditure. For instance, the expenditure of Ontario has been decreasing the past eight years in a satisfactorily steady rate, as will be seen by the following table. The expenditure was:

1891	$4,158,159
1892	4,055,257
1893	3,907,145
1894	3,842,206
1895	3,758,495
1896	3,703,879
1897	3,500,654

This is a decrease in the annual expenditure in the past seven years of $1,658,505. Does this look like extravagance? When we had public institutions to build and extend, our expenditures were large and the government was justified in liberally providing for the wants of the Province. But when these extraordinary expenses ceased the expenditure shows a steady drop, showing that when circumstances permit the Government to lower the expenditure, it is decreased.

The Opposition, especially Mr. Whitney, has endeavoured to frighten the people with the threat of the danger of direct taxation. There is no danger of such a condition while the present Government is in power. Let us for a moment recapitulate our sources of income that rise like a high wall between our people and "direct taxation." We have as a source of income that can be depended upon for all time to come, $1,400,000 from the Dominion Government, of which $1,100,000 is in the form of subsidy. Then from the Crown Lands Department comes another large item of revenue, nearly another million—$950,000—per year. This is a pretty good source of revenue, whose permanence is likely to be unimpaired for a long time to come. An exchange in dealing with the question of "direct" taxation, puts the matter in relation to this revenue thus pithily:

"We find on careful examination that Mr. Whitney's fears are not justified, and that by good management we may not only avoid the imposition of direct taxation, but may retain the timber for many years to come. The possession of this wealth by the province is an inestimable boon in providing a large portion of the annual revenue and must be carefully guarded by the Administration. That the best interests of the province are now being subserved is made evident by a consideration of the timber policy since Confederation. The Sandfield Macdonald Government sold considerably more than one-half of all the timber that has been sold in the last thirty years, but calculating upon the total amount William Charlton, M.P.P., an expert lumberman, was able to state at Toronto the other day that at this rate the timber would last for seventy-nine years without making the slightest reckoning for reforesting and growth. Basing his calculations upon the record of the Liberal Ministry, the period would be extended to 153 years. At the present time he knew that there were 34,000,000,000 feet of timber in sight, two-thirds of which were unsold. Much, moreover, of it is unsaw, and when it is taken down, the Government receives further dues."

And we should bear in mind that the Government is adopting strong, practical measures for the better care of our timber and for its reproduction, so that by the time the supply mentioned above is exhausted, there will be a new supply available from natural growth as a producer of revenue. The other sources of revenue, added to the two items—Dominion grants and Crown revenues amounting to nearly two and a half millions, assure the province of a pretty permanent source of revenue. All these other sources of revenue are reliable and permanent, except perhaps the sum of $275,000, derived from licenses, which, in the event of the people adopting peohibition, will, of course, not be available. There is no more probability of direct taxation being necessary to carry on the necessary services of the province, than there was a score of years ago. If Mr. Whitney and his friends who set with him hope to attain power, they must contemplate some monstrous feature of extravagance if they think direct taxation a possibility.

There is no going back of the fact that the present Government has been economical and efficient in its management of the Provincial business, and it would be simply a tempting of Providence to place the prophets of direct taxation in power. In that event there is little doubt that their prophecies would be fulfilled. It is always safe to trust to the bridge that has carried one safe over the stream.

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From Our Own Correspondent.

There has not been better sleighing for many winters past, and farmers are busy hauling their wheat to the Peterborough markets, paying them well on each load.

The Carnegie meeting held last week here, addressed by Messrs. Miscambell and Magwood, did not arouse much enthusiasm. No fault much could be found only that the Government was long enough in power. Nothing was said about the piggery, being the wrong place here to dwell on that.

Mr. Austin, manufacturer, of Kinmount, is shortly expected around here amongst his friends, and with all the good qualities his rival, Mr. Carnegie, possesses, yet his majority is going to be reduced as much accordingly as any one could desire.

There was a large crowd of ladies and gentlemen attended the Dairy Association meeting in the Bradburn Hall last week, and more interest is being taken at each meeting. Creameries are to be the order of the day shortly.

A number of Miss Rehill's friends in this vicinity will attend her wedding Wednesday, including Lt. Rea, 45th Batt., Mrs. T. J. Parson and Miss Wilson.

Our township council, including Reeve W. Adams and Deputy Reeve W. S. Graham, had their first meeting to-day.

Our High School, under the new principal, Mr. Jardine, is progressing well this far.

Two of our young men who are at the Klondike, Thos. Sherwood and C. Cornell, report it no easy task to make that trip and requires an iron constitution to endure it.

Mr. A. Thornton's lingering illness still continues hopeless.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Alice O'Reilly, daughter of Mr. Charles O'Reilly, left on Saturday for Montreal to attend school at the Ville Marie Convent. We wish her every success.

Miss Mary Tucker is spending a few days visiting relatives in Hastings and Otonabee.

Miss Sadie Foster of Bracebridge is visiting her uncle, Mr. D. Foster.

Miss Annie Burkell of Roseneath, has been visiting at Mr. Chas. O'Reilly's.

Mr. Wm. O'Keefe of Deseronto, has been spending a few days with his mother.

Mr. C. Ritchie was in town last week renewing old acquaintances.

Miss L. Lewis, one of our teachers, who has been away for her health, has returned to her duties.

Mrs. R. E. Bell of Cleveland, is visiting her brother, Mr. D. Mahoney, Belmont street.

The Board of Education met in the High School on Monday evening, Jan. 10th. In the absence of Mr. W. E. Roxburgh, Mr. J. L. Squire was appointed chairman. Present—Messrs. P. W. Stevenson, Thomas Fraser, Thomas Rork, Thomas Robson, John McNaughton, P. W. Reynolds, Wm. Webster and W. H. Stephenson, secretary. Mr. Roxburgh came in a few minutes later.

The minutes of the last meeting were read, and no objection being made, were ordered to be signed.

The Board then discussed the resolution passed at one of the previous meetings with regard to the resignation of teachers.

After some discussion it was moved by Messrs. Stevenson and Fraser that if any teacher desired to leave, resignation will only be accepted when given at least thirty days prior to the beginning of a new term.—Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

The inaugural meeting of the new council elect was held in the town hall on Monday forenoon. All the members were present and, having taken the declaration of office, they took their seats.

The minutes of last regular meeting were read and ordered to be signed.

Bylaw No. 208, appointing village officials for the year 1898, was read the usual number of times and passed.

The following officers were appointed:—Chas. O'Reilly, assessor; Thomas Fraser, collector; Jas. Jotcham, sanitary inspector; Jas. Kellett, caretaker of town hall; P. W. Stevenson, poundkeeper; John Calder, Jas. Raddon, Jas. Starr, fenceviewers; John Chandler, truant officer; Dr. Geo. Pettigrew, medical health officer; A. R. Anderson, member board of health.

Bylaw 209 appointing Messrs. Pettigrew and Anderson was read the usual number of times and passed.

Moved by Councillors Walker and Iles, that the resignation of Dr. S. P. Ford as High School trustee be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Councillor Ebbs and Walker that Jas. Cummings be appointed to take Dr. Ford's place.

Moved in amendment by Councillor Iles that Jas. Cummings be appointed High School trustee in place of W. H. Stephenson.

The original motion was carried.

Moved by Councillors Rork and Walker that W. H. Stephenson be appointed High School trustee.—Carried.

Bylaw 210, appointing Messrs. J. Cummings and W. H. Stephenson as High School trustees for 1898-99 was read the usual number of times and passed.

Moved by Councillors Ebbs and Walker that Mr. A. B. Richardson be appointed an auditor.—Carried.

The reeve appointed Mr. J. G. Sherry.

Bylaw 211, confirming the above appointments, was read the usual number of times.

Moved by Councillors Walker and Iles, that the following accounts be paid: A. Clark, 640 feet cedar plank at $10 per M, $6.40; Jas. Calder, registering births, marriages, etc., $11.20.

The reeve read a communication in regard to the purchase of new books for the Treasurer, as authorized by the Ontario Legislature. Moved by Councillors Walker and Rork, that the purchase of new books for the Treasurer be left in the hands of the reeve and clerk—Carried.

Councillors John Walker and W. Ebbs handed in their resignations as councillors for the year 1898, which were accepted on motion of Councillor Rork and Iles.

The council adjourned.

Squire Bros., of this place, have secured from the Swift Company, of Chicago, for Mr. R. Scriver, the contract for supplying that company with 3,000 tons of ice for their ice house at Havelock. Mr. Scriver has erected derricks and slides for loading the cars and has a gang of men at work.

The entertainment held by the English church in the town hall Friday evening was a success, and about $12 was cleared.

The annual meeting of East Peterborough Agricultural Society will be held in the town hall Wednesday, Jan 19th, at 10 o'clock sharp.

A large number from here attended the opening of Victoria Rink, Campbellford, on Monday evening. Our hockey club, as billed, played Belleville, and were defeated by a score of 1—7. Our boys are greatly weakened by the loss of Messrs. Ashe, Code and Edgar.

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THE OBNOXIOUS SEALSKIN LAW.

A New York Firm Proposes to Fight it in the Courts.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The Treasury Department has been informed that Wiel & Company, fur importers, of New York, will protest against the operation of one feature of the new sealing law, with the intention of bringing the matter into the courts. The firm represents that it had in London at the time the sealing bill became a law a large number of sealskins in process of dressing and preparation for shipment, and that free entry should be allowed these skins at the port of New York.

The Dog Called Off.

When the attention of Assistant Secretary Howell was called to the difficulties experienced at Detroit and Suspension Bridge by tourists and others in the matter of the detention of their sealskin garments, he immediately sent the following telegram to the collectors of customs at those ports:

"Admit sealskin garments imported as personal effects if they are shown to have been in use by owners prior to 29th ultimo."

Mr. Howell said in explanation that it had been held by the Treasury that sealskins actually in transit to the United States prior to the passage of the Act of Dec. 29, 1897, were not subject to the provisions of that Act, and it would be manifestly unfair to hold that sealskin garments, purchased by tourists prior to Dec. 29, and used by them in their travel between the United States and Canada, were subject to the provisions of this Act on their arrival in the United States.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

A Post Card's Long Tour Around the World—Capital Topics.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—Messrs. C. B. Wright & Co. of Hull received in their mail a post-card of the international postal union covered with the post marks and stamps of a journey around the world via the British possessions. A close examination was needed to make out any address on the face of the card, so crowded was it with writing and stamps. The back showed that the card had been travelling for eight months, yet it was not much the worse for wear. It was sent on.

The Customs Department has issued regulations in respect of goods imported and entered in transit and shipped by water from one port to another port in the Dominion. The design of the regulations is to enable ports where such goods are entered, and whence they are shipped, to be advised that they have been duly received and delivered into the custody of the customs at the port to which they are to be conveyed by water.

Deputy Warden Constant of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary has been suspended. There is no truth in the report that J. B. Forestor, Warden of Dorchester Penitentiary, is going to St. Vincent de Paul. G. L. Foster is still acting warden at St. Vincent de Paul.

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BRITISH SOUDAN OPERATIONS

The Spaniards Are Indignant at the Sending of Yankee Supplies to the Starving Cuban Rebels—Denmark Wants Neutrality—Britain to Find China the Money.

London, Jan. 12.—The Birmingham Post, the organ of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, says: "The treaty which Mr. James Rennell Rodd, principal secretary of the British Agency and Consulate-General in Egypt, negotiated with King Menelik of Abyssinia, contains a clause binding King Menelik not to allow any obstacle to emanate from Abyssinian territory with the object of blocking the Egyptian advance upon Khartoum. As a quid pro quo King Menelik secures a certain rectification of the frontier when the Khalifa is subdued."

British Soudan Operations.

London, Jan. 12.—The Cairo correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: "It is the belief here that the British operations are due to the presence of the French at Fashoda rather than to the Dervish advance.

"The Dervish movement is hampered by lack of transport, but it is believed that 40,000 Dervishes are covering Omdurman, opposite Khartoum, and 20,000 more are at Metemmeh and Shendy, between 80 and 90 miles north of Omdurman. It is estimated that one-eighth are armed with rifles."

Third Hussars for Cairo.

Dover, Jan. 12.—The greatest enthusiasm and activity prevails at Shorncliffe, from which camp the Third Hussars have been ordered to proceed to Cairo. Large drafts from other British regiments are also preparing.

SPANIARDS ARE INDIGNANT.

The Scheme to Aid Indigent Cubans Regarded as an Excuse to Help Rebels.

Madrid, Jan. 12.—A despatch to Imparcial from Havana says the sending of supplies from the United States to aid the indigent population of Cuba has aroused deep animosity among the Spaniards, who, it is added, are "incensed at the pretext thus given to the American Consuls and the Yankee element to interfere in Cuban affairs."

It is alleged that the funds will be used to widen the breach between the Cuban peasantry and the Spaniards, and it is further stated that the American newspaper correspondents have been instructed to exaggerate the sufferings of the peasantry in order to again arouse public feeling in the United States, so as to provide Washington with an excuse to intervene.

Britain to Find the Money.

London, Jan. 12.—The Chinese loan negotiations are progressing. Great Britain has informed China that she is willing to find the money required, and the details are being discussed. The amount will probably be £20,000,000, Great Britain asking for certain changes in the administration of China, including the restoration of Li Hung Chang to power.

McLeavy Brown Offered a New Job.

London, Jan. 12.—A special despatch from Shanghai says it is reported there that Mr. McLeavy Brown, British Superintendent of Corean Customs, has been offered the British Consul-Generalship at Seoul, the Corean capital, and that the Russo-Japanese agreement as to Corea involves the recognition of Port Lazareff, on the east coast, north of Gensan, as within the sphere of Russian influence.

To Make Money for India.

London, Jan. 12.—On Friday next a bill will be introduced into the India Legislative Council to carry into effect the new Indian currency scheme. It will add greatly to the monetary circulation by the creation of new notes against gold.

Tribal War in the New Hebrides.

Sydney, N.S.W., Jan. 12.—Steamers which have just arrived here report a tribal war at Tanna, in the New Hebrides. There is said to have been considerable bloodshed and the natives were also causing the traders much trouble.

Denmark Wants Recognized Neutrality.

Copenhagen, Jan. 12.—During the budget debate in the Folkething (Lower House of Parliament) yesterday the Minister for Foreign Affairs informed the House that the Danish Ministers had been instructed to ascertain whether it were possible for Denmark to obtain a guarantee of her neutrality from the various powers. The replies, the Minister added, showed the powers fully recognized Denmark's readiness to take up a neutral position, but at the present moment there was no probability that she would be able to secure the desired guarantee.

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Western United States Railroads Forced by the Canadian Road to Cut Their Through Passenger Rates.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 12.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission has issued an order dated January 1st, 1898, continuing in force until December 31st, 1898, the order of March 25th, 1897, authorising certain named railroad companies to charge less for the transportation of passengers both eastbound and westbound for the longer distance, by their several connecting lines, between points in the Kootenay district in British Columbia, near the northern boundary of the United States, between the Cascade and the Rocky Mountains, and points upon the Detroit and St. Clair Rivers and easterly thereof, in the Dominion of Canada, and in that portion of New England reached directly by the Grand Trunk Railway, than for the short distances to intermediate points on their respective lines. It is provided, however, that such lower rates for longer distances shall not at any time be less than those previously established or charged by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the transportation of passengers between the same points. It is further provided that this order may be revoked at any time without notice. The following are the names of the railroads who made applications for the continuance of the order and in whose interest it was issued:

The Great Northern Railway, the Northern Pacific, the Union Pacific, the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Chicago and Alton, the Wabash, the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern, the Chicago and Northwestern, the Chicago and Grand Trunk, the Chicago, Burlington and Northern, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, the Chicago Great Western, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, the Minneapolis and St. Louis, the Wisconsin Central, the Grand Trunk of Canada, the Spokane Falls and Northern, the Michigan Central and the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo.

The ground for the application for the order relieving these carriers from the operation of the fourth section of the Act to regulate commerce as regards this traffic was that they might meet the competition of the Canadian Pacific road, a line wholly in Canada.

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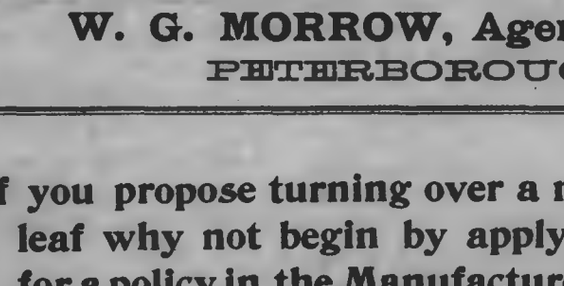

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Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough, with the *bona fide* name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the East Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Warsaw, with the *bona fide* name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

J. J. CROWE
Hall's Glen P. O.
License Inspector, East Peterborough

STYLISH GARMENTS

In Imported Jackets and Capes at Sacrificing Prices during January will now prevail. Cost price ignored. Not a Garment to remain in this depart ment. The limited assortment will likely be consumed in a very short time.

January social events will bring forth a lively demand for many articles of dress, and our reduced prices will make the inducement a plain case of money saving to the ladies.

We excel in Gloves, Veiling, Corsets and Hosiery.

MISS DELANEY

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Tea and Sale of Work.

The Girls' Guild of St. John's announce a tea and sale of work on Thursday, Feb. 10th. Particulars hereafter.

Oysters.

Ed. Welsh is selling the nicest standard oysters in town for 35c. per quart, direct from the oyster beds, Baltimore.

Acknowledgment.

The Children's Aid Society wishes to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of $5.00 from Mrs. Ackerman and $1.00 from Mrs. Pethick.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Cheap Furniture During January.

Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 28c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427 George street.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 239 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices :

Hair cut..... 10c
Shave..... 7c

Having been five years in the employ of Mr. LeGros, I can guarantee my work to be satisfactory. Three comfortable chairs and up-to-date accommodation.

EDWARD LEOLAIRE.

Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened up and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Clearing Sale

of Groceries, Provisions, etc. Having purchased the grocery stock of the T. W. Robinson Co. at a great sacrifice, we will sell the entire lot at less than wholesale prices. The stock is perfectly new and fresh, and consists of the finest grades of Teas and Coffees, Spices, Canned Goods, etc. Sale to commence Saturday morning, 8th inst., and will be continued from day to day until the entire stock is disposed of. This presents a rare opportunity for housekeepers and others to lay in provisions, as the stock must be cleared out at once, regardless of what it will bring. Buyers are advised to come early before the goods are picked over. Remember the place, The T. W. Robinson & Co.'s stand at the head of George street (corner Smith and George). Telephone No. 366.—E. F. MASON & Co.

OAK HALL GIFT PRICES.

The Oak Hall acorn drops into Gough Bros'. mit, who have bought the $16,430 stock of Senator Sandford at 62½ cents on the Dollar—and that dollar, the manufacturer's cost. You can fancy what sweeping prices Gough Bros., the Princes of Low Prices, will put on the Goods. First Class Goods. Unheard of Low Prices. Sale begins Wednesday at the Oak Hall store, corner George and Hunter streets. Follow the mile posts to Oak Hall for the biggest bargains of the century.

FAIR SYSTEM OF TAXATION

AS APPLIED TO THE PERSONALTY OF RETAIL MERCHANTS.

A Meeting on the Subject in the Council Chamber—Addresses by Members of the Central Association—The Fair System of Taxation Explained—Departmental Stores Receive Attention.

Last night a few of the local merchants and others assembled in the council chamber for the purpose of hearing addresses on the subject of the fair taxation of the personalty of retail merchants.

The representatives of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada present were Mr. E. M. Trowern, secretary; Mr. E. P. Holden, first vice-president, and Mr. C. E. Gibbard.

Mayor Davis occupied the chair, and regretted the small attendance, because the object of the meeting was one that deserved sympathy and the careful attention of those concerned.

Mr. E. M. Trowern, Toronto, after a few preliminary remarks referred to the departmental stores as establishments organized by a few individuals for their own selfish interest. He described how, by means of their immense capital, they were able to sell certain lines of goods below cost in order to sell others at a high price. This was characterized as a species of gambling. An instance was given to shew how the first step of departmental stores was to paralyse other merchants. They thus

DESTROY THE PROFITS

in goods, and this leads to a demand for the lessening of the wages of employees, and a demand for cheaper production, introducing the shoddy element in goods. One departmental store ordered from a manufacturer a certain line of chairs to be made at 90c, of which the legitimate price was $2.00. The manufacturer took the order and had to cut down the wages of his workingmen to fill it. Thus the workmen were robbed and the departmental store sold the chairs at a price that killed the profits of the legitimate furniture dealer. This practice led to the manufacture of inferior goods and the result was robbery of employees. The drugs sold in these stores were cunningly adulterated and in other goods cotton was mixed with wool and all sorts of material were deteriorated. The remedy for this state of affairs was co-operation on the part retail merchants. Through the influence of departmental stores Toronto was never in a worse condition than it was to-day, and every liability of the city had to be met and this in the face of the fact that the population is going up and the assessed value going down; land without business is valueless. The money grabbed by departmental stores did a city little good because most of it was sent out of town. The speaker denounced the system of paying taxes upon merchant's stocks, by which a merchant paid taxes on his goods if they were paid for and went free if they were not paid for. thus giving a premium on going into debt. An instance was given of a departmental store in Toronto which was assessed for $100,000 on a stock that made a turnover of four millions a year. They advertise that they pay cash for goods and sell for cash, but when their assessment was appealed against, the defence was made that only $80,000 of stock was paid for. In addition to swindling the public, the departmental store tried to swindle the city, but the Retail Merchants Association kept it till the assessment on a million dollar stock was raised to $200,000. The remedy for such conditions is to be found in the fact that retail merchants know what they want and they should form themselves into an association to protect themselves. The

OBJECTS OF THE ASSOCIATION

were set forth as follows :

To safeguard the interests of Retail Merchants of the various departments of trade throughout the Dominion.

To endeavour to enlist the co-operation of all Manufacturers and Wholesale Jobbers in securing just and equitable prices on all classes of staple and standard merchandise.

To prevent misrepresentation in advertisements claiming to sell at less than cost price, as it brings no benefit to legitimate merchandising and destroys the value of labour.

To regulate the disposal of bankrupt stocks.

To promote legislation in the direction of securing an efficient Insolvent Act, improvements in municipal laws in peddling and other licenses.

Legislation in the direction of improved postal regulations.

Legislation in the direction of simplifying the collection of debts.

A more rigid enforcement of the provisions of the Adulteration Act, also for the amendment of the same wherein deficient.

To promote proper equalization of taxation and insurance rates.

To secure closer friendly relationship and good fellowship among retailers and with all trades and labour organizations and other similar associations having for their object the advancement of the mutual interests of retail merchants.

A year ago the Retail Merchants' Association started with two members. It has now a thousand in Toronto alone. The speaker recited what had been effected in the direction of removing the disabilities of retail merchants. The

FAIR SYSTEM OF TAXATION

for retail merchants is something on this plan :—To tax the retail merchant according to the amount of business done—up to the first $50,000, ¼th per cent., up to the second ½ per cent., up to the third ¾th per cent. The rate increases as the volume of trade increases. Thus, on a business of $50 000 the merchant would pay ¼th per cent., or $1.25 per thousand, or a tax of $62.50; on a business of $100,000 2-8th per cent., $2.50 per thousand would yield a tax of $187.50, and so on, the tax increasing according as the volume of business increases a fair way inasmuch as an increased volume of business means a larger profit and an increased capacity for paying. By this plan the merchant had fair play; if he had a bad year and did a poor business his taxes would be light and in proportion to his power to pay: if he did a big business his taxes would be larger and so would be his ability to pay. Every merchant would thus be placed on a fair level with his fellow. The speaker closed a logical and well received address with an appeal to merchants to organize for the protection of their own interests. Under the system of taxation proposed a departmental store that did a business of a million and formerly escaped with a taxation on an assessment of $80,000 or $100,000 of goods, would have to pay taxes on a million dollar business, which, according to the scale proposed, would be over $12,000. Thus the establishment that did the biggest business would

WOULD PAY THE BIGGEST TAX BILL.

Mr. C. E. Gibbard spoke briefly impressing the fact that Retail Merchants' Association was not a Toronto affair, but one that was spreading throughout the whole country and he urged retail merchants to unite for self-protection against the departmental stores, whose blight was denounced in the strongest term. He dwelt upon the necessity of organization among the retail merchants, which was the thing needed to "stay the plague" of the departmental stores. The postal regulations should be amended to prevent the departmental store from sending parcels of goods all over the country for a nominal postage, and from using the mails at book rates to flood the country with deluding advertising circulars. He urged organization in order to bring influence to bear upon parliamentary representatives in order to secure legislation to bring the remedy for evils to which the retail trade was subjected by the departmental store octopus.

PRELIMINARY ORGANIZATION.

Preliminary organization of an association for Peterborough was made by the appointment of officers pro tem.

On motion of Mr. W. Madill, seconded by Mr. McWilliams, Mr. Richard Hall was appointed president pro tem.

On motion of Mr. Geo. McWilliams, seconded by Mr. A. Allison, Mr. John Armstrong was appointed vice president pro tem.

On motion of Mayor Davis, seconded by Mr. A. Gibson, Mr. W. Madill was appointed treasurer, pro tem.

On motion of Mr. Madill, seconded by Mr. Gibson, Mr. A. H. Stratton was appointed secretary, pro tem.

Mayor Davis remarked that the subject of the meeting was of vital importance to Peterborough. He had good reason to believe persons who patronized the Toronto Departmental stores had very unsatisfactory experience. He thought if the subject of the meeting were submitted to the Board of Trade, which was composed largely of live retail men, who he believed would undertake the matter with energy. We had the fortune to be represented in the Local House by a good man who he believed would do all he could to advance the interests of the retail stores in towns like Peterborough and would, he felt sure, aid legislation to that end.

Messrs. Yokome and McKay, of the EXAMINER and Review in moving a vote of thanks to the speakers of the evening, pointed out how the evening papers of Peterborough had refused offers of advertisements of Toronto Departmental stores.

Messrs. Holden, Gibbard and Trowern briefly acknowledged the compliment, the latter speaking in terms of commendation of the evening papers of Peterborough whose action was so strongly in contrast with Toronto papers, which, with a single exception, were bought up and subsidized by the departmental stores.

RUN OFF AT MANVERS.

A Freight Train Breaks in Two and Delays Traffic.

The midnight train was several hours late last night in arriving in Peterborough through the fact that during the evening an east bound freight broke in two at Manvers. As the train was governed by air brakes as soon as the break occurred the separate portions were brought to a dead stop by the action of the brakes, and two cars jumped the track, blocking traffic for three or four hours.

C.M.B.A. OFFICERS.

They Were Installed Last Evening in the Local Branch.

Branch 30 of the C. M. B. A. met last evening and installed the following officers :

Very Rev D J Casey	Spiritual adviser
John Coughlin	Chancellor
Thos Cahill	Pres
A J Gough	1st Vice-Pres
T Henry	2nd Vice-Pres
W F Morrow	Rec-Sec
M H Quinlan	Asst "
H Carveth	Treas
John Sullivan	Marshall
John McCormack	Guard

Trustees—Wm Rudkins (chairman), John Simons, Jas O'Brien, John Kelly and D Hobbins.

Representative to Grand Council—James Bague.

After the installation ceremonies, Ven. Archdeacon Casey addressed the members on the aims and objects of the Order. He was followed by Mr. Thos. Cahill and Mr. A. J. Gough. The retiring president, Mr. John Coughlin, also spoke at some length on the work accomplished during the past year.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.

The Officers of the Local Tent Installed For the Year.

The following officers were duly installed in the local Tent 69, Knights of Maccabees, at their regular review last evening :

J Titterson	Sir Knight Past Commander
R Morrison	Sir Knight "
S W English	Sir Knight Lieut "
J A Woodard	Sir Knight Record and Finance Keeper
B Kingscote	Sir Knight Chaplain
Dr W D Scott	Sir Knight Physician
W H Wilson	Sir Knight Sergeant
J E Fowler	Sir Knight Master at Arms
R Kerr	Sir Knight 1st Master of Guards
J Watt	Sir Knight 2nd " "
M Cooper	Sir Knight Sentinel
J Dunsford	Sir Knight Picket

After installation the officers adjourned to the dining hall and partook of a sumptuous oyster supper catered by Sir Knight Watt.

WORKMEN INSTALLED

By District Deputy Grand Master Ives, of Colborne.

The local branch of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was favoured last evening by a visit from Mr. Wm. H. Ives, of Colborne, Deputy Grand Master of the district, on the occasion of the annual installation of officers.

The attendant ceremony was performed by the D.D.G.M., and the officers were conducted to their respective chairs as appended :—

John Hetherington	Past Master Workman
Jas Mulholland	Master Workman
Wm H White	Foreman
Wm Donsell	Overseer
T G Gilespie	Recorder
Benj Shortly	Financier
Wm C Barrie	Receiver
Wm Sharpe	Guide
J M Donovan	Inside Watchman
G Hardill	Outside Watchman
D W Dumble	Representative to Grand Lodge
Dr Fife	Physician

During the evening the brethren had the pleasure of listening to an interesting address by the District Deputy Grand Master on the advance made by the Order during the year.

Grafton's Big Clearing Sale now going on.

OBITUARY.

Death of Henry Goodfellow Last Evening at McDonald.

Word was received in town to-day of the death of Henry Goodfellow, father of the late Mrs. F. Foot.

Mr. Goodfellow, who has been residing near Napanee for some years, came to Peterborough to attend his daughter's funeral last week, but taking ill himself, had to return home before interment took place. Mr. Foot received a telegram conveying the news of his death last evening.

The deceased was seventy-five years of age, and was born in Shaftsbury, England. In 1869 he came to Canada and took up residence in Peterborough, where he lived for about fifteen years, then removing to McDonald, where he has since been the postmaster. He was well-known and highly respected during his residence in town. Interment will probably take place at the Little Lake cemetery, where his first wife is buried.

PERSONAL.

Miss Gwyneth Tate, Lakefield, left for Toronto to-day.

Miss Madge McGill returned this morning to St. Mary's, where she is attending school.

Mr. P. Boyd Tytler of Lindsay, who has been spending the last few days in town, returned home last evening.

Mrs. Eastwood and children, Brock street, who are visiting in Whitby, will not return until the end of next week.

Mr. A. W. Beal, M. A., of Brantford, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Lyle, Park street, returned to that city this morning.

Miss Edith and Bella Morrow, of Fleetwood, who have been visiting their uncle, Dr. Morrow, of town, for the last few weeks, have returned home.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature :—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 2° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	21°	9°

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

50 Men's Pants in Serge and Tweed, good Pants for working, Pants worth 90c to $1.25, Grafton's clearing sale price, 49c.

LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated January 10th, 1898.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. HENRY DENNE, President.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

PETERBOROUGH AND ASHBURNHAM HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Will be held in the TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBER, Peterborough, on

Wednesday, January 12th, 1898,

at 7.30 o'clock p.m., for the election of officers and general business.

GEO. BURNHAM, M.D., President. F. BROWNSCOMBE, Secretary. 515

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE

In the Best Localities in Ashburnham and on West End of Beliver Street, Peterborough.

Liberal inducements to those who intend to build. Very moderate prices for cash. Apply to E. A. PECK, Barrister, or to GEO. BURNHAM, M. D.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Bruce Rickey, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Merchant, Insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate, credit and effects for the benefit of his creditors under the revised statutes of Ontario, 1887, chapter 124 and amending acts.

Further notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said estate will be held in the office of Roger & Bennet, my Solicitors, No. 375 Water street, in the town of Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1898, at 2 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and give directions as to the disposal of the estate generally, and creditors are requested to file their claims with me or my solicitors on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is given that after the said date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim I shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Peterborough this 11th day of January, 1898.

ROGER & BENNET, 375 Water St., Peterborough. Solicitors for Assignee.

H. RUSH, Assignee. 513

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—150 vol. Cloth Bound Books, good titles and splendid values, at 24c, for 12½c each.
—200 vol. Cloth Bound Books, good binding, good titles, well worth 28c, for 19c.
—150 vol. Cloth Bound Books, best value ever sold at 44c, for 38c.
—100 vol. Pansy Series of Cloth Bound Books, for 21c.
—100 vol. Elsie Series of Cloth Bound Books for 21c.
—200 vol. Paper Bound Books, good titles, great value at 15c, our price 7½c.
—Annuals at less than cost.
—Standard Sets at cost.
—Dickens complete 16 volumes.
—Scott complete 12 volumes.
—Thackaray complete 10 volumes.
—Bulwer Lytton complete 13 volumes.
—George Eliot complete 6 volumes.
—Marryatt complete 12 volumes.
—Macaulays Essays, Dumas Works, Doyles Work's, MacLaren's Works.

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Richard Hall & Son.

Great January Sale!

Our Great January Clearing-Up-Before-Stock-Taking Sale is now in full blast. All Winter Goods still in stock, including MILLINERY, MANTLES, DRESS GOODS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, CARPETS and HOUSEFURNISHINGS must be closed out before inventory, on the First of February. Below are some of the Prices that will do it :—

25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
6 pieces Broad Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $3.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
100 yards All Wool Carpet, regular 85c, sale price 65c.
200 yards Tapestry Carpet, regular 35c, sale price 25c.

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THE NUMBER

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Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage Licenses from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness.

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Daily Examiner.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1898

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOURERS.

St. Andrew's Society Holds a Meeting—The New Book of Praise.

St. Andrew's Y.P.S.C.E. held a delightful praise service Monday evening last. Our special topic, alluding to the new Book of Praise, was read by Mrs. Potter, and was so full of interest that those who heard it will be able to sing with a deeper enthusiasm than ever before. The Book of Praise has two parts: (1) The Psalm selections being 123 in number and comprising the parts generally chosen for public worship; (2) the Hymns are 621 in number and has seven main parts:—

I.—God—His Attributes, Works and Word.
II.—The Christian Life.
III.—The Church.
IV.—Special Occasions.
V.—Hymns for the Young.
VI.—Dismission Hymns.
VII.—Doxologies.

We ought to be justly proud of our new Hymnal. For a great many years many of our people, together with a number of ministers, felt that the Psalms were being entirely overlooked in the worshipping of God. Now we have a book of which we might well be proud and rejoice in its character. We feel that it's spiritual tone is very high; that its hymns are very pure and healthy; that there is not a department of church life for which the hymns will not be suitable. In the book of Psalms we have there a large number compiled by David that were used in the worship of God before his departure. The 90th Psalm refers to the wanderings of the children of Israel. We cannot forget the song of triumph that Miriam led the people in the singing of after crossing the Red Sea. Also at the birth of our Saviour there was a heavenly host praising God, showing how important it is for us to praise God in Psalms and Hymns and spiritual songs, making melody in our hearts to the Lord. During the evening two very suitable solos were sung entitled, "Nearer My God to Thee," and "Light of Life so Softly Shining." After several committees had reported of the work done during the past month. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

A Mother's Story—Her little Girl Cured of Croup.

Having used your medicine, my faith is very high in its powers of curing Colds and Croup. My little girl has been subject to the Croup for a long time, and I found nothing to cure it until I gave Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine, which I cannot speak too highly of.

Mrs. F. W. Boad,
20 Macdonald Street, Barrie, Ont.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

THE VILLAGE COUNCIL.

Its Inaugural Meeting Was Held on Monday Evening Last—Officers Appointed For the Year.

The inaugural meeting of the Ashburnham council was held Monday evening with Reeve Adams in the chair and Councillors Rutherford, Morgan, Craig and Johnston.

Communications were received and referred as appended:

From J. Ross Robertson, Toronto, asking for a grant to the Sick Children's Hospital.—Received.

From W. M. Matchett, asking for the use of town hall for school concert.—Granted. The Mark street church was also granted the use of the hall.

From John Craig, applying for the position of constable and street inspector at $200 per year—Received.

From Thos. Mitchell, offering his services as constable and street inspector for $240 per year.—Received.

From the Bank of Commerce, stating that the amount to the credit of the village at the bank is $646 88—Received.

From A. D. Russell, applying for the position of auditor.—Received.

THE AUDITORS.

On motion of Messrs. Rutherford and Morgan, Mr. A. D. Russell was appointed auditor.

Reeve Adams named Mr. Thos. Quartermain as his auditor.

Councillors Craig and Johnston moved that the auditors be instructed to make out a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures, and the clerk be instructed to have 200 copies printed and distributed—Carried.

ACCOUNTS

were received as follows and payment ordered on motion of Councillor Johnston and Morgan.

Pay sheet No. 39	$ 2 75
T B Manisee, charity	5 00
W Collins	15 00
Times Printing Co.	5 00
Election expenses	26 50

THE ASSESSORS.

Councillors Craig and Johnston moved the appointment of Messrs. Mowry and Thompson as assessors, at a salary of $40 each.

In amendment Councillors Rutherford and Morgan moved the appointment of Henry Thompson and W. Manisee at the same figure—The amendment was carried.

STREET INSPECTOR AND CONSTABLE.

The two applications for the position of constable and street inspector, were then taken up and considered, with the claim of Mr. A. Fitzgerald to reappointment, and a warm discussion took place as to the merits of the three men. Councillors Morgan and Rutherford finally moved the appointment of A. Fitzgerald as constable, street inspector, health and truant officer, at the same salary as he was given last year, viz., $310.

The motion was carried.

Councillors Rutherford and Morgan moved that Mr. John Wright be appointed collector for 1898, and that he furnish the required security—Carried.

The reeve and clerk were appointed a committee to draft a resolution of condolence to the family of the late John Burnham, on motion of Councillor Morgan and Rutherford.

Councillors Johnston and Morgan moved that no new work be done on the streets of the village without the sanction of the majority of the council, passed at a regular meeting, except repairing sidewalks and crossings; the council to authorize the chairman of the Street and Bridge Committee to give orders to the street inspector to see that all work is done in a proper manner.—Carried.

The statement of receipts and expenditures from Dec. 15th to Dec. 31st, 1897, showed that the receipts were $2,023.58 and the expenditures $2,171.90.

Councillors Morgan and Rutherford moved that the whole council be the Street and Bridge Committee, and that the reeve appoint the chairman.—Carried.

Mr. Joseph Whiteman complained to the council that the changing of the course of the creek had damaged his property. It was suggested that if Mr. Whiteman would withdraw the notice served on the council by his solicitor, regarding legal steps being taken in the matter, that the council would experiment to see what relief would be afforded. As Mr. Whiteman refused to withdraw the notice no action was taken in the matter.

Mr. A. McCarthy was re-appointed a member of the Board of Health, on motion of Councillors Morgan and Johnston.

Council then adjourned.

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FORTNIGHTLY CLUB.

Sheriff Hall Read an Interesting Essay on 'King Lear,' Last Evening.

Mr. R. M. Dennistoun presided at the meeting of the Fortnightly Club last evening, owing to the absence in Toronto of the President, Rev. Mr. Symonds.

Mrs. Geo. A. Smith opened the musical portion of the programme with the rendition of a medley of Scotch airs composed by herself and played in compliment to the nationality of the essayist of the evening—Sheriff Hall.

Mr. Harold Nelles rendered in splendid voice two songs which met with well merited applause. Mr. Nelles has a cultivated voice and uses it with splendid effect.

Sheriff Hall followed with the essay of the evening, "King Lear." This powerful play of Shakespere was thoroughly discussed by the Sheriff, whose humor enlivened the whole essay, which was very instructive and centered the interest of the entire audience on King Lear with his terrible sorrows and madness, the wickedness of two of his daughters, in strong contrast to the love and affection of his daughter Cordelia Gloster, Kent and all the other characters were sketched in a masterly manner.

Miss Code followed with a beautiful description of the character of Cordelia, taking up the subject from the standpoint of a woman. The Club hopes that this will not be the last time Miss Code takes part in its proceedings.

Mr. Dennistoun announced that the next meeting, on Feb. 1st, would be "An Evening with Thackeray," and it being entirely in the hands of the ladies, would be exceedingly interesting, especially as refreshments would be served on that occasion. A full attendance is expected at the next meeting.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

That the Peterborough Juniors are a fast lot was amply demonstrated at the rink last night when they won from Norwood by the score of seventeen goals to five. In the first half the score was 10—1 in favour of Peterborough, and as this assured victory the local forwards did not come back with the puck in the second half, and it was through this fact that Norwood scored an additional four goals, Peterborough scoring seven more.

The two teams were composed as follows:

Norwood.		*Peterborough.*
Clancy	goal	E Wasson
McGregor	point	R Glover
Pearce	cover point	R Thorne
Hendren	forwards	H King
Cameron		C Graham
Stewart		W Crossley
Pengally		B Bellaghem
Rutherford	umpires	L LeBar

Referee—Mr. Myles Hamilton.

The return match will be played in Norwood on Monday evening next.

Norwood missed Ashe, Code and Edgar of their last year's team.

A big crowd will be down to the rink on the occasion of the next junior match, as the local team made such a good showing last night. For fast clean hockey they are almost the match of the Seniors.

As Watt was not in shape he was unable to take his place on the forward line last night, but he is coming up fast and will be ready for Norwood on Monday.

In all probability Thorne will be found playing coverpoint for the Seniors.

An effort is being made to get "Dinny" Dobbin, the crack lacrosse club goal keeper, to try his hand at guarding the flags on the ice. The Juniors will need a goal keeper, as Wasson will play with the Seniors.

Lefevre is out of the game this year, as much of his time will be spent in Lakefield. If the village team secures his services they will have a man who has no superior in the way of shooting hard when he gets the opportunity.

The Globe says: Lionel King is gaining quite a "rep" as a referee. He officiated in two games last week, and to-morrow night will look after the Waubaushene-Coldwater game in the former place.

A ladies hockey club has been organized at Owen Sound.

Lionel King has been asked to play on the all-Toronto team which is to make an American tour.

NORWOOD ODDFELLOWS.

Installation of Officers—A Large Number of Local Brethren go Down.

The installation of the officers of Norwood Lodge I.O.O.F. took place last evening in their new hall, when the ceremony was performed by D.D.G.M. Fred Fry, of Norwood, assisted by A. Macfarlane, P.G., R. F. Morrow, P.G., R. Scott, P.G., and Wm. Hill, P.G., of Peterborough Lodge, and M Mowry, P.G., Jas. A. McGill, P.G., Jas. Edgecumb, P.G., and Wm. Quinn, P. G., of Otonabee Lodge; Robt. Gillies, P. G., of Pontypool, and J. Curtis, P.G., Havelock.

Officers were installed as follows:—

Fred Fry	J P G
J W Webster	N G
W E Roxburgh	Vice G
W Eaton	Rec Sec
Ira A Cummings	Fin Sec
Jas Cummings	Treas
Dr Greenbanks	Warden
Fred Fry	Conductor
Dr Geo A Pettigrew	R S N G
J N Ackerman	L S N G
Geo Finlay	R S V G
W A F Campbell	L S V G
Chas Tucker	R S S
Wm Tait	L S S
John McMillan	Outside Guard
Herbert J Cress	Inside "
R J Stewart	Chaplain
Dr Geo A Pettigrew	Physician

After the installation a supper was served in the anteroom, where speeches were also made by the D.D.G.M. and visiting brethren.

BELLASIS VS. YOUNG.

This action was tried in the county court at the December sittings and created a good deal of interest in the neighbourhood of Young's Point, as it was a contest beween Major Bellasis and Mr. P. P. Young to establish the northern part of the concession line between the third and fourth concessions in the township of Douro. A number of the old residents were present as witnesses to identify the original posts planted by Surveyor Birdsall in 1822.

The judgment finds that the line contended for by Major Bellasis is the correct line, and in his favour for nominal damages with full costs of suit. Dennistoun, Peck & Stevenson for the plaintiff; the late John Burnham, Q. C., for defendant.

"SILKOLENE."

Something new in Shaded Cotton arrived at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, Water street.

THE PROVINCIAL CONVENTION.

Of the Y.M.C.A. for Ontario and Quebec—It Will Meet in Brantford.

The twenty-eighth annual Provincial convention of the Young Men's Christian Associations of Ontario and Quebec will be held in Brantford next week from Jan. 20th to 23rd.

The programme, as published, represents subjects for discussion embracing every feature of the many sided work for the young men of our province.

The papers and addresses are in charge of leaders in the work embracing the following:

Messrs. John R. Mott and W. B. Millar, of New York, Mr. Frank Ober, editor of "Men," Chicago, and Mr. J. F. Moore, of New York, International Secretary of the Railroad Department.

Among the Canadian speakers are Messrs. J. Penman, Paris; C. S. Gzowski, jr., Toronto; Rev. C. H. Kimball, Aylmer; D. A. Budge, Montreal, and Mr. H. H. Buxton, of Peterborough, the latter having charge of a paper on "The Ideal Physical Department.

Rev. Elmore Harris, of the Toronto Bible Training school, has charge of the "Bible Studies," which are always the central feature of the convention, as the Bible is the centre of the work.

The Woman's Auxiliaries of the Association have their convention in the same city at the same time, and a number of ladies, prominent in association work, will take part.

Peterborough Association will in all probability entertain the convention next year.

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1 package Corn Starch, 7c, or 4 for	10	1 can Mustard Sardines	13
1 package Rubber Starch	10	1 can Kippered Herrings	13
1 bag Salt, 4c, or 2 for	10	1 package Buckwheat Flour	13
1 can Peaches, 13c, or 2 for	25	2 bars White Castile Soap	5
1 can Plums, 13c, or 2 for	25	7 bars Wide Awake Soap	25
1 can Pumpkins, 9c, or 3 for	25	7 bars Eclipse Soap	25
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A TRIFLE LOWER.

Wheat Fluctuating in Chicago and Liverpool—The Visible Supply—The Local Prices.

Monday Evening, Jan. 10.

Cash wheat in Chicago 1⅝c lower at 91c. Liverpool wheat futures are ¼d to 1d lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91	$0 91¼
New York	0 97⅞	0 92¼
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90
St. Louis	0 92½	0 93½
Toledo	0 90¾	0 92¾
Detroit	0 90¾	0 91¾
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 90¾	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 90¼	0 80¾
Toronto, red	0 93	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Visible Supply of Grain.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	Jan. 8, '98.	Jan. 9, '97.	Jan. 10, '96.
Wheat, bu.	38,803,000	53,872,000	68,945,000
Corn, bu.	30,513,000	20,526,000	6,181,000
Oats, bu.	14,772,000	13,086,000	4,330,000
Rye, bu.	4,100,000	3,130,000	1,[illegible]000
Barley, bu.	4,070,000	4,076,000	3,[illegible]000

Wheat increased 47,000 bushels last week, as against a decrease of 770,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Corn increased 1,062,000 bushels last week; oats increased 2,425,000, rye increased 45,000 and barley decreased 271,000 bushels.

Toronto Stocks of Grain.

	Jan. 10, 1898.	Jan. 3, 1898.	Jan. 11, 1897.
Fall wheat, bu.	25,780	24,980	[illegible],000
Spring wheat, bu.	365	365	4,[illegible]70
Red wheat, bu.	14,007	14,007	12[illegible],116
Goose wheat, bu.	13,140	12,640	7,036
Total wheat	53,292	52,001	[illegible],320
Barley, bu	35,058	37,730	4,492
Oats, bu.	13,000	13,000	[illegible],144
Peas, bu.	5,337	5,337	2,519
Corn, bu.	7,000	8,000	....
Rye, bu	7,182	4,183	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The demand is moderate and the market rather easier. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to 3.90 middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand is not so active, with feeling unsettled. Red winter sold to-day at 92c, high freights, and more offers at that price. Spring sold on Midland at 92c for No. 2 and goose 77c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard offered at $1.02, grinding in transit, Toronto freights; 100c Fort William, and 97c to 98c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. No. 2 is quoted at 32c west. No. 3 extra sold at 28c west and feed at 25c to 26c west.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c west and at 25½c Midland. Mixed sold at 24c west.

PEAS—The market is higher, with sales of 20 cars at 50c west and another round lot at 52c north and west.

RYE—The market rules steady, with sales at 31c to 32c outside.

BUCKWHEAT—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c west for new, and 28c for old.

SEEDS—Timothy is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

British Markets.

London.—Close—Wheat off coast, very little doing. Maize on passage easy.

Mark Lane.—English wheat 6d lower, foreign in poor demand. Maize quiet and steady.

Paris. Wheat weak at 27f 85c for June. Flour weak at 58f 00c for March.

Liverpool.—Close—Wheat lower at 7s 2½d for March, 7s 0¾d for May and 6s 10d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1½d for Feb. and March, and 3s 1¾d for May. Flour 25s.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 154 cars, including 17 cars of Canadian stock; fair enquiry for best grades; market about steady; medium to heavy shipping steers, $4.60 to $4.70; coarse, rough steers, $3.75 to $4.30; green steers, $3.75 to $4.25; choice smooth fat heifers, $4.25 to $4.50; mixed butchers' stock, $3.65 to $4.15; fair to good butchers' cows, $3.15 to $3.75; export bulls, $3.65 to $3.90; oxen, $2.25 to $3.50.

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THE DISASTER IN LONDON.

Further Evidence Taken as to Its Cause—Witnesses Were Somewhat Contradictory in Their Views.

London, Ont., Jan. 11.—The inquest in connection with the City Hall disaster of last Monday was resumed before Coroner Fluck yesterday afternoon. The expert testimony with reference to the construction of the building was very conflicting, and hardly tended to enlighten the jury on the engineering aspect of the case.

Joseph Broadbent, a builder of 35 years' experience, said he had examined the beam that broke. It was 22 feet long, then ends resting on brick walls. The thickness of the beam was 12 by 14 inches, composed of four pieces of ordinary pine 3 by 14 inches, spiked together. In each of the center pieces was a large knot, at one of which was the point of breakage. This knot would tend to lessen the strength of the timber. One of the timbers was affected with dry rot to the depth of about an inch and a half. He calculated that the beam if sound would carry safely 14,900 pounds, but the defects in the timber reduced its strength one-third. If two hundred people had stood on the floor space that collapsed, the pressure on the beam would have been 22,300 pounds, whereas the beam, considering its defects, would in witness' judgment, only safely bear 10,000 pounds.

County Engineer Talbot, the next witness, said he had examined the timber and found the material good, excepting two knots, one of which, in the center of the beam, was in a bad place. He did not consider the timber affected with dry rot. The knots he estimated would reduce its strength by only one-tenth. He calculated that 16,800 pounds was the safe carrying weight of the beam, and 100,800 pounds the breaking weight. If the beam was sound it would carry a weight of fifty tons. The area of the flooring supported by the beam was 600 square feet, and at the utmost the pressure would be 100 pounds to the square foot.

"Why did the beam break, then?" queried the Crown prosecutor.

Witness said that when people were jumping around there was no way of calculating the exact weight on a floor. It was always wise to build supports six times stronger than the weight they would safely bear.

W. Brophy, barber, who worked under the City Hall some years ago, said that the shaving cups rattled whenever there was a dance overhead, but he did not consider the floor unsafe.

Herbert Weir, a drug clerk, testified that during the past two years he had noticed the vibration of the floor at the north end of the hall while dancing there. He avoided it in consequence. Others had remarked the same thing.

W. Ashbridge, R. Ironside and R. Kirkpatrick, members of the City Engineer's staff, deposed that they had never doubted the safety of the floor above their office, where the collapse occurred. Mr. Ironside was working in the office until a few minutes before the crash.

Other unimportant testimony was given.

The inquest adjourned until 10 a.m. to-day, when the remainder of the evidence will be heard.

ARE THEY ALL LOST?

The Derelict Schooner Vinton Drifts Into the Bay of Fundy.

Digby, N.S., Jan. 11.—Bottom upwards, there last night drifted into the Bay of Fundy shore twelve miles from Digby a derelict, which was recognized as the ill-fated schooner Vinton, which left Belliveau's Cove Dec. 24, loaded with spiles for Boston. Seamen in the vicinity of the place where the wreck came ashore believe, from the appearance of the rigging, that she was caught by a squall and went over immediately and all hands were lost. The Vinton was owned by Captain William Messenger; commanded by Captain Arthur Morton; mate, James Allen, who was married but a week before sailing; crew, James Blynn, Waggoner, Brooks and two others, all Digby men.

A Wellandport Boy Drowned.

Wellandport, Ont., Jan. 11.—About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Oliver, the little 5-year-old son of Charles Holmes, merchant of this place, was drowned. He and a little companion, named Neal Heaslip, ventured out on the ice of the Welland River, just in the rear of the wheat storehouse. Coming to a weak spot in the ice, Oliver fell through and drifted under the ice. His companion also fell in, but, clinging to the ice and shouting for help, was rescued by Henry Durham. After searching for an hour and a half the body of little Oliver Holmes was found.

Dogs for the Klondike.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—Mr. G. Bell Davies, accompanied by Mr. Hoggins and others from England, has arrived in the city from the East with a palace horse car containing 74 dogs. He has brought them from Antwerp and Holland to transport the provisions for the party to the Klondike. The party will leave the coast on Feb. 15, and expect to reach Dawson by the end of March. Each dog train of four will be expected to carry a train of from five to six hundred pound of goods, and one man will be engaged for every two trains.

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Ingersoll, Jan. 3—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

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JAMES BAY RAILWAY.

The Premier Says the Local Government is Alive to the Situation.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—It is hardly likely that the delegation which waited upon the Government at the Parliament Buildings last night accomplished much towards securing aid for the proposed James Bay Railway. Though gigantic in numbers and representative of the city and part of the north country, the deputation lost strength because of the cliques into which it seemed to be divided.

Premier Hardy, who was supported by Hon. Messrs. Ross, Gibson, Dryden and Davis, said that he thought that in time to come vast trade would come out of that great body of water to the north—a second Atlantic. Although now a wilderness, the shores of "that ocean" would yet become a busy coast. The two most favored schemes seemed to be the Missanabie and the Parry Sound projects. He thought, however, that present lines could carry all the traffic of the Georgian Bay. The Government's revenue was not very great and hardly adequate to do everything asked. The Government certainly could not subsidize two lines, and he hardly thought they could subsidize any this session. The Government was, however, alive to the situation.

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Raised Ones to Tens.

Brantford, Jan. 11.—A lad named Michael Steve has been arrested here on the charge of raising one dollar bills to tens. He passed one in a grocery in the North Ward and one in a grocery in the East Ward, and was captured. At the Police Court yesterday he pleaded guilty to passing, but not to raising the bills, claiming that he received the money from another party whom he first met in Stratford, but did not know the party's name. Case adjourned.

"Lo" Elects His Chiefs.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 11.—The seven bands of Iroquois at Caughnawaga have returned to their ancient custom of electing chiefs instead of municipal councillors. They have been agitating to this end for three years, but the Government has done nothing in the matter, and so the Indians took things in their own hands. Each band elected a chief and sub-chief, and these will elect a head chief in a few days. It remains to be seen what the Government has to say in the matter.

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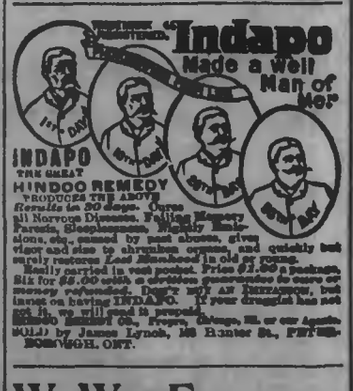

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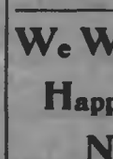

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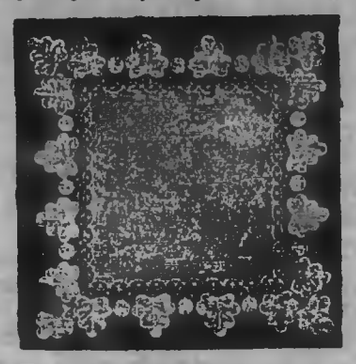

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The "reports from the field," made a few months previous to the death of the lamented Custer, contain a brief announcement of my capture by and escape from the Sioux Indians, but the story of that escape is now to be written for the first time.

We had been in the field for three weeks, following a moving village of Sioux by day and by night as they made for the fastnesses of the hills, when it became necessary for General Custer to communicate with Fort Wallace, 190 miles distant. At that time he had six civilian scouts with him, but two were wounded, two had been sent off to Camp Supply, and it was necessary to keep California Joe and his partner with the command. It was decided to send a trooper with the dispatch, and I was selected for two reasons, neither of which gave me any particular credit. In the first place, I had been long in the Indian country, and next, I had by all odds the best horse in the whole command outside of the officers. He was an ungainly animal in looks and so vicious that no one else could handle him, but he had speed and bottom to a wonderful degree. An hour before dark on a gloomy, rainy day I was ordered to report at Custer's headquarters. As I stood before him he quietly said:

"You will set out as soon as night comes and make your way to Fort Wallace with dispatches."

"Yes, sir."

"On your return you will find us about 50 miles above this, on this side of the creek. Here is a pocket compass. Fort Wallace is due northeast and about 190 miles distant. You had better see California Joe before you start."

That was all. I took the envelope from his hand, saluted and retired. The chief of scouts was in his tent not far away, and when I reported to him he looked me over and said:

"In a case of this kind thar's nuthin to worry about. You either git through or the Injuns git yer scalp. Take 50 rounds of ammunition fur yer carbine and double doses fur two revolvers, but depend mostly on yer hoss. You may pull through, but durn my hide if I won't bet my life ag'in a dollar that yer ha'r will be lifted afore noo n tomorrer!"

That wasn't encouraging, but I went about my preparations and was all ready to start when evening shut down. Being a light man and having a strong horse, I could take a few oats for him, rations for myself and the extra ammunition without loading him down. Joe came down to see me off, and as he walked beside me for a few rods he said:

"Depend on your hoss till he's down. Then lay down beside him and kill as many as you kin afore they kills you. Off you goes, and goodby to you."

While we had been trailing the village a small war party had been trailing us. We had caught sight of mounted warriors in rear of us a dozen times that day, and it was certain that when night came they would close in on the camp. I must take the chances, however, and with the night growing black and a steady rain falling I put my horse at a gallop and headed away over the plains. If I did not run upon some of the Indians in the first ten miles, then I should have nothing to fear until daylight came. For the first half hour I was nervous and apprehensive, but the feeling gradually went away as the horse settled down to his work, and by and by I felt sure that I had passed all the immediate danger. Detached bands were roaming all over the country through which I must make my way. But once clear of those trailing the command there was little chance of encountering others that night. At the end of two hours I struck a light to look at my watch and compass. I had been riding just two hours and had held fairly true to the course. It had all been left to the horse, and he had seemed to reason that in riding to the northeast we could be bound to no other place than Fort Wallace. About once in two hours, from the first until daylight began to break, I halted to note the time and the direction, and in the 11 hours I traversed a distance of about 60 miles. The pace had been moderate, but steady, and when day broke and I rode into a dry gully between two ridges for a brief rest my horse was almost as fresh as when he started.

The plains of the west are by no means a level expanse, as you may have conceived. The earth is broken into ridges, like waves of the sea, and the monotony is varied only that the distance between the ridges is greater or less. The soil may be alkali, or the ground may be hidden beneath the outcrop of rock. As you mount the slope of a ridge you hope to sweep the country with your eye at the crest, but on reaching it you find a similar ridge half a mile beyond. Between all those ridges are gullies, which carry off the rainfall. Into one of these gullies, six or eight feet deep in spots, I led my horse and was fortunate enough to find a pool of water sufficient for both. While he munched his oats I ate my hard tack and pork and had a smoke. At the end of an hour I crept out and took a careful look about me, but saw nothing to create uneasiness. When I went back, I found the horse lying down, and so I took another smoke and gave him a full hour to rest. I meant to ride the 60 miles to the fort at a steady gait. I had to hold him hard as we started off and had just got him settled down when he suddenly stopped, threw up his head and gave me to know that there were Indians about. It needed only one glance to find them. Curiously enough, a party of ten warriors had been hiding in the same gully, about half a mile to the south of me, and had left it about the same time. Four of them had scurried over the ridge to ride along and head me off, while the rest followed on behind and made no alarm. The four Indians were coming through a break in the ridge and were only a quarter of a mile away as I got sight of them.

I turned and saw those behind, and the only way open was to put my horse square for the ridge, which at that point was as steep as a house roof. He made a gallant dash, but just as he reached the crest a wolf which was lying up in a bunch of dried grass at the roots of a sagebrush sprang up and bit him on the nose. In his sudden fright the horse fell back, lost his equilibrium, and we went rolling over and over down the hillside. I could not kick my feet clear of the stirrups in time and am sure the horse rolled over me three or four times. I stood ten chances to one of being killed, but I was not even badly hurt, while the horse escaped without a scratch.

We had lost time by the mishap, however, and while we lay in a tangle after the roll the whole force of Indians came up and I was made a prisoner before I could fire a shot. Sixty seconds after flinging themselves off their ponies I was disarmed and securely bound, and then followed a regular Fourth of July exultation. They had captured a trooper without any one being hurt, and they were full of rejoicing. An Indian appreciates the ludicrous as well as the white man, and the mishap brought about by the wolf was a thing to laugh over. Taken all around, they were good natured, and though they knew I belonged to a command which was hunting them down without mercy they did not display the vengeful spirit I looked for.

Having been captured by a detached party, it was their duty to hand me over to a chief. After half an hour of gloating and rejoicing I was mounted on my own horse, my legs tied fast under his belly, my elbows tied behind me, and when we set off to the north one of the warriors had his horse made fast to mine. I could speak the Sioux fairly well, but this fact I repressed. They got it straight that I was on my way to Fort Wallace from Custer in the field, and indulged in the hope that my capture would result in his going no farther west. All were agreed that they had accomplished a big thing in capturing me, and that I was sure to die at the stake and furnish plenty of amusement. After a ride of about 20 miles we came upon a party of 60 warriors under command of Black Fox, a subchief of distinction, who had been trying to get the Cheyennes to join with him in an attack on Fort Wallace. As the party was ready to move I was sent 15 miles to the northwest to a village of about 50 lodges, hidden away in the hills. There were a dozen old men and a score of half grown boys to guard the village, and as soon as I was turned over to them for safe keeping my troubles began. I was bound to a tree in the center of the village, feet and hands tied, and for two days and nights was the victim of every indignity and insult that the squaws and boys could invent. They dared not to take my life nor seriously wound me, but they kicked and cuffed and struck me with clubs; tore out my hair, blinded me with mud and gave me no rest. The old men had no part in it, though they rather encouraged the others.

On the morning of the third day five warriors arrived with an army wagon which had been captured. The vehicle was full of forage and provisions and among its contents were six kegs of powder. All the stuff was unloaded, and the six kegs were rolled together in a separate spot. Black Fox sent a message that he might not return for a week and that I was to be vigilantly guarded, and this caused a change in the performance. I was removed to a lodge, two old men set to guard me, and as the warriors who had brought in the wagon rode off my hands were untied that I might eat my first meal. When I had finished, the bonds were not replaced. A portion of the covering of the lodge was folded back, so that the sentinels and all others had a good view of me, and any thought of escape was simply absurd. The squaws and children let me alone until afternoon, being busy inspecting the contents of the wagon and full of curiosity, but about 3 o'clock a squaw made ready to enter the lodge with a stout stick in her hand to give me a beating. She had lost her warrior husband and a brother only a few days before and wanted to take vengeance on me as far as she dared. The two old men waved her off, saying that Black Fox would have me burned at the stake as soon as he arrived, but she insisted and grew furious, and at length struck one of the sentinels. This resulted in a row, which brought out every soul in camp, and they were crowded into the space between the kegs of powder and my lodge when a tragic event happened.

I think some of the boys took advantage of the row going on to break open a powder keg, or perhaps in the scramble one of the kegs was rolled into the fire. Be that as it may, there was a sudden and tremendous explosion or series of explosions. The noise was heard 20 miles away, and the destruction wrought was something fearful. I felt myself blown away with the lodge, and it was several minutes after when I stood on my feet on the far bank of the creek, a good hundred feet away. Not a lodge was left standing. All around me were maimed and dying men, women and children, with a dozen dogs rushing to and fro and howling dismally, and over the village hung a black cloud, into which the eye could not penetrate. I was bruised and sore and dumb with surprise, but finding my feet free I started off to the south and was soon out of sight. Two days later I was picked up on the plains by a detachment from Custer's command, hungry and footsore and my ears still ringing from the explosion, but not much the worse from my adventure. As to the village, we were told later on that out of 220 people only 30 escaped death or injury. Scores of people were blown to fragments, while other scores were horribly burned and suffered broken bones. I saw Black Fox at Fort Wallace a year or so after the event, and he not only knew me at first sight, but hastened to say:

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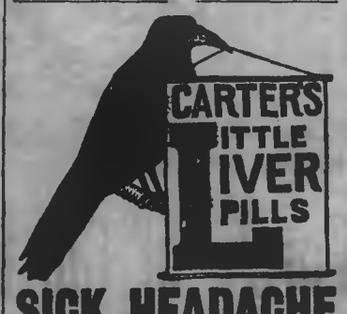

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THE MEETING IN LINDSAY OF EASTERN DAIRYMEN.

SUCCESSFUL CONVENTION OF CHEESE AND BUTTER.

President Derbyshire's Address—Improved Conditions—Great Expansion of the Business—Prof. Robertson and Prof. Dean Address the Convention.

The 21st annual meeting of the Eastern Ontario Butter and Cheese Association opened Tuesday evening in Lindsay, when he following address was given by the President, Mr. D. Derbyshire, of Brockville :

It is a great pleasure to meet with the citizens of Lindsay and the dairymen of this important section, and I desire on behalf of our board to thank the leading men of this vicinity for the energetic way you have assisted our secretary, Mr. Murphy, and committee in making final arrangements for holding this convention. We have a good staff of speakers with us and everything points to a very successful meeting. This is our first convention held since we amalgamated as a Butter and Cheese Association, and I am delighted that the uniting of our dairy forces in this province should have taken place in the Diamond Jubilee year of the reign of the greatest sovereign that has ever sat on the British throne. I am sure I can speak for the dairymen of this province, and say that we all join most heartily in wishing Her Most Gracious Majesty, Queen Victoria, many years yet of health and happiness to sway the sceptre and guide the destinies of the world's greatest empire.

Our central advisory board has worked harmoniously, holding several meetings, devising the best means of carrying on our work uniformly throughout the province, and I am pleased that our efforts have been so successful. Our instructor, Mr. Sprague, has certainly done excellent work, and all we asked from our governments has been cheerfully granted.

The year 1897, just ended, has been

THE BANNER YEAR

for our dairymen. We have made and exported more butter and cheese than in any single year before; given more instructions to our creameries and cheese factories, and made a finer quality of both than in any former season. Our export from Montreal from the first of May to the 20th of November, 1897, were 220,200 packages of butter, against 157,321 packages in 1896, or a gain of nearly 63,000 packages, or $900,000 more money for butter than in 1896. During the same period we exported 2,100,000 boxes of cheese or an increase of 370,000 over 1896, or a gain in money of $2,570,000, and for butter and cheese $3,470,000 more than during the same period in 1896. I think this a splendid showing and I have carefully estimated our make of butter and cheese for all 1897 and am sure our dairymen in this country will realize $20,000,000 or $4,000,000 more than last year.

We sincerely believe that the greatest question before us to-day is cheaper production, and our board recognizing this have done all in their power to keep this one subject before all our friends. Our dairy schools are improving each year and the Kingston school has been greatly enlarged and I am glad to say that all our dairy schools have a larger number of bright young men in attendance now than ever before. So we are sure to have finer quality. We held meetings at each of our dairy schools for makers who were unable to attend the whole term and I am glad to say they were largely attended, with good results, and I believe we should continue this, and all our educational work with greater zeal the coming year. We have everything to encourage us. Our Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Dryden, has given us every encouragement, attending our conventions, enlarging our dairy schools, adding to them the very latest and best machinery and giving us a liberal grant to we could carry on our work of education and instruction with greater efficiency. The Hon. Mr. Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, has carried out his promise and given us refrigerator cars on our railways and apartments specially fitted up on our steamships, for carrying our dairy products safely to the British market. We feel thankful to the Hon. Mr. Fisher for attending our annual conventions, giving practical advice and assisting us through [illegible] year.

[illegible] there is one more point I should [illegible] on and that is

HANDLING REGULARLY,

[illegible] and cheese. If we produce [illegible] and uniform quality, and get it to a factory that is up-to-date, well equipped for receiving same, with a better qualified men to handle it, and a finer quality is turned out, will the salesmen hold this improved product until it begins to deteriorate in quality before selling? I sincerely hope not, but that he will sell every week, and keep our goods in the consumers' hands all the time, when they are fresh and in their best condition. I do sincerely hope you will. We are here in convention to-day for the very purpose of examining our past record and devising means for better work in the future, and I candidly believe the greatest mistake in 1897 was holding our product off the market, expecting to force prices up, instead of keeping every one of our customers supplied weekly. We have too large a make going on everywhere to treat our English friends in this way. When we finally did get ready to sell, our product had deteriorated greatly in quality and did not give the satisfaction our weekly shipments earlier in the season did. I believe our friends will remedy this the coming season.

Afternoon Session.

The afternoon session was attended by about four hundred dairymen.

Mr. W. J. Palmer of Toronto was the first speaker. He urged more care, economy and cleanliness in dairying. He held that kind treatment was a wonderful aid to wise feeding. A good deal also depended upon how butter was placed upon the market, and he advocated the use of attractive packages. As a handler of butter, he found that the color as well as the flavor of milk had much to do with the price obtained.

Mr. John Gould of Aurora Station, Ohio, was enthusiastically received. He spoke upon the question of corn-growing for the silo. There was more money in raising corn for feeding cows in Ontario than in hunting seals in Alaska. He compared the relative values of an acre of hay and an acre of corn for feeding purposes, and showed that the latter contained four or five times as much starchy food as the former, and an acre of corn could be raised at a cost of only $10. He described the corn plant as a lot of sunshine stuck into a fish-pole, and said that sixty pounds of ensilage and three or four pounds of bran was an ideal ration for cattle. At the conclusion of his very practical address, which was sparkling with humor, Mr. Gould was resiged with questions, which he answered in an able and satisfactory style. He could not be shaken in his advocacy of ensilage corn as the chief factor in the food of milch cows. In reply to the question as to what was the best variety of corn to grow for the silo, Mr. Gould replied: "That variety that will fully mature and yield the largest quantity of stalk and heads."

The meeting then adjourned until the evening.

The Evening Session.

The evening session was held in the Academy of Music and was largely attended, many ladies being present. Mr. W. J. Palmer gave a brief address upon the advantages and need of a business education for farmers. He urged young men to attend the agricultural college and the dairy schools.

Prof. Robertson, Dairy Commissioner, was given a hearty reception. He expressed regret that the Hon. Sydney Fisher was unable to attend the convention, as promised, owing to press of public business. He then spoke on "Some food products." He said that 45 per cent. of the population of Canada were following agriculture and raising food for man and beast. It was expected that $50,000,000 would be realized in one year from the Klondike, while Canadian agriculture annually realized $500,000,000, or ten times as much, and had a likelihood of further increase. The farmer got his wealth not only from the soil, but he was also partner with the sun and air and the rain. The object of drainage and cultivation was to enable the soil to make use of rain and sunshine and plant life. The corn plant got more from the sun that from the soil. He then described the various substances gathered out of the soil and air by different crops.

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It is important that the centre of the British Empire should have the best and most nourishing foods, and no place can supply these foods like Canada, which has a surplus. Britain's weakness is a lack of food, and Canada has an abundance. We can therefore help Great Britain and she can help us. Canada produces the best of beef. Our animals are vigorous in body and are healthy. We also make the best cheese and butter, and our fruits are among the best in the world.

Prof. Dean followed in an address, in which he advocated the co-operation of the practical man with the scientist.

The meeting adjourned until this morning.

COMMITTEES.

The president named the following committees :

Business—His Worship the Mayor of Lindsay, Messrs. Carlow and Whitton.

Nominations—James Whitton, J. R. Dargavel and Wm. Eager.

Finance—T. B. Carlow, E. J. Madden. John McTavish.

Legislation—Wm. Eager, Henry Wade, T. B. Carlow.

Materials—G. G. Publow, G. Beasley, A. P. Puuvis.

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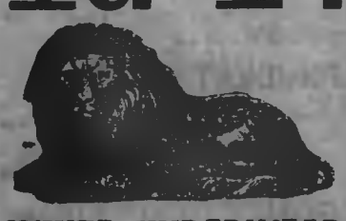

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SCHNEIDER
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THE TIMBER POLICY.

Second Reading of the Government Bill.

A WARM DISCUSSION THEREON.

Opposition Criticism Effectively Answered—Mr. Whitney Complains That Ministers Stole His Policy—An Able Speech by the Premier in Reply—The Routine Proceedings.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—The Government bill imposing the manufacturing condition on the holders of all future licenses to cut sawlogs on provincial limits was the subject of a debate in the House yesterday which developed some interesting features. The Commissioner of Crown Lands, who has charge of the measure, moved the second reading, and he took advantage of the opportunity to effectively answer the principal criticisms which have been levelled at it by Opposition speakers and writers. Mr. Marter defined the point of cleavage between the two parties to be a difference of opinion as to whether the restriction should apply to current or future licenses. Mr. Whitney complained, with a suggestion of bitterness in the tone, that the Government had stolen his policy. This charge the Premier easily refuted by showing that the policy had been initiated by the Canadian lumbermen. Mr. Hardy presented an able and complete justification of the course of the Government in dealing with this difficult and delicate question. The Opposition did not divide the House, though it was intimated that a vote would be insisted on at a later stage.

Hon. G. W. Ross introduced and had read a first time: "An Act to amend the High School Act." Some of the court judges have held that a county council, in laying out a high school district, must make it consist of a whole municipality. The bill renders it impossible to include with a town the adjoining municipalities as part of a high school district.

Mr. Taylor introduced an Act respecting disputes in the purchase and sale of cheese. It provides for the application of the Board of Trade arbitration regulations to such disputes, the arbitrators to be appointed by the butter and cheese associations.

These bills were given their third and final readings:

To Establish Forest Reserves.

Respecting the City of London.

To amend the Act respecting the Public Service of Ontario.

To amend the Surrogate Court's Act.

Respecting the sale of patent and other medicines and alcohol for the purposes of arts and manufactures.

To amend the Act respecting the federation of University of Toronto and University College with other universities and colleges.

Respecting the County of Simcoe.

Two Government measures passed the committee stage, one to facilitate the purchase of toll roads by municipalities, and the other respecting the investment of court funds. The latter was so amended as to allow of the investment of court funds in county as well as in municipal drainage debentures.

Another Debate on Timber.

Hon. J. M. Gibson then asked a second reading for his bill respecting the manufacture of pine cut on the Crown domain.

The Minister stated that the chief fault found with the bill, both in and out of the House, was that it did not go far enough. It was impossible to make it go further unless the Government made it act from the present time. But, as he had stated in a previous debate, the Government could not break its contract with those who had already purchased limits. It seemed to be feared that a very large cut would be made and an enormous number of logs would be taken out of the county this winter and spring, owing to the pending enforcement of the Government's new restrictive measure to apply after April 1 next. It was always possible to ascertain the probable cut of a season by the quantity of supplies taken into the woods in the early winter by the lumbermen.

Continuing, Mr. Gibson asserted that this year's cut would be about 156,750,000 feet of pine. This would be 62,276,000 feet less than the cut of 1897.

Mr. Marter, in reply, stated that the matter seemed to have simmered down to a question as to whether the exportation of logs from Canada should cease now or months hereafter. Limit owners, American and Canadian, could not object if the Government insisted that all logs must from this time forth be manufactured in Canada. The licenses gave the limit holders no vested rights in the limits, and the Government should take measures to protect Ontario from the present time forth. He quoted Mr. Bertram, a friend of the gentlemen opposite, in support of his contention. It was high time, he thought, that Ontario struck out for herself and manufactured her own logs.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock.

After Recess.

The debate on the timber question being resumed, Mr. Stratton favored the Government's policy of not disturbing existing contracts, and of inserting the restrictive clause in the spring.

The Opposition Leader.

Mr. Whitney spoke forcibly for some time. He asserted with all force that the restrictive clauses should be imposed at once. This had always been the Opposition policy, and the whole country thought in line with the Opposition. The Conservative policy was not a retaliatory one, but simply a Canadian one. He was informed by the most reliable of lumbermen as late as to-day that the cut of logs this winter for export would be nearer to 500,000,000 feet than to any smaller number.

Mr. Whitney accused the Government of stealing the policy of the Opposition. He intimated that he would divide the House on the question.

The Premier was vociferously applauded when he arose to make reply to the Opposition leader. He said, in part: My hon. friend has spoken with unusual vigor, like a man who is disappointed, like a man who is in despair, and the only resource left to him is to grow violent. He says the Ministry have been guilty of stealing the policy of the Opposition. No Ministry and no human being will ever be indicted for felony for stealing the policy of the Opposition. (Applause.) If Mr. Whitney were appointed to stand watch and ward over the policy of the Opposition, he would have the smuggest sinecure on the continent of America. They claimed that this was their policy. It was really, after all, the lumbermen who immediately initiated and forced the question upon the attention of the country; it was not done by us, and certainly not by the Opposition. If there is any credit due to anybody, let us place it where it is due. The men who took this matter up first were not the members of the Opposition, not necessarily the members of the Government; they were the lumbermen, who, at a general meeting here, and at general minor meetings, formulated a policy and submitted it to the Government and the country. Don't let hon. gentlemen attempt, while stealing a policy of this kind, to say others are stealing their policy, and that the policy belongs to them. In what way can they call it their policy? Because Mr. Miscampbell moved a resolution in 1893? I hold in my hand the advertisement of the Government sale of 1890—the first sale made after I had the honor to become Commissioner of Crown Lands—in which it is provided that the sale shall be subject to the condition that all pine timber cut from the limits offered should be manufactured in this province. (Applause.) This was three years earlier than the resolution of Mr. Miscampbell.

Mr. St. John accused the Premier of being of a low class of statesman. The degraded plane to which he (Mr. Hardy) had descended in attacking his opponents would disgust the country.

Messrs. German, Miscampbell, Conmee, Kerns and Willoughby spoke.

The bill was read a second time, and at 12.03 a.m. the House adjourned till 11 a.m.

SUBSIDIES FOR RAILWAYS.

The Money the Government of Ontario Proposes to Grant for Railway Purposes This Session.

Yesterday afternoon in the Legislature the Government announced its policy as to the subsidizing of railways by placing on the order paper of the House a notice of certain proposed bonuses.

The list of subsidies so far proposed by the Government is outlined as follows:

To the Ontario & Rainy River Railway, from a point at the westerly end of the 165 miles heretofore aided to a point at or near Fort Francis, a distance not exceeding 40 miles, a cash subsidy of $3,000 a mile—$120,000.

To the Pembroke Southern Railway, between Pembroke and Golden Lake, from a point in the northeast part of the Township of Alice to the northeastern boundary of the said township a dissance of 3¼ miles, a cash subsidy of $3,000 a mile—$10,000.

To the Irondale, Bancroft & Ottawa Railway, from a point 45 miles from Irondale at the end of the portion of the railway to which aid was granted in 1896, and thence due east for a distance of 10 miles, a cash subsidy of $3,000 a mile—$30,000.

To the Bay of Quinte Railway, for such extension or branches of its projected and authorized line of railway north of the village of Tweed as will not exceed thirty miles in all, and will enable the said company to connect its existing line of railway with the iron ore deposits lying northward of the said village of Tweed, in renewal of the amount granted to the Kingston, Napanee & Western Railway in the year 1893, a cash subsidy of $3,000 a mile—$90,000.

To the James Bay Railway, to aid in the construction of ninety miles of the said railway from Parry Sound to a point at or near Sudbury, $3,000 a mile for a distance not exceeding 40 miles ($120,000), and the unearned subsidy of $3,000 a mile for a distance not exceeding 50 miles, which was granted to the Nipissing & James Bay Railway in 1889, which said unearned subsidy is hereby transferred to the James Bay Railway. (Now vote, $120,00; transferred from other road, $150,000)—$270,000.

Young Steves Got Three Years.

Brantford, Jan. 12.—The case of Michael Steves, for raising $1 bills, was brought up at the Police Court yesterday. The charge was changed to that of passing the bill, knowing it to be bad. He was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

EASTERN DAIRYMEN.

Second Day of the Butter and Cheese Convention.

SEVERAL VERY PRACTICAL TALKS

Dr. Connell Describes Dairy Bacteria—Mr. Ruddick's Paper on the Curing of Cheese—Conditions of a Model Factory—The British Market—The Banquet.

Lindsay, Jan. 13.—The second day's meeting of the Butter and Cheese Association of Eastern Ontario began with a large attendance of farmers in the Town Hall, notwithstanding the rainy weather prevailing.

Dairy Bacteria.

Dr. Connell, professor of bacteriology in Queen's University and the Kingston Dairy School, read a paper upon dairy bacteria. These organisms were so small that a billion could be placed on a five-cent piece. There are many species of bacteria, and they are to be found everywhere. They differ in form, in color and in effects. Bacteria grow by a process of division, and multiply rapidly. In twenty-four hours one bacterium will develop into millions. Bacteria, like higher plant life, require food, moisture and heat. Most varieties of bacteria grow best between 70 and 95 degrees. At freezing point there is no growth, but the bacteria are not thus killed, but only paralyzed. As the temperature rises to 120 degrees or higher nearly all bacteria are killed, and hence the process of pasteurization of cream, which means getting it to a temperature of 160 degrees and then cooling it off again. Damp, dark cellars encourage the development of bacteria, while sunlight kills them off rapidly. For this reason the wise dairyman will expose his utensils to the sunshine and dispose of many injurious bacteria. The souring of milk is brought about by a group of bacteria feeding upon what is known as lactic acid, caused by a fermentation of the sugar in milk. If milk could be kept sweet it would keep indefinitely, but in milking it is impossible to keep the milk entirely free from bacteria. Some desirable forms of bacteria have been developed of late, but many undesirable forms have also been produced, chiefly from dirty gutters and drains and foul whey tanks, and these injurious bacteria are seeding the factory for all time. The teaching of all the foregoing is absolute cleanliness in the dairy; keep out all injurious bacteria.

Curing of Cheese.

Mr. J. A. Ruddick, director of the Kingston Dairy School, read an instructive paper on "The Curing of Cheese." He said that the popular theory regarding the ripening of cheese was that rennet was the chief agent, although some scientific men claim that it is caused by the action of certain bacteria. Prof. Ruddick then went on to advocate a lower temperature in curing-rooms and slower maturing. This meant a saving in weight and an improvement in flavor.

Prof. Robertson was then called upon, and gave some valuable hints regarding the building of curing-rooms.

Prof. Dean then gave a few hints on cheesemaking. Milk should be aerated before being made into cheese. He preferred the plan of forcing air into the milk to that of aerating by pouring. Aeration should always take place in a pure atmosphere.

Afternoon Session.

The Town Hall was packed at the afternoon meeting. Prof. Ruddick led off with a valuable address upon buttermaking. He counselled the putting up of butter in neat shape, and in attractive parcels. A small cardboard box with the name of the dairy printed on it was used at Kingston with advantage. The boxes cost about half a cent apiece, and they command an extra cent on the market. A box for the British market should be about a cubit foot square, and hold about 56 pounds. The inside of the box should be lined with paraffine wax.

Mr. Mark Sprague, butter instructor, followed on somewhat similar lines.

Model Factories.

Prof. Dean then addressed the meeting, describing the model creamery and cheese factory. Among other characteristics of such establishments were the following: Near good roads; tidy and honorable patrons, who were also good feeders of their stock; they should be paid according to the skill and labor put into the milk as well as by the weight of the milk; the milk should be carefully strained just after milking; the factory should be well drained; the maker should be one who had attended a dairy school; he also should be clean; only the best rennet and other supplies should be used.

Trade With Britain.

Mr. Crandall, a Government agricultural and produce agent, just returned from Great Britain, was introduced, and spoke hopefully of the bright prospects ahead of Canada in developing trade in cheese, butter, eggs, bacon and fruits.

Prof. Robertson then gave a talk on cold storage, and spoke of the wonderful increase in the trade with Great Britain in butter, leaping from 82,000 packages in 1894 to 230,000 packages in 1897. He explained the system of cold storage in an interesting and clear way.

Mr. John Gould of Ohio closed the afternoon session by a talk on corn growing.

A banquet was tendered the members of the association in the Benson House, which was largely attended.

—Fruits, fish and oysters. "Spot Cash."

Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened up and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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A SUGGESTIVE CONTRAST.

In this world, where human weakness prevails, there is no absolute perfection. Therefore the best way to estimate the value of achievements is by comparison. And when we compare the way of conducting public enterprises practised by the Ontario Government, and other governments, we get an idea of the eminently thrifty, practical, economical and business-like way of doing things that characterizes the Ontario Government. Take for instance the Ontario Parliament Buildings, which were erected at a cost of $1,256,985, with less than $1,200 contractors extras and with not a single dollar of improper or wasteful expenditure. This is nothing surprising, for it is only a sample of the manner in which the Government conducts all the affairs of the Province. Take, as a contrast, the job, and it is indeed a "job," of the construction of the state Capitol of New York at Albany. This building has been in course of erection for fifteen years has cost $20,000,000, the waste and extravagance have been financially appalling, and they are not completed yet. The Toronto city buildings are another gigantic job. They have been for years under way and have cost an immense sum, estimated to be about three millions, though the exact cost so far is not known, for the building have, by blundering administration, passed out of the hands of the city government, and are in the grip of an architect who will not deign to furnish any information, or even allow an alderman to set foot on the premises in the way of getting information. With these examples to contrast with the construction of the Parliament buildings of Ontario, the thrift and economy and business-like methods of the Ontario Government are brought out in the strongest possible light, and as remarked before, this is but a sample of the straightforward way in which the Ontario Government has managed the affairs of the province. This is just the kind of Government we want—a Government that has served us well and whose every years' experience qualifies for giving better service. We have nothing in sight that will justify for a moment the idea of dispensing with a Government which has given such faithful and effective service. When jobbery, extravagance, corrupt administration and disregard for the public interests prevail in other places, the existence of the Ontario Government, with its careful, straightforward honest and economical methods is a very oasis in the desert.

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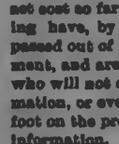

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ONTARIO TIMBER INTERESTS.

THE IMPORTANCE OF PROTECTION FROM FIRE.

Government Forest Reserves—The Benefits of Reforesting—Demand for Canadian Hardwood in England—Possibilities of Pulp and Furniture Trade.

The commissioners chosen to inquire into the forest resources of Ontario have made an interesting report and several recommendations that deserve the most thoughtful consideration. Much attention is given to protection from fire, and it would be difficult to exaggerate the importance of that subject. The policy of compelling the sawing within Ontario of logs cut under Provincial licenses, while intended to meet American legislation to a certain extent, may also be justified upon another ground—the advantage of encouraging manufactures having wood for their raw material, and of conserving the forest wealth as part of the Provincial capital. It is obvious that, looking at the latter motive, the policy is incomplete without adequate protection from fire. There may be difference of opinion as to the relative advantage of exporting or preserving timber, but it would be absurd to check exportation and then allow the timber to be burned. It has been said that fire destroys more fires than the woodman's axe, but, whether this be true or not, the one is a process of manufacture, while the other is destruction indeed, and may also be attended with calamitious loss of life and home. A single great fire might easily destroy property the value of which would be equivalent to the cost of protection for several years. The commissioners say that the saving to the Province effected by the

SYSTEM OF FIRE-RANGING

adopted some years ago has been very great. They have had brought to their notice many instances in which incipient fires, that, unchecked, would have been disastrous in their consequences, were suppressed by the rangers. Wherever the system has been employed by the various limit-holders the results have been very marked. But as the employment of fire-rangers is optional with limit-holders, some of them have failed to take advantage of the system, at the risk not only of their own limits but of those of their neighbours in addition. They recommend therefore, that the system be extended so as to be compulsory on all the holders of timber berths, and that all unlicensed timber land contiguous thereto be also protected by rangers employed by the Government. We believe that the people of Ontario would heartily approve of any additional expenditure that may be required for this purpose. It is found that north of the height of land fires are often started by Indians, who are careless simply because they are ignorant of the value of the forests. Hudson Bay officials say that the Indians could be trained into greater carefulness, and these officials are willing to co-operate with the Government in any effort that might be made to educate the Indians as to the importance of looking after their camp-fires and extinguishing any incipient forest fires that might be started. It is recommended that this co-operation be invited.

We are glad to learn that the loss already occasioned may be to a certain extent

REPAIRED BY REFORESTY.

The commissioners give the result of their investigation of the conditions under which a tract of land in Burleigh Township, burned over twenty years, has undergone the process of natural regeneration. The conclusion arrived at is that within five years—that it, 25 years from the burning—lumbering operations in this locality could be profitably resumed, the larger pine trees taken out, producing timber of merchantable quality and giving the young trees a better chance to grow. Reasonably good forest conditions could, under proper regulations for cutting, be induced and a continuous supply kept up. It is declared that the condition in the township of Burleigh may be taken as fairly typical of the course of natural forest regeneration in nearly all the fire swept lands which came under examination — the only exception being made where forest fires have been too frequent to allow the young vegetation to make headway. Throughout many of these tracts, popularly supposed to be of no value, the second growth is springing up in profusion.

Another important branch of the subject is the holding of forest reserves by the Government. The commissioners recommended that for all unworked limits for which the ground rent shall be two years in default on the termination of the present license year the license shall not be renewed, but that the berths be held by the Crown as forest reserves, and that the Government take power to withdraw from sale or location and set aside, to be kept in permanent Crown forest reserves, such areas of territory as are generally unsuitable for settlement and yet valuable for growing timber.

Under the condition which most Canadians would like to see realized the forest wealth of the country would

BECOME THE BASIS

of a great series of industries, including the manufacture of building material of all kinds, furniture, pulp and paper. It was stated at a meeting of furniture manufacturers the other day that the English demand for Canadian furniture was growing rapidly. One manufacturer received an order for 1,200 tables from the old country, to fill which would necessitate his neglecting his Canadian trade for a month. With business enterprise and thorough workmanship this growth is likely to continue. There is also room for expansion in our exports of woodenware and building material to Great Britain. An English dealer in paper is now in Canada in connection with the export of Canadian pulp. Considerable quantities of pulp are now exported, and it is contended that if it were manufactured into paper first there would be a saving in freight, while the papermaking industry would be benefitted. There are indications that a large and profitable market for our forest products is being opened up.

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MILLBROOK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Our new council was sworn in on Monday and the people are anxiously awaiting to see what reforms will be carried into effect. Mr. Pickup has for the third time been placed at the head of the council, having defeated Mr. S. Bateson for the reeveship by eighteen votes. Mr R. W. Clarke is the only member of last year's council now a member of that body, Messrs. John Clarke and Thomas Gillott having retired. The three new councillors are Messrs. R. Reddy, Wm. Thexton and Isaac Needham. Mr. Reddy certainly deserves to be proud of the grand run he made, having secured the largest number of votes ever polled by and one candidate in Millbrook. Mr. Thexton, who represents the station section of the village, will no doubt make a good representative, while Mr. Needham will look after the affairs of the east end.

Owing to the unfortunate position the local hockey boys are placed in, through not having the use of the Millbrook skating rink, they will be compelled to play all their matches away from home. The first O. H. A. game will likely take place in Lakefield on Friday night. An open rink is being put into shape for the boys to practise on, but as yet they are in poor shape to play any matches. Rather than have their games go by default, however, they are going to go on the ice severely handicapped by little or no practice.

Mr. Jukes of Winnipeg, who has been visiting friends in Millbrook for some time, left on Tuesday for Ottawa. Mrs. Jukes is a daughter of Mr. Archibald McBean, formerly of this place.

Miss Edith Macdonald of Lindsay, is visiting Mrs. Geo. Leach.

Mr. Thos. Eakins of Toronto, was in town this week.

A week ago Sunday when Mr. Edgar Barnham was driving around town, the horse became unmanageable, upset the cutter and ran away. The cutter came in contact with Mr. S. Bateson's window and smashed one of the large panes. One of the shafts of the cutter broke and ran into the horse's side. At first no serious fears were entertained, but on Sunday last the animal died from the effects of the injuries which it received one week previously.

Mr. Harry Kendall of Cornwall is spending a while in town.

Miss Burton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith of Kingsville.

Mr. A. Chambers of Oshawa, was in town for a few days last week.

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"I tried at once to get some, but none of the dealers here had it. A neighbor who was in Kingston managed to purchase two bottles which he brought straight to us, and I believe it was the means of saving our only boy.

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Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

GENTLEMEN,—I thought I would drop you a note and let you know that the way Mr. McInnes, Inspector of the London Mutual, settled my loss was very satisfactory, and if I can send you any one to insure I will do so.

Yours truly, (Signed) PATRICK MURPHY.

PETERBOROUGH, 22nd Oct., 1896.

Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

DEAR SIRS,—I am deeply indebted to you and your Company for the quick and good settlement of my loss on household furniture, etc., which happened night before last, and for the payment of same by cheque this day.

Yours truly, (Signed) MRS. ANNIE MARSHALL.

Mr. Richard Anglesy, of Smith, who had his barn and contents burned, says that Mr. McInnes, Inspector London Mutual, acted like a man that wanted to do the square thing between man and man, and settled his loss right.

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ROCKDALE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Ed. Youmans, of Lansdowne, spent part of last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Youmans.

Mr. Wm. E. Young has returned home with his bride, nee Miss E. Weir, one of Harvey's fairest daughters. Congratulations William.

School re-opened on Tuesday of last week, with Mr. R. S. Breckenridge, as teacher.

There is quite an epidemic of whooping cough around here now.

Mrs. Jno. Brown left on Tuesday, 4th inst., for Ashtabula, Ohio, to visit friends.

Mr. H. Chase, one of our most interprising lumbermen, is shantying down Crow River, a few miles from here.

Mr. Al. Wilson has returned from spending the holidays at Springbrook, and reports having had a good time.

Willie Massie, a boy who lives with Mr. Seth Chard, near here, had his hands horribly shattered while experimenting with an explosive which he found in a miner's cutter on Friday last.

Mr. Walter W. Steenburg has moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. T. Morrow, and is quite settled in his new home.

Mr. Wm. Cornell, who runs a chopping and grinding mill here, is doing a lively business. Farmers come to him from far and near and invariably go away satisfied.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McConnel, of Hastings county, were visiting at Mrs. Wilson's last week.

Mrs. Geo. Seeney, of Rush Point, spent a few days of the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Wannamaker, here.

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Another Outbreak in India—A Surveying Party Attacked in Beluchistan—The First Battalion of Grenadiers Ordered to Egypt'—Society Woman Sued by a Money-Lender.

London, Jan. 18.—The Board of Trade returns for 1897 show that while imports from all countries increased 9 per cent. from 1896 the imports from Canada increased 25 per cent. The chief increases are: Wheat, £782,000; cheese, 7£60,000; butter, £105,000; eggs, £15,000; timber, £1,808,000; cattle, £487,000; fish, £91,000. The decreases were: Wheat, flour, £13,000; sheep and lambs; £30,000; bacon, £172,000; hams, £105,000. Exports to Canada decreased nearly 6 per cent., and exports to all countries over 2 per cent. The New Zealand Shipping Company, Limited, has presented a petition for the liquidation of Mr. James Huddart's Canadian & Australian Royal Mail Steamship Company, Limited. The application will be heard on the 19th inst. Giblin, the famous Cantab and International footballer, has left for the Klondike.

ORDERED TO EGYPT.

British Grenadiers Have Been Sent to the Land of the Pharaohs.

London, Jan. 18.—The morning papers announce that the first battalion of Grenadiers, the premier regiment of Great Britain, now at Gibraltar, has been ordered to get in readiness for service in Egypt. Two other battalions are under similar orders.

This is evidence of preparations for an important campaign. The commander of the regiment is Lieut.-Col. Hatton, and the officers include many members of the aristocracy, among them Lieut. Lord Edward Herbert Cecil, fourth son of Lord Salisbury, and Lieut. Lord John Pankenham Joyce Cecil, a brother of the Marquis of Exeter.

A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Cairo says that Osman Digna (Principal General of the Khalifa) is on the eastern bank of the Nile: the western bank is being mainly occupied by the sweepings of tribes.

The Dervishes, says the despatch, are descending slowly. Serious doubts are entertained as to whether the Khalifa intends to attack Berber (the extreme southern British post).

A New Outbreak in India.

Calcutta, Jan. 18.—News has been received from Mekran, the largest province of Beluchistan, of a serious outbreak against the British survey party there. Capt. Burn and Lieut. Turner of the Royal Engineers and Messrs. Hickie and Pronty, the assistants, with 200 carriers and signallers, were attacked. A number of the native guards were killed or wounded.

Capt. Burn escaped on a camel, travelling 180 miles in 36 hours, to Ormara, on the Arabian Sea, where he received a letter from Lieut. Turner, advising him that he (Turner) would join him.

The extent of the outbreak is not known here. It appears to be led by a brother of Gitchi Sardar.

Capt. Burn reports that the whole Kej Valley is in turmoil, and that the troops of the Khan of Khelat are holding Nasirabad, a military post of India, southeast of Ajmere. Fort Pasni has been looted, and Ormara itself is threatened.

Three companies of infantry, with two guns, will start immediately from Quetta (Beluchistan, near the Afghan frontier) for Gwadur, where the telegraph lines are being cut.

Collision in the Channel.

London, Jan. 18.—The British steamer Robert Adamson, Captain Woodruff, which sailed from Philadelphia Dec. 25 for Rotterdam, narrowly escaped going to the bottom of the English channel. Captain Woodruff reports that while slowly making his way up the channel the Adamson was run into by a vessel, which hit her fairly amidships. A large hole was made in the ship, and she began to make water rapidly. Luckily, the English coast was close by. Captain Woodruff turned the Adamson's nose toward the shore, and, under full speed, ran the steamer aground on the beach near Deal. The vessel had a close shave and was rapidly sinking when her prow ran up the beach.

An Earthquake Kills 50 Persons.

The Hague, Jan. 18.—An official despatch from Batavia announces that the capital of Amboyna, one of the Moluccas islands, has been completely demolished by an earthquake. Fifty persons were killed and 200 were injured. The Moluccas, or Spice Islands, is a name applied to the Islands of the Malay Archipelago, between Celebes and Papua. They are volcanic and fertile.

A Radical Reverse.

London, Jan. 18.—A parliamentary bye-election was held in Plymouth yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the death on Dec. 24 of Mr. Charles Harrison, the Radical member. It resulted in the election of the Conservative and Liberal-Unionist candidate, Hon. Ivor Churchill Guest, who defeated the Liberal and Radical candidate, Mr. S. F. Mendl, by 1,836 votes. The voting was as follows: Ivor Churchill Guest, Unionist, 5,802; S. F. Mendl, Liberal and Radical, 3,966; Unionist majority, 1836.

HIS EXTRAVAGANT WIFE.

Ran Up Heavy Bills on Sir Tatton Sykes and He Was Loth to Pay Them.

London, Jan. 18.—The case of Jay v. Sykes was opened before the Lord Chief Justice, Baron Russell of Killowen, of the Queen's Bench division of the High Court of Justice yesterday. Mr. Lawson Watson, Q. C., who appeared for the plaintiff, Mr. Daniel Jay, a money lender, said the action was brought to recover the sum of £15,870 lent to Lady Sykes in 1896, on the security of notes purporting to be signed by her husband, Sir Tatton Sykes (who is a well-known Yorkshire baronet, owning about 34,000 acres of land). The actual amount of cash lent, counsel continued, was about £10,000, the balance being interest.

Lady Sykes admitted the liability, but Sir Tatton denied the signatures were his, and alleged they were forged by Lady Sykes. The latter would testify that her husband signed the notes.

Counsel then proceeded to describe the relations between husband and wife, the former encouraging his wife's extravagance, yet loth to pay the bills. The wife, consequently, became involved in debt and borrowed money at 60 per cent. interest. At the same time, with her husband's knowledge, she speculated heavily on the Stock Exchange. When the "Kaffir circus" was "smashed" her husband had to pay £31,000 to her brokers.

Lady Sykes' Version.

Lady Sykes then testified. She corroborated the foregoing statement of Mr. Walton, and said her husband's income was £70,000. The notes, she added, were signed in her presence by Sir Tatton, and the letter referred to, Lady Sykes asserted, was also written by him. During her cross-examination, Lady Sykes admitted she bet heavily with her husband's consent. Altogether, she added, her winnings on the Stock Exchange exceeded her losings. Her Ladyship also admitted she owed "Sam" Lewis and other money-lenders.

At the close of the day's proceedings the case was adjourned.

Lady Tatton Sykes is a daughter of the Right Hon. George Augustus Cavendish-Bentinck, deceased, and she is a relative of the Duke of Portland. Her husband is a prominent Yorkshire Baronet, the fifth of his name.

Where Specialists Failed Dr. Chase Cured Catarrh.

James Spence, Clachan, Ont., writes:—"I had been a sufferer from Catarrh for 15 years. It became chronic and I had given up hopes of ever being cured when advised by a friend to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I at once started and am pleased to state three boxes effected a complete cure, and I heartily recommend it to anyone suffering from Catarrh."

Poison Ivy.

Just what it is that induces poison ivy to play its injurious pranks on some people at some times and not at others is still a profound mystery. One thing is certain—the number of people susceptible to the poisoning influence must be extremely few, from the fact that in the vicinity of Philadelphia the highways and byways are overrun with the plant to an enormous extent. It is frequently impossible for people to go by without brushing against it, and if it is the vapor or some exudation from the plant which causes the trouble thousands of persons must be under the influence to every one who suffers from it. The writer of this paragraph knows of a tract of land on which the plant grows profusely and on which many scores of laborers are employed. These laborers are frequently set to weeding and pulling out the plant by the naked hand, and, so far as the writer knows, none of these men was ever poisoned by it. The cattle eat it greedily whenever they get an opportunity. It seems to have no injurious influence on them.—Meehan's Monthly.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER

Makes an Important Speech at the Banquet to the Mayor of Montreal—A Great Gathering.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—Mayor Smith was tendered a banquet by the citizens last evening and it was one of the best ever given in the Windsor. The President of the Board of Trade presided, and amongst the four hundred present were: Lord Aberdeen, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Adolphe Chapleau, Mgr. Bruchesi, Hon. J. I. Tarte and leading citizens. The speeches were brief and eloquent, and all testified to his Worship's great personal worth and ability in the civic chair.

Sir Wilfrid's Speech.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was received with great applause, the entire audience rising and cheering. He said that, though not a citizen of Montreal, he felt it a duty and a pleasure to contribute his quota in honor of a man who had filled the Mayor's chair with so much credit to himself and acceptance to the public. He was saddened by so many references to death in the previous speeches (laughter) but he assured the Governor-General that he had touched on a subject of which Canadians did not care to think, and that it was satisfactory to know that he would go back to a sphere of action where he had already achieved distinction. As to the Mayor, Sir Wilfrid said, amidst great laughter, that if Mr. Wilson Smith continued to keep on the right side he would have his reward. As to his old friend, his dear friend, the Lieut.-Governor of Quebec, he felt that if Sir Adolphe Chapleau died it would be like Phoenix to rise from his ashes. He believed that a man of Sir Adolphe's literary character liked the quiet of Spencerwood, but he also believed that Sir Adolphe was more at home, more happy, on the stormy seas of Canadian politics. (Applause.) Canadians love Canada for its faults as well as its merits. When Kipling spoke of Canada as "Our Lady of the Snows" some found fault, but not he. He loved Canada for its winter, its crowning glory; not the winter of these degenerate days of rain, but the winter of the good old days. But if Canada is to become a country it will not be on account of its soil or its climate, but on account of its people. They are sprung from the strongest races in the world. Alluding to Archbishop Bruchesi's comparison of Canadian citizenship and the pride of St. Paul, "I am a Roman citizen," Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "I am sure you will agree with me, and that his Grace the Archbishop will be the first to do so, that in this nineteenth century on the soil of Canada a Roman Catholic Bishop can say with greater pride still, 'I am a British subject; I claim the rights and privileges of a British subject; I claim above all things the right of conscience which is guaranteed by the British constitution.' Our friend the Archbishop told us a moment ago that we must have peace in this land. We can only have peace by the rights of conscience being carefully guarded by everyone. The rights of conscience must be preserved. We are all willing they should be preserved. We have all common rights of conscience, but the rights of one are limited by the rights of another. We can have peace only on one condition, and that is that all of *us must make* a sacrifice on the altar of our common country, that we should surrender something to the common good of all. This is the only manner in which we can have peace, and for my part it is one of the most glorious movements of my life as a British subject of French origin, as a British subject of Catholic faith, to find here a Roman Catholic Bishop re-echoing the words of his Holiness the Pope in his encyclical which, after all, was nothing but a message of peace to the Canadian people. This shall be my final word to you all, that in this Canada of ours, in this Dominion, the laws of justice, of substantial justice, shall prevail for ever and ever." (Great applause.)

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Bobbie Burns' Birthday.

The evening of January 25th is the date of the Y.M.C.A. entertainment. Miss Tessie McCallum as an elocutionist ranks with the best in Canada. Miss Dette Zeigler is an attractive and pleasing singer of wide reputation. Both make a special feature of Scotch selections, of which there will be several numbers on the programme. Tickets 25 cents.

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Knocked Senseless.

On Saturday morning, while Mr. Wm. Cox, sr., was engaged in Lakefield at work at the mill he was struck on the top of the head by a stone from a blast on the canal. He was knocked senseless, the stone inflicting a severe scalp wound. He was taken to Dr. Bell's office, where the wound was dressed. It is to be hoped he will soon be around again.

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On account of unsatisfactory railway connections the management of Bradburn's Opera House has been able to secure the Paris Gaiety Girls Burlesque Company, headed by Little Egypt, of the Seeley Dinner fame, for an engagement at the Opera House on Saturday night, Jan. 15th. This company is one of the best burlesque organizations travelling, each artist being a star in their particular line. The olio consists of good singing and dancing, high class vaudeville specialties, the evening's entertainment concluding with a grand Amazon march, in which twenty beautiful women will take part. The Couchu-Couchu Dance as given by Little Egypt is one of the marvels of the age and should be seen to be appreciated. The prices for the attraction are 25, 35 and 50c. Watch for big bills.

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A PRETTY WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Lottie Rohill and Mr. James Hill, Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon an interesting event took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. Rohill, No. 149 George street, when their only daughter, Miss Lottie, was united in marriage to Mr. James Hill.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor of the George street Methodist church, in the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

The bride was very prettily attired in a cream hepternette gown with garniture of chiffon and pearls, and carried a handsome bouquet of carnations and cream roses. She was assisted by Miss Emily Noble, who was gowned in pale blue henrietta, trimmed with pink chiffon and silk.

The groomsman was Mr. Fred Cocks, of Toronto.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party enjoyed a tempting repast, after which Mr. and Mrs. Hill left on the afternoon train for a trip to points west, including Toronto, Hamilton and Chicago.

Amongst the beautiful array of wedding presents, was a handsome set of sables from the groom to the bride. The bridesmaid received a gold bracelet from the groom.

WEDDED YESTERDAY.

A Marriage in Which the Participants Are Well Known in Town.

A large number of persons assembled at the Roman Catholic church yesterday in Campbellford to witness the marriage of Miss Eliza Boland, fourth daughter of Mrs. Boland, of Campbellford, and Mr. John Regan, of Toronto.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McCloskey at nine o'clock. Miss Jennie M. Boland, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Burke, of Peterborough, attended the groom. An excellent wedding breakfast was prepared at 11 o'clock, and a large company of guests were present to partake of it. The wedded couple left on the two o'clock train for Toronto, followed by the best wishes of numerous friends.

—Be happy by buying your oysters at the Spot Cash, 353 George street.

THE BIRD AND BENCH SHOW.

Final Details Arranged Last Evening—A Big List of Entries.

A general business meeting of the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association and Bench Show was held last evening to arrange final details for the big show next week,

That it is to be a big show there is no doubt. The entry list for dogs is now closed and the secretary announces that over a hundred will be shown. The list for poultry is still open and there are already between four and five hundred entries received.

Arrangements were made to advertise a lecture on "Profitable Poultry Keeping," on Tuesday evening, the opening night, by A. G. Gilbert, of the Ottawa Experimental Farm.

It was decided that a third prize of V. H. C. be awarded in the poultry and pet stock classes.

All members interested in the success of the show are requested to be at the Market Hall Saturday at 2 p.m. to assist in arranging the benches, etc.

Dogs are coming all the way from New York and entries have been even received from Montreal, Toronto, Kingston, Belleville, and other places. On account of entries being received of bull dogs a new class has been created for them. Some fine bloodhounds will also be shown and the unbeaten fox terrier Radiance. The entries in Collies and St. Bernards is very large.

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LEGARE'S TRIAL

Resulted in His Being Allowed to go on Suspended Sentence.

Delphis Legare, the commercial traveller, who was sent up for trial last week by Magistrate Dumble on the charge of stealing a fur coat and pair of gauntlets from Mr. Geo. Graham, was before Judge Weller yesterday.

The evidence taken was practically that adduced at the preliminary hearing, but on a strong representation being made of the good character formerly borne by the prisoner and the helpless condition in which his family would be left in the event of his being sentenced to a term in gaol, he was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

Mr. R. E. Wood appeared for the Crown and Mr. D. O'Connell for the defence.

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HEN ROOST THIEVES.

Mr. Fred Bissette Loses Four Valuable Plymouth Rock Pullets.

On Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning Mr. Fred Bissette, London street, had his hennery robbed of several thoroughbred Plymouth Rock pullets. As he sets great value on the birds, he is prepared to push his case unless the pullets are returned. It seems he has a clue to the guilty parties, and intends placing the matter in the hands of the police.

—Big Baltimore Oysters. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

Thunder in the Winter.

Thunder and lightning in January is a very rare occurrence and a decidedly new "frill" on a January thaw. It is regarded as a sign of cold and this was verified, for sharp frost followed the lively thunderstorm of last night, when the lightning flashed, the thunder rolled and the rain came down in brisk showers as merrily as on a night in May.

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THE SAME OFFICERS WERE RE-ELECTED WITH A VOTE OF THANKS.

There will be no Chrysanthemum Show this Year—Prizes to be Offered for the Best Kept Lawns—Annual Reports Received.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society was held last evening in the Council Chamber with a large attendance of members, amongst whom were noticed Messrs. Dr. Geo. Burnham, D. W. Dumble, W. H. Hill, H. Nesbitt, J. H. Foord, H. C. Rogers, Jas. Head, J. H. Cobb, John McClelland, J. S. Knapman, T. A. S. Hay, Jas. Stevenson, J. H. Roper and F. Brownscombe.

The first business of the evening was the presentation of the annual reports.

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT

was read as follows by the secretary, Mr. Felix Brownscombe:

To the Members of the Peterborough and Ashburnham Horticultural Society:

GENTLEMEN,—We, your directors, beg to report as follows:

The annual exhibition of the Society for 1897 was held on the 26th of August, and compared favourably with former years, inasmuch as the number of exhibits was concerned, but the attendance was not as large as in previous years, whilst the receipts were far short of what they should have been for an exhibition such as was then held. After giving the matter careful consideration, your directors believe that the present plan of admitting a whole family on one ticket is giving the members more than the Society can afford to do. We therefore suggest that in future all tickets be limited so as to admit only a specified number.

The committee appointed to wait on the councils of the town and Ashburnham were well received and obtained from the former an additional $100, which sum was expended in necessary permanent improvements, such as reconsidering the walks, repairing the fountain, connecting the same with the sewer, etc.

Your directors have also had several trees, in places where they were too close together, removed, so as to enable those remaining to have more room for natural growth.

Early in the year we advertised for tenders for taking care of the park for the past season and awarded the contract to Mr. Jos. H. Cobb, who was the caretaker for the preceeding year, and we are sure you will all agree with us that he has done his work well, and that the park has been a credit, not only to the Society but also to the town.

As suggested at the annual meeting, a chrysanthemum show was held on the 4th and 5th of November, for which 20 entries were received for which we awarded prizes amounting to over $20. The displays of flowers, etc., was quite satisfactory to the Directors considering it to be the first show of the kind we have held and while the attendance was small on account of other attractions, yet those present who did visit the show were amply repaid for so doing and should you decide to hold another, we believe the display and also the attendance will be much larger.

Submitted on behalf of the Directors,

GEO. BURNHAM, President. F. BROWNSCOMBE, Secretary.

The report was received and adopted.

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

was presented by the Treasurer, Mr. W. H. Hill, as appended:

HOTICULTURAL ACCOUNT.

To balance at Bank, 1896	$ 37 09	
To membership fees	106 00	
To Government grant	137 00	
To door receipts at annual show	15 25	
To door receipts at Chrysanthemum show	9 00	
		$154 76
By prizes paid, annual show		20 25
By prizes paid, Chrysanthemum show		20 25
Peterborough Light and Power Co account for lighting		9 25
Review		11 05
EXAMINER		13 64
Chas Dredge		9 25
A J Watkins		6 25
Fred Cook		9 00
F W Miller		5 50
A H Stratton & Co		1 20
Macfarlane Wilson		1 25
F Brownscombe		12 50
R H Greer		1 00
Miscellaneous		20 80
Bal at Bank		27 61
	$206 85	$206 85

PARK ACCOUNT.

To bal at Bank	$ 28 57	
To County grant	75 00	
To town grant	500 00	
		$600 00
By J H Cobb, caretaking		148 77
By J H Cobb, expenses repairing		40 08
Adam Hall		40 00
Peterborough Water Co		20 05
J H Cobb, sundries		12 80
F Brownscombe		25 00
Shrubs		2 02
Balance at Bank		$586 87 $600 87

On motion of Col. Rogers and Mr. H. Nesbitt, the treasurer's report was referred to Messrs. J. H. Roper and T. A. S. Hay, as auditors.

After examining the vouchers, etc., the auditors certified the report to be correct and it was adopted.

The same auditors were appointed to act next year.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS.

The election of officers and directors resulted as follows:

President—George Burnham.

1st Vice-President—D. W. Dumble.

2nd Vice-President—J. R. Stratton, M.P.P.

Sec.-Treas.—F. Brownscombe.

Directors—R. D. Hamilton, J. H. Roper, H. C. Rogers, T. E. Bradburn, Macfarlane Wilson, Rev. H. Symonds, T. A. S. Hay, Adam Hall, H. Nesbitt, W. H. Foord and John Irwin.

On motion of Messrs. W. H. Hill and D. W. Dumble the salary of the secretary was raised from $25 to $40.

The offices of secretary and treasurer were combined.

COMMITTEES.

On motion of Col. Rogers and Mr. James Head the following committee was appointed to take charge of Victoria Park: Messrs. Adam Hall, W. H. Foord, and H. Nesbitt.

The following committee was delegated to wait on the councils to ask for the annual grant to the Society: Messrs. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., T. E. Bradburn, J. H. Roper, W. H. Hill and D. W. Dumble.

Messrs. J. H. Cobb and James Head moved that Messrs. D. W. Dumble, W. H. Foord, H. Nesbitt and T. A. S. Hay be a committee to revise the prize list—Carried.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW.

The president asked for the opinion of the members regarding the advisability of holding another Chrysanthemum show.

Mr. D. W. Dumble opposed the idea on the ground that too large a monetary loss had attended the first exhibition. The flower was a beautiful and interesting one, but there was not enough of the citizens who went in for its cultivation to make the affair a success.

Mr. W. H. Foord agreed with Mr. Dumble. He thought the town too small too hold a successful exhibition.

These were also Mr. Cobb's sentiments.

Mr. John McClelland did not think it was altogether a question of pay. It was rather a question of taste. Last year's failure was largely due to the poor season. Many were caught by the early frost. A rose exhibit might be combined with it. Success might attend the next show. The exhibit though small last year, was a credit to Peterborough.

Mr. Cobb asked where the society would have been if there had not been a large surplus from the regular exhibition. A great deal of money was lost on the chrysanthemum show.

Mr. Dumble and Col. Rogers moved that "It is inexpedient to hold a chrysanthemum show this year."—Carried.

It was moved by Messrs. D. W. Dumble and Col. Rogers, "That this Society do offer prizes for the four most tasteful lawns or grounds of members of this Society, competitors to give notice of competition by 1st of June, the examination to be in the week prior to the Horticultural Exhibition, the prizes to be 1st, $5; 2nd, $4; 3rd and 4th $2. Test to be taste, skill and quality displayed."

On motion of Messrs. D. W. Dumble and W. H. Hill, a cordial vote of thanks was moved to the officers who had acted during the past year.

The meeting then adjourned.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated January 10th, 1898.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. HENRY DENNE, President.

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In the Matter of the Estate of William Bruce Rickey, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Merchant, Insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate, credit and effects for the benefit of his creditors under the revised statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 124 and amending acts.

Further notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said estate will be held in the office of Roger & Bennet, my Solicitors, No. 375 Water street, in the town of Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1898, at 2 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and give directions as to the disposal of the estate generally, and creditors are requested to file their claims with me or my solicitors on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is given that after the said date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim I shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Peterborough this 11th day of January, 1898.

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100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
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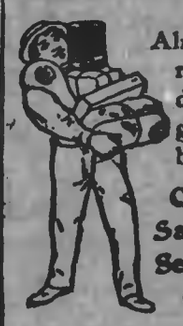

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1898.

OTONABEE LITERARY SOCIETY.

Organized at Coldsprings on Monday Evening—The Officers Elected.

A meeting was called on Monday night, in the Coldsprings school house, with the view of starting a literary society. A large crowd gathered and they organized themselves into a society, with the following officers for the first term:

Hon. President—Mr. D. Kennedy.
President—Mr. G. Stewart.
Vice-President—Miss Coughlin.
Secretary-Treasurer—Miss A. Guthrie.
Editor—Mr. C. Munro.
Organist—Miss L. Wilcox.
Assistant Organist—Miss F. Kitney.

A Glee Club was also formed.

The society is in good working order it trusts that many advantageous, as well as pleasant, evenings will be spent during the winter.

Grafton's Big Clearing Sale now going on.

THE VISITING WINNIPEGGERS.

How they are to be Entertained on Tuesday Evening Next.

Arrangements are almost completed for the reception of the Winnipeg Hockey Team on Tuesday.

The visitors will arrive on the 4.10 C. P. R. train from Montreal, and will be met at the station by Mayor Davis, G. W. Hatton, Patron of the club; W. G. Ferguson, Hon. President; R. J. Fife, President, and the other officers. A drive around the town will be the first item on the programme, after which the Winnipeg team will be taken to their hotel.

In the evening Mayor Davis will place the puck on the ice and blow the whistle for the first game. At the conclusion of the game the visitors will be banquetted.

—The best coffees are Chase & Sanborn's. Try them at the Spot Cash, 333 George street.

THE TIMBER POLICY.

The following is a summary of the contribution of Mr. Stratton to the debate on the second reading of Hon. Mr. Gibson's bill imposing manufacturing conditions on all sawlogs cut on Crown Lands after April 30th:

The debate was continued after recess by Mr. Stratton, who dwelt upon the importance of the question requiring the most careful and grave consideration. He congratulated the people of the Province and the House upon the fact that the fullest possible return had been obtained by the Province from the timber resources and the Crown Lands of the Province under the administration of the Government. He was also glad to hear the statement of the Commissioner that the cut this year has not been nearly so large as they would be led to suppose by the editorial columns of the Opposition newspapers, and, notwithstanding the unwillingness of the hon. member from North Toronto to accept that statement, he would, he said, prefer to accept the figures of the Commissioner, who was receiving reliable weekly reports. He regretted that the Opposition was discussing this question entirely from a low plane and from the standpoint of retaliation. The Government approached the consideration of the timber regulations from the standpoint of what was the best method of obtaining the greatest returns from the forest wealth of the Province and the development of the important industries which are connected with and circle around the lumber industry. The Government's policy was above the spirit of retaliation, and was framed in the desire to promote the best interests of the province. Had the Government taken action at the time the Opposition had suggested it, it would have been an injury to the business interests of the Province and unfair to both the Canadian and American purchasers of our timber, and the Government would have broken faith with those who had taken out licenses on the 1st of May last. The conditions of the Dingley law had made it impossible for our lumbermen to do business with the United States on a fair basis, but he supported the course of the Government because he believed that the industrial interests of the Province demanded it.

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THE BARNARDO HOME.

Respecting its Relation With Business Men.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

SIR,—Referring to the statements made that the local expenditure for supplies by the Barnardo Home here is of a trifling character, permit me to say that such statements are wholly wrong, and calculated to have a wrong impression. I am sure that the amount expended is very large, and that the sum named by the Superintendent ($4 000) is not any too large an amount. As one of the merchants interested, and knowing the facts, I am pleased to say that I have been favoured with orders for a part of the grocery account, amounting from year to year to not less than $300. I know that in other lines the expenditure is very large, and am sure that the management of the Barnardo Home are particularly careful that everything that can be purchased in town is secured here, not from outside sources.

Yours respectfully,
W. H. HAMILTON.

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BELLEVILLE VS. PETERBOROUGH

An exciting basket ball match between these two Y.M.C.A. teams will be played in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium here to-night. Everybody invited.

To-morrow night the debating club will meet. The subject for debate is—"Resolved, that the school provides a better safeguard against crime than the gaol." Affirmative—Messrs. B. Anderson and Williamson. Negative—Messrs. G. R. Irwin and R. P. Watt. Members are requested to be present.

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ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Annual Entertainment Last Night—Distribution of Prizes.

Last night All Saints' annual Sunday school entertainment took place in the school room. There was a large attendance of the scholars and their parents and friends and the affair was in every way a great success.

The programme consisted of readings, recitations, solos and choruses, dialogues and tableaux, all by the children, who presented a most enjoyable entertainment.

The more interesting part to the children was the distribution of prizes, given and classified as follows:

For attendance and general proficiency: Girls' classes—No. 1, May Bullen and Lily Brewer, (equal); No. 2, Mary Sawers and Elizabeth Taylor, (equal); No. 3, Lucy Wood: No. 4, Edna Earl and Eva Bullen (equal); No. 5, Beatrice Harris and Emma Bullen, (equal); No. 6, Mona Barton; No. 7, Aggie Sabine: No 8, Ethel Close.

Infant class—Rose Mulholland.

Boys' classes—Nos. 1 and 2, Willie Bullen; No. 3, Percy Gilbert; No. 4, Clarence Buller, No. 5, Archie Hillier; No. 6, Ernest Hillier; No. 7, Ralph Hillier; No. 8, Harry Latimer.

Infant class—Alfie Gilbert.

Refreshments were served to the children from half past five to six, and the hard work of the teachers had its reward in the perfect satisfaction the children experienced during the evening. The Sunday School of All Saints since its establishment in its permanent and adequate quarters has largely increased in attendance, and the offertories have nearly doubled.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. A. Graham of Young's Point, is the guest of Mrs. M. Finney, Harvey street.

Mrs. A. L. Davis is in Belleville visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dr. Perry Goldsmith, who is seriously ill.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Fruits, fish and oysters. "Spot Cash."

—St. Andrew's choir will drive out to Mr. Thos. Petrie's residence in Otonabee, this evening, and busses will leave the church at seven o'clock.

—Hockey skates, high grade, low prices, sizes 8½ to 11½, and hockey sticks and pucks at George Stethem & Son's, next the postoffice. 6tod-1w

—Good Black or Mixed Tea, 25c. Spot Cash.

—Many roads in the country are completely bare of snow, making the sleighing very bad. This is particularly the case on the road to the Benefort bridge from town.

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—The small pocket of natural gas which was struck near the lift locks, speedily burned out yesterday. Like the coal oil deposits which were struck at Nassau last summer, it only existed in a very limited quantity.

—Be happy by buying your oysters at the Spot Cash, 333 George street.

—The Midland and Durham Districts of Royal Templars of Temperance have united under the name of the Midland District. Mr. Lent, of Cobourg, is one of the officers.

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—The Hastings lacrosse club will hold a grand ball in the town hall, Hastings, on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25th. A first-class orchestra has been engaged to furnish music. Mr. M. Costello, of Peterborough, will act as floor manager.

—Walter T. Rose, customs collector at Picton, has two fully developed lemons grown by himself. They measured eight and three-quarter inches in circumference and the two weighed twelve and one-half ounces.

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—Paper petticoats are reported on the market. Why not? paper is a good heat-preserver, says an exchange. These garments only anticipate Mr. Bellamy, whose latest volume tells us that all the clothing worn in the twentieth century will be made of paper.

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—Principal Grant has given Robert Meek, Chairman of the Board of Education at Kingston, authority to arrange a date for a debate there between himself and Rev. Dr. Lucas on the prohibition question. The time is to be before the end of January, Dr. Lucas to name the day. Dr. Lucas has been corresponded with.

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—A contemporary says: "Mrs. D. Lake will enter her horse, Dan Superior, in the green race at Napanee. She will drive her own horse. This is the first woman driver appearing in public." This statement is sadly out of accord with the fact. In Massachusetts last year five women drove in several races, and it has long been the practice of women to drive in races at the agricultural fairs in this district.

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Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

CATHOLIC LITERARY ASSOCIATION NOTES.

Rev. Father McColl of Ennismore, will give an address in the rooms on Monday evening on "Civic or Public Society."

The directors of the Association are arranging for a grand concert on the evening of March 17th.

A public debate on an interesting subject will be held in the rooms shortly.

The membership contest has been the means of making the membership of the Association for the year the largest in the history of the society.

The entertainment committee has prepared a series of addresses by prominent speakers for coming entertainments.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Practice at the rink to-night. The Senior team to be picked afterwards.

Senior League hockey match to-morrow night at the Charlotte street rink—Toronto Athletic Club vs. Peterborough.

The Winnipeg team which plays here on Tuesday, defeated Quebec last evening by two straights.

Hardisty, of the T.A.C. team, weighs 182 pounds.

The following team will represent the T.A.C's. here to-morrow night: Goal, Turton; point, Windeyer; cover, Hardisty; forwards, Wesner, Buchall, Gill and Chadwick.

Peterborough's hockey colts are asking the Toronto clubs to send down a team at an early date.

CURLIANA.

At the rink last evening in an Ianis medal series contest, Skip Parker won from Skip Ray by the following score:

B Belleghem,	W E Lech,
A McNee,	W J Thompson,
J Crane,	Jos Stanger,
W D Parker, sk....15	M Ray, sk.....12

The Thistles are seven points ahead in the Kendry Cup series.

The Colts will probably go to Lindsay next week.

The excursion to Toronto and Hamilton takes place on the 25th, but the tickets are good on the 24th, and the hockeyists will go up on that date to play their return match with the T. A. C. team. The Hamilton Thistles will be played on Tuesday afternoon by the curlers.

The Most Prominent are Fashionable.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion has become a fashionable disease. There are very few individuals who have not at various time experienced the miserable feeling caused by defective digestion. No pen can describe the keen suffering of the body, and the agony and anguish of mind endured by the Dyspeptic. Dr. La Londe, of 236 Pine Ave., Montreal, says, "When I ever run across chronic cases of Dyspepsia I always prescribe Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and my patients generally have quick relief."

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The New Sawmill.

Work has been commenced on the Dickson Coy's sawmill at Lakefield with a large force of men under the superintendence of Mr. Thompson. All the machinery has been taken out and new timbers are being framed to replace those that are in a decayed condition. Also the large addition at the south end of the mill is being framed and placed in position. As soon as the water goes down blasting will be begun to deepen the wheel pits.

OAK HALL GIFT PRICES.

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APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act changing the name of The Dominion Building and Loan Association to that of The Dominion Permanent Loan Company.

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1 10c bottle Vanilla	5	1 lb. package Blue Ribbon, black or mixed	23
1 bottle No. 1 Worcester Sauce	13	1 lb. package 40c Royal Blend Tea	25
1 bottle Mustard Pickles	10	1 can Sardines, 3c, or 5 cans for	25
1 package Corn Starch, 7c, or 4 for	25	1 can Mustard Sardines	13
1 package Rubber Starch	10	1 can Kippered Herrings	13
1 bag Salt, 4c, or 3 for	10	1 package Buckwheat Flour	13
1 can Peaches, 13c, or 2 for	25	3 cars White Castile Soap	5
1 can Plums, 13c, or 2 for	25	7 bars Wide Awake Soap	25
1 can Pumpkins, 9c, or 3 for	25	7 bars Eclipse Soap	25
1 lb. Apricots, 12c, or 2 lbs for	23	1 box Sunlight Soap, 13c, or 2 for	25
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For Gentlemen	3 00
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For Boys	1 50

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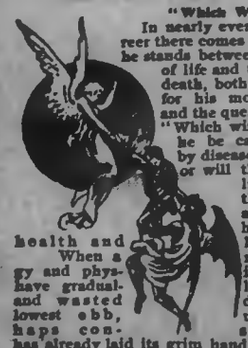

"Which Wins?"

In nearly every man's career there comes a time when he stands between the angel of life and the angel of death, both contending for his mortal frame, and the question arises: "Which wins?" Will he be carried away by disease and death or will the angel of life prove the stronger and bring him back to health and happiness? When a man's energy and physical force have gradually weakened down to the lowest ebb, until perhaps consumption has already laid its grim hand upon him, and doctor after doctor and medicine after medicine have been tried in vain—now, perhaps, comes some kind friend who says, "Dr. Pierce can cure you, write to him: His "Golden Medical Discovery" has rescued thousands who were further gone than you."

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Now is the critical instant. Will the patient give up in despair and let the angel of disease drag him away from wife and family and children, or will he grasp the hand of the angel of life in one more supreme effort for restoration? Are you standing between the contending angels? Which wins?

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CLOSED VERY FIRM.

Wheat Shorts as Well as Leiter Were Said to Be Buyers—Increase in the World's Visible—Local Prices.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 11.

Cash wheat in Chicago ½c higher at 91¼c.

Wheat futures ¾d to ½d lower in Liverpool and corn ¾d lower.

The world's visible supply of wheat increased 628,000 bushels during the week, as against a decrease of 1,650,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91½	$0 91
New York	0 98¼	0 92½
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 91½	0 90⅝
St. Louis	0 93	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 91½	0 92⅝
Detroit	0 92	0 91½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91½	0 90⅝
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour market remains quiet and prices are unchanged. Straight rollers $3.80 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is quiet, with prices weak early, but the feeling better at close of the day. Red winter sold outside at 81c to 82c. Spring sold on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose 77½c. Midland, Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.02, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 99c to 91c Fort William, and 98c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is firmer, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra sold at 28c and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c west and at 24c for mixed.

PEAS—The market is firm, with dealers quoting all the way from 50c to 53c, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

BRAN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c west for new, and 28c for old.

SHORTS—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

Receipts of live stock at the Cattle Market were liberal to-day, 46 carloads, composed of 529 cattle, 214 sheep, 12 calves and 1800 hogs. The market opened up brisk, but closed quiet. No changes in prices. The cattle offered were of the butchers' class, few being well finished, and these bought for export. Export cattle sold at $3.75 to $4.25. Bulls sold at $3.12½ to $3.65.

Shipping cattle, medium	$3 75 to $4 25	
" heavy exports, good quality	3 12½	3 65
Bulls, feeders, per cwt.	2 25	2 75
Stockers and medium to good	3 00	3 25
Feeders, heavy	3 40	3 75
Butchers' cattle, picked lots	3 60	3 85
" good	3 35	3 60
" medium	3 00	3 30
" inferior	2 85	3 00
Springers, each	25 00	40 00
Milch cows, each	25 00	44 00
Calves, each	5 00	8 00
Sheep, per cwt.	3 00	3 25
Ewes, per cwt.	3 25	3 50
Spring lambs, each	3 50	4 50
Hogs	4 90	5 12½
" 150 to 200 lbs. each	4 90	5 12½
" 140 to 200 lbs.	4 75	5 00
" light fats	4 50	....
" heavy fats, per cwt.	4 50	....
" sows	3 50	3 75
" stags	3 00	....
" store	4 25	....

British Markets.

Liverpool.—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 2d for March, 7s 0¼d for May and 6s 9⅝d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1½d for Feb. and

So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this grand old company now for the first time makes this startling offer:—

They will send their costly and magically effective appliance and a whole month's course of restorative remedies, positively on trial without expense to any honest and reliable man!

Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

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They give full strength, development and tone to every portion and part of the body.

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Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N.Y., and refer to reading this account of their offer in this paper.

KISSED HER ON A BET.

She Was a Salvation Lassie; He, Her Husband—Traveling Men Didn't Know That.

A clever trick was worked by Walter Redmond and his wife at Union station by which several traveling men were duped out of their money. At the end of a long seat in the waiting room was a pretty and modest looking young woman attired in a Salvation Army uniform. She was very intent upon a paper which she was reading and paid little attention to the crowd of traveling men standing near her.

Aside from the crowd was a well dressed young man, who was walking back and forth by the newsstand puffing away at a fragrant cigar. Finally a member of the crowd of traveling men remarked upon the beauty of the little Salvation Army worker. All eyes were fixed on the little woman, and she received many compliments. The prosperous looking young man who had been walking near the group of drummers drew near to the crowd. He, too, was struck with the appearance of the woman.

"I'll give any one of you fellows $15 if you kiss that girl," said he.

Those in the crowd took the dare. One spoke up, however, and said to the stranger who had offered the money, "I'll bet you $20 that you can't kiss her."

The stranger hesitated for several seconds and then said:

"I'll just take that bet."

The money was put up, and the stranger, who had given his name as Walter Redmond, walked over toward the little woman in uniform, and, after bowing profoundly, took a seat by her side.

At first the woman seemed to be very indignant, and the traveling man thought he had the $20 won. A minute later, however, Redmond's arm stole around the woman's waist. The spectators then began to open their eyes wide. One of them said: "That fellow has a whole lot of influence over that girl. It may be that he is a hypnotist." Redmond talked for probably two minutes and then kissed the woman.

Redmond walked over to the stakeholder and received his money. He then started from the depot. The little woman quickly arose from her seat, and, taking his arm, walked to Ninth and Broadway, where the couple took an East Broadway car. Redmond is tall and handsome. His wife is a blond and is exceptionally pretty.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A HINT TO ARTISTS.

One Way of Putting Rejected Exhibits to Good Use.

They were riding on the Fourteenth street cars and their conversation was edifying. The man with the long hair was evidently a sculptor, and his companion, a large, jolly looking fellow, was trying to persuade him to present a work of art to some society woman who had a mania for collecting bric-a-brac and articles of vertu.

"I told her that you would, I thought, in time present her with some memento, a statuette illustrating your peculiar style. Was I wrong in saying so?"

The sculptor answered indignantly: "I know her value of art, and I tell you she cannot distinguish between manufactured trinkets and works of art. In fact, she thinks all artists are manufacturers and can turn out statuettes as easily as the rich stove ornament man who gave her a nickel plated mule. Then, too, a brass fixture artist gave her something from the brass foundry, and she thought it great. Never, in my judgment, could she appreciate a true work of art."

"Then you refuse to give her a sample of your work? Remember, she has great influence."

"I do not refuse. I'll give her that model in plaster of paris which was refused by the committee last month. She will think it great, whether or not the committee did."

"Good! She will think it magnificent and get you an order."—New York Commercial.

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In the open orchard I felt sure I could catch it.

But my ghost had no intention of allowing me any such an opportunity. To my disgust it darted backward and into the house, slamming the door in my face.

In a frenzy of fear and chagrin I threw myself against the oaken door with such force that its rusty old hinges yielded and I landed in the big front room of the inn just in time to see the white skirts of the ghost flit up the stairs.

Up stairs I fled after it and into an old chamber. There, huddled in a corner, I saw it. In the minute's delay it had secured a lighted candle, and as I entered it advanced to daunt me with bony arm upraised to great height.

"Caught!" I cried, throwing my arms around the figure. And I had made the acquaintance of a real live ghost.

The white robes fell and I saw revealed my hostess of Bucktown inn.

Next morning when I threatened to call the police she confessed to me that she masqueraded as a ghost to draw visitors to the out of the way old place and that she found its tales of being haunted highly profitable to her.—Baltimore Herald.

Patterson Made Another Break.

Syracuse, N.Y., Jan. 12. — Convict George W. Patterson of Utica escaped from the Onondaga County Penitentiary yesterday morning by cutting a hole through his cell roof and descending on a sheet and blanket rope. He was captured by New York Central detectives at East Syracuse later. Patterson has done several terms in the United States and Canada, and has escaped from penal institutions in this city and Kingston, Ont., before.

A Miner Killed.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 12.—Basil Rorison was killed at Loughboro Inlet on Saturday by the explosion of a dynamite charge. In company with another man he fired three shots in a mine, two went off, and while examining the third to see if it had been lighted it suddenly exploded. Rorison was terribly mangled and died instantly.

Three Boy Skaters Drowned.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 12.—While skating at Clement's Fort yesterday a boy named Welch and two lads named Rawdon went through the ice and were drowned. One broke through first and the others were attempting to save him when they too got into the water and could not get out.

Always Felt Tired.

"I suffered with severe headache and loss of appetite and I always felt tired. I concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking one bottle my headache disappeared I continued taking it until now I am never troubled with headache and my appetite is good." LAURA GARLAND, 247 Claremont St., Toronto, Ont.

Hood's Pills act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

Toronto Topics.

Rev. Dr. Gregg was yesterday unanimously chosen Moderator of Toronto Presbytery in place of the late Rev. Wm. Burns for the remaindor of the term.

The Italian, Giovanno Cifrino, arrested here on a charge of attempting to murder a woman at Niagara Falls, is likely to be extradited.

Mrs. Thomas, who was shot on York street Monday evening by her colored husband, does not think she will die. When the County Attorney called at the hospital to take her ante-mortem statement, she said: "I must live for his sake. It would be awful for him to swing for it."

Rev. Thomas Moore, who in the early eighties assisted in establishing the Salvation Army in Toronto, fell dead in his pulpit at the Baptist Church, Harper, Kansas, on Sunday. He was 58 years old and leaves a widow and four children.

In the second day's proceedigs in the Civil Assize Court in the John Eaton Co.'s fire case, Mr. Osler stated that the accountants' investigation shows that the stock list was padded to the extent of $100,000. Evidence of fraud is to be put in.

FEMALE WEAKNESS

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Captain Sweeney's comment—SOUTH says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the best medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cts. Sold by Druggists.

SHILOH'S CURE.

THIS GREAT COUGH CURE promptly cures where all others fail. For Consumption it has no rival; has cured thousands, and will cure YOU, if taken in time. Price 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00.

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Millions of Sealed Lead Packets Are Sold Annually.

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This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store will suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.)

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c.
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
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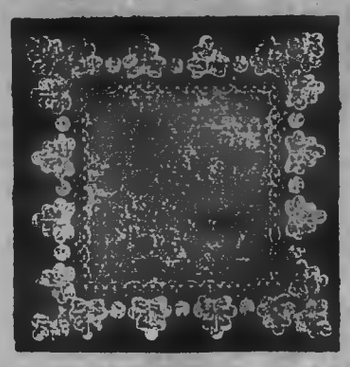
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Han Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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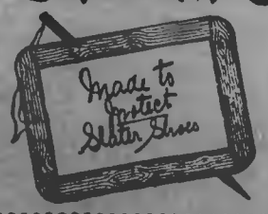

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There is erected on the premises a substantial red brick two story house.

The property will be offered subject to a reserved bid and subject also to a first mortgage for $1,500 and interest on the east half thereof, which said mortgage shall be assumed by the purchaser.

TERMS OF PAYMENT—Ten per cent. down at the time of sale and the balance within thirty days thereafter without interest.

Further particulars and conditions of sale will be made known at the time of sale or may be obtained from the undersigned.

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A TAVERN GHOST.

Several travel worn drummers sat in the lobby exchanging yarns. It was Rodney Green's turn, and he looked wise and began his tale:

I don't claim by any means that the belief in ghosts is a general thing in Arkansas, but I do say that I had an experience out there a few years ago. It was late in the fall, and I happened to be in the village of Bucktown, which decorates a very limited portion of mother earth in the southern part of the state. The town is about as small and dirty a place as ever I saw, and the Bucktown inn is not much above the general character of the place. The region is inhabited by natives who still cling to all sorts of foolish superstitions. The inn in the antebellum days was kept by one who was said to be the meanest and most crabbed of mortals. The old demon was as miserly as he was mean, and all his narrow life he hoarded his filthy lucre with fiendish greed. Report had it also that he had even murdered his patrons in their beds for their money. What the facts actually were I don't know, but even to this day the old inn is held in suspicion. A lingering effect of former horrors still clouds its memory.

The present proprietor, Bunk Watson—his real name is Bunker, I believe—is an altogether different sort of chap—a southern type, in fact—one of those shiftless, helpless, happy go lucky mortals who love strong whisky and who chew an enormous quid of black tobacco and smoke a corncob pipe at the same time.

When the former keeper "shuffled off," his property fell to a distant relative, in the person of the present keeper, who with his family immediately moved in from a neighboring hamlet and took possession. It was well known that the old proprietor had accumulated considerable wealth during his sojourn among the living, but all efforts to discover any treasure upon the premises had failed, and now the idea of ever finding it was practically given up. As far as Bunk was concerned, the matter troubled him little. He had a hardworking wife, who ran things the best she could under the circumstances and saw that his meals were forthcoming at their respective intervals. What more could he wish? Why should he care if there was a treasure buried upon his place? Indeed it would have been a sore puzzle for him to know what to do with a fortune unless perhaps his wife came to his aid.

Among other stories that hovered in the history of the Buckstown inn was one which involved a ghost. In the room where the former keeper had died peculiar noises were heard at unearthly hours. Sighing, moaning and, in fact, all the other indications which point to the existence of ghosts were said to be present. On account of this the chamber had long since been abandoned.

I listened with keen interest to the wonderful tales about the haunted room and then suddenly resolved to investigate—to sleep in that chamber that very night and see for myself all that was to be seen. I told Bunk of my purpose. He shook his head, shrugged his shoulders, but instead of warning me and offering a flood of protests, as I expected, he merely took his pipe from his mouth and called out "Jane!" His wife appeared, and he intimated that I should settle the matter with the "old woman." The prospect of a fee persuaded the wife, and off she went to arrange for my bed in that ill fated room.

At 9 o'clock that evening I bade the family good night, took my candle, ascended the rickety stairs and entered the chamber of horrors. The atmosphere was heavy and had a peculiar odor that was not at all pleasing. However, I latched the door and was soon in bed. Having propped myself up with pillows, I was prepared to await the coming of the ghost.

Overhead the dusty rafters, which once had experienced the sensation of being whitewashed, but which were now a dirty yellowish color, were hung with a fantastic array of cobwebs. The flickering light of the candle reflected upon the walls and against the ceiling a myriad of grotesque shapes, and, this effect being continually disturbed by the swaying cobwebs, the whole caused the room to appear rather ghostly after all, and especially so to an imaginative mind.

I waited and waited for hours, it seemed, but still no ghost. Perhaps it was afraid of my candlelight; so I blew it out. No sooner had I done this and settled back in bed again than a white hand appeared through the door and then a whole figure. At last the ghost had come, a white and sheeted ghost!

It had come right through the door, although it was locked, and now it advanced toward the bed. Raising its long, white arm, it pointed a bony finger at me and then in a hollow voice commanded, "Come with me!" Thereupon it turned to the door, while instantly I jumped out of bed to follow. Some unseen power compelled me to obey. The door flew open, and the ghost led me down the stairs, through long halls, into the cellar, through mysterious underground corridors, up stairs again, in and out of rooms which I never dreamed were to be found in that old rambling inn. Finally through a small door in the rear we left the house. I was in my sleeping garments, but no matter. I had to follow.

The white form, with a slow and measured tread and as silent as death, led the way into the orchard. There under a tree at the farther end it pointed to the ground and in the same ghostly tones before used said:

"Here you will find a great treasure buried."

The ghost then disappeared, and I saw it no more. I stood dazed and trembling. Upon recovering my wits I started to dig, but the chill of the night air and the scantiness of my night robes made such labor impracticable. So I decided to leave some mark to identify the place and come again at daybreak. I reached up and broke off a limb. Overcome with my night exertions, I slept the next morning until a loud rapping on my door and a croaking voice warned me that it was noon.

I had intended to leave Bucktown inn that day, but prompted by curiosity and anxious to investigate I unpacked my gripsack for a comfortable stay.

You must understand that this was my first experience with a ghost, and I feared I might never see another.

At breakfast my landlady waited on me in silence, though once I detected her eyes following me with a peculiar expression. She wanted to ask me how I enjoyed the night, but I would not gratify her by volunteering a word.

My host was more outspoken.

"Reckon ye didn't get much sleep," said he, with a queer smile.

"Did you hear anything?" I asked.

"Well, I did, ye-es," he said, with a drawl. "But ye didn't disturb me any. I know ye'd hev trouble when ye went in thet room ter sleep."

That afternoon I slipped out to the tree, but to my amazement I found that the twig I had broken from the branches was gone. Finally I found under the lower trunk of an apple tree an open place from which a small branch had evidently been wrested, but on looking further I discovered that every apple tree in the orchard had been similarly disfigured.

"More mysterious than ever," I said, "but tonight shall decide."

That night I pleaded weariness, which no one seemed inclined to question, and sought my couch earlier.

"Goin ter try it ag'in?" asked my host.

"Yes, and I'll stay all winter but what I'll get even with that ghost," I said.

That night I kept the candle burning until midnight; then I blew it out.

Instantly the room was flooded with a soft light, and at the foot of the bed stood my ghost, the identical ghost of last night.

Again the bony finger beckoned, and a sepulchral voice whispered, "Follow me!" I sprang from the bed, but the figure darted ahead of me. It flew through the doorway and down the stairs and I after it. At the foot of the staircase an unseen hand reached forward and caught my foot, and I fell sprawling headlong.

But in a second I was on my feet and pursuing the ghost. It had gained on me a few yards, but I was quicker, and just as we reached the outside door I nearly touched its robes. They sent a chill through my frame, and I nearly gave up the pursuit.

As it passed through the doorway it turned and gave me one look, and I caught the same malignant light in its eyes that I remembered from the night before.

In the open orchard I felt sure I could catch it.

But my ghost had no intention of allowing me any such an opportunity. To my disgust it darted backward and into the house, slamming the door in my face.

In a frenzy of fear and chagrin I threw myself against the oaken door with such force that its rusty old hinges yielded and I landed in the big front room of the inn just in time to see the white skirts of the ghost flit up the stairs.

Up stairs I fled after it and into an old chamber. There, huddled in a corner, I saw it. In the minute's delay it had secured a lighted candle, and as I entered it advanced to daunt me with bony arm upraised to great height.

"Caught!" I cried, throwing my arms around the figure. And I had made the acquaintance of a real live ghost.

The white robes fell and I saw revealed my hostess of Bucktown inn.

Next morning when I threatened to call the police she confessed to me that she masqueraded as a ghost to draw visitors to the out of the way old place and that she found its tales of being haunted highly profitable to her.—Baltimore Herald.

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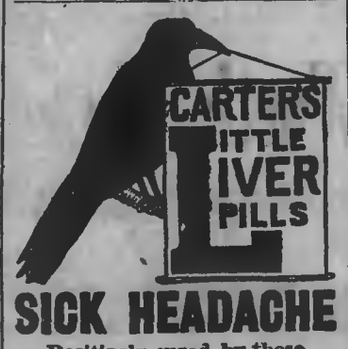

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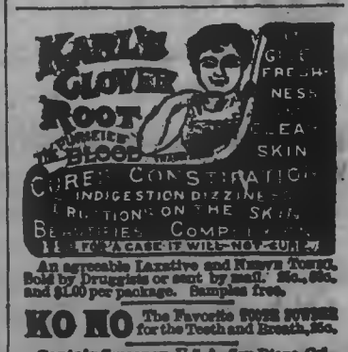

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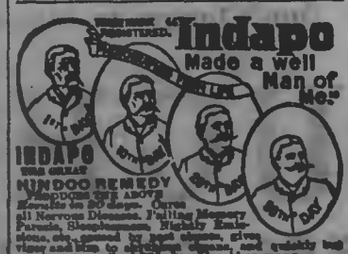

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BATTALION NOTES.

HEADQUARTERS,
Peterborough, Jan. 12, 1898.

Orders by Lieut-Col. R. W. Bell, Commanding the 57th Battalion of Infantry Peterborough Rangers.

No. 1—A class of instruction for officers and N. C. O's will be established on Tuesday evening, January 18th, at 8 o'clock. The class will be held on Tuesday and Friday evenings until further orders.

No. 2—The bugle and drum corps will resume weekly practice on Monday, January 17th, at 7.30 p. m.

No. 3—The following extract from general orders, dated Nov. 20th, 1897, is promulgated for the information of the battalion: To be Lieutenant—Lieut. Alfred George Tully Lefevre from the Engineer Reserve of Officers to complete establishment.

No. 4—Corp. Irwin of "E" Co. is hereby transferred to the Band as bandsman.

By order
H. A. MORROW, Capt.,
Adjt. 57th Battalion.

Reports from India confirm the belief in the efficacy of the Lee-Enfield rifle to withstand much shooting, and the wisdom of the authorities in substituting the shallow rifling of the Enfield for the deep grooving of the Metford has been completely vindicated. Rifles after firing 9,000 rounds of cordite have been found just as accurate and with apparently just as good barrels as when first issued—all of which is good news for Canada, and shows that her investment in Lee-Enfields was a good one. How cheap we would now feel had Canada made the purchase of the 40,000 single-loading Martini-Metfords, with the inferior rifling so strongly recommended by certain parties some three or four years ago.

The mayor of Halifax, N.S., has been notified that extensive works are in contemplation by the imperial authorities to be carried on in the vicinity of the city during the ensuing year. The existing fortifications are to be considerably strengthened, and new barracks and other buildings erected, all of which will involve the spending of large sums of money in the favoured city.

Since the Government's decision to provide the militia with Lee-Enfields, no announcement that has been made as to the militia department's intentions or doings has created such satisfaction among all ranks as the recent statement in the semi-official press that the "Oliver" equipment had been adopted, and that tenders were to be called for the manufacture of 40,000 sets for the equipment of our total active militia force. The department has certainly done the right thing this time, and if it will only go a little further and provide a good, serviceable water bottle at the same time, to complete the equipment, the thanks of the militia will be unbounded. The new field equipment has been reported on most most favourably by all who have tried it, and is extremely light, weighing only some 36 ounces, without the kit bag, which of course is not worn upon the person.

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A Concert on the 28th—Annual Sunday School Meeting of the Mark Street Church.

On Friday evening, Jan. 28, the Ashburnham Public School will have a concert in the new town hall. An enjoyable evening is promised, and a good programme is being prepared by the pupils, assisted by some outside talent. Pupils will be admitted free, and all others charged a small admission fee. The proceeds will be used in buying pictures and in otherwise improving the appearance of the school-rooms. Everyone is invited to attend.

The annual Sunday school meeting of the Mark street church will be held on Thursday evening, for the election of officers, etc., for 1898, and to hear the reports of 1897. All are welcome to attend.

The Mark street choir are meeting with great success in preparing the programme for their concert in the new town hall on Friday evening, Jan. 21. Several talented musicians will assist.

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LUMBERING OPERATIONS.

The Rathbun Company's Operations near Minden.

The Rathbun Company are starting two shanties for cutting pine saw logs in the township of Stanhope, north of Minden. The logs will be driven through Peterborough to Deseronto during the coming summer. The work will be under the supervision of Mr. Thos. Callaghan of Campbellford. Besides this lot about two hundred jobbers will get out logs this winter which will pass this way.

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PAPER BY REV. H. SYMONDS.

On "How to Encourage Theological Study Among the Clergy."

The theological graduates of Trinity University are now meeting in annual convention in Toronto, and in a report of the meeting the Globe makes the following reference to a paper read by Rev. H. Symonds:

Rev. H. Symonds, Peterborough, then read a paper on the subject, "How to Encourage Theological Study Among the Clergy." He spoke in earnest terms of the need for theological study, noting that all great leaders in religion have been students, and in earnest words pointed out that the needs of the day are such as to demand that the clergy must be familiar with the problems which their parishioners are grappling with; they must have faced and investigated these matters for themselves, or else they would have no influence. Again, study was necessary to true religious life. Passing on, Mr. Symonds stated that the position of the Church of England in relation to theological study was unsatisfactory. It was going behind. The Presbyterians were far ahead of them in this matter in Canada; and even in the old country, including Scotland, and taking into consideration the numerical proportions, he was not sure but that they were overhauling the Church of England. The Methodists, in spite of great difficulties, were making rapid progress. He hoped that this meeting would mark the beginning of better times.

After referring to the need which exists for encouraging the study of theology, Mr. Symonds went on to speak of the means where such encouragement could be afforded. They should improve the church press. At present it could scarcely be said to be of any use in encouraging or directing reading among the clergy, and its treatment of such a subject as the higher criticism was simply ridiculous. Of course the church press was not meant for the reading clergy, but he thought there should be enough of these and of the reading laity to make it worth the while of the church press to devote, say, one-tenth of its space to the treatment of these subjects. Or could they not imitate the Methodists and Presbyterians, and get out a monthly or quarterly journal devoted to the discussion of these subjects, or else get some journal to get out a quarterly supplement of book reviews or original articles upon these subjects? The summer school of theology was also a means, and Mr. Symonds told of the projected school of this sort at Lakefield. Finally, he suggested that the committee in charge of the programme for the meetings should draw up lists of subjects for discussion, if possible, a year before the meeting, and that they should append to each subject, or to each part of a subject, a list of two or three books as authorities on that subject; these programmes not to be confined to Trinity alumni.

—Fruits, fish and oysters—"Spot Cash."

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

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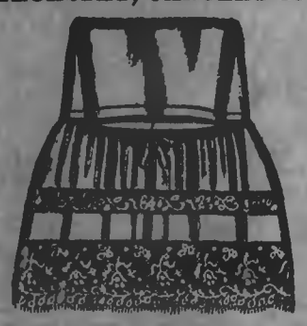
THURSDAY, JANUARY 13th



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END OF THE SESSION.

To-day Will Conclude Legislature's Business.

THE PIGGERY ENQUIRY CLOSED

Asylum and Reformatory Rearrangement—Outline of the Changes—Increased Accommodation With Small Expenditure—The Manhood Suffrage Registration Act—The London Normal.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—It was intimated by the Premier before the House rose that the business of the session would perhaps be disposed of this afternoon and that prorogation would take place on Saturday if the bills are printed; if not, on Monday. Replying to a suggestive inquiry by Mr. Whitney, Mr. Hardy said that dissolution would come in good time.

These bills were read a third and final time:

Respecting bylaw 205 of the town of Rat Portage.

Respecting jails.

To amend the Act respecting the Association of Ontario Land Surveyors.

Respecting the Cataract Power Co. of Hamilton.

Respecting the estate of the late Richard Stubbs.

To further facilitate the purchase of toll roads by municipalities.

Respecting the investment of court funds.

Respecting the Synod of the Diocese of Niagara.

To incorporate the Presbyterian Ladies' College, Ottawa.

Respecting the railway debenture debt of the Township of Amabel.

To incorporate the Smith's Falls, Rideau & Southern Railway Co.

To provide for the garnishment of salaries of civil servants.

Asylums and Other Institutions.

In concurrence on the supplementary estimates the Provincial Secretary brought down the following estimates:

Site for Boys' Reformatory in County of Oxford, present Reformatory to be used as an asylum for the chronic and harmless insane, $7,500.

On account of purchase of Victoria College, $5,000.

Re-arranging and fitting part of buildings, $5,000.

In explanation of these items Hon. Mr. Davis said that it had been found impossible to get land at Penetanguishene on which to teach the boys farming. It had been decided, therefore, to remove the boys to an institution to be established near Woodstock. It was proposed to make other changes. The old Victoria College building at Cobourg was to be fitted up and used for one of two objects—either to accommodate the young girls who should be separated from the hardened criminals at the Mercer, or to receive the overflow from the Orillia Asylum, for entrance to which there to-day existed 161 applications that could not be recognized for want of room.

To fill the Mercer, negotiations were being carried on with the Dominion Government for the removal of certain classes of female prisoners from the Kingston Penitentiary to the Toronto institution.

In case this were carried out the younger and less wicked inmates of the Mercer would be taken to the Orillia Asylum, the residents at the latter institution being removed to Cobourg.

Lastly, the harmless insane from the several asylums were to be taken to the old Penetanguishene building and there maintained. The details of the whole scheme had yet to be fixed upon, but the Government hoped to manage without erecting any new expensive buildings in the province.

The item was then passed.

Normal School at London.

The item of $25,000 for a new Normal School at London was also passed.

The House then passed the items of $28,000 for public works, $15,050 for colonization roads, fire ranging, mining roads, etc., as charges on Crown Lands, $12,700.

San Jose Scale.

The item of $7,500 for the expenses of dealing with the San Jose scale was passed.

To Correct Mistakes.

While the House was in committee on the bill extending the provisions of the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act to towns the Premier moved the addition of a clause applying them to three townships, because of extraordinary circumstances existing in these districts. In South Algoma Township Judge Deacon of Renfrew had illegally removed from the list the names of 52 persons entitled to the franchise, which had been irregularly put on by the Court of Revision. The Court of Appeals subsequently held the Judge's law to be bad. In the Townships of Hagarty and Sherwood the responsible officer failed before the revision to post up the voters' lists in the post-offices, and the result was that many names were inadvertently left off the lists. To correct these mistakes of law and fact the Premier proposed that the voters should be allowed to register. Mr. Whitney strenuously opposed the proposition on the ground that it was contrary to sound principle and precedent, but especially because, he said, 51 out of the 52 voters in South Algoma were supporters of the Government. Mr. Hardy mentioned the fact as it had been communicated to him, that seven names had been left on the list by the Judge who were in the same position as the 52. The explanation suggested was that the seven were Conservatives, but the Premier was not willing to believe that this was the real explanation.

The House went into Committee of the Whole and reported the railway subsidies referred to in those columns, amounting in all to $520,000.

It being 6 o'clock the Speaker left the chair.

After Dinner.

Those bills were read a third time:

To confirm bylaw 479 of the town of Ingersoll.

Respecting the town of Trenton.

$35,000 for the Bridge.

The House in committee concurred in the following Government resolution: "That there shall be granted out of the consolidated revenue fund the sum of $35,000 towards the construction of an International railway bridge across the River St. Lawrence at or near Cornwall, on the line of the Ottawa and New York Railway; provided that aid be granted also by the Government of Canada. And the said grant shall be subject to any conditions that the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may appoint or approve, and shall be paid on completion of the bridge."

Questions by Members.

Under the head of questions by members, Hon. Mr. Harcourt told Mr. Magwood that in the year ending Sept. 1, 1897, the liquor license fines in North Perth amounted to $150, in South Perth to $75, and in North Ontario to $48.

Hon. Mr. Gibson told Mr. St. John that 95 companies have registered under the Loan Companies Act; that the fees received were $10,383. The total expense incurred by the department was $1,146. The surplus was applied to the casual revenue. No companies had failed to register.

Niagara Falls Power.

Mr. German asked: Has the Government or the Commissioners of the Victoria Niagara Falls Park undertaken any survey of the several rapids below the Suspension Bridge on the Niagara River, with a view to ascertaining what hydraulic power exists there which can be utilized for the purpose of generating electricity, and, if so, what has been done?

The Attorney-General, in reply, stated that surveys had been undertaken of two rapids below the falls, under the direction of the Park Commissioner, and the experts' opinions were that several locations could be sold to develop electricity. The Government had ordered an inspection of the river by electrical engineers and hydraulic experts to see what electrical power was available there.

Temiscamingue Dredging.

Hon. Mr. Gibson told Dr. Meacham the Government had come to no decision regarding a grant for the dredging at the mouth of the river in the Temiscamingue district.

Mr. Whitney asked: Has Byron Lott, Reform candidate for North Hastings, been appointed superintendent of colonization roads in that riding, or has he been given any control of or duty to perform in connection with moneys granted for colonization roads?

Hon. Mr. Gibson replied with two negatives.

The House adjourned at 9 p.m.

Piggery Investigation Closed.

At the Public Accounts Committee yesterday morning the piggery investigation was closed for the session, and the committee agreed to meet this morning to draw up its report.

Suffocated in an Oil Tank.

Florence, Ont., Jan. 14.—Last evening about 6 o'clock Mr. Henry S. Mawlam of Dawn Oil Field, was found dead in one of his own oil tanks. The recent rains have caused the oil tanks to float, and it seems Mr. Mawlam got an augur and proceeded to bore a hole in the bottom of the tank. He was found shortly after by one of his men, asphyxiated and beyond all medical aid. Deceased was born about 40 years ago on the farm where he had lived. Only recently his land was found to be very rich in crude oil, and operations were only just begun. A widow, two sons and three daughters survive him.

Ottawa River Sawdust.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 14.—The exemption from the law forbidding the deposit of mill refuse in the Ottawa river expires on the 1st of May. After that date the Chaudiere mills will have to make some other disposition of their sawdust.

A Singer's Cold.

A striking example of Charles Dickens' chivalrous regard for an absent friend is recalled by Dean Farrar. Mr. Sims Reeves had been announced to sing at a small public dinner at which Dickens presided, and, as happened not infrequently, Mr. Sims Reeves had something the matter with his throat and was unable to attend. Dickens announced this, and the announcement was received with a general laugh of incredulity. This made Dickens very angry, and he rose manfully to the defense of the delinquent. "My friend, Mr. Sims Reeves," he said quietly, "regrets his inability to fulfill his engagement owing," he added, with caustic severity, "to an unfortunately amusing and highly facetious cold."—Bookman.

EASTERN DAIRYMEN.

Mr. John Gould's Address on the Dairy Cow.

ELECTION OF THE OFFICERS.

Mr. D. Derbyshire Re-Elected President—Reports of the Instructors and Inspectors—Selection of a Dairy Herd—Prof. Saunders on Fodder Crops—Other Addresses—Successful Convention Closed.

Lindsay, Jan. 14.—The attendance at the opening session of the third day of the convention was large, and the extraordinary interest which had all along been manifested appeared to be unabated. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, D. Derbyshire, Brockville; Vice-Presidents—E. J. Madden, Newburg; John McIlwain, Vancamp; Alpin Campbell, Ormond. Directors—Division No. 1, Wm. Eager, Morrisburg; Division No. 2, E. Kidd, North Gower; Division No. 3, J. R. Dargavel, Elgin; Division No. 4, James Whitton, Wellman's Corners; Division No. 5, T. B. Caslow, Warkworth; Division No. 6, Henry Wade, Toronto. Auditors—Morden Bird, Stirling; F. Brenton, Belleville.

Reports of Instructors.

The reports of the seven instructors and inspectors were then read. These reports brought out the unpleasant fact that a good deal of watering and skimming of milk was yet practised in connection with cheese-making, but convictions were easy to procure, and heavy fines had been imposed on most of the transgressors. The seven inspectors were one in recommending the use of the Babcock tester, and paying for milk in proportion of butter fat as well as by weight.

Mr. Joseph Gould of Uxbridge gave an account of his brief but very successful career as a dairyman, and exhibited a model of his circular silo, which he explained fully to many questioners. He also showed how, by selection and feeding, he had brought the average yield of butter of each cow of his herd up to 301 pounds of butter. One animal gave him 413 pounds of butter in one year.

Selection of a Dairy Herd.

Mr. John Gould of Aurora, Ohio, who has captured the heads and hearts of the dairymen of Ontario by his wisdom, wit and practical suggestions, then came forward, and for nearly an hour talked upon the selection and treatment of the dairy cow. The cow increased our herds, gave us a necessary and wholesome food, enriched our soil by sending back to the land 85 per cent. of her feed, and, dying at last from the knife, gave the family beef, for almost a year. Every farmer should study "cowology"—the science of the bovine motherhood. The average cow was like the average man—not of much account. She produced only about 3,000 pounds of milk per year, while his namesake of Uxbridge had cows giving 7,000 to 8,000 pounds of milk. Men know that a draught horse was not good for racing; the Canadian boy did not go hunting birds with a brindle dog; but the Canadian farmer often tried to get a milk-producer in a cow that had all the cow possibilities shaken up and put under one hide. Mr. Gould made a strong impression on his audience as he counseled them to realize the motherhood of a cow and to respect it. The good dairyman was one who felt that he had been adopted as a calf by his cows. Real affection should be bestowed on the dairy cow. The poor milker should be got rid of. Careful selection of calves and cows would soon lift the average yield of milk per animal by fully 2,000 pounds per annum, and there would be a good market for it all. The great competitor of the Canadian dairyman was not his own township neighbor, but the man at the other side of the globe.

Fodder Crops.

Prof. Saunders of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, gave a long and instructive address in the afternoon on fodder plants. He spoke of oat straw as being the most nutritions of the cereals, while for green feeding a mixture of oats and peas was very desirable. He said that Brome grass was taking the place of timothy and clover in the Northwest, where three tons an acre could be raised. Indian corn was one of the best plants for the dairyman to grow. He gave much interesting information as to varieties and habits. He also strongly recommended the Soja bean. As to the millets, he could hardly recommend them compared with cheaper and better fodders already named. The professor warned his hearers against trying to grow saccaline, which was a harsh, stringy substance and not at all like what the seedmen's catalogues led one to believe. Many questions were asked the speaker.

After brief addresses from others the convention adjourned.

This gathering has been one of the best dairy conventions ever held in Canada, both in point of attendance and quality of the addresses delivered.

Killed by a Falling Tree.

Carp, Ont., Jan. 14.—Yesterday James Hamilton of Fitz Roy while felling a tree in the woods on his farm was accidentally caught by a limb of a falling tree. Dr. G. H. Groves of Carp was sent for, but found on arrival that the unfortunate man had been killed instantly.

Durrant's Body Cremated.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14.—The body of murderer W. H. T. Durrant was cremated at the Crematory of Reynolds & Van Nuys at Altadena yesterday. The ashes were removed from the furnace and delivered to the parents.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

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Had Tried So Many

so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. E. GREY, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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THE PASSING OF THE PIGGERY.

The piggery issue on which the Opposition sought to rest the fate of the country, has passed away. Mr. St. John after bothering the Public Accounts Committee for days with evidence intended to support the charge that the government had sold diseased animals from the Humber piggery, when he found that he could not prove such a charge, coolly states that he was not trying to show that the government had sold diseased pigs. But he still aims to show that there was something wrong in connection with the piggery. A little history of the Humber piggery may not be amiss for though it has been shown that the Government was not to blame, yet for that very reason the Mail and Empire, judged by the past, will insist on repeating the "yarn" exploded slander with countless variations.

With the considerations for economy that have always marked every branch of administration, the Ontario Government maintains piggeries in connection with the public institutions to dispose of the refuse and turn it to profitable account. The city authorities of Toronto decreed that the piggeries in connection with public institutions in Toronto should not be maintained within the city limits. Therefore the Ontario Government, having to close the piggeries in the city, established the Humber piggery. Shortly after its establishment cholera broke out amongst the stock. This was reported to Dr. Smith, the Dominion Government Inspector who, in discharge of his duty, took possession of the piggery, and ordered the destruction of the hogs that were diseased and the slaughter and sale of all animals that were sound. In connection with the latter transaction Mr. St. John brought his charge, now abandoned and exploded, that the Government sold diseased meat. Another charge was that of extravagance in regard to the buildings, the assertion being made that the piggery had cost $35,000. What are the facts! After the outbreak of cholera the greater part of the building, to insure the complete stamping out of the disease, had to be taken down and burned; and receiving permission from the Dominion Government, the Provincial Government rebuilt the pens, the piggery was restocked and is again in good running order, and the whole costs of the original building and the taking down and rebuilding was only $7,500; and it must be remembered that this piggery yields a profit of something like $6,000 a year to the Government.

The whole thing would be ridiculous if it had not the serious aspect of deceiving the people. When the Opposition resort to such contemptibly petty tactics to discredit the Government, whose record is otherwise invulnerable, it is a flagrant confession of a hopelessly weak cause. The charge of extravagance in connection with the piggery is absolutely disproved by the facts, as is the charge of selling diseased meat. Whatever action was taken in respect to the disposal of the herd at the piggery when the cholera broke out, was taken by the Dominion authorities, in whose hands the local Government, according to the requirements of the law, gave the matter, so that on neither charge is the Ontario Government to blame. It is unpleasant to be compelled to discuss such matters, but when the Opposition wish to create wrong impressions, they must be corrected.

THE OPPOSITION'S FATAL MISTAKE.

The Toronto Star, Independent, says:—Unfortunately in the past it has been the custom of Oppositions in Canadian Parliaments to oppose every act and policy of the Government, and for the Government to systematically vote down every proposal of the Opposition. In that position the Opposition in the Legislature placed itself last night, when it declared, for purely partisan stupid reasons against the timber bill.

The Government's timber policy has satisfied nearly every person in the province, yet Mr. Whitney fights it as if the very foundation stones of the province were threatened. The Governments position on the lumber question cannot be assailed. The question of difference hinges on the date of the application of the manufacturer clause. The Conservatives say it should go into force now; the Government says May.

Although it may be admitted that the Michigan lumbermen have done nothing to call for the slightest preference, yet this province, with its vast amount of forests to be sold, cannot for financial reasons afford to play fast and loose with the contracts which have been made. True, the licenses are open to changes of conditions, and the license holders may expect to be subject to slight changes, but certainly to none so sweeping as the policy outlined in the new bill, without warning. The conditions may be changed, and have been changed, before the license was completed, but never so radically as in this case. Even this year the conditions have been rearranged, and the lumbermen have been forced to employ Canadians only and purchase supplies in Canada. This regulation did not affect seriously the channels of trade, but the proposition of the Conservatives would destroy the good name of the province. Better sacrifice a billion feet of lumber than disgrace the name of the province in this way.

Mr. Whitney has placed himself and his party in the unenviable position of desiring to violate provincial contracts.

In commending the policy of the Dominion Government in respect of protecting the Crown lands in the Yukon from speculative grabbing, for the benefit of the people as a whole, the Montreal Witness says:

> "Ontario, the only Province of the Dominion which is free from debt, has been enabled to be so in consequence of the wise and honest administration of the Crown lands in the interests of the people of the Province as a whole. Why should not the Dominion Government inaugurate the same wise policy!"

EAST PETERBOROUGH.

No Conservative Candidate yet Decided Upon.

So far as can be learned Dr. J. M. Shaw, who was nominated at the late Conservative convention, in Norwood, has neither accepted or declined the candidature for East Peterborough at the coming Provincial elections. It is rumoured that he will not be a candidate.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF AGONY.

Suffering Ended in a Few Weeks by the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; may remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

This story, with variations as to the disease, is told by hundreds in Petrolea. Dodd's Kidney Pills have not been known to fail one yet. Every case has been a cure.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Sparks From the Wheels—Cinders for the Eye.

The G.T.R. passenger audit office is to be removed from Detroit to Montreal on Feb. 1st.

Local freight traffic is picking up somewhat.

The G.T.R. statement for 1897 shows gross receipts of $23,816,060, an increase of $768,500 over 1896.

According to Mr. Callaway, of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Road, the passenger traffic of American railways has fallen off because business men use the long distance telephones to talk with their customers instead of taking a railroad trip for the purpose.

Weak Nerves.

Nerve weakness accompanies heart trouble—both are curable by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, the successful invigorator. Those who use them praise them. Here is one. "My nerves were completely unstrung," says Mrs. H. Church, Caledonia, Ont.; "and palpitation, loss of memory and shortness of breath troubled me greatly. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills were beneficial from the first, and removed these troubles in a remarkably short time. They made me feel better in every way."

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Before and After.

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SILVER LAKE ASSAULT CASE.

The Investigation Continued on Saturday Last.

At Fenelon Falls Saturday, County Magistrate Deacon again took up the tangled thread of the Silver Lake assault case. It may not be amiss to give a short resume of the affair. Booth and Wilson lived in Somerville, about 10 or 12 miles north of Bobcaygeon, and in the same section, Mr. Sam White, formerly of Lindsay, had some furniture stored in a house formerly occupied by him when working a quarry in that neighbourhood. Wilson claims that Booth came to him and offered him $1 for the use of his team to carry home some of the furniture which he claimed to have purchased. The offer was accepted and the goods were removed. Next morning Mrs. Wilson found her husband in the furniture-laden sleigh at the door in an insensible condition, and showing evidences of having received a very severe beating. Constable Mavison, of Fenelon Falls, made a trip to the settlement, the result being that Booth and Wilson were arrested on a charge of house-breaking and robbery, the latter having to answer to the additional charge of of receiving stolen goods. Saturday in the case against Booth Magistrate Deacon heard ten witnesses in all and at the request of the defendant and with the consent of Crown Attorney Devlin, the case was adjourned till Tuesday, 11th, at Lindsay, to hear the evidence of a tramp named Woodward, now in gaol in Lindsay. Wilson was granted permission to withdraw his request for a summary trial and his case will be heard at the next court of competent jurisdiction.

Where Specialists Failed Dr. Chase Cured Catarrh.

James Spence, Uxbridge, Ont., writes:—"I had been a sufferer from Catarrh for 15 years. It became chronic and I had given up hopes of ever being cured when advised by a friend to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I at once started and am pleased to state three boxes effected a complete cure, and I heartily recommend it to anyone suffering from Catarrh."

Important to Newspaper Men.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Chairman Hicks of the House Committee on Patents, has introduced three bills, proposing important changes as to patents and copyrights. One of these is of special interest to newspaper publishers, and was introduced after a conference between Mr. Hicks and the American Newspaper Publishers' Association. It amends the copyright laws so that the line production in a daily newspaper of photographs, other than those relating to fine arts, shall not be a violation of the laws.

Vandals Desecrate a Cemetery.

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 13.—Vandals overturned and broke nearly 100 tombstones in Riverview Cemetery, Williamsport, last night, the damage amounting to about $3,000. The monument erected to General Otho Holland Williams, of revolutionary fame, the founder of the town was one of the few unharmed.

A MOTHER SPEAKS.

Tells how Dr. Chase Saved her Boy.

His Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine a Precious Boon.

MRS. A. T. STEWART, Folgar, Ont., says: "From the 7th of January to the 30th, we were up night and day with our two little boys, employing doctors and trying every kind of patent medicine we ever heard of. At this time we did not know of Dr. Chase's Linseed and Turpentine until after the 30th, when our youngest darling died in spite of all we could do. Sometime in February the doctor told us our other boy couldn't live till spring. We were about discouraged, when I got my eye on an advertisement of Dr. Chase's Syrup.

"I tried at once to get some, but none of the dealers here had it. A neighbor who was in Kingston managed to purchase two bottles which he brought straight to us, and I believe it was the means of saving our only boy.

"One teaspoonful of the Syrup stopped the cough so he could sleep till morning. Our boy is perfectly well now, and I would not be without Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine in the house."

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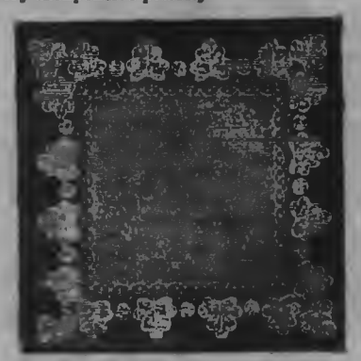
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 18c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Han Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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THE YORK ELECTION.

Lord Charles Beresford's Narrow Majority.

MARQUIS ITO'S NEW CABINET

British Shipyards Crowded With Vessels—Bad Effect of the Engineering Strike—The English Not Fools in Business—Canada Warned to Beware of Uncle Sam's Pretended Softness.

London, Jan. 14.—A Parliamentary bye-election was held in York City yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Liberal member, Sir Frank Lockwood, who had represented the constituency since 1885. It resulted in the election of Lord Charles Beresford, the Conservative and Liberal-Unionist candidate, by a majority of 11 votes over his Liberal and Radical opponent, Sir Christopher Furness. The voting was as follows:

Lord Charles Beresford, Unionist, 5,659; Sir Christopher Furness, Liberal and Radical, 5,648; Unionist majority 11.

Lord Charles Beresford's victory marks the first gain of a seat by the Government since the last general election. There was much excitement during the whole afternoon, and it culminated in a remarkable scene. A tremendous crowd awaited the result from 7 o'clock in the evening outside the Mansion House until the result of the poll was known.

Lord Charles Beresford remarked: "It has been a douced hard fight, and both sides were equally confident of victory."

At 11 o'clock great cheers greeted the rumor that Lord Charles had been elected by a small majority, but a recount was necessary. The final result was not known until midnight, when a scene of wild excitement ensued.

JAPAN'S NEW CABINET.

Marquis Ito Forms a Cabinet Which is Independent of Parties.

London, Jan. 14.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai says that a new Japanese Cabinet has been completed, with the following distribution of portfolios:

Premier, the Marquis Ito; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Baron Nisi; Minister of the Interior, Viscount Koshikawa; Minister of War, Viscount Katsura; Minister of Marine, Marquis Saigo Tsugumichi; Minister of Finance, Count Inouye; Minister of Communications, Baron Suyematsu; Minister of Education, Marquis Saionyi; Minister of Justice, M. Sono.

A despatch to the Times from Kobe says: "The endeavor to form an Ito-Okuma coalition Ministry failed. Marquis Ito, after great difficulty and personal intervention of the Mikado, has constructed a Ministry independent of political parties, for which a brief career is predicted.

"The military party thoroughly approves Japan's asserting herself in the present crisis, and the activity of the dockyards is unabated. The press is constantly discussing the Anglo-Japanese alliance."

PRINCE WAS CRAZY.

The Murderer of Actor Terris Declared to be a Criminal Lunatic.

London, Jan. 14.—The trial of Richard Arthur Prince, the super who stabbed and killed William Terriss, the well-known actor, began yesterday at the Old Bailey. Justice Channel presided, and the audience included many theatrical people, though none of the "stars" were present. At the witness table sat "Tom" Terriss, son of the deceased. He was nervous and pale.

Prince, boldly standing high up in the dock, surveying everything with a calm gaze, was apparently undisturbed. Refusing a seat, he continued standing, apparently the least concerned person in court. Answering the usual question of the clerk, Prince declared he was "guilty with great provocation." Later, after consultation with counsel, he pleaded "not guilty."

The prosecution then opened the case. When the murder was discussed Prince frequently smiled, and wrote a number of notes to his counsel, apparently to correct absolutely unimportant details. The testimony presented was the same as taken at Bow Street Police Court when the prisoner was arraigned.

"Tom" Terriss was the first witness.

The defence alleged that Prince suffered in his youth from a sunstroke and that he recently had delusions.

The mother and brother of the prisoner testified regarding the sunstroke, and it developed that Prince claimed he was Christ, and that his mother was the Virgin Mary.

The judge summed up, favoring Prince's insanity, and the jury was out half an hour. The prisoner was pale and careworn as he faced the jurymen.

The judgment of the court was that Prince be detained as a criminal lunatic during Her Majesty's pleasure.

Suspicious of Uncle Sam.

London, Jan. 14.—(Telegram Cable.)—The Morning Post editorially comments on assertions made by Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia in the Dominion Government, concerning the friendship of the people of the New England States for Canada. The Post declares its inability to share Dr. Borden's cheerful optimism that the New England States are absolutely opposed to any act on the part of the Republic which would make trouble for Canada. Further, the editorial says the Canadian militia should not allow itself to be lulled into false security, but should keep in mind the fact that fighting may be necessary.

Congo State Troops Defeated.

Brussels, Jan. 14.—A letter has been received here from Uvira, on Lake Tanganyika, dated Nov. 18 last, which reports that the insurgents have attacked and defeated a detachment of the Congo State troops north of the lake, killing their commander. Baron Dhanis personally undertook punitive operations from Lakandu in the Manyema district.

Another Big Thread Combine.

Belfast, Jan. 14.—The Telegraph announces that a combination of thread manufacturers has been effected, including such firms as Barbour & Sons of Belfast and the United States, Marshall & Company of Paisley and New York and Finlayson & Company of Paisley. The capital of the new combination is equal to that of the Coates combination.

Andree's Balloon in Canada.

Stockholm, Jan. 14.—Professor Nordenskjold, the Arctic explorer, has informed the Swedish Academy of Science that the Foreign Office has received intelligence that several persons worthy of credence saw Professor Andree's balloon early in August in British Columbia, seven miles north of Quesnelle Lake, in the district of Cariboo. The Professor regards the news as being of sufficient importance to call for closer investigation. The Andree balloon left Danes' Island, of the Spitsbergen group, July 11, 1897.

Turbulent for Some Time Past.

Calcutta, Jan. 14.—It appears there has been great turbulence at Mekran, the largest province of Baluchistan, for some time past. It was to that place that the detachment of 150 men of the Bombay infantry were despatched hurriedly on Jan. 8 last. The previous garrison of Mekran had been withdrawn long ago.

Movements of British Warships.

Hong Kong, Jan. 14.—The British torpedo boat destroyers Hart and Handy, convoyed by the despatch vessel Alacrity, have been ordered northward. The homeward orders of the British first-class cruiser Edgar have been countermanded.

Serious Tax Riot in India.

Bombay, Jan. 14.—There has been a tax riot at Bomiavix, near Nariad, in the Gujarat district. A collector has been seriously injured and five Sepoys have been killed. Three hundred Sepoy troops have been sent to the scene of the disturbance from Ahmedabad.

The Most Prominent are Fashionable.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion has become a fashionable disease. There are very few individuals who have not at various time experienced the miserable feeling caused by defective digestion. No pen can describe the keen suffering of the body, and the agony and anguish of mind endured by the Dyspeptic. Dr. La Londe, of 236 Pine Ave., Montreal, says, "When I ever run across chronic cases of Dyspepsia I always prescribe Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and my patients generally have quick relief."

HANNA SAFE FOR SEVEN YEARS.

Joint Balloting Gave Him a Majority of Three Votes.

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 13. — Both branches of the Ohio Legislature met in joint session yesterday and balloted for United States Senator. Mr. Mark Hanna received a majority of three votes over Mayor McKisson of Cleveland, and was formally declared Senator for Ohio for both the short and long terms. Mr. Hanna's seat in the Senate is thus secure until March 4, 1905.

Zanoli Goes Free.

New York, Jan. 13.—The charge of murder against Charles Zanoli, the barber, accused of poisoning his fourth wife, was yesterday dismissed. Prof. Witthaus stated in the Police Court that he could not swear positively that the death of Jennie Suhmer, the wife in question, had been caused by poison.

Yellow Skin and Eyes.

Biliousness causes yellow skin and eyes, tired, weary, sluggish feeling, etc. Burdock Blood Bitters cleanses the blood and regulates the liver, curing all its diseases: "From a child I suffered from biliousness and headache, and all the money I spent for medicine brought me no relief. Four bottles of B. B. B. cured me completely, however, and I gladly recommend it."

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A DENVER DIVIDE.

The Department Stores Want Newspapers to Cut Prices for Advertising and They Refuse to Do So.

Denver, Col., Jan. 14.—An extraordinary contest has started in this city with all the daily papers on one side and 14 of the largest dry goods and clothing department stores on the other. No advertisements of any kind of these firms appeared in yesterday's papers, and formal notice has been given that none will appear until the papers accede to the demands of the merchants.

Last week the business managers of the dailies were informed that the department store combination had arbitrarily decided that advertising rates must be reduced about 20 per cent. The firms declined to enter into the discussion of the justice of the demand, simply stating that they had given their ultimatum. They control about 50 per cent. of the city advertising, and believed the papers must submit to their dictation, notwithstanding that advertising rates in Denver are lower than in any other city of the same size in the country.

The newspapers replied that concessions to the autocratic order were not only impossible for business reasons, but would destroy the independence of the press. The first result of the contest is the passage of a resolution by the Trades Assembly calling on the City Council to impose a heavy license on department stores, and warning all members of the labor unions against them.

The smaller merchants are taking advantage of the opportunity to increase their advertising, and are exceedingly glad of the chance to cut into the business of their larger rivals.

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Peterborough, 10th March, 1896.

Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

Gentlemen,—I thought I would drop you a note and let you know that the way Mr. McInnes, Inspector of the London Mutual, settled my loss was very satisfactory, and if I can send you any one to insure I will do so.

Yours truly, (Signed) PATRICK MURPHY.

Peterborough, 22nd Oct., 1896.

Messrs. Cox & Davis, Peterborough:

Dear Sirs,—I am deeply indebted to you and your Company for the quick and good settlement of my loss on household furniture, etc., which happened night before last, and for the payment of same by cheque this day.

Yours truly, (Signed) MRS. ANNIE MARSHALL.

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Liquor Act Notice.

INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough, with the bona fide name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO. COCHRANE,
Late as Inspector, West Peterborough

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpelzhaimer, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

This Evening's Lecture.

The Rev. Provost Welch, of Trinity University, is to lecture this evening on "Modern Revivals in the Church of England." The lecture will begin at 8 p.m. in St. John's school house. A small admission fee will be accepted at the door to cover the expenses.

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing sale.

All Saints' Sunday School.

In the report yesterday of the prizes awarded to the pupils of All Saints' Sunday school mention was omitted of two special presentations, one was a holiday remembrance presented to Miss Chamberlain by her class of girls and the other was a special gift to Miss Electa Strong, in recognition of her interesting contributions to the programme of the evening. The prize presented to Miss Rose Mulholland, of the infant class, was an elaborately dressed doll given by Mrs. D. J. Landy.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 339 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices:

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There is a wonderful contrast between the general worth of the goods we sell and the exceedingly low prices we sell them at. Every purchase at the Peterborough Bookstore is in favour of the customer, because the discounts are from 10 to 75 per cent. These discounts will continue all month. The greatest reductions are in cloth bound books, and afford an unusual chance for Sunday schools and libraries to renew their selections. Also, in purses, pocket books, diaries, albums, fancy novelties, dolls, games, etc. A. H. STRATTON & Co.

OAK HALL GIFT PRICES.

The Oak Hall acorn drops into Gough Bros'. mill, who have bought the $16,430 stock of Senator Sandford at 62½ cents on the Dollar—and that dollar, the manufacturer's cost. You can fancy what sweeping prices Gough Bros., the Princes of Low Prices, will put on the Goods. First Class Goods. Unheard of Low Prices. Sale begins Wednesday at the Oak Hall store, corner George and Hunter streets. Follow the mile posts to Oak Hall for the biggest bargains of the century.

THE TOWN'S HEALTH WAS NEVER BETTER.

OUR SANITARY CONDITION DESERVING OF COMPLIMENT.

The Death Rate Has Never Been as Low Since the Town was Incorporated as it was During the Past Year.

The last meeting of the Board of Health of 1897 was held yesterday afternoon, with the chairman, Mr. Benj Shortly, presiding, and the following members in attendance: Messrs. Henry Dennis, Robt. Innes and Dr. Burnham.

After the reading and confirming of the minutes of the last meeting, Dr. Clark, Medical Health Officer, read his annual report as follows:

To the Chairman and Members of the Peterborough Board of Health:

GENTLEMEN,—In presenting my report as Medical Health Officer for the year 1897, I would congratulate you on the very low bill of mortality, on the absence of serious epidemic, on the comparatively few cases of infectious disease and the small number of old complaints regarding nuisances which have been made. The work of past years is beginning to show itself. There is a much better sanitary tone in the air. On the institution of a Board of Health years ago its efforts were at first ridiculed and even opposed, but they have now come to be accepted by public opinion. Sanitary work is insidious. It is said that a boy in the slums of New York who got his face washed was the cause of a change for the better in the houses and inhabitants of the whole street on which he lived. The advance of the community depends upon the advance made by each individual citizen, and I am glad to say that during 1897 the sanitary advance in Peterborough has been not only individual but municipal.

DEATH RATE.

This is the lowest in the recorded history of the town. At the time sanitary operations began the rate was 19 per thousand. This was in 1884. In 1890 it had become gradually reduced to 13.28, a very low per centage. During the years since then it rose slightly, but in the last year it has touched the extraordinarily low rate of 11.3. This can hardly be maintained in succeeding years and is the strongest possible indication of the benefits of sanitary measure. The good done is not immediate, that is to say: a general cleaning up will not allay an epedimic of diphtheria or typhoid which happens to be raging, but persistent work carried on through a succession of years is sure to have the effect of lowering the death rate, of lessening infectious disease, moderating ordinary disease and increasing the physical and mental vitality of the citizens.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

During 1897 there were 33 cases of diphtheria reported and three deaths occurred; 19 cases of scarlet fever with no fatal result, and 13 mild cases of typhoid with only one death. A large number of cases, in fact an epidemic, of measles has been going on for some months past. It is impossible to state the number of cases, as in the large majority a medical man is not employed, and heads of families do not report, as it is not considered necessary. This, however, is a mistake. Householders as well as medical men are required to report cases of infectious disease. I have had a great deal of trouble regarding children attending school when measles are in the family. Both health law and school law require that no child from an infected house can attend school during and for some time after measles occurring in the family. This is considered a great hardship by parents, especially where the case is mild, and occurs on the eve of a school examination for promotion. It should be remembered that a mild disease in one may produce a severe form in another, and that measles is not such a harmless and necessary disease as many suppose, there having been three deaths from that cause during the year. And even this does not convey an adequate idea of its danger, for many long-continued sequelæ are brought on. Regarding whooping cough, of which quite a little occurred, it may seem silly to keep children from school where it appears in a family, but two deaths happened from that cause, and whooping cough often leads to bronchitis and other lung troubles.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

No complaints have been heard during the year regarding packing houses, and arrangements for disposal of refuse and moderating the unpleasant fumes from drying furnaces are evidently effectual, as scarcely a complaint has been heard. We have visited these places from time to time and always found them in good order.

REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND EXCRETA.

This has been carried out very thoroughly, quite a number of men obtaining employment thereby. Earth closets are still being constructed on the outlying parts of the town, but in these places there is not so great an objection to the ordinary privy vault, provided it is cleaned out once a year according to statute, and disinfectants used, especially in hot weather.

WATER, ICE AND MILK.

One hundred and sixty-seven samples of water were sent in for analysis and found of variable degrees of purity. I find a very marked freedom from organic taints as compared with years ago when removal of garbage was not so thoroughly carried out. No complaint has been made regarding the town water, and no evidence of disease discovered from its use. The principal objection is its expense. When there is so good and inexhaustible a water supply it should be placed within the reach of all. I examined a few samples of ice at different times, but found nothing of a deleterious nature. The changed conditions of the Little Lake as respects disposal of sewerage and sawdust make it one of the best sources of ice in the country. Although not an expert in the analysis of milk a few samples have been sent in to me for examination, and the principal fault to be found was a scarcity of cream. No complaint has been made as to disease caused by it. I have driven out to some of the farms and found the cows apparently in good condition and with good surroundings.

HOUSE TO HOUSE INSPECTION.

This has been very thoroughly and systematically carried out by the sanitary inspectors, who include the whole police force. I do not know of any other town in Canada in which this is better done. The report is given below.

VACCINATION.

Extremely little has been done during the year, even in spite of the re-appearance of smallpox in Montreal. The number of unvaccinated children in Peterborough must be legion. The danger is that children grow up, never think of the necessity for it and move out of town to some source of contagion where the disease is contracted. I have known several deaths to occur in other places from this cause. Parents should see that their children are vaccinated as early as possible. The prejudice against introducing possible disease will soon be done away with as Dr. Copeman, the Inspector of the English Local Government Board has discovered a means of sterilizing vaccine lymph by a mixture of glycerine with half lymph. Lord Lister has stated that the Government would likely propose legislation to give the public full benefit of the discovery.

CONSUMPTION.

This is one of the most important diseases to be considered by governments and boards of health in future. The mortality due to it is simply appalling. Dr. Briggs, of the New York Health Department, stated not long ago that one person in seven in the city died from consumption, and that among the working people the proportion was one in four. Twenty deaths occurred in Peterborough in 1897 from this cause, which would give a proportion of about one in six, and besides this does not include deaths described as general debility, chronic bronchitis, &c., which in most cases simply mean consumption. This disease is considered by some as a stain on a family and a medical man is frequently asked to use some other term as far as can be done consistently. It is firmly believed by distinguished medical authorities that by isolation and proper treatment consumption can be entirely eradicated as it is unquestionably a powerfully infectious disease. A certain amount of ridicule was cast on an assertion I made in a report some time ago that expectoration, especially by consumptives ought to be prohibited in public places. Now this is what is being done in many of the leading cities of the United States. There is no more potent cause of the spread of consumption than the inhalation of expectorated matter which has been dried, powdered under foot, and blown down people's throats by a passing breeze. It is almost as if a smallpox or scarlet fever patient were allowed to scrape his skin and throw the scales out the window. I do not mean that a consumptive should be locked up in a room like one with diphtheria and avoided by everyone. That would be the worst possible form of treatment and in a very inhumane way of preventing the spread of the disease. But all infectious diseases, like seeds, have their own way of propagating themselves, and in case of consumption it is through the sputa (spittle). A child recovering from scarlet fever is rubbed with disinfecting ointment to prevent the scales on the skin from spreading, and so with consumption. Some means should be adopted to prevent its spread, and if any members of the Board should happen to be visiting cities in which laws regarding it are in force, they would do good by getting information. I think the Government should do more in the matter. The establishment of sanitaria like that at Gravenhurst is very important. Local Boards of Health should consider the subject and make recommendations. Twenty or twenty-five deaths in a year from consumption in Peterborough is too much. If it occurred from any other disease there would be a public outcry.

SEWERAGE.

The town council should be congratulated on pushing the system on as fast as finances will allow. It is a world-old experience that the more perfect and the more extended a system of sewerage is, the better the health of the community. I think the Board should see that proper steps are taken to have connections made as fast as possible.

CONFECTIONERY AND BAKE SHOPS.

The Sanitary Inspectors visited all of these in accordance with a motion of the Board and found everything in good order in most places. The supply of water used was free from contamination.

The chairman and members of the Board have done valuable work throughout the year by advising, recommending and informing as to sanitary matters. The officers of the Board are always glad to hear of anything that requires attention. False rumours are easily started in health matters and should be nailed at once.

For the incoming year I would urge perpetual vigilance. It is at this moment that a warning is needed. After a particularly healthy year efforts are not to be relaxed, but the town will not be healthy long if work ceases.

Hoping we shall have a similar record for 1898,

I am, gentlemen,
Your Obedient Servant,
J. CLARKE, M.D.
Medical Health Officer.

Work done by Sanitary Inspectors during the year 1897:

No. of notices served, 717.
No. of yards examined, 2353.
No. of closets examined, 2026.
No. of yards found in good condition, 1636.
No. of closets found in good condition, 1343.
No. of manure heaps ordered to be removed, 25.
No. of hog pens ordered to be removed, 20.
No. of dead animals buried, 112.
No. of houses placarded, 35.

Signed)
GEO. I. ROSZEL,
Sanitary Inspector.

On motion of Dr. Burnham, seconded by Mr. R. Innis, the report was received, and will be embodied in the Board's report to Provincial Board of Health.

The members congratulated Dr. Clark on the excellence of the report.

The matter of citizens allowing horse manure to accumulate on their premises was brought up and it was explained that only two loads could be allowed to accumulate before removal.

The Medical Health Officer reported that there was only one case of diphtheria existing in the town. This was at present in the Nicholl's Hospital, and convalescent. There was no scarlet fever or typhoid to his knowledge.

The Board then adjourned to meet a week from Monday at 4 p.m., when the new Board will organize.

MARK STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Annual Meeting Was Held Thursday Evening—Reports Received.

The annual meeting of Mark street Sunday school was held on Thursday evening, the pastor, Rev. J. E. Moore, presiding. After devotional exercises the roll was called and the minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The Superintendent's report was then given by Mr. M. W. Matchett, showing the school to be in a flourishing condition, financially as well as otherwise.

The school began the year 18 cents in debt and closed with $9 88 on hand, after paying all expenses, paying for all supplies for 1898 and paying a large deficit on the Sunday school picnic. On the last Sunday in the year a "charity collection" was taken up and $5.13 was collected. A capable committee had been appointed to expend this.

The school had also prospered spiritually, as many members had been brought to Christ during the special meetings.

The average attendance was 95, or omitting the holiday months of July and August, it was 100.

The Christmas entertainment was a success, financially as well as otherwise.

There are 154 on the roll, 11 more than in 1896.

For 1898 papers are to be given out weekly to all. This promises to be profiting and interesting.

After the reading of the secretary's report by the secretary, Mr. W. J. Paterson, and a report of the Charity Committee's work by Mrs. Moore, the election of officers was proceeded with, resulting as follows:

Superintendent—M W Matchett.
Asst Supt—M Carton.
Secretary—W J Paterson.
Treasurer—Miss Wand.
Organist—E F Smith.
Librarian—R Ritchie.
Asst Librarian—Chas. Crowe.
Teachers—Class No. 1, H S Armstrong; 2, A M Smith; 3, E F Smith; 4, Mrs M W Matchett; 5, S Hamilton; No. 6, M Carton; No 7, A Dawson; No 8, S Henderson; No 9, M Hamilton; No 10, E Weir; No 11, K Carton; No 12, M Finnemore; No 13, Mrs Edwards; No 14, J J Cunningham; No. 15, Mrs H S Armstrong.

The attendance last Sunday was 135. The school meets at 2.30, and everyone who comes will be made welcome. Young and old are invited.

The above mentioned officers, teachers, etc., were all re-elected, except the asst.-superintendent, and he takes the place of one who has removed from the village.

The meeting closed with the benediction by the pastor.

"SILKOLENE."

Something new in Shaded Cotton arrived at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, Water street.

A DEPUTATION

Which Visited His Worship the Mayor This Morning.

A deputation of labouring men visited the mayor in his office in the town buildings this morning, to ask that a change be made in the mode of employing men on the stone piles, as some who were deserving of work had not been able to get it.

Councillor Adam Dawson, chairman of the Streets and Bridges Committee, was present at the conference, and the difficulty was amicably adjusted.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Senator Cox is in town to-day.

Mr. Baptise Lefort is reported to be very low.

Mr. T. M. D. Croly has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to be down town again.

Mrs. A. A. P. McDowell (nee Miss Williamson), of Cass City, Michigan, is visiting with Mrs. W. Menzies, 291 Rubidge street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The following team has been chosen to play against the T. A. C. seven to-night at the rink:—Goal, Wasson; point, Montgomery; cover point, Hollingshead; forwards, W. Phelan, Lionel King, B. Bellegham and R. Davidson.

The Millbrook hockey team drove through to-day on its way to play in Lakefield.

For Ten Days.

The entire stock of the T. W. Robinson & Co. Groceries and provisions must be cleared out in the next ten days. The goods are all fresh and have been selected with care, and are being sold at a great sacrifice. You will save 25 to 35 cents on every dollar. E. F. MASON & Co., at the T. W. Robinson Co., corner George and Smith streets.

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DIED.

WHEELER—At Warminster, Wilts, England, on Thursday, Dec. 16th, 1897, Amelia, wife of Andrew Wheeler, uncle of Uriah and George Wheeler, of Otonabee and town respectively, aged 75 years: also on Dec. 21st, Andrew Wheeler, husband of above, aged 82 years.

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LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Little Lake Cemetery Company will be held at the Town Council Chamber, Peterborough, on

MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

Dated January 10th, 1898.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. HENRY DENNIS, President.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate, credit and effects for the benefit of his creditors under the revised statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 124 and amending acts.

Further notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said estate will be held in the office of Roger & Bennet, my Solicitors, No. 375 Water street, in the town of Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1898, at 2 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and give directions as to the disposal of the estate generally, and creditors are requested to file their claims with me or my solicitors on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is given that after the said date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim I shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Peterborough this 11th day of January, 1898.

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H. RUSH, Assignee. 549

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—5 quires good Silurian Notepaper, in box .24
100 good Envelopes to match for..... .24
5 quires good Vellum Notepaper for..... .30
100 good Envelopes to match for..... .30
5 quires Cream Wove Note Paper for..... .14
100 Envelopes to match for..... .14
75c Games for..... .50
Crokinole reduced to..... .60
50c Games for..... .38
35c Games for..... .24

Checkers, Chess and Playing Cards similiarly reduced.
Assorted lot of Bibles at Wholesale Prices.
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25c Purses for..... .19
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25 Trimmed Hats to be sold at $1.00 to $1.50.
100 Untrimmed Hats to be sold at 25c each.
6 Ladies' Black Serge Coats, braid trimmed, regular $7.00, sale price $3.00.
5 Ladies' Curl Cloth Coats, regular $5, sale price $2.50.
12 Ladies' Black Frieze Cloth Coats, regular $7, sale price $4.25
100 Ladies Black and Coloured Coats,—balance of our stock—at half price or less.
5 pieces Tweed Dress Goods, regular 75c, sale price 50c.
3 pieces Covert Cloths, regular $1.25, sale price $1.00.
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10 pieces Heavy Serges, regular 75c, sale price 35c.
15 Costumes at almost half price.
10 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 18c, sale price 15c.
5 pieces Grey Flannel, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
15 pair Flannelette Blankets, regular 75c, sale price 60c.
10 pair White All Wool Blankets, regular $3.50, sale price $2.00
25 dozen Boys' Heavy Wool Hose, regular 25c, sale price 20c.
25 dozen Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves, regular 20c, sale price 15c.
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1898.

CHARLOTTE STREET SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Successful Annual Meeting—Election of Officers and Teachers—The Annual Report Indicates Encouraging Progress.

The annual meeting of Charlotte street Methodist Sunday school was held last night in the school room. There was a full attendance of officers, teachers and workers. The pastor, Rev. D. O. Crossley occupied the chair till after the election of officers, when the newly-elected president, Mr. R. J. Kidd, who was, however, like the other officers, re-elected, took the chair.

The first business was the

ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND TEACHERS,

which resulted as follows:—

Superintendent—R J. Kidd.
1st Assistant Superintendent—Dr. M. A. Morrison.
2nd Assistant Superintendent—H. P. Kennedy.
Sec.-Treas.—Percy Hamilton.
Assistant Sec.-Treas, —Ormond Bradburn.
Librarians—W. H. Hamilton, Thos. Barrie, Walter Squires.
Pianists—Miss B. Morrow.

TEACHERS.

Bible Class—Mr. I. Richardson.
Infant Class—Mrs. Hamilton.

GIRLS.

Nos. 1, Mr H P Kennedy; 2, Mr Tovey; 3, D D C Dawe; 4, Mrs H P Kennedy; 5, Mr Jas Goodwin; 6, Mr Jas Goodwin; 7, Miss Campbell; 8, Miss Richardson; 9, Mrs Jackson; 10, Miss Goodwin; 11, Miss May; 12, Miss E Morrow; 13, Miss M Sherlock.

BOYS.

Nos. 1, Mr Sorsoleil; 2, Mr Darke; 3 Miss Thomas; 4, Miss Gourd; 5, Mr Wm Lewis; 6, Mrs (Dr) Bradd; 7, Miss Collins; 8, Mr Hannah; 9, Miss Elliott; 10, Mr E Parsons; 11, Miss Cook.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

Mr. Percy Hamilton, Secretary-Treasurer, presented the annual report as below:

The annual report of the Secretary of the Charlotte street Methodist Sunday School for the year ending Dec. 31st 1897:

I beg to submit herewith the annual report of the Charlotte street Methodist Sunday school for the year 1897:

The year 1897, like all previous years, has been one of growth and progress, and although it has not reached the standard that is possible for a school of our size to attain, yet there is an improvement over last year. The attendance and collections have been the largest in the history of the school. The average attendance, though up to last year, should have been better, with our increased membership, if our Visiting Committee had not been done away with.

The total number of scholars on the roll is 220, an increase of 38, with an average attendance of 148. The largest attendance on any one Sunday was 314; the smallest 94. Out of this number of scholars 123 are in the infant class—an increase of 34 and an average of 70.

There were two teachers added to the staff, making the number of teachers and officers 32, with an average attendance of 27.

The number of verses recited during the year was 7,453, an average each Sunday of 205.

The average collection was $4.30; the largest on any one Sunday, $22.25; the smallest, $1.44. There is a marked increase in this respect.

Mr. Jackson's class is entitled to first place for having recited the largest number of verses 17 times during the year.

The classes having the largest collections the greatest number of Sundays during the year are as follows:

Girls—Mr. Goodwin's class, 13 Sundays.
Boys—Miss Geard's class, 20 Sundays.

In the year 1894, we purchased a new library complete, consisting of about eight hundred volumes. Last year we went over these books, and repaired those that were worth repairing, and added new volumes to the library, costing over $46.72, and now we have as complete a library as there is in the province.

During the past year by resignation and removals we have lost the following teachers and officers: Miss E. Sherlock, Miss Headrea, Miss Rae, Rev. J. J. Rae, Mr. Hart, Mr. W. Davidson, Miss Oliand and Miss Robinson, and by death we have lost one scholar, Helen Bradburn.

Respectfully submitted.

PERCY HAMILTON, Secretary.

STATEMENT.

Receipts and Expenditure of the Charlotte Street Methodist Sunday School for the year ending December 31st, 1897:

Cash on hand Jan. 1st 1897		$ 59 26
Ordinary Sunday collections:		
January	$20 12	
February	14 97	
March	10 75	
April	12 97	
May	13 34	
June	11 47	
July	9 87	
August	13 04	
September	11 13	
October	13 67	
November	44 00	
December	16 16	
		$201 44
Missionary collections:		
First quarter	$ 8 21	
Second quarter	3 30	
Fourth quarter	7 81	
Mrs Clark	2 00	
		$ 29 51
Proceeds of anniversary		7 93
" J R Clark's lecture		36 80
" Sunday school picnic		7 40
" Xmas entertainment		7 20
Interest on deposit		2 30
		$373 83

EXPENDITURES.

Rev J J Rae, expenses to Millbrook	$ 1 60
R M Roy	6 00
J R Clark	36 00
Eaton & Main, S S supplies	4 00
J D Craig, fixing S S chairs	80
Wm Briggs, Armenian fund	10 00
Peterborough Review Pub Co	6 75
" EXAMINER	5 63
Rev J J Rae, missionary collection for '96	16 33
David Book Pub Co, supplies	36 15
Rev J J Rae, S S grant	5 00
Oxford Map Co	7 00
A H Stanton, for books	46 72
Key for library door and stationery	35
G W Mulligan, Jubilee celebration	1 25
W Briggs, S S supplies	43 85
A Morton, glass for S S windows and putting in of same	80
Peterborough EXAMINER	5 73
G M Roger, floral design for H Bradburn	2 00
A M Morrison, part payment of church debt	20 00
St Paul's S S for hymn books	10 00
W Mason floral design for Mr Brooks	3 25
J L Hughes, account for repairs	14 35
Expenses for Christmas entertainment	14 81
Mrs Weal, cleaning school room and washing dishes	1 25
Mr Wilson, for putting up and taking down platform	2 65
J Giles for groceries	1 40
W H Hamilton, for groceries	5 26
Peterborough Review, printing	3 25
Balance	74 71
	$373 83

OBITUARY.

Death of Andrew Thornton in Omemee Yesterday.

The death occurred in Omemee on Thursday of Andrew Thornton, brother of Mr. J. D. Thornton of that place.

The deceased has long been a sufferer from heart and nerve trouble. The funeral will take place on Saturday to the Emily cemetery at two o'clock. Mr. Thornton was well and favourably known throughout this district. Mrs. John Kincaid, of Harvey street, is a sister.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. will be held at 3 o'clock on Saturday evening, Jan. 15th, at the rooms. The members are cordially requested to be present. Reports will be read and the Board chosen The public are invited to be present.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	25°	19°

—The Paris Gayety Girls—to-morrow evening, 15th inst. at the Opera House. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

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MURRAY ST. BAPTISTS' ANNUAL MEETING.

REPORTS OF THE YEAR PRESENTED BY THE COMMITTEES.

The Different Church Societies All Report Progress—Election of Deacons and Officers.

The annual meeting in connection with the Murray street Baptist church, was held last evening with a large number of the members of the congregation present. Rev. A. T. Dykeman, the pastor, occupied the chair.

The report of the Finance Committee was presented as follows by Mr. William Aldridge:

Report of Finance Committee for year ending Dec 31. 1897:

Church liability was on January 1, 1897, composed of a note due Bank of Montreal	$ 225 00
Overdraft	81 50
Total liability, besides Clifford mortgage	$ 306 50
Received for church purposes during the year by envelope and open collection	$1,536 62
Handed in and collected for deficit	87 00
Collected for roll call	17 40
Collected for denominational purposes	271 95
Total raised for church purposes	$1,912 97
Besides this there was received by special effort for renovating and repairing church	$ 221 00
Of which there has been paid out	194 22
Leaving a balance on hand of	$ 26 78
Which will be used to finish contract for electrical work and for numbering the seats.	
Raised for all purposes	$2,133 97

Besides this, there was raised by the ladies for carpeting, etc., a considerable sum, amounting to about $73, which we believe was wisely spent.

Our liability now consists of amount due Sunday School	$316 00
Less cash in bank	4 74
	$ 310 26

You will see there is no material change since last year, and taking into consideration the fact that a number of good paying members moved away during the year, we think this is a fairly good showing, and we feel that there is every reason to be grateful.

Your committee have made their annual canvass of the church members in order to ascertain the probable amount that will be forthcoming during the year 1898. Some of the members have not been seen, and we would esteem it a favour if they would give us definite information of what they intend to contribute, as soon as possible.

An estimate of the expenses of the year is as follows:

Salary, Pastor	$1,000 00
" Organist	100 00
" Janitor	70 00
Light	75 00
Fuel	50 00
Sundry expenses	89 25
Interest	215 75
	$1,600 00

which will require a collection of $30.77 per Sunday. Besides paying our way we should wipe out present liability of $310.26. To do this also would require a collection of $32.76. Our promises amount to $32.00 per Sunday, so if there are no arrearages we will be able to pay our expenses and reduce our liability by about $100. Our present arrearages amount to $34.15, of which we consider $21.56 is collectable. This is composed to a certain extent of quarterly and yearly subscriptions. Will those contributing in this manner make an effort to hand their amount in before the end of the quarter?

During the year the Park street Baptist church paid to us $718, which belongs to our Sunday school. With this we paid the deacons' note of trustees to the Bank of Montreal and took the balance into church funds, so we now owe the Sunday school this amount, $315, and interest at 5 per cent per annum.

WM. ALDRIDGE, Chairman.

The report was adopted, as was that of the treasurer, Mr. T. F. Matthews.

MISSION CIRCLE REPORT.

was presented by Miss Mary A. Nicholls, as appended:

Our Women's Mission Circle closes the year with a membership of fifty, two less than last year. Thirty-seven contribute to Home Missions and thirty-five to Foreign.

Our circle has not been without change, some have removed to other parts. We have also been reminded that earthly circles are not lasting. One of our number has heard the "well done" of her Master and entered into her rest.

Twelve meetings have been held, with an average attendance of seventeen. The largest attendance at any meeting, thirty-five; lowest, six.

We are pleased to report the spread of our missionary periodicals on the increase. There are twenty subscribers for The Link, four more than last year. Owing to the energetic agents of The Visitor there are now fifty-six subscribers for this little paper, sixteen more than last year.

The amount forwarded to Foreign Mission treasurer, $48.06; Home, $50.41; N. W. Indians, $3.60; total, $102.07. $24.06 of this was contributed at our thank-offering services, the balance was raised by our faithful collectors.

MARY A. NICHOLLS, Secretary.

January, 1897.

The report was adopted, after which Miss Addie Bradshaw read, as follows, the

MISSION BAND REPORT.

Our report is from January, 1897, to January, 1898.

There are 40 members on the roll. The largest attendance was in the month of April, 1897, there being 32 present. The smallest attendance was in August, 13 being present. We are sorry to report that during the year there has been a decrease of 5 in our membership.

On April 16th an entertainment was given for the members of the Band, in which a large number took part. The collection at the entertainment amounted to $4.80, and was equally divided between Home and Foreign Missions.

On Friday evening, October 8th, a concert was given by the members of the Band. The special number of this concert was the building of the Indian Village, and at this concert the Band presented three of their members with beautifully framed certificates of life membership, costing $10 each. By a special request a repetition of this concert was given on October 19th. This was largely attended, and the collection altogether was $8.35.

The financial report is as follows:

Amount sent to Foreign Missions	$26 35
Amount sent to Home Missions	16 35
Amount on hand	25 42
Amount raised	$68 12

The report was adopted.

Miss Ada McDonald, Recording Secretary, then submitted as appended the

REPORT OF B. Y. P. U. OF C. E.

The B. Y. P. U. of C. E. respectfully submit the following report to the Murray street Baptist church:

1. The Union has adopted for 1897-98 the following:

1st Monday evening of month—Consecration meeting, led by president; sacred literature, led by pastor.

2nd Monday evening—Devotional meeting, led by a member; sacred literature, led by pastor.

3rd Monday evening—Conquest Missionary topic, led by Mrs. Dykeman; sacred literature, pastor.

4th Monday evening—Devotional meeting, led by a member; sacred literature, led by pastor.

5th Monday evening—Song service or something of a similar nature.

2. Officers for 1898:

President—Mr. A. J. Raddon, subject to the approval of the church.
Vice President—Mr. B. Yelland.
Cor. Sec—Miss Ida Taylor.
Rec Sec—Miss A MacDonald.
Treasurer—Miss A. Hutchison.
Conveners of Committees:
Lookout Committee—Miss N. Moore.
Prayer meeting Committee—Mrs. K. P Kills.
Social Committee—Miss L. Perrin.
Literature Committee—Miss A. Croly.
Music Committee—Miss M. Stratton.
Missionary Committee—Miss E Cochrane.
Sunday school Committee—Mrs. G. K. Martin.
Junior work Committee—Miss E. Smith.
Temperance work Committee—Mr R E Hardie.
Flower and Visiting Committee—Miss L. Jones.

Rev. B.—This last committee will be glad to hear, during the year, from any who can give a few flowers for the sick or for the pulpit.

3. The Union would submit for the approval of the church, the name of Mr. A. J. Raddon as its president.

4. The Union has a membership of forty active and six associate members.

5. The Union extends a most cordial invitation to all, to come to the Monday evening's studies.

ADA MACDONALD, Rec. Sec.

The report was adopted.

Messrs. B. R. Matthews and Wm. Aldridge were re-elected deacons and Mr. Benj. Yelland was elected in the place of Mr. Stanley, who has left town. Mr. T.M. D. Croly was re-elected church clerk and Mr. T. F. Matthews, treasurer. The Finance Committee was elected as follows:—Messrs. W. Aldridge, B. Yelland, George Matthews, Geo. Cochrane and Vincent Eastwood.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Mayor's office hours are from 9 to 10 a.m.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 30c per dozen.

—John Smith was sent up to gaol for a month on a charge of vagrancy this morning.

—The Paris Gayety Girls—to-morrow evening, 15th inst., at the Opera House. Prices 25, 35 and 50c.

—The council will meet this evening to discuss what action will be taken in regard to the case of Monaghan vs. Peterborough.

—The town's health was never better, but it cannot "expect-to-rate" high in the future if, according to Dr. Clarke's health report, consumptives continue to expectorate in public places.

—Mr. Andrew Knox, of South Dummer, recently sold to Mr. John Atkinson, of Percy, a ten months' old Shorthorn bull, of milking strain, for the sum of fifty dollars. On Tuesday Mr. Knox delivered the animal at Hastings.

—A meeting of the members of the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association and Bench Show is called for to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock to complete final details for the exhibition which opens on Tuesday next. The meeting will be held in the market hall.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 30c per dozen.

—A shipment of Newfoundland dogs, some hundred in number, was sent from Newfoundland a week or two ago to be used in winter traffic in the region of the Kloudyke. Another shipment of them left that Island per steamer "Portia" on January 5th.

—The Bertram Engine Works Company, Toronto, have closed a contract to construct immediately several flat-bottomed boats for the Yukon River. These crafts are to have each a paddle wheel at the stern and will draw only thirteen inches of water.

—The days are appreciably lengthening, more particularly in the evening, a difference of about ten minutes being noticed. In the mornings, however, but little change is observable, and the mechanic who has to begin work at seven o'clock will continue to eat his breakfast by lamplight for some weeks longer.

The January number of the Canadian Magazine contains a charming sketch, "A Canadian Idyll," written by Jane Fayrer Taylor, Mrs. F. W. Taylor, formerly of Peterborough. It is a delightfully sweet and tender prose poem, delicately conceived, and clothed in graceful language. Such writing as a "Canadian Idyll" is too good to be brief and infrequent, and Canadian literature will be much the richer by the often use of Mrs. Taylor's facile pen.

—Mr. T. Baker, a Key Port, Jersey, capitalist, says the Marmora Herald, paid that district a visit last week. He had been negotiating for mining property, and the result was that the ownership of a number of lots was transferred to him last week. He returned to Key Port on Wednesday where it is expected a mining company will be formed to develop the property. Mr. M. Devlin is looking after his interests here at present.

—An exchange says: Shopkeepers often find their supply of goods hidden from the public eye by the frost lining the inside of their window panes. A simple remedy for this is a thin coat of pure glycerine applied to the glass. This will prevent any moisture forming thereon and last until so much dust collects on it so as to make the window cloudy. In fact it can be used to prevent moisture forming on anything. Engineers find it particularly useful to keep their windows free from steam as well as cold or moisture.

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1 bottle No. 1 Worcester Sauce	13	1 lb. package 40c Royal Blend Tea	25
1 bottle Mustard Pickles	10	1 can Sardines, 3c, or 5 cans for	25
1 package Corn Starch, 7c, or 4 for	25	1 can Mustard Sardines	12
1 package Rubber Starch	10	1 can Kippered Herrings	12
1 bag Salt, 4c, or 3 for	10	1 package Buckwheat Flour	12
1 can Peaches, 12c, or 2 for	25	2 bars White Castile Soap	5
1 can Plums, 12c, or 2 for	25	7 bars Wide Awake Soap	25
1 can Pumpkins, 9c, or 3 for	25	7 bars Eclipse Soap	25
1 lb. Apricots, 12c, or 2 lbs for	23	1 box Sunlight Soap, 12c, or 2 for	25
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If life were one long summer day and its journey through a garden of flowers, it might be possible for people to be careless of their health without fearing evil results. Unfortunately, since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden, life has not been a toilless journey through a garden of flowers. Man must earn bread by the sweat of his brow, and woman must bring forth children in pain and suffering.

In both cases the curse is multiplied many times over because both men and women neglect their health. Man's toil is rendered a thousand times harder by the added burden of ill-health. The woman is a still greater sufferer. She suffers in silence untold agonies from weakness and disease in a womanly way. Motherhood becomes to her a menace of death, and her babes are born with the seeds of disease already implanted in their little bodies. There is but one unfailing remedy for women who suffer in this way. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs that bear the brunt of maternity. It makes them strong, healthy, vigorous, virile and elastic. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and tones and builds up the tortured nerves. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. It does away with the trials of the period of apprehension and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. Thousands have testified to its marvelous merits.

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WHEAT FLAT.

Trade Light on the Chicago Board With Closing Prices About the Lowest —Local Prices.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 12.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ½d to ¼d lower.

Cash wheat in Chicago closed ½c lower, at 91c.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91	$0 90¼
New York	0 98⅝	0 92⅞
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 91⅛	0 90
St. Louis	0 93	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 91	0 92⅝
Detroit	0 90⅝	0 91⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91⅛	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90¾
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR — The flour market is dull, and prices are unchanged. Straight rollers $3.10 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Red winter sold outside at 87c to 89c. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose 77½c Midland, Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.02, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 90c to 91c Fort William, and 98c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c west and at 24c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is good, with dealers bidding 50c outside, north and west, but holders ask more.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 7c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 6½c to 6¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—There is no fleece here. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

PROVISIONS — Trade remains quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9c to 9½c. Mess pork, $14 to $14.50; do., short cut, $15 to $15.25; do., shoulder mess, $13.00. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6¾c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 58c to 60c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 15c, and old 8c to 9c.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures easier at 7s 1¾d for March, 7s 0¾d for May and 6s 9¾d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 1½d for February, March and May, and 3s 1½d for July. Flour, 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet, with white easier. Maize off coast and on passage quieter.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 22f 40c for June. Flour firm, at 52f 25c for March.

INGERSOLL'S CLAIM.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Cured Hundreds of People There.

Ingersoll, Jan. 8—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

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THE STORY WAS A FAKE.

All That Yarn About the Seminole Uprising in the Indian Territory Was a Pure Fabrication.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 13.—At noon yesterday the Associated Press correspondent at South McAlister, I. T., sent the following: "The whole story of the Indian uprising is a fake. The first account of the alleged affair was sent out by the agent of the C.O. and G. Railway, at Earlboro, I.T., to the train despatcher here. To-day all acquainted with the situation give it as their opinion that the story was a pure fabrication, originating with the railroad agent at Earlboro.

200 Savages on the Warpath.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 13.—A special to the Times from Shawnee, O.T., says: Trains on the Choctaw branch of the 'Frisco Railroad have brought to this city every woman and child from Earlsboro, some 200 people, near the border of the Seminole nation. The burning at the stake of McGeisey and Simpson, the Seminole halfbreeds, has so enraged the Seminoles that they have banded together, and are raiding over the country around Maud and Wewoka in a wild rage, killing the stock. A party of about 200 savages, halfbreeds and other toughs rode into a neighborhood 18 miles south of Earlsboro and began shooting through the doors and windows of the house of a man who recently came in from Ohio. Every person in the house is reported to be killed. The people who came in on the train from Earlsboro say that about 10 o'clock yesterday a regular pitched battle occurred, and that three families were killed. There is a general uprising. Messengers have been sent to the military station demanding immediate aid and protection.

This Confirms the Fake Idea.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 13.—Commissioner Jones of the Indian Office received a despatch from Wewoka, Seminole Nation, yesterday afternoon from W. S. Field, who says that the report of the Seminole troubles is untrue. The whites, he said, burned a probably innocent man, and the Indians are indignant, but will make no trouble. A few shots were fired in the darkness by practical jokers in the neighborhood of Earlsboro. The commissioner says he knows Field very well, and regards this information as entirely trustworthy.

Secretary Bliss wrote the War Department, asking for troops. He said he regarded the reports as at least greatly exaggerated, but nevertheless, it might be the part of prudence to have troops on the scene. The War Department will comply with the request and despatch troops unless the request is countermanded in case the whole affair proves a fake.

YUKON LAND NOT FOR SALE.

Hon. Mr. Sifton Has So Determined Pending More Definite Information—Notes From the Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—A great many applications for the land of the Yukon have been received by the Department of the Interior. Mr. Sifton has decided not to sell the land there at present until more definite information is available as to the resources and necessities of the territory. The Minister has also decided to invite public competition for timber berths in the Yukon, and tenders have been asked for up to January 25. The highest bidder will get the timber. A large number of applications for timber berths are on file in the department, and this decision will be read with interest by many. Both these decisions would seem to be in the public interest.

Cote v. Catholic Order of Foresters was concluded in the Assize Court yesterday. Judge Falconbridge submitted a number of questions to the jury as to whether there was a conspiracy to defraud the company, and as to whether Cote made false representations in his application for admission to the order. His Lordship dwelt upon the evidence at considerable length and quoted the law bearing upon the case.

The jury returned a verdict for Mrs. Cote for $2,000 and costs.

Premier Murray and Attorney-General Longley of Nova Scotia went east yesterday. Tuesday they appeared before the Cabinet and pressed the claims of Nova Scotia for a refund of subsidy amounting to $600,000 to the Eastern Extension Railway, which is part of the Intercolonial system.

To-day Lady Aberdeen is to give a Klondike dinner, to which she has invited Messrs. Ogilvie, MacDonald, Dr. Dawson and others. If Dan Rose is in town he will probably be invited.

Hamilton McCarthy, R.C.A., the well-known sculptor, is in town. He has deposited with the Government a model for a statute of the late Alexander Mackenzie.

John Appleton, President of the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council, has been associated with Judge Dugas and Mr. Pedley to inquire into the grievances of workmen on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway.

Lieut.-Governor Patterson of Manitoba is in town, the guest of Mr. Sifton.

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NOTES FROM KINGSTON.

Death From Heart Failure—A Woman Arrested for Bigamy.

Kingston, Jan. 13.—Eli Baiden Gardiner, Portsmouth, was attacked with pains yesterday morning and died shortly after from heart failure. He was 74 years of age.

Mrs. Peterson-Miller is in jail accused of bigamy. She married in Gouverneur, N.Y., found her husband had a wife living, and left him. Coming to Frontenac she married a man named Miller. He turned her out and married another. Wife No. 1 took action against him for alimony and he returned it by charging her with bigamy. She was sent up for trial.

The Thunderstorm.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—At 9 o'clock last night Toronto was visited by the first January thunder storm since 1853. The city was practically the storm centre and the storm area was moving eastward. Lightning was recorded in January, 1878, and in January, 1882, but not accompanied by thunder.

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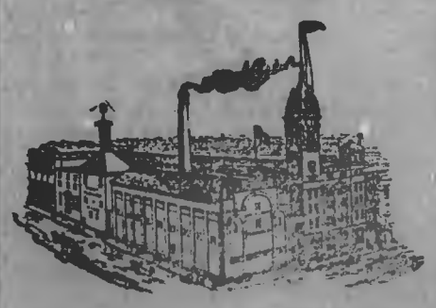

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THE WIDOW'S GARDEN

The Rev Wetherby Smiles was rector of St. James' and occupied a rose embowered cottage not far from the church. The cottage, with its attendant garden, was a dainty, pretty spot, which looked as though a woman's hand had planned and cared for it. But no woman had anything to do with the rectory. The Rev. Mr. Smile's only servant was a doddering old man. The rector prepared his own meals, except when he was invited to tea by some old lady who pitied his lonely, indigestion breeding existence.

Not that the Rev. Wetherby Smiles was a woman hater, but Mr. Smiles was very high church indeed. Unfortunately St. James' and the parish and the people were very poor. The good people liked the Rev. Mr. Smiles and tried to follow his suggestions upon high church usages. But there are people, you know, whom you couldn't make high church with a jackscrew. The communicants of St. James' were mostly farmers and small tradesmen.

The rector felt that the clergy, to be able to give their whole time and thought to their work, *should live lives of celibacy*. He had felt at times a strong drawing toward some ecclesiastical order in which such vows would be necessary. Then he could wear some outward sign of his vows, and the young women of his parish would not fall in love with him. The rector was young and good looking. *He had been* in his present pastorate six months, and he had already had an experience.

The young rector lived with his books, occasionally taking a little recreation in the garden. The roses disappeared, the leaves fell and left the clinging vines bare, and the snow covered the prim little beds in the rectory garden. Thus a year of his pastorate closed and the spring drew near.

The Rev. Wetherby Smiles from his study window could look across his garden plot and see the brown earth warming in the spring sunshine and the trees and bushes slowly bursting into leaf. Nature is always most attractive in the spring, and nature in a thousand ways, with bud and leaf and warming earth and white flecked sky and sweet air, wooed him from his books.

He looked across his garden, I say. And across the garden beyond the low hedge was another garden, which in summer was full of color. He had noticed the brilliant hued beds the year before, but now the only bit of color was a pale blue morning robe that fitted about the inclosure.

To tell the truth, the rector had seldom noticed that *morning* gown or the little woman inside it before. But it pleased his fancy now to look across the hedge and watch his neighbor. He recalled that his old major domo had told him the cottage next the parsonage was occupied by a widowed lady—a lonely creature who had taken up her abode there but shortly before the Rev. Mr. Smiles was settled over St. James'. He remembered the little figure in black in one of the side pews, pointed out to him by the clerk as "Mrs. Scorritch," and probably had not given her a thought or a glance afterward.

However, he saw so much of the pale blue gown that first warm week in spring that he looked for the little widow in her pew the next Sabbath. She had laid aside her weeds and was dressed in some soft, clinging, fawn colored material, that made her look like a very demure little moth. And she had the sweetest face in the world—at least the sweetest face in the Rev. Wetherby Smiles' world.

On Monday morning the clerical black appeared in the rectory garden almost as soon as the pretty morning robe appeared over the hedge. The demure little face dimpled and smiled under its garden hat at the rector's approach, and the widow nodded brightly.

"You are early at your gardening this spring, Mrs. Scorritch," he said.

"Yes. But it is so warm," she replied in defense. "I am expecting my crocuses to appear any day now."

"I'm afraid we shall see some frost yet, Mrs. Scorritch," said the rector.

"Now, don't talk that way, I beg!" cried the little woman, clasping her hands, inclosed in long wristed and particularly well fitting gauntlets. "Just suppose my crocuses should come up and be frost bitten! Oh, the thought is too awful!"

"I sincerely hope you will not be disappointed, but this climate is uncertain."

After that the *young* rector often found it quite necessary for his health to work in his garden while the blue gown flitting like a butterfly from rose tree to vine and from vine to hedgerow was in evidence in the neighboring yard. Really, after poring over musty theological tomes all winter, a man must get some freshness in his soul and new blood in his heart.

The gardening went on apace, and the treacherous warm weather continued. Many were the conferences held across the hedge regarding the proper pruning of rose trees, the planting of hardy reeds and the preparation of the beds of earth. The rector had never suspected there was so much detail to the business of gardening.

One morning, just after a warm night rain, the Rev. Mr. Smiles was called to the hedge by a little cry from his neighbor.

"They are coming!" she cried in delight. "See, here is the dearest little blade of green pushing up through the mold, and there is another—and another! Just look at them!"

The rector found it necessary to leap the hedge (he had been something of an athlete at the university, and certainly this spring weather was sending the blood coursing through his veins quite like old times) and look at the crocus bed.

"They are such lovely ones," she said earnestly. "I don't believe you noticed them at all last spring" (he pronounced maledictions upon himself for having been so blind as to miss *so much* beauty the previous season), "but they will be even better this year—if we don't have that horrid frost you have been prophesying."

She looked up at him roguishly, and it suddenly crossed the young rector's mind that several yellowish green points of crocus blade, breaking the damp soil, made a far prettier picture than the finest rosebush in full bloom which he had ever seen. It was a strange fact and one he had never discovered before.

But when he had returned to his own lonely domain and entered his study he stopped and thought seriously for a minute. Then he cast his flat crowned ministerial hat upon the floor with great emphasis and exclaimed:

"It's my creed, I tell you, that a man in orders should not marry."

Now, there was no one visible to argue the question, and yet there seemed to be argument in his own mind, for the Rev. Wetherby Smiles smote his palm with his clinched fist angrily and kicked the flat crowned hat to the other end of the room.

For two days the rector of St. James' rigidly stifled his interest in crocuses. His interest in creeds, however, was not entirely satisfying. On Sunday after vespers he overtook on his way home a little figure in a fawn colored gown.

"You must see my crocuses, Mr. Smiles," she said. "The buds will be open before Sunday."

The rector glanced gloomily at the darkening sky and thought that probably there would be a frost that night. But he could not long think of frost and other unpleasant possibilities under the skillful manipulation of his charming little neighbor. He hesitated at her gate, and again crocuses triumphed over creed. The crocuses were flourishing finely. The creeds took a back seat—indeed a very unobtrusive seat—in the rector's memory.

His interest in the crocus continued that evening to so late an hour that his old servitor really thought he was not coming to supper and cleared away the repast.

"Never mind," said the rector kindly. "I am not hungry." And when the old man had doddered off to bed he sat down before the open window of his chamber and stared out into the still night.

He sat there for an hour. A light burned behind the curtain of one of his neighbor's windows. That was her light, he knew. Finally it disappeared, but he sat on, his arms folded upon the sill, his eyes glaring fixedly into the darkness. Creed was making a strong fight for life.

It grew colder, and suddenly the Rev. Wetherby Smiles awoke to the discomforts of the outer man. He shivered and drew away from the window. There was no breeze and no clouds, but an increasing chill made him close the casement.

Then he slipped on a smoking jacket and went to the door. There was a light haze upon the river, and a shimmer of frost was in the air.

"A bad night for the farmers and fruit growers," he thought. Then his mind reverted to those crocuses. "They will be black by morning," he said. "Too bad, and the little woman thinks so much of them."

He hesitated a moment and then went in again, reappearing shortly with an old mackintosh.

"Just the thing to spread over the bed to defend them from the frost," he muttered, and with long strides he crossed the rectory garden and leaped the hedge.

Feeling a good deal like a night prowler who had no business in the place, he crept through his little neighbor's garden and approached the crocus bed near the porch. He started at the slightest sound and glanced about fearfully. Suppose anybody should see him—one of his parishioners—even his major domo! He forgot the night was dark. It seemed to his excited imagination that anybody passing along the road could see him—the rector of St. James'—prowling about beneath a lady's window!

Suddenly, just as he spread the covering over the crocus bed and was turning hastily to flee, he heard a sound on the porch. He started and his eyes became fixed upon the vision before him. A figure, all in white and motionless, stood upon the lower step.

The Rev. Wetherby Smiles was startled, but he was not superstitious. For some seconds, however, he stared at the apparition before he recognized it. Then he stepped quickly forward, and began to make excuses in a low voice.

"Mrs. Scorritch—Lydia—I beg your pardon, but I thought"—

He got no further in his faltering remarks. With a shuddering little cry the figure tottered and would have fallen to the ground had he not sprung forward and caught her in his arms.

"Good Lord!" muttered the Rev. Mr. Smiles, the perspiration starting on his brow. "What a situation! Suppose anybody should see me now. To think of me—a clergyman—in a woman's garden at night, holding that woman in my arms!"

He was tempted to lay her down upon the porch and run. But he looked down into the little white face, revealed by the faint starlight. The pale lids were drawn over the great eyes, which he thought so glorious. The pouting lips had not entirely lost their redness, but the cheeks were without color. The loose fitting wrapper which she had slipped on over her night robe before coming down (evidently, like himself, with the crocus in mind, for a sheet had slipped from her hand as she fell) had fallen away at the neck, revealing the marblelike beauty of her throat.

He looked upon *her*, and then did not lay her down and flee. Instead he stooped lower and—lifted her more closely against his breast and carried his burden into the house. There was a couch in the reception room. He laid her down and lighted the gas. She opened her eyes languidly and saw *him*.

"I have frightened you, Lydia," he said, stooping above her. "Really, I had no intention, you know. I only remembered the crocuses"—

"I—I thought you were a burglar," she admitted. "And when I heard your voice"—

"Didn't you recognize it?" he asked.

"You—you had never spoken to me in just that way before, and"—

He bent lower and took her hand. "I was only thinking of the crocuses, Lydia," he said, which was very true. He had quite forgotten the "creed."—W. Bert Foster in Chicago Record.

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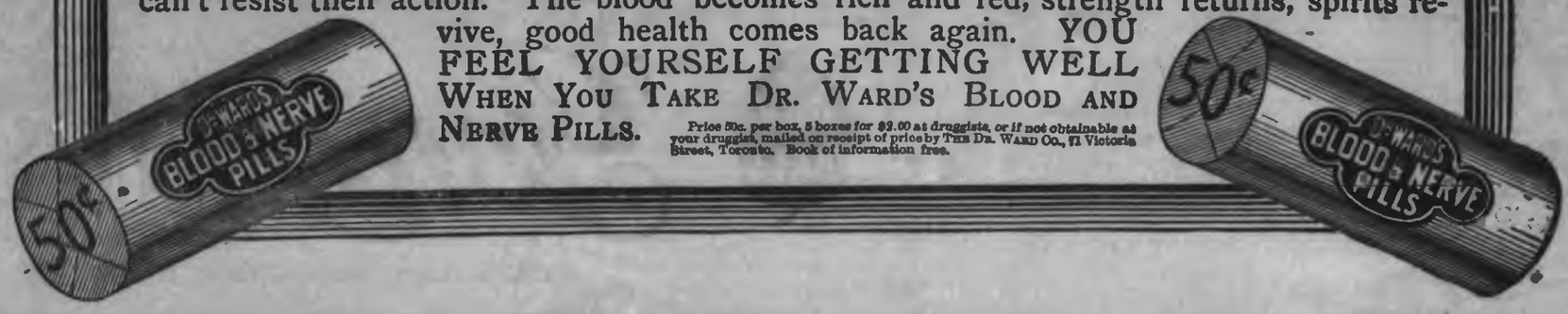

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A Basket Ball Team From the City on the Bay win From the Local Y.M.C.A. Boys.

The match last night in Y.M.C.A. Hall between Belleville and Peterborough association teams was a fast and interesting game. The Belleville team was composed of all large men, two of which were over six feet. They looked like giants beside Peterborough's small men, S. Hall and M. McDonough having men to play against who would make two of them in size, but not in playing.

This is the second season the Belleville team has played, thus giving them a great advantage over the home team, which has only played the game for two months.

During the first half the game was remarkably well played, both teams being only able to score two points, each of these being free throws from fifteen foot line.

The second half started off fast, each team going in to win. The Bellevilles outplayed the home team but made more fouls, thus giving Peterborough a chance to win, as for every foul made the opposing team has free throw for goal, but they only succeeded in throwing two. During this half the visiting team threw four from field and one from foul, winning the game by 7 points.

The visitors had an advantage over the home team in weight, but the Peterborough boys played a wonderfully good game, in fact considering the practice and length of time they have played the game they far out played the visiting team, and they are to be complimented on the way they played.

The teams lined up as follows:

Belleville.		*Peterborough.*
F Walsh	left forward	S Hall
E Wallace	right forward	M McDonough
H Ritchie	centre	K Dolan
W Ritchie	left guard	H Halpin
J Molloy	right guard	R Wilson
J R Herdman	umpire	W H Buxton
R Cronin	scorer	— Pitney

R Dixon, timekeeper.

After the game the men enjoyed a bath, after which they were invited to assemble in one of the rooms and partook of an oyster supper, prepared by the ladies, over which both teams spent a jolly time for an hour.

Speeches were made by Mr. Sinclair, President of Belleville Association, and Mr. J. R. Herdman, secretary. The captain resigning his speech in favour of their manager, Mr. Pitney.

The captain of the Peterborough team was called upon and he resigned in favour of the Physical Director. Mr. Evy Hall gave a whistling solo.

Then they adjourned to their several billets.

There were about 125 present to see the game, and the basket ball team wishes to thank those who came to witness the game for their presence. They hope to see them all at the next game with many new faces.

Basket ball rules in a nut shell for those who wish to understand the game better:

The penalty for all fouls is a free throw for the basket from the 15-foot line.

The following acts constitute fouls:

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Fouls made on Man—Holding, striking, tripping, pushing, shouldering, rough play.

General—Interfering with free throw; addressing umpire or referee by any player not captain; intentionally delaying the game; remarks about officers by players.

PASTOR RESIGNED.

Rev. Wm. Hunter, Formerly of Cavan, Will go to Denver, Colorado.

The Ridgetown Plaindealer makes the following reference to the resignation of Rev. Wm. Hunter, who is an old Cavan boy and brother to Mr. David Hunter, of Otonabee:—

"Rev. Mr. Hunter has resigned the pastorate of the Presbyterian church here, and accepted a call to a church in Denver, Colorado. It goes without saying that Mr. Hunter will be a distinct loss to Ridgetown. He is a noble and generous spirit, and he illustrates the principles he so faithfully preaches. It is probable that on his recent trip west with his brother he found the air of that country to agree with him, and that this is partly the cause of his going. His brother, Rev. Mr. Hunter, of Toronto, is still in Colorado for his health, and will remain some time. The resignation takes effect in a few weeks. We need hardly say that the general public will view with quick and lively interest the proceedings that may be taken to fill the vacant pulpit. It is matter of public concern that a judicious choice should be made. We feel sure that a judicious choice will be made. We also feel sure that the congregation will be careful and conscientious in discharging the important duty that now devolves upon them. In the meantime we commend Mr. Hunter and his amicable and gifted wife to the good people of the city where they have chosed their abiding place. We grudge Mr. and Mrs. Hunter to the voracious west.

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The House in committee amended the Act to amend the County Crown Attorneys Act so as to make the fees payable to a Crown attorney in connection with bail proceedings $1 instead of 50c.

The Piggery.

Upon the motion of Mr. Charlton for the adoption of the report of the Public Accounts Committee the Opposition brought on a discussion. Col. Matheson made the assertion that to the extent of his opportunities Mr. St. John had proved every charge he had made in regard to the piggery. He charged that there had been expenditures not shown in the public accounts and not appropriated by the Legislature.

No reply was vouchsafed the Colonel, and the silence of the Ministers was interpreted by Mr. Marter as a confession that the case was so bad as to be indefensible. He gave his version of the evidence adduced before the committee. Mr. Garrow denied that the Opposition had established any part of the charge that diseased hogs had been sold from the piggery. When Dr. Willoughby had spoken Mr. Whitney stood up and delivered a fiery speech, in which he condemned what he alleged to be unfair partiality of the majority of the Public Accounts Committee. He denied that Mr. St. John had stated that the piggery had cost $30,000. Mr. Macnish, who was present at the meeting at St. Thomas where Mr. St. John made his first piggery utterance, confirmed the report of his speech which had appeared in the Globe, the Mail and Empire, the St. Thomas Journal and Times and the London Free Press. Mr. Charlton, the Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee, detailed the proceedings of the investigation, as they have already been published. He said that Mr. St. John and the Conservative members of the committee were given the utmost liberty to examine their witnesses. The

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NOW THE CRY ON TO HUSTING.

Political Warfare Will Now be Transferred From the Floor of the Assembly to the Constituencies—An Eventful Day in the House—The Proceedings.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Yesterday, the last working day of the last session before dissolution, was crowded with features that are bound to play their part when the scene of strife is transferred from the floor of Parliament to the hustings. A sharp debate was precipitated by the announcement of the withdrawal for the present of the bill to amend the Lord's Day Act. The Premier accompanied the intimation with a statement fully justifying this action, but, as might have been expected, it was not satisfactory to Opposition members, who abused the Government for what they were pleased to call their pusillanimity without giving the House any hint as to their own view of the question. Mr. Whitney challenged the wisdom of the Government's timber policy, not that he dissented from what had been done, but because the bill did not go far enough. He was rewarded for his pains by giving the Government an opportunity of rolling up one of the largest majorities that has been recorded during the session. His amendment called for the application of the manufacturing condition to existing licenses. It was rejected by a vote of 95 to 60, the adverse majority being 35. An effort was made to have tacked to the railway subsidy bill a condition that in the construction of roads aided by the Province none but British subjects or men who have resided in Canada at least one year should be employed. This provoked a spirited discussion, which was terminated by the adoption of a second amendment submitted by Mr. German, providing that no one should be employed on public works or subsidized railways who is a citizen of a country where an alien labor law is in force. The Opposition submitted amendments regretting the increase in the ordinary expenditure and condemning the educational system. It was announced that prorogation would take place on Monday at 3 o'clock.

On the order for moving the House into committee on the bill, the Premier asked the privilege of explaining the Government's position as regards the measure. The primary object of the bill, he said, was to include corporations under the operation of the old Act. It was evident from the observations addressed to the Government by the delegations that very great misapprehension existed as to the scope and purport of the bill. Much was considered a new which is now to be found in the present Lord's Day Act, such, for instance, as the right of the informer to one-half the fine. That is the case under the existing law. Also, that steamboats owned by corporations would be brought within the purview of the law by the proposed Act. Whereas, under section seven, which is applicable to steamboats plying for hire, sub-section five expressly provides that the word "owner" shall include a corporation. The theory, too, that the employes or servants of corporations could be fined under the new Act and not under the old is a mistaken one. As I understand it the law at present is, that while a corporation may not be included within the Lord's Day Act, every officer or employe of the corporation is within its provisions. The direct object of section two of the proposed bill is to put all corporations on the same footing and to bring them all within the meaning of the Act as it was generally understood they were before the decision of the Court of Appeals in the Hamilton Street Railway case. Clause one of the bill, it is apprehended, extends the law but very little.

The classes of persons now subject to the Lords' Day Act are merchants, tradesmen, farmers, artificers, mechanics, workmen, laborers or other persons whatsoever. It is obvious, therefore, that there are very few remaining outside, and the Lord's Day Alliance was of opinion that what applied to one class of persons should apply to all classes, and there is really very little to be said against this.

When the original Act was framed, corporations took but an inconsiderable part in the conduct of the world's business. Now, however, most of the world's business is conducted by corporations and it was not thought that a change in the Act to include corporations would give rise to much difficulty. The Government has learned since, however, that the bill would, if passed, prevent many businesses from being carried on and that unless they were allowed to carry on some work on the Lord's Day they would have to shut down on Monday, or stop work altogether.

Representations have been made to the Government on behalf of the great railways which carry through freight, whose trains run upon Sunday, and it is alleged that if the law were enforced against them it would have the effect of rapidly diverting the great bulk of the freight now carried by them to the United States lines; and that this applies with special force to live stock—horses, cattle, pigs, sheep and to dairy and other perishable products.

Representations have been made on behalf of blast furnaces, maltsters, brewers, bakers, certain lumber industries, the Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, Canada Southern Railways, steamboat owners, foundries and other iron works, gas companies, coal companies, manufacturers of cal cium carbide and acetylene, and by engineers, conductors and firemen of some of the railways, and by a large number generally interested in the question. In preparing the bill, I am free to acknowledge that it was not foreseen that these varied institutions, industries and callings would be seriously affected by the measure and, as the time has been short since the bill was distributed in the country and in which representations could be made to the Government, it is alleged that there are many other callings which would be quite as seriously affected.

The Government have arrived at the conclusion that the whole question may be better treated through the medium of a select committee, to be appointed by the Legislative Assembly early next session, when all partic may be heard and their representations fairly considered, and after whose report a bill may be framed which will meet the circumstances of the situation.

The question of the authority of the Provincial Legislature to control the traffic arrangements of the lines of railway under the immediate jurisdiction of the Dominion Legislature and Government has also been raised, and the question is one of considerable magnitude. The same remarks apply to the powers of the Local Legislature to prescribe day for labor upon the canals and other Dominion public works, and this doubt also may apply to such works affecting so much of navigation as is under the exclusive control of the Dominion Parliament.

The present bill was not intended to apply to the operations of street cars or electric railways. The Act passed last session in that respect has been incorporated with the Lord's Day Act, and remains part thereof.

Mr. Hardy closed by assuring the House of the Government's earnest desire to preserve the sanctity of the Sabbath.

Mr. Whitney agreed with the Premier that these dying hours of a dying Parliament should not be chosen to deal with such a measure. But he (the Premier) could not escape blame from the country for deliberately bringing this bill down at the end of the session. It was not through inadvertence that this measure had been brought down at the end of the session, when it could not be dealt with. The Government was expected to in good time prepare measures to meet the needs of the country, so that the Legislature might have occasion to discuss them. The fact was that the Premier, that the Government had made a dumb show before the country, and it would get its reward.

Messrs. Gibson (Huron), Haycock, Crawford, McKay and Hon. G. W. Ross spoke for and against the withdrawal, and the bill was then withdrawn.

Government Carries Timber Bill.

Hon. J. M. Gibson moved the third reading of the Act respecting the manufacture of pine cut on the Crown domain.

Mr. Whitney moved in amendment that the clause in the act compelling the manufacture of lumber in Canada be made to apply to existing licenses as well as to those made after April next, as the bill provides.

Without discussion the House was divided, with the result that Mr. Whitney's amendment was lost on the following vote:

Yeas—Beatty (Leeds), Beatty (Parry Sound), Brower, Bush, Carnegie, Crawford, Fallis, Gurd, Haggerty, Hiscott, Kerns, Kidd, Langford, Little, Magwood, Marter, Matheson, Meacham Miscampbell, Preston, Reid (Addington,) Ryerson, St. John, Whitney, Willoughby—25.

Nays—Auld, Barr, Baxter, Bennett, Biggar, Burt, Campbell, Carpenter, Caven, Chapple, Charlton, Cleland, Conmee, Craig, Currie, Dana, Davis, Dickenson, Dryden, Dynes, Farwell, Ferguson, Field, Flatt, Garrow, German, Gibson (Hamilton,) Gibson (Huron), Harcourt, Hardy, Haycock, Hobbs, Loughrin, Macnish, McDonald, McKay (Oxford), McKay (Victoria), McKee, McLaren, McLean, McNaughton, McNeil, McNichol, McPherson, Middleton, Moore, Mutrie, O'Keefe, Pardo, Paton, Pattullo, Richardson, Robertson, Robillard, Ross, Shore, Stratton, Taylor, Truax, Tucker—60.

When Hon. Mr. Harcourt moved the House into Supply, Col. Kerns moved in amendment:

That this House regrets the large and steady increase in the ordinary expenditure of the province, greatly exceeding the increase in the revenue, and also regrets that the expenditure of the province has not been kept within the revenue, and that the province has to depend to a very large extent on Crown lands receipts to meet the ordinary expenditure.

After Col. Matheson had spoken,

Col. Kerns' amendment was lost on division.

Mr. German, the member for Welland, proposed important action for the development of Niagara Falls power, but the adjournment of the debate was moved.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt's bill respecting the granting of aid to the railways subsidised by resolution of the House on Thursday

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A JUDGE APPOINTED.

Hon. F. Langelier Goes to Superior Court of Quebec.

THE SEIZURE OF THE DANUBE,

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Steamer, Said to Have Been in Violation of the U. S. Coasting Laws—Yukon Mining Regulations to Retain the Gold Royalty—Canada and Tunis.

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—The Governor-General yesterday approved of the appointment of Hon. Francois Langelier as a Judge of the Superior Court for Montreal, in place of Mr. Justice Jette, who has resigned. Mr. Jette has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec and will assume office immediately after Lieut.-Governor Chapleau prorogues the Legislature.

The mining regulations for the Yukon which are now being framed by the Government will retain the gold royalty as one of its features. The royalty will be reduced to a uniform basis, slightly below that of last year. This conclusion has been reached as the result of the closest study and advice of Government officers.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has been advised that a convention between Great Britain and France relative to trade with Tunis was ratified on Oct. 15, 1897. The most favored nation clause has been specially drawn so as to exclude Canada from its operation, a somewhat important departure as compared with British treaties in the old days.

The Secretary of State and Minister of Customs have received information of the seizure of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company's steamer Danube, Capt. Irvine, at Skaguay. The Danube left St. Mary's, where her papers were vised, for Juneau, having United States Customs Inspector Smith on board. From Juneau, by permision, they went to Skaguay, where she was seized. The reason is unknown, unless it be an infraction of the coasting laws by calling at two American ports successively. The opinion is expressed here that the course pursued has been harsh and unjustifiable, especially in view of the fact that Inspector Smith was on board, and that the Canadian authorities are allowing United States vessels the greatest liberty. Efforts are being made to secure her release.

PRIVATE BANK ASSIGNS.

Midland Trust Company to be Wound Up—Deposits of $150,000—May Pay in Full.

Port Hope, Jan. 15.—Quite a sensation has been caused here and in the neighboring country by the assignment of the Midland Trust Company of Port Hope. No particulars will be available until the report of the assignee is made, but it is thought the liabilities are very heavy, and as the assets of the company consist largely of farmers' notes and mortgages, many of which have one or more years to run, it will be some time before they will be available to pay the creditors, unless an arrangement can be made to transfer them to some other institution.

The deposits, totaling over $150,000, have been placed in the hands of the company largely by Port Hope people or those in the immediate neighborhood, and while there may be a temporary embarassment to several of the depositors, very little fear is expressed but that the affairs of the bank are in a solvent condition.

The Midland Trust Company consisted of Messrs. John Paterson and Stanley Paterson, who for many years conducted a large private banking business, with farmers as the chief customers. Mr. Stanley Paterson was also agent for the telegraph and express companies, and was always rated very high financially. His death occurred on Sunday last, and to prevent a run on the bank, the issuing of writs and to save expense the remaining partner assigned.

News From Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—It is stated here in railway circles that the line from Pembroke running south to the Parry Sound road will be started at once. The Cobourg & Tweed line, subsidized recently by the Ontario Government, will also be pushed forward, Mr. J. D. Cameron of Quebec having the contract.

Mr. Pierre Blanchet, advocate, who died at the Hotel Dieu at Arthabasca this week, was 83 years old. In 1837 he took a stirring part in the rebellion.

Mr. James Crathern has been elected by acclamation President of the Montreal Board of Trade.

DRS. GRANT AND LUCAS.

Will Debate the Prohibition Question Jan. 27 and 28—Funds Raised to Go to the Poor.

Kingston, Jan. 15.—Rev. Dr. Lucas and Dr. Grant will debate on prohibition in the City Hall on Jan 27 and 28. Mayor Livingston will preside. The admission fee charged will go to the poor. The issue discussed will be: "That a Dominion prohibitory law would injure the cause of temperance as well as public and political morality." The speakers will be limited to time and speak alternately. There will be no vote taken at the close. Dr. Lucas arrives here on the 22nd, preaches on Sunday (23rd), lectures on Imperial federation on Monday, then remains for the debate on Thursday and Friday.

John Kelly, aged 68, died yesterday from apoplexy, a third attack. For forty years he had been in the postal service and was superannuated last September because of illness. On Wednesday he drew his first superannuation allowance. Two of his sons are in the Catholic priesthood.

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was the careful treatment she might receive at the hospital. We took her there and for eight days they had no hope of her recovery, but later she had a change for the better. Her sickness, however, left her very delicate and weak, and she did not grow any for a year. It was then I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla, inasmuch as I had used it for myself and found it such a good medicine for building up a constitution. She had not taken two bottles before she had improved wonderfully. She has grown rosy and plump and is quite herself again. I have great faith in Hood's." MRS. M. HICKERSON, 326 Bloor Street, West, Toronto, Ontario.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 1898.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

THERE are always two sides to every healthy question. The Canadian manufacturers of binder twine no doubt have claims; at the same time it must be remembered that the farmers have rights.

THE Montreal Star is trying the role of philantrophy—a new departure, flippery being its specialty. It is now giving the Liberal party some cheap advice, which, like other commodities, is worth what it costs. It advises the Liberals of Quebec to hold a convention. The Star deserves so much at the hands of the Liberals that its advice should be taken with a Liberal pinch of salt.

THE Opposition require a very small peg to hang a complaint upon. Regarding the proposal to place a public institution in Oxford county for the sake of affording farm work for the inmates, Mr. Mathieson charges that the change is made to reward the municipality for sending a member to support the Government. Gratitude for favours to come is common enough on the lower plane of politics, but gratitude for past favours is something unheard of.

THE Opposition can't consistently oppose the timber legislation of the Government, but they try to do so on one point, and that is they demand the immediate enforcement of the requirement to cut logs in Canada. That would be a good thing if it could be done, but it is, literally, a moral impossibility, though it is an immoral possibility, The Government has made a solemn agreement with the purchasers of timber, and that agreement holds good to April 1st. The Government, which represents the Queen, would be causing Her Majesty to commit a dishonourable action by cancelling a bargain simply because for special reasons it may be desirable to do so.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. Robert Patterson, wife and son of Miami, Manitoba, are the guests of Mr. Arthur Robson.

We notice in the January number of Munsey's Magazine a short story, entitled "It," with the scene laid at Stony lake, from the pen of our former townsman, Mr. S. Sheldrake.

Mrs. John Patterson of Essex is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hetherington.

Messrs. H. Lempriere and E. R. Tate sailed on New Year's Day for England.

Miss Beavis, formerly a missionary in British Columbia, has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Nelson.

R. Graham & Son for bargains in groceries during their January sale.

Mr. John Dinwoodie, while working at the dam, saw one or two cedar logs coming down which belonged to a near by lumberman, and in order to save them from going over the dam, took a pikepole to get hold of them and scub them. He unfortunately lost his balance and tumbled into the river, but managed to grasp the boom and pull himself out, otherwise he would have gone over the dam. He is suffering from a cold from his involuntary bath.

The first carnival of the season will be held here on Thursday, Jan. 20th. A number of excellent prizes will be offered for the different events. The North Smith band will be present and enliven the evening by their music. It is said that a number of elegant costumes will be on the ice that evening.

Lakefield District L.O.L. met in the Orange Hall on Tuesday, when the following officers were elected:—

Bro Wesley Northcott	W	District Master
" John Kennedy	D	"
" Richard Waram		" Chap
" John W Stuart		" Treas
" Robt Nugent		" Fin Sec
" Stephen Harrison		" Rec Sec
" W P Chase		" D of C
" T G Eastland		" Lecturer

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The Sons of Scotland Benevolent Society have secured the services of Miss Tessa McCallum, humourous and dramatic reader, and Miss Detta E. Ziegler, soprano, who will give a strictly high-class recital in the town hall, here, on Monday evening, January 24th. Among the press notices the Windsor Review says: "St. Andrew's supper . . . Miss Ziegler sang "The Auld House." This was her first appearance before a Windsor audience, and by the time she finished the first verse she had established herself as a favourite. She has a rich, full voice and her Scotch pronounciation was excellent, so good that she was highly complimented at the conclusion of the banquet. For an encore she sang 'The Land o' the Leal" sweetly and with much expression. Miss Ziegler sang "Jessie's Dream," and sang it well. As an encore she gave "Well may the Keel Row.' When our local Scotchmen give a concert it is usually conceded to be the best of the season. This will be no exception. Popular prices.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The inaugural meeting of the village council was held in the town hall on Monday at noon. Present—J. F. Lillicrap, reeve; Councillors Braden, Burgis and Moore, Dr. Fraser being absent through illness. These present having taken the required declarations, the reeve took his seat and declared the council open.

A bylaw appointing Messrs. W. M. Graham and Geo. B. Hilliard auditors for 1898 was through its various stages.

A number of petitions for the office of assessor, collector, etc., were received when it was decided to hold them over until Monday, Jan. 17th, when a special meeting will be held.

The Finance Committee presented a report recommending the payment of the following accounts:

Lakefield News, Printing	$14 20
G Sherin, supplies	2 20
John Headren, teaming	4 25
E A Burgis	65
Geo Ramsey, plans	12 00
David Spaish, repairs R & B	6 25
Village Clerk, election expenses	14 60
R Johnston, snow cleaning	7 00
H Garbutt, wood	2 00
O M Nals, wood, town hall	2 00
Mrs B Robinson, cleaning hall	50
	$69 72

Report on motion was adopted.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday evening, January 17th, 1898, at the usual hour.

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NORTH MONAGHAN.

The council elect of the township of North Monaghan met at the clerk's office at one o'clock on Thursday, Jan. 10th, 1898.

After each member had made and subscribed the statutory declaration of qualification for office the council organized for the transaction of public affairs, the reeve, Mr. John McIntosh, presiding.

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was deferred until next meeting.

The following communications were received:—

From J. R. Laing, provincial municipal auditor, referring to the purchase of the approved Municipal Cash Book for municipal treasurers.

From the Municipal World, soliciting subscriptions for 1898.

From the American Surety Company, calling attention to the rates of their company for suretyship bonds.

From D. Eagleston, a chartered accountant of Lindsay, asking to be appointed a township auditor.

Tenders were received from the Peterborough Review Printing Company and Peterborough Times Printing Company for the contract of municipal printing and supplies for the year 1898.

Accounts were presented as follows:—James Mervin, posts for culvert, 12½ cents, $1.25; Peterborough EXAMINER Printing Co., contract and extras, 1897, $68; P. Hamilton, Mfg. Co., repairs to road grader, $16.55.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Madill, that the accounts of the Peterborough EXAMINER and Jas. Mervin be passed and paid and that P. Hamilton's account be referred to the reeve for investigation.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. May and Hunter that the clerk is authorized to subscribe for the Municipal World for 1898 for the use of this council.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and May that the tender of the Peterborough Review Co. for to do the township printing, etc., for 1898 at the sum of $24 be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Madill that Mr. R. Waterman be appointed an auditor of the township accounts for the year 1897 at a salary of $5.—Carried.

The reeve appointed Mr. W. C. Rightmyer as the other auditor, at the usual salary.

Moved by Messrs. Bradburn and Madill, that the Reeve and Councillors Hunter and May be a committee to act with Mr. W. Anderson of Otonabee, to arange an amicable settlement with the town of Peterborough in the matter under dispute in the sewer arbitration costs, and if such settlement is not concluded on or before the 15th day of Jan., 1898, the said committee are hereby authorized, if they deem it desirable, to instruct their solicitor to enter an action in the court and recover the amount of the costs due this municipality.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Hunter and Madill, that the clerk advertise for tenders to supply cedar for culverts and bridges in the municipality for 1898.—Carried.

The clerk was then instructed to prepare bylaws to confirm appointments to be made at the meeting to be held in the town hall on Tuesday, Feb. 1st.

Council then adjourned.

Where Specialists Failed Dr. Chase Cured Catarrh.

James Spence, Clachan, Ont., writes:—"I had been a sufferer from Catarrh for 15 years. It became chronic and I had given up hopes of ever being cured when advised by a friend to try Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure. I at once started and am pleased to state three boxes effected a complete cure, and I heartily recommend it to anyone suffering from Catarrh."

HAVELOCK.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Many of our young people drove over to Campbellford on Monday evening the 10th inst, to participate in the opening of the new skating rink there. Among them was Havelock's ice fiend, Alf. McGuire. Campbellford's rink is among the best in Ontario.

D.D.G.M. Untts, of the United Workmen, attended a meeting of Havelock Lodge Monday night. He reports very favourably as to the progress of the Order here.

Royal Lodge No. 226, I.O.O.F., Havelock, held installation of officers on Thursday evening last, Bro. Fry, D.D.G.M., of Norwood, being the installing officer.

Mr. Menzies, of the EXAMINER staff, favoured our town with his presence on Monday.

Mr. Sid Haskell, brakeman on the C. P. R., and family, have moved to Smith's Falls. We are sorry to lose such good residents. Mr. Haskill and family have endeared themselves to all, and they take with them the best wishes of the people of the village.

The new council met last Monday at 11 a.m., and subscribed to the necessary qualification for office, and adjourned their meeting until Tuesday evening for the transaction of business.

Mr. H. B. R. Dryden of Campbellford, paid Havelock a visit last week.

Mr. John Brown, County Councillor of Belmont, passed through Havelock last week on his way home from a special meeting of the County Council.

Mr. J. J. Crowe license inspector, spent Sunday in Havelock.

The first meeting of the new school board will take place in the school hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 19th.

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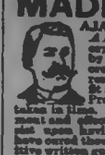

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THE FOURTH SESSION.

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came up in committee stage and Mr. Carnegie moved that a clause be inserted in the measure to compel the employment of none but British subjects on the roads to be helped.

Mr. Hardy said that such a provision would prevent immigration. The United States had not gone so far yet.

Mr. Whitney observed that the United States had gone a good deal further. He thought the citizens of Canada should be protected.

Mr. Carnegie's amendment was lost on a standing vote, and the bill passed the committee stage.

Mr. Harcourt then moved the third reading of the same bill, and Mr. Carnegie moved in amendment that there be added to the measure the words: "Provided that all those employed on the construction of the road be either British subjects or residents of Canada for one year."

Mr. German, the member for Welland, moved in amendment to Mr. Carnegie's amendment that no person shall be employed in the construction of Government-aided railways who is the subject of any country which has alien laws such as would keep Canadians from being employed on the public works in that country.

Mr. German's amendment was carried, inserted into the bill, and the bill was read a third time, as amended.

Mr. Ross' bill to amend the High School Act was read a third time.

The Attorney-General's bill to amend the Election Act was read a third time, with a minor amendment.

Hon. Mr. Gibson's bill respecting mining claims was read a third time, as was also the Attorney-General's bill "relating to judgment summonses and other matters," and Mr. Davis' bill "to amend the Ontario Companies Act," and Mr. Hardy's bill to "amend the Manhood Suffrage Act."

Reeve and Deputy Reeve.

The Attorney-General introduced a bill to affect municipal elections in 1898. In cases where such elections for reeves are found to be invalid, owing to the new bill of last session not being in force, the candidate who has the greatest number of votes should be reeve, and he who has the second highest number shall be deputy reeve. The bill was read three times.

The Closing Session.

Ontario's Legislature brought its business to a close at midnight last night, and its formal prorogation will take place in the Legislative Chamber at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon. Before the House adjourned for its last time, Mr. Whitney tendered the Speaker a tribute for the manner in which he had filled his office. Premier Hardy and Mr. Haycock endorsed these words of praise. Mr. Speaker in fitting words expressed his thanks for the compliment paid him. The House broke up after joining vociferously in the National Anthem and cheers for the Queen, the Lieut.-Governor, the Speaker and Mrs. Speaker. Then the members, old and young, like boys glad to get out of school, threw bundles of order papers at each other and kicked up all sorts of pranks and antics.

The Toronto and Scarboro Electric Railway, Light and Power Company bill was considered in committee, reported and read a third time.

When Hon. Mr. Harcourt moved the House into Committee of Supply, Mr. Whitney moved the following amendment:

That this House observes with anxiety the evidences of dissatisfaction in the public mind with the working and results of the educational system of the province, and is of the opinion that a scheme should be devised by which the sphere of the Public schools may be remodelled and, where necessary, widened and enlarged, with a view of affording to those people whose education begins and ends in such schools such further and increased educational advantages as are practicable; this House is also of opinion that, among other desirable changes, there should be created a consultative or advisory council for the assistance of the Minister of Education, upon which council should be represented all the teaching bodies in the province; and this House is also of opinion that steps should be taken to reduce the price of school books and thus lessen materially the burden now imposed upon and borne by the people of the province by reason of the large sums they have to pay for such books.

Messrs. Hardy and Haycock spoke on the amendment, which was lost on division.

The following bills were read a third and last time:

Respecting the waterworks of the city of Windsor.

To confirm a bylaw of the corporation of the town of Collingwood.

Respecting the town of Toronto Junction.

To amend the Municipal Waterworks Act.

To amend the Timber Slides Companies Act.

To amend the Act respecting voters' lists.

To amend the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act.

Respecting cemeteries.

To amend the Agriculture and Arts Act.

Respecting roads in unincorporated townships.

The House in committee amended the Act to amend the County Crown Attorneys Act so as to make the fees payable to a Crown attorney in connection with bail proceedings $1 instead of 50c.

The Piggery.

Upon the motion of Mr. Charlton for the adoption of the report of the Public Accounts Committee the Opposition brought on a discussion. Col. Matheson made the assertion that to the extent of his opportunities Mr. St. John had proved every charge he had made in regard to the piggery. He charged that there had been expenditures not shown in the public accounts and not appropriated by the Legislature.

No reply was vouchsafed the Colonel, and the silence of the Ministers was interpreted by Mr. Marter as a confession that the case was so bad as to be indefensible. He gave his version of the evidence adduced before the committee. Mr. Garrow denied that the Opposition had established any part of the charge that diseased hogs had been sold from the piggery. When Dr. Willoughby had spoken Mr. Whitney stood up and delivered a fiery speech, in which he condemned what he alleged to be unfair partiality of the majority of the Public Accounts Committee. He denied that Mr. St. John had stated that the piggery had cost $30,000. Mr. Macnish, who was present at the meeting at St. Thomas where Mr. St. John made his first piggery utterance, confirmed the report of his speech which had appeared in the Globe, the Mail and Empire, the St. Thomas Journal and Times and the London Free Press. Mr. Charlton, the Chairman of the Public Accounts Committee, detailed the proceedings of the investigation, as they have already been published. He said that Mr. St. John and the Conservative members of the committee were given the utmost liberty to examine their witnesses. The last speaker was Mr. Crawford. The report was adopted.

The House adjourned about midnight.

THE BEST OF RESULTS

ALWAYS FOLLOW THE USE OF DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

Two Cases in Which They Restored to Health and Strength After All Other Means Had Failed—What They Have Done For Others They Will do for You.

From the Colborne Express.

There are few if any people in Murray township, Northumberland County, to whom the name of Chase is not familiar. Mr. Jacob Chase, who has followed the occupation of farmer and fisherman and fishdealer, is especially well known. He has been a great sufferer from rheumatism, as all his neighbours know, but has fortunately succeeded in getting rid of the disease. To a reporter he gave the following particulars. I had been a sufferer from rheumatism for upwards of twenty years, at times being confined to the house. At one time I was laid up for sixteen weeks, and during a portion of that time was confined to my bed and perfectly helpless. I had the benefit of excellent medical treatment, but it was of no avail. I believe, too, that I have tried every medicine advertised for the cure of rheumatism and I am sure I expended at least $200.00 and got nothing more at any time than the merest temporary relief. At last I was induced to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and from that time I date my good fortune in getting rid of the disease. I continued using them for some months, and daily found that the trouble that had made my life miserable for so many years was disappearing, and at last all traces of pain had left me and I was cured. I say cured, for I have not since had a recurrence of the trouble.

As proving the diversity of troubles for which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a cure it may also be mentioned that they restored Mrs. Frank Chase, a daughter-in-law of the gentleman above referred to, to health and strength after all other means had apparently failed. Mrs. Chase says:—"I can scarcely tell what my trouble was, for even doctors could not agree as to the nature of it. One said it was consumption of the stomach, while another was equally emphatic in declaring that it was liver trouble. One thing I do know, and that is for years I was a sick woman. I know that I was afflicted with neuralgia, my blood was poor and I was subject to depressing headaches. My appetite was not good at any time, and the least exertion left me weak and despondent. A lady friend who had been benefitted by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advised me to try them, and as they had also cured my father-in-law, I determined to do so, and I have much cause for rejoicing that I did, for you can easily see that they have made a well woman of me. I took the pills steadily for a couple of months, and at the end of that time was enjoying the blessing of good health. It gives me much pleasure to be able to bear public testimony to the value of this wonderful medicine."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure by going to the root of the disease. They renew and build up the blood, and strengthen the nerves, thus driving disease from the system. Avoid imitations by insisting that every box you purchase is enclosed in a wrapping bearing the full trade mark, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

Almost Unbearable.

"I suffered from kidney trouble so much that the pain in my back was almost unbearable and I felt tired and worn out all the time, my tongue was coated and until I took Doan's Kidney Pills I had been unable to do my housework for over a month. These pills have made a complete cure, all my kidney and bladder troubles have disappeared and I feel like a new woman." Mrs. Presley, Kingston, Ont.

Worms cannot exist either in children or adults when Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is used. 25c. All dealers.

ANOTHER VICTORY

THE CORNER CORNERED AGAIN!

OAK HALL

SURRENDERS TO

OAK HALL **Gough Bros.** OAK HALL

CANADA'S GREATEST HUSTLERS.

"NORTHWARD the Sweep of Conquest Takes its Way!"

We come before the public again with an announcement so important—so sensational in its effect—that it leaves no room for doubt that the battle of business means THE SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

We announce with pleasure the purchase of the Stock of the Millionare Sanford's Clothing Company in Peterborough, known as "OAK HALL," Corner of George and Hunter Streets, by which we come into possession

$16,430 Worth of Clothing | 62½ CENTS

OF UNMATCHABLE EXCELLENCE Purchased at a Rate on the Dollar of **On the Manufacturer's Cost.**

The offer of the Sanford Company to buy out Oak Hall has been open to us for some time. It has been known that this wealthy firm have been anxious to close up their Peterborough Branch rather than continue the fight against competition such as GOUGH BROS. have always put up. With a constituency extending over Ontario, and forming the largest syndicate of Clothing dealers in Canada, it was a mistake to plant an "Oak Hall" acorn alongside the Dauntless Goughs. And so, another rich scalp has been added to GOUGH BROS.' belt. And so, "The Corner" has been cornered again by the Wonderful Cheap Men.

To Wake Up the Town

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, JANUARY 12th, we inaugurate a Clean Sweep of the whole of Oak Hall's stock—from the roof through every floor to the basement—from the door strip in front to the wall at the back. It begins and stops at the end.

Everything goes! Necessity has no law. Manufacturer's Prices dashed down without mercy! Not a garment left if we can prevent it.

A TRIUMPHANT SALE!

—A Sale to wake up the Town—a Sale that will be without precedent and hopelessly out of reach of competition—beyond the possibility of an equal in this or any other portion of Canada.

A Clothing Blizzard—Sweeping Oak Hall Counters and Shelves at Prices a QUARTER and a THIRD below original values.

THE QUALITY of this High Class Stock of Clothing will speak—you can be absolutely sure of that. It all bears the label of the Sanford Manufacturing Company. You might be able to get as good Clothing in one or two other stores in Canada, but you can never equal the Clothing and our Prices both together. While it was a notorious fact that Oak Hall never could match or undersell GOUGH BROS., it was acknowledged that their Clothing always took high rank among the Highest Class Goods of America.

THIS SALE, therefore, appeals to the best class of people, who desire to put the stamp of their approval on HIGH QUALITY.

We want a Great Sale—a Great Crowd—a Great Celebration of our latest Famous Victory! The Millionare Merchant Clothier's Sacrifice to GOUGH BROS. will put many a coin in the pockets of those who buy during this Triumphant Sale. Don't forget to follow the Mile Posts to

GOUGH BROS.

BUYERS OF OAK HALL STOCK.

THE LADIES
— OF —
PETERBOROUGH

Having given abundant evidence that they are perfectly satisfied that this store makes it possible to meet the requirements of the day, without any misrepresentation in QUALITIES or VALUES.

We PROTECT our customers and GUARANTEE them the most moderate prices, consistent with good goods.

Buying MILLINERY and STYLISH HATS and GARMENTS out of the ordinary and paying LESS than you expected, leaves no restraint upon the pleasure of shopping here.

We lay particular stress just now upon the economy of buying here during this month. Scores of buyers who have attended our Reduction Sale know what money they have saved on their purchases. Cost prices are ignored entirely, and your chance to buy reliable goods at a sacrifice should induce an early visit.

We excel in Gloves, Veiling, Corsets, Hosiery, Jackets, Hats and Millinery Novelties, at Stock Clearing Prices.

MISS DELANEY

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Don't miss the Paris Gaiety Girls at the Opera House to-night.

W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held on Monday, 17th, at 3.30 p.m., at Mrs. Paton's, Brock street. All are welcome.

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing sale.

Murray Street Baptist Church.

"Song service" at Murray street Baptist church to-morrow evening. Subject: "The Good Shepherd." All welcome.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

"Without a Peer."

Miss Sinclair, President of the Belleville Y.M.C.A., who visited Peterborough yesterday, says of Miss Tessie McCallum: "As an entertainer she stands without a peer in Canada." McCallum-Zeigler concert in Y.M.C.A. hall Tuesday evening, Jan. 25th.

An Evening of Pictures.

The pleasure of your company is asked to "an Evening of Pictures" by Edwin A. Abbey, Charles Dana Gibson, Howard Pyle, W. T. Smedley, Alice Barber Stephens, W. F. Taylor, Albert Lynch, etc., at the Charlotte street Methodist church on Thursday evening, January 20th, under the auspices of the Junior Endeavour Society. Admission 10 cents. 2d

Everyone Who Can Read or Write

Drop in and see the bargains we are offering during our stock-taking sale. We want everyone who reads or writes, to become a customer at the Peterborough Bookstore. We keep all the latest newspapers and periodicals, and supply them them regularly every week and month. Be a regular subscriber, and you will also be sure of your paper. Don't forget your Sunday reading.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 239 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices:

Hair cut..... 15c
Shave..... 7c

Having been five years in the employ of Mr. LeGros, I can guarantee my work to be satisfactory. Three comfortable chairs and up-to-date accommodation. Ladies' Shampooing correctly done. Switches and bangs repaired and made to order to match your own hair at half the usual price.

EDWARD LECLAIRE.

Runaway.

On Friday evening, says the Lakefield News, two sports from Peterborough drove up to the village to have a big time, and by all appearance they had it. Before they had been in the village long they succeeded in getting a good "jag," on and started to drive around the village. When opposite the Methodist church the horse threw them out of the cutter and made off. The cutter struck a tree near the Baptist church and the horse broke loose from the cutter. When captured it was found that the harness was considerably damaged, but the cutter was not broken much. It is a bad place to come for a "jag," as the parties invariably come to grief or are promptly brought before the coal.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

PETERBOROUGHS WIN IN THE SENIOR SERIES.

THE T. A. C. BEATEN BY SEVENTEEN GOALS TO SEVEN.

The Visitors Had Not the Combination or the Shooting Qualifications to Win Whilst the Peterboroughs Played a Grand Team Game and Shot with Deadly Effect.

There is no doubt existing now as regards the designs which the Peterboroughs have on that senior championship—they are after it hot-foot and no mistake. This was fully demonstrated last evening at the rink when they played the Toronto Athletic Club to a standstill: gave them a game in fact so fast, that in the endeavour to keep up with the pace, every Toronto man was at different times during the evening laid up with cramps. It was a great victory—17 to 7 and by the beautiful combination work of the forwards and the grand interference game put up by the defense it is evident that the Peterboroughs are in a better position than ever to win that coveted senior championship.

Last evening's game was a grand exhibition of hockey, although the score was somewhat one-sided. The Toronto boys are faster skaters, probably, than the Peterboroughs, but their combination work is not in the same class at all as that of the home team. Time and again the whole Peterborough forward line would go down the ice together and by their skilful passing game elude the strong defense of the visiting team and score easily. On the contrary the rushes of the T. A. C's were almost entirely individual and although the puck was on the Peterborough ice fully as often as on that of the visitors, yet as it was carried on by only one player at a time, it was comparatively easy to stop him. The visitors were also deficient in their shooting capabilities and were prone to carry the puck into corners of the rink. During the entire evening there was not one clean shot made on the Peterborough goal which scored. Every one that tallied was either shoved through out of a scrimmage or else came around from behind and was shoved through with no one to assist Wasson in defending his flags. The play of the Peterboroughs shone brightly in relief. The lifts on goal from the sides of the rink were bullet-like in their velocity and the score speaks as to their effectiveness. On the visiting team Hardisty, the Rat Portage man, was head and shoulders above his fellows. He played a game such as seldom, if ever, has been seen on Peterborough ice. As a cover-point he would be hard to equal in Canada. During the latter part of the game, when the score commenced to roll up against the Torontos, he played a trifle too rough and made one very vicious dash at Davidson. He missed him, however, and although hissing is to be deprecated, Hardisty certainly deserved that which fell to his lot on this occasion.

On the Peterborough forward line it would be hard to single out any particular player for special mention. All played in championship form and their team play won the match for them. Phelan distinguished himself in particular by his unselfish tactics. Time and again he carried the puck up the ice and drew the T. A. C. defence to him only to pass the puck to another player and give him the chance to make the shot on goal. In drawing the puck from the face off he fooled his man every time. At one time he would force it up the ice himself, then again it would go through his opponent's legs or back through his own, or he would pass back to Hollingshead. Davidson's shots on goal were something terrific, and his rushes along the side did great execution. King is in better form than ever, which is saying all that can be said, and Bellegham's tricky little moves were too much for Hardisty. The scoring was left almost entirely to King and Bellegham, and that they did their work well is needless to say. Almost every goal scored was the result of a clean lift in from the side.

Hollingshead, at cover point, played the game of his life. For the first fifteen minutes he was a trifle unsteady, but on getting his second wind he astonished the spectators by the fine interference game he put up. His lifts on the T. A. C. goal from one end of the rink to the other were something beautiful to see. Montgomery, as of yore, proved himself to be the hardest man in the rink to pass and the way he blocked and relieved when the Peterborough goal was threatened was fully up to his old standard. He made several rushes up the ice during the evening which opened the visitors' eyes. In goal Wasson put up a superb game and was at his best. Again and again, with no man to assist him, he blocked a direct shot on the goal, and relieved in a way that won for him golden opinions. He was here, there and everywhere when an attack was being made on his flags, and never was in better form.

The teams lined up on the ice as follows:

T. A. C.		Peterborough.
Turton	goal	E Wasson
Windeyer	point	W J Montgomery
Hardisty	cover point	A Hollingshead
Wisner	forwards	R Davidson
Birchall		L King
Gill		W Phelan
Chadwick		S Bellegham
R H Kells	umpires	S Ray

Referee, Mr F W Ambe.

The games were scored in the following order:

1	Peterborough,	by Bellegham,	time	2 min.
2	"	King,	"	2 "
3	T A C.		"	2 "
4	Peterborough,	King,	"	2 "
5	T A C.		"	4 "
6	"		"	4½ "
7	"		"	4½ "
8	Peterborough,	King,	"	4½ "
9	"	King,	"	5 "
10	"	King,	"	1 "
11	"	King,	"	1 "
12	"	King,	"	1 "
		HALF TIME.		
13	"	King,	"	1 "
14	"	King,	"	2 "
15	T A C.		"	1 "
16	Peterborough,	Davidson	"	1 "
17	"	Bellegham,	"	4 "
18	"	Bellegham,	"	1 "
19	"	Bellegham,	"	½ "
20	"	Bellegham,	"	1 "
21	"	Davidson,	"	½ "
22	"	Phelan,	"	½ "
23	T A C.		"	1 "
24	"		"	11 "

The puck was faced off at ten minutes to nine, and was taken by Phelan, but Hardisty intercepted the pass. He passed forward, and one of the visiting team made an off side play. From the face-off the puck went into Peterborough territory, but Hollingshead relieved. Davidson nearly scored, and as the puck bounded out from the wall, Bellegham put it through, scoring first blood for Peterborough.

In the next game a rush was made on the visitors' goal, but the puck was quickly returned and operations shifted from one end of the rink to the other. Wasson made a good stop and passed to Montgomery, who carried the puck up the rink and passed to King, who notched another for Peterborough. Score, 2—0.

In the next game Phelan scored on an off-side. It was not allowed, and the puck was faced off in Peterborough territory. A scrimmage took place in front of the flags, and T.A.C. scored its first game by a shot from it. Score, 2—1.

King and Bellegham made a fast run down the ice together, and Bellegham made a close shot. It missed by a hair's breadth, but King put it through. Score, 3—1.

The next game was longer than the preceding ones, and was very exciting. Wasson was kept busy, and made two difficult stops. Both teams were apparently doing their level best, but the visitors got the best of it, finally scoring. Score, 3—2.

The next two games also went to the Torontos, but the Peterboroughs were only off colour for a couple of minutes. Then some beautiful combination play was seen on the part of the local forwards. King evened the score and then the excitement ran high and the defense of both teams were on their mettle and had their work cut out for them, as the alternate rushes of the forwards made things interesting for a time. The visitors could not stay with the puck, however, and King scored for Peterborough. Score 5—4.

The game was prolonged by the fact that one of the goal posts was broken and after it was fixed Hardisty was unfortunately hurt by being accidentally hit on the head by a stick. After the loss of about fifteen minutes play was resumed and as the result of a rush by Davidson and King, the latter tallied. Score, 6—4.

Bellegham then carried the puck down the rink and passed to King who again did the needful. Score 7—4.

Hollingshead's relief work now showed up brilliantly. After some pretty combination work by the forwards King again notched another. Score, 8—4.

In the second half Hardisty went back to point for a time, but his injury seemed to put fresh life into him, as he played far faster in the last half than in the first. King made a nice rush along the side, and made the score 9—4.

The next game was very fast and the honours were even until King tallied another, after some nice combination play with Davidson. Score, 10—4.

The visitors made a sudden rally, and in another minute the score was 10—5.

This, however, started the Peterborough's going again. Roger Davidson made a great rush along the side and lifted a bullet-like shot through the goal. Score, 11—5.

In four minutes more Bellegham did the needful again. Score, 12—5.

Three games in succession were then secured by Bellegham in eight minutes. Score, 15—5.

Then Davidson made another rush along the side and scored another.

The players were all tangled up in the next game in front of the T. A. C. goal. Phelan put his shoulder against the nearest man and pushed the whole lot—puck and all through the flags. Score, 17—5.

The two last games went to the visitors, making the score 17—7.

At the conclusion of the game the visitors were given an oyster supper at Welch's restaurant.

The Winnipegs on Tuesday.

Hockey practice to-night at seven o'clock sharp.

BIRD AND BENCH SHOW.

It Opens on Tuesday Next and Lasts for Three Days.

Carpenters are busy to-day in the market hall, building chicken coops, benches for the dogs, and the ring in which the dogs are to be shown.

All entries to the poultry show must be in the building at ten o'clock Tuesday morning. No dogs will be received before noon on Monday or after 9 a.m. on Tuesday.

The poultry show opens at 1 p.m. Tuesday, when an address on "The best Method of Dressing Poultry, etc.," will be delivered by Mr. A. G. Gilbert, of the Ottawa Experimental Farm, who is now at the London Show. He will have a quantity of dressed poultry on exhibition.

The dog show opens at 10 a. m., Tuesday. Both exhibitions will remain open until 10 p. m. Thursday night.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

Initial Song Service To-morrow Evening.

On Sunday evening a special song service, entitled the "Good Shepherd," will take the place of the ordinary service. A cordial invitation is extended to all who may desire to be present. Seats should be occupied before seven o'clock.

ORDER OF SERVICE.

Chorale—"O Paradise"..... The choir
Invocation.
Hymn—"Jesus is our Shepherd"..Congregation
Scripture Reading.
Quartette—"Tenderly the Shepherd"..... .....
Prayer and Offering.
Hymn—"O Jesus, Ever Present"..Congregation
Sermon—1st Part, Rev A T Dykeman.
Solo—"There were Ninety and Nine"..... .....
Sermon—Conclusion.
Solo—"The Good Shepherd"..... .....
Hymn—"I was a Wandering Sheep"..Congregation
Benediction.

The Probabilities

Are, that your temper will improve, and you will enjoy walking and skating in real earnest once that sore corn is removed. Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor never fails, gives no pain and will relieve in twenty-four hours. Give Putnam's Corn Extractor a trial and be happy.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

For Ten Days.

The entire stock of the T. W. Robinson & Co. Groceries and provisions must be cleared out in the next ten days. The goods are all fresh and have been selected with care, and are being sold at a great sacrifice. You will save 25 to 35 cents on every dollar. E. F. MASON & Co., at the T. W. Robinson Co., corner George and Smith streets.

"SILKOLENE."

Something new in Shaded Cotton arrived at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, Water street.

COUNCIL'S TRIBUTE TO THE LATE JOHN BURNHAM.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL.

The Arbitration Matter With Monaghan Discussed—Referred to the Mayor With Power to Settle—Minor Matters Dealt With.

The council met in special session last night to consider the course to be taken in connection with the costs in the sewerage arbitration matter between North Monaghan and the town. There were present, the Mayor, in the chair, and Messrs. Denne, Best, Dawson, Cobb, J. M. White, McWilliams, Robertson and W. H. White.

The matter was discussed at considerable length, and was finally referred to the Mayor to effect a settlement on the basis understood by the council.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

Mr. McWilliams for the committee appointed to draft a resolution of condolence with the family of the late John Burnham, Q. C., submitted the following resolution:—"That this council desire to give expression to and place on record its sorrow on account of the recent death of Mr. John Burnham, Q. C., ex-M.P., and its sympathy with Mrs. Burnham and the other members of the family in their severe affliction. Mr. Burnham was during his lifetime from the time of his coming to the years of manhood, a prominent, respected and honoured member of the community, and one who did much for the advancement of the town. His business talents and his integrity made him a most useful citizen, and in the wider sphere of public life his abilities were exercised for the benefit of his native county and the community. As a prominent member of the County Council for many years he did much to advance the interests of the county, and as citizens of the county we recognise and appreciate his work in this relation. His death has left a void in the community that has been felt by the citizens generally, and we know that in the very much closer family relations, his demise leaves a much greater void. We therefore desire to tender his family our deepest sympathy and assure them that in doing so we voice the feelings of the citizens of the town of Peterborough.

The resolution was adopted by an unanimous standing vote.

The matter of procuring runners for the hook and ladder truck, was referred to the Fire, Water and Light Committee, to get prices and report to the council.

SEVERAL MINOR MATTERS.

The matter of supplies for the fire hall was referred to the Property Committee to report.

A motion was adopted requiring a report setting forth the manner in which the contingent fund voted to the chairmen of the several committees, was expended.

A reference to a complaint mentioned by Mr. McWilliams, that persons could not get employment except they go on the charity list, Mr. Dawson explained that a few had been put on the charity list to break stone, but he was employing all the men he could, and he was aiming to have the stones all broken within a month "and be done with it."

The question of consulting with the County Council in the matter of a House of Refuge, brought up by Mr. McWilliams, was referred to the Joint Committee to discuss the subject with the county. An account, being the town's share of repairs to the Pigeon Creek bridge, was referred to the same committee, and any other matters at issue between the county and town.

The Sewerage Committee was authorized to confer with property holders with reference to the town acquiring the water front, with power to appoint a deputation to wait upon the Government if necessary.

The Chairman of the Street and Bridge Committee was empowered to instruct the Street Inspector to give a rough estimate of the cost of diverting the creek at Sherbrooke street into the river. In the discussion that followed, it came out that several private parties would contribute to the diverting of the creek.

Council adjourned.

The Most Prominent are Fashionable.

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MONDAY, the 17th Jan. inst.,

at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the reception of reports and the transaction of any other necessary business.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 1898

PERSONAL.

Provost Welch, of Trinity University, was the guest of Rev. J. C. Davidson during his stay in town.

Mrs. Herbert Stephens, of Port Elgin, Ont., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Burnet, Water street.

Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., leaves this evening to preach anniversary sermons in the Millbrook Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

Rev. S. J. Shorey is in Belleville where he preaches Educational sermons tomorrow in the Bridge street Methodist church.

Mrs. M. W. Matchett returned home yesterday from a very pleasant visit with her father, Mr. Roger Gist, and other friends at Canton, Hope township.

Miss Agar, of Toronto, has received the appointment as organist of the Murray street Baptist Church. Miss Agar is a niece of Mr. W. Madill, druggist, is a fine musician and comes highly recommended.

The recently published returns of the successful candidates at the Normal School Examinations at Ottawa, gives the name of Mr. J. D. Denny, Principal of the Elgin Ward School, Smith's Falls, as being one of nine, out of the thirty who presented themselves, who was successful in getting a First Class Professional Certificate. Mr. Denny is a graduate of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute, and was for some time on the staff of the Public Schools here.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The annual meeting of the Y.W.C.A. will be held at the rooms of the association this evening, at 8 o'clock. All members are cordially requested to be present. Reports will be read and the Board chosen. The public are invited to be present.

The Paris Gaiety Girls, Burlesque and Vaudeville Company, headed by little Egypt, the wonderful dancer, at the Opera House to-night. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c.

PROVOST OF TRINITY IN ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

HE DELIVERED A MOST INTERESTING LECTURE LAST NIGHT

On "Modern Revivals in the Church of England"—A Vote of Thanks Extended at the Close of the Address.

In spite of the many counter attractions, a large and most satisfactory audience assembled last evening in St. John's church school house to hear Provost Welch of Trinity University speak on "Modern Revivals in the Church of England."

The lecture generally was a summary of the recent history of the Church of England presented in a series of life-like pictures of the successive movements within it, and was characterized throughout by the kindly spirit and breadth of charity in which the different religious opinions were referred to.

The speaker opened by sketching the beginning of events as affecting the Church, politically and religiously, during the forty years after the accession of William and Mary, pointing out that during the reign of Queen Ann, the Church, ever Tory in politics, attained a very great height of political influence, and also while full of a truly religious life.

WITH THE ACCESSION

of the House of Hanover, which brought with it the predominance of the Whig party the church fell into a condition of political impotence and religious inefficiency.

It was then pointed out that at the time of the massing of great populations in the towns, without any provision for their moral or spiritual welfare, produced a condition of things in regard to immorality and irreligion, which perhaps has never been equalled in the history of England. This condition of things constituted the need of the first great movement referred to and what is known as the evangelical revival began by John Wesley, his brother Charles and others about the year 1878. A description was then given in outline of the movement which came to be known as the Methodist movement, which operated chiefly amongst the lower classes of society and in a large measure outside the established church of England and which was inseparably connected with the great name

OF JOHN WESLEY,

who was described as being one of the truest saints of God who ever lived.

The lecturer then pointed out that side by side with the Methodist movement, there was a kindred but distinct movement confined entirely to the limits of the Church of England, of which Vern, Romaine, Toplady (author of Rock of Ages,) and Charles Simian were the leaders. After summarizing results of this earlier movement and pointing out some of its weaknesses, the lecturer proceeded to show the need for the second grand revival—namely that which is known as the Oxford or Tractarian movement, the purpose of which was to raise the church to a sense of its own divine character and to recall the minds of churchmen to juster views of the place of the Sacraments in the Church's system. In this connection it was pointed out that John Keble was the actual author of the revival, and during its progress was the poet and the great sobering influence of the movement. Pusey was the scholar and theologian, Newman the preacher, and, during its earlier years, the master mind of the revival.

As in the case of the earlier movement, the progress and the results and some of the defects of the Church revival were briefly touched on, and the lecturer concluded by showing how the Social movement inaugurated by Maurice and Robertsoo and Charles Kingsley, supplied many of the defects of the two great movements which had preceded it.

At the close of the lecture a vote of thanks was moved by Mr. L. Rye and Mr. Barton Earle, who both expressed the gratitude of the audience for the second kind visit of the Provost.

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A PRESENTATION

Which Took Place in the Charlotte Street Sunday School Last Night.

The lecture room of Charlotte street Methodist church, last evening, was a scene seldom to be witnessed. On entering the room one could not but admire the cosy home-like appearance that was presented to view, the room being handsomely decorated, tables filled with the choicest of such as refresh the inner man.

The gathering was that of the members and friends of the class of Mr. Isaac Richardson, who has been one of the most faithful teachers of Charlotte street school for upwards of fourteen years, and has been a constant teacher in Sunday schools for over twenty years.

The members rendered an excellent programme, which consisted of songs, readings and recitations.

Then the change in the programme, when Mr. Richardson was surprised by a presentation of a handsome gold headed cane and the following address:

To Isaac Richardson, Esq., Bible Class Teacher in Charlotte Street Methodist Church:

DEAR BROTHER AND TEACHER,—On this festive occasion, when all hearts are merry and friends join hearts and hands in happy greeting we thought our joy would not be complete without extending to our esteemed teacher our best wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year, and to otherwise show we have not quite forgotten him.

We have assembled here this evening to manifest to you the high esteem of appreciation we entertain for you, both as a Christian brother and sabbath school teacher, in view of which we pray you to accept this present, not because of its intrinsic value, but as a slight expression of our deep regard and profound respect in which you are held by us.

It is with pleasure that we can bear testimony, so far as our observations have reached, that you have been not only faithful in the discharge of Sabbath's duties, but consistent as a true follower of our Master in that of your temporal duties as well, wherever business has called you during the week. We believe it our privilege to say truthfully that you have been a living epistle, known and read by those with whom you intermingle daily, and in their minds approved as a Christian gentleman, reliable employee and worthy citizen.

We have with regret witnessed your failing health and suffering, to which you have been subjected during the last few years, and have not looked idly on, careless and unfeeling, but have suffered also with you in a measure.

It is our most earnest prayer that God may see fit to restore you to your wonted health, making you strong to continue in the service of our illused Master.

Your class and friends invited unite in wishing you and your family unlimited prosperity, and trust that you may live long to fill all available positions of usefulness to which it may please God to call you, growing daily in grace and in the knowledge of the truth as it is in Christ, until He shall see fit to call you home to your reward, and the well done, etc.

(Signed)

SECRETARY OF CLASS.

Mr. Richardson made a very appropriate reply, thanking those who had so kindly shown their appreciation of his services as teacher, which he claimed he felt unworthy of, and assuring them that this gathering would never be forgotten by him, and as for the cane he said he would hold it as one of his dearest treasures as long as he lived.

Addresses were also delivered by the pastor of the church, the superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. R. J. Kidd, Dr. Morrison, Mr. James and Mr. Tovey, President of the Epworth League of the church.

Mr. J. C. Elliott presided and made many neat and appropriate remarks complimentary to the honoured guest of the evening.

All the speakers landed Mr. Richardson's qualities as a man, Sabbath school teacher and Bible student.

After a most enjoyable evening had been spent the benediction was pronounced by the pastor and all went home happy.

A PLEASANT EVENING.

Mrs. James Kendry Entertains the Members of her Sunday School Class.

On Thursday evening last Mrs. James Kendry entertained the members of her Sunday school class at her residence.

There were also present, Rev. Mr. Shorey and Mrs. Shorey, the superintendent, Mr. T. W. Robinson, and Mrs. Robinson, and the superintendent, Mr. S. R. Armstrong.

A very pleasant and enjoyable evening was spent.

ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Distribution of Prizes for the Year Took Place Last Evening.

The annual entertainment in connection with St. Paul's Sunday school took place last evening, when the distribution of prizes for the year took place as follows:

For Memorizing Scripture — George Gilchrist, Stanley Fife, Herbert Johnston, Maxwell Fife Archie Gilchrist, Stanley Madill, Gracie Johnston, Marion Howson, Lexa Howson, Annie Little, Etta Smith, Minnie McIntosh, Rufus McKnight, Arthur McKnight, Wilbert McIntosh, Herbert Johnston.

For Memorizing Catechism — Archie Gilchrist, Marion Howson, Lexa Howson, George Gilchrist, Stanley Fife, Archie Lang.

For Attendance Fifty-two Sabbaths.—Lexa Howson, Mary Ferguson, Lizzie Wallace, Mary Logan, Gracie Johnston, Lily Wallace, Maggie Mein, Maud Lush, Annie McCanna, Jessie Waddell, Jennie Simpson, Jennie Gillespie, George Gilchrist, Gordon Logan, James Wallace, Carl Russell, Roy Turner, Herbert Johnston, Bert Gillespie, Savigny Lang, Jos. Sanderson, Melville Turner, Harry Carey, Ernest Hubble, Archie Gilchrist.

The chair was occupied during the evening by the Superintendent. Mr. A. J. Johnston, and a short address was delivered by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Torrance.

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ODDFELLOWS' INSTALLATION.

THE NEW OFFICERS IN LODGES OF THE DISTRICT.

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HAVELOCK LODGE.

Havelock Lodge, I.O.O.F. installed officers on Thursday evening, when a large number of visiting brethren were present. The ceremony was performed by D.D.G.M. Fred Fry, of Norwood, assisted by Jas. A. McGill, P.G., Otonabee Lodge, Peterborough; R. Gilles, P.G., Pontypool; Thos. Curtis, P.G., and Walter Code, P.G., of Havelock.

The officers were conducted to their chairs as follows:

Bro T H Cummings	J P G
" Edward Fennell	N G
" W H Jeffs	V G
" W Hill	Rec Sec
" Geo Richards	Fin Sec
" Walter Code	Treas
" Jesse Campsey	Warden
" Job Coen	Conductor
" W W Burnett	R S N G
" Frank McMaster	L S N G
" Jas Watson	R S V G
" Jas Paton	L S V G
" Frank Boyce	R S S
" Wm Reynolds	L S S
" Jos Rose	O G
" John A Burnett	I G
" J W Johnston	Chaplain
" Jas Watson	Pianist

Before the installation there was one candidate initiated.

At the conclusion of the evening supper was served, and Bros. Campsey and Rose are entitled to much credit for the manner in which it was served.

PONTYPOOL LODGE.

Last evening quite a few of the local brethren went up to Pontypool to witness the installation of officers, which was conducted by D.D.G.M. Fred Fry of Norwood, assisted by James McGill, P.G., and Jas. Edgecumbe, P. G., of Otonabee Lodge, Peterborough; W. Dodds, P.G., of Havelock; Robt. Gillies, P. G., J. W. Anderson, P. G., and Thos. Hill, P. G., of Pontypool. The following officers were installed:

Wm Wilson	J P G
Wm Spafford	N G
W G Morrow	V G
J W Anderson	Rec Sec
Thos Hill	Fin Sec
T H Williamson	Treas
Geo Hardwick	Warden
Jas Nasmith	Conductor
W Hardwick	O G
G Kincaid	I G
Geo Glenny	R S N G
Jas Williams	L S N G
W Cooney	R S V G
Geo Lapp	L S V G
J Hannah	R S S
E Evans	L S S
S McCabe	Chaplain
W H Ivory	Pianist

A most appetising oyster supper was served at the conclusion in the Lodge room.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

See the Paris Gaiety Girls and Little Egypt, the wonderful dancer, at the Opera House to-night. Prices 25c, 35c and 50c.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 2

—Court Asphodel, Canadian Order of Foresters, located at South Dummer, has appointed Mr James Andrews, reeve of the township, as their representative at the High Court to be held in Peterborough next month.

Sons of Scotland.

Mr. Jas. Anderson, special organizer for the Grand Camp of Scotland, has been in town during the past few days engaged in re-organizing the new camp for Peterborough. Mr. Anderson has met with the most encouraging success, having obtained a list of twenty-six new members in less than two days, including names from the ranks of the professions, merchants and best class of mechanics. It is expected that the Grand Secretary Capt. D. M. Robertson, of Toronto, and other grand officers will be present at the opening ceremonies.

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1 bottle Mustard Pickles	20	1 can Sardines, 5c, or 5 cans for	25
1 package Corn Starch, 7c, or 4 for	25	1 can Mustard Sardines	15
1 package Rubber Starch	10	1 can Kippered Herrings	15
1 bag Salt, 4c, or 3 for	10	1 package Buckwheat Flour	15
1 can Peaches, 12c, or 2 for	25	3 bars White Castile Soap	25
1 can Plums, 13c, or 2 for	25	7 bars Wide Awake Soap	25
1 can Pumpkins, 9c, or 3 for	25	7 bars Eclipse Soap	25
1 lb. Apricots, 13c, or 2 lbs for	25	1 box Sunlight Soap, 12c, or 2 for	25
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GONE UP IN SMOKE.

The Old Empire Building in Toronto Was Badly Wrecked Last Night—Burned for Three Hours.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—The fire fiend paid Toronto a New Year's visit last night and caused damage that will amount to about $50,000. The conflagration was in the old Empire building, 38-40 Adelaide street west, occupied principally by the Dominion Paper Box Co., H. S. Thornbury & Co., electrical supplies. The building was a handsome five-story brick structure and was badly gutted. While fighting the fire three firemen were hurt more or less seriously.

The blaze was discovered a few minutes before 6 o'clock and it was after 8 o'clock when the fire was completely under control. The building was owned by C. H. Hubbard, whose establishment is next door. It was valued at $32,000, and was insured for $15,000. The damage at the lowest estimate will be $8,000 and perhaps twice that amount. The Paper Box Company had an insurance of $33,000 on stock and fixtures, and the loss has not yet been estimated. The Toronto Electrical Supply Company (Thornbury & Co.) claim damages amounting to about $10,000. They are insured for $3,000. Damage to places in the vicinity by smoke, broken windows and water will foot up to a tidy amount. The roof of the big building fell in when the fire was about half over, but the walls remained intact and thus hemmed in the flames.

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NO DANGER OF FAMINE.

Inspector Strickland of the Northwest Mounted Police Heard From—Has Arrived at Victoria.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—Inspector Strickland of the Northwest Mounted Police, who has been at Tagish for several months, has arrived at Victoria, en route to Prince Albert, to fetch his wife to Tagish. He telegraphs that the police posts on the road to the Yukon are amply provisioned for five months. He adds that all returning miners agree there is no danger of starvation, but there will be a shortage of provisions in the spring. The road from Bennett to Lake Labarge is, he says, practicable for horses. Labarge is 400 miles south of Dawson. A letter from Superintendent Perry, who recently arrived at Victoria from Skaguay, received to-day, confirms his telegraphed report that there is no danger of a food famine according to those who have come out.

Of Interest to Grain Men.

A case of great interest to the grain trade was tried at the Assize Court yesterday. William Dunn & Co., grain buyers of Chicago and Duluth, are claiming $10,000 damages from the Prescott Elevator Company for loss sustained on a large cargo of corn which was alleged to have deteriorated in value while in the defendants' elevator. Dunn & Co. shipped 100,000 bushels of corn from Chicago, and contracted with the elevator company to store at Prescott to await transhipment to Montreal. The plaintiff alleges that the corn was raised to the elevator on a wet day and became damp, and that subsequently, with the heat of the bins, it became fermented and greatly reduced in value. The corn was afterwards sold on the British markets at a loss of $10,000.

The case is likely to last until Saturday. D'Alton McCarthy is acting for the company.

Personal and General News.

The Cabinet was in session to-day considering the estimates.

Sir Charles Tupper returns to Ottawa to-day.

Deposits in the Government savings banks on Dec. 31 totalled $236,495 and withdrawals $246,628.

Mr. Sifton has decided not to sell any land in the Yukon for the present until more definite information is available as to the resources of the territory.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Canadian, United States and Rest of the World's News Boiled Into Neat Paragraphs for Daily Readers.

The Jay suit to recover £15,870 from Lady Sykes was continued at London yesterday.

It is said 300 persons were killed by an earthquake at Amboyna, Malay Archipelago, on Monday last.

South Renfrew Conservatives have nominated S. J. Dempsey, the county warden, for the Assembly.

Two townships have been obliterated and hundreds of settlers rendered homeless by bush fires in Victoria, Australia.

Sir Julian Pauncefote has called upon Vice-President Hobart, thus ending the question of precedence in favor of the latter.

The deaths from the plague at Bombay during the past week numbered 450. There were 1,307 deaths during the same period from all causes.

The French Government has decided to prosecute M. Zola, the novelist, on account of his connection with the Esterhazy-Dreyfus scandal.

Nine conductors and motormen of the Quebec Electric Railway have been suspended for allowing certain low characters to ride free on the cars.

Frank Magowan's divorce from his first wife has been sustained. This is the Trenton, N.J., man who married Mrs. Barnes, nee Riddell of Toronto.

A mail service between Vancouver, San Francisco and Auckland, New Zealand, has been arranged to begin April 1. Steamers will leave every 14 days.

M. Lounet has been elected president of the French Senate. M. Schurer Kestner, who was prominent in the Dreyfus affair, was defeated for the vice-presidency.

T. R. Harrington disappeared from the Walper House, Berlin, Ont., on Friday night last and his friends fear he may have suicided, as he was despondent at times.

A bill has been reported favorably from the Committee on Naval Affairs to Congress for the construction of a $960,000 gunboat to patrol the great lakes in the interests of the United States.

J. B. Moreau, a well-known farmer of St. Lambert, Quebec, died on Saturday, aged 65, from pleurisy. His wife died on Wednesday and the doctors say the cause was a broken heart over the loss of her husband.

The United States Government relief expedition for the Klondike will sail from Portland, Oregon, on the 23rd inst., for Dyea and Skaguay, with 60 men, 100 mules and 250 tons of supplies. They go by steamer Oregon.

Col. Picqualt, who is believed to have brought the charges against Count Esterhazy in Paris, has been arrested and incarcerated in the fortress of Mont Valereau. Count Esterhazy was tried by court-martial and acquitted.

President Sanford B. Dole has left Honolulu for Washington to consult the U. S. Administration about the annexation of the islands to the United States. J. O. Carter will also be in Washington to work against the annexation treaty.

Yesterday the section foreman of the C.P.R. found on the track one mile west of Schaw Station the dead body of a man who had evidently been struck and killed by some train during the night. From papers on his person it seems that he belonged to Tara or neighborhood.

There was a fierce riot at Havana on Wednesday and Consul-General Lee reports to his Government at Washington that the mob was getting even with the Americans rather than striking at the Autonomist policy. American citizens had to seek refuge in the U. S. Consulate and Gen. Lee reports that the situation is serious. United States intervention at once was talked of.

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M'KINLEY WOULD SETTLE.

President's Message on the Sealing Claims Awards—Asks for Prompt Action.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The President to-day submitted to Congress the awards and report of the commission appointed under the terms of the treaty of 1896 to adjust the claims of British subjects for losses sustained through the seizure of their sealing vessels in Behring Sea. In his letter of transmittal the President says:

The report of the Secretary of State presents a clear epitome of the award and renders unnecessary any extended observation on my part, further than to say that I cordially coincide with the recommendation, and that our treaty obligations demand prompt and favorable action by Congress, which I urgently hope may be taken, to the end that these long-pending questions may be finally and satisfactorily terminated. The total amount necessary to satisfy the awards of the commissioners is $473,151.26, which I recommend to be appropriated. (Signed), William McKinley.

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The English Are No Fools.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—The press is greatly excited in the discussion of the Chinese loan over the idea of a joint Anglo-German loan. The suggestion is eagerly welcomed, and since it was mooted a distinctly friendly tone towards England has been adopted approaching open flattery. Prince Bismarck's saying is recalled that it would be foolishness to regard the English as fools in business matters. The papers are beginning to recognize that financial influence is far better than the occupation of a Chinese bay.

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In her life story of Edison Mrs. Sarah A. Tooley relates the following concerning the "Wizard:"

"Having been successful as a newsseller, Edison lost no time in becoming an editor and publisher, and like Garrison:

What need of help? He knew how types were set.
He had a dauntless spirit and a press.

"True, Tom Edison's press only consisted of a disused set of type purchased for a nominal sum, and his combined printing office and editorial sanctum was a dilapidated luggage van, but it possessed an advantage of which even Printing House square cannot boast—it was migratory. The van converted to this novel purpose was attached to the train on the Grand Trunk railway, and appropriately enough the paper was entitled The Grand Trunk Herald.

"A further venture was Paul Pry, in which, if any one may be excused a pun, the editor 'pried' into things in too free a manner, and some individuals, incensed at his fun at their expense, dipped him into the river to cool his imagination. Further disaster followed when one day a phosphorous bottle upset in his laboratory and nearly set the train on fire. The conductor promptly removed Edison and his apparatus, printing and chemical, to the platform at the next stopping place.

"It was a bitter moment, of which Edison cannot think without feeling over again the sense of utter hopelessness and desolation which came upon him when he saw the train whirling off while he stood alone and forsaken among his broken goods, his ear tingling with a brutal box which injured his hearing for life."

DIDN'T RECOGNIZE GOULD.

Story of a Man Who Thought the Financier a Bunko Steerer.

Once when the late Jay Gould went to Margaretville, N. Y., with his physician and private car, he called on his old friend George Decker, a retired merchant of the village, who was formerly a clerk with Gould in Roxbury. Every one who knows Mr. Decker well calls him "G," and this was what Mr. Gould said to him:

"Hello, 'G!' I guess you know me this time, don't you?"

A few years before Decker, while in New York on business one afternoon, was suddenly confronted on Broadway by a dapper, black eyed little man, who grasped him by the hand, exclaiming. "How are you, Mr. Decker? I am glad to see you."

Mr. Decker looked the little man over from head to foot, and hurriedly answered:

"Yes, so am I, but I don't know you, sir. Good day."

"But, hold up," said the other, "aren't you George Decker of Margaretville?"

"Oh, yes; that's all right," responded Decker, "but I am in too great a hurry to be interviewed today, my friend. You have struck the wrong man."

"Yes, perhaps," said the little man, "but my name is Jay Gould. Don't you know me?"

"Jehosephat!" exclaimed Decker. "I took you for a confidence man."—Philadelphia Press.

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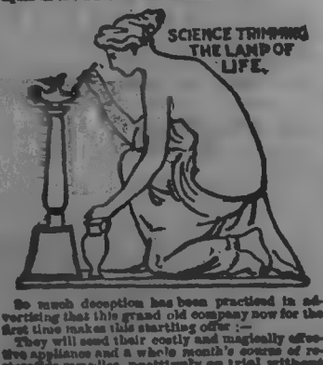

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Ingersoll, Jan. 8.—London, Glencoe and St. Thomas cannot claim all the remarkable cures wrought in this district by that wonderful remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. Ingersoll is bubbling over with excitement over the cures in this town.

Farmer G. J. Cook, of West Oxford township, is the latest to tell of his rescue. He suffered the agonies of Kidney Disease in spite of doctors and their remedies, till he began using *Dodd's Kidney Pills*. A short treatment cured him completely.

Mr. Cook's case is startling, but not uncommon. Whenever a person speaks of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Ingersoll, he or she can tell of a cure by them of Bright's Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Trouble or some other kidney or bladder disorder.

Early Refrigeration.

The most ancient method of making ice is practiced in India. Holes are made in the ground, dry straw is put at the bottom of these, and on it at the close of the day are placed pans of water which are left until the next morning, when the ice that is found within the pans is collected. This industry is carried on only in districts where the ground is dry and will readily absorb the vapor given off from the water in the pans. The freezing, of course, is due to the great amount of heat absorbed by the vapor in passing from its liquid to its gaseous form.

Another process was practiced in the day of ancient Rome when the wealthy are said to have had their wines cooled by having the bottles placed in water into which saltpeter was thrown, the bottles being the while rotated.

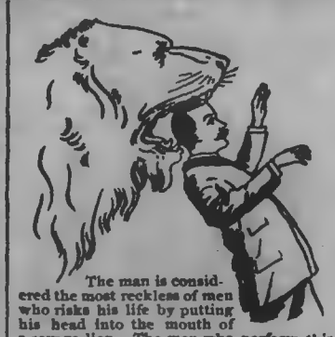
Dr. Cullen in 1755 discovered that the evaporation of water could be facilitated by the removal of the pressure of the atmosphere, and that by doing this water could be frozen. Nairn in 1777 discovered that sulphuric acid would absorb the vapor of water if placed in a second vessel separate from that containing the water, but connected with it. This discovery he put to use in 1810 by constructing an apparatus for absorbing the vapor of the water that it was desired to cool or freeze. This apparatus greatly facilitated the freezing operations of a vacuum freezing machine. —Cassier's Magazine.

Travel as an Educator.

The usefulness of travel for rightly trained and constituted lads is so generally recognized that it is not at all unusual for parents who wish to give their sons every chance possible to increase in wisdom to offer them the choice between spending several years in Europe or going to college at home. Each of us knows one or two men who have pursued education in this way, and we are used to compare them with their college bred coevals and pass opinions as to which method of intellectual development resulted best. Every year there are lads who were fitted for college—and perhaps entered—but went abroad. To compare them 6 or 8 or 10 or 20 years later with their schoolmates who went on and took their college degree is perhaps the most available test of the respective efficiency of the two methods, and it seems safe to say that, according to that test, the educational fruits of travel and study abroad compare very well with the products of the domestic tree of knowledge.—"The Point of View" in Scribner's.

Lion Taming.

Men who have had long experience with lions give them a very bad character. There is said to be no art in so called lion taming but the art of terrorism, and no rule but keeping the lions' stomachs full and their minds cowed. There never has been, and there never will be, say some, an appeal made to the lion's intelligence, because the limited amount of that quality which he possesses is entirely dominated by his ferocity.



The man is considered the most reckless of men who risks his life by putting his head into the mouth of a savage lion. The men who perform this foolhardy act are few and far between.

There are tens of thousands of men who daily do a much more rash and dangerous deed. They are the men who overwork and neglect their health. No man can do this with impunity. The inevitable result is serious illness and premature death. One of the most common results of carelessness in regard to health is consumption. There is one, and only one, unfailing remedy for this dread disease. It is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has a record of thirty years, during which time it has cured 98 per cent. of all cases of bronchial, throat and lung affections. It acts directly on the digestive and nutritive organism. It creates a healthy appetite for food, facilitates the flow of digestive juices and promotes the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder and nerve-tonic. In cases of nervous prostration it builds up the nerve fibres and gives sound, refreshing sleep.

"I took a severe cold with sore throat," writes Mrs. A. S. Everhart, of Oard Spring, Scott Co., Ind. "Soon I began to cough. My right side became sore so that when I coughed it seemed as though my side would burst. The physician said I had pleurisy. I took his medicine for some time and got no better. All through the spring and summer I used mustard plasters and fly blisters on my side and over lungs. Finally I began to ache so badly between my shoulders that I could hardly endure it and at times almost smothered. My breath was so short that I could scarcely talk. Several of my near relatives had died of consumption. I thought I would try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took two bottles of it, and two of his 'Pleasant Pellets,' and am a new person. I would not take any money for the benefit received."

IRREGULAR

Were the Wheat Markets, News Bearish and Liverpool Weak—Toronto and Montreal Live Stock.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 13.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¼c lower at 90⅝c.

Liverpool wheat futures ⅝d to 1d lower and corn ¼d to ⅝d lower.

Dun & Co. report 43 business failures in Canada this week, as against 32 last week and 71 the corresponding week of last year.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 90⅝	$0 90¼
New York	0 98½	0 92⅞
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 90½	0 90¼
St. Louis	0 93½	0 83⅝
Toledo	0 90⅝	0 92½
Detroit	0 91¼	0 91½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern....	0 91	0 90¼
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard....	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour market continues quiet and prices unchanged. Straight rollers $3.80 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is unchanged. Red winter sold outside at 81c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose 77½c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 89c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market rules firm, with sales of white at 25c to 25½c west and at 24c to 24½c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is good, with dealers quoting 51c to 52c outside, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

The receipts of live stock at the Western Cattle Market were light to-day, 11 carloads, composed of 213 cattle, 500 hogs and 100 sheep. Only a very few sales were made. Some of the dealers stated that drovers were holding their cattle at too high a price.

Prices remained the same for all kinds of stock.

St. Lawrence Market.

Receipts of grain were larger to-day, about 4000 bushels. Wheat steady. 1500 bushels selling at following prices: White at 84c to 86½c, red at 88c to 88½c, and goose at 77c to 77½c per bushel. Rye, 200 bushels sold at 40c. Barley steady, with sales of 800 bushels at 30c to 34c. Oats firm at 27½c to 28c for 800 bushels. Peas, 400 bushels sold at 51c to 52c. Hay firmer, 20 loads selling at $8 to $9.50 per ton. Straw easy at $6 to $7 per ton.

Dressed hogs, prices firmer, light selling at $6.30 to $6.35, heavy $6.15 to $6.25 per cwt.

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Aye, I saw her. We have met.
Married eyes, how sweet they be!
Are you happier, Margaret,
Than you might have been with me?
Silence! Make no more ado!
Did she think I should forget?
Matters nothing, though I knew,
Margaret, Margaret!

Once those eyes, full sweet, full sky,
Told a certain thing to mine.
What they told me I put by,
Oh, so careless of the sign!
Such an easy thing to take,
And I did not want it then.
Fool, I wish my heart would break!
Scorn is hard on hearts of men.

Scorn of self is bitter work.
Each of us has felt it now.
Bluest skies she counted mirk,
Self betray'd of eyes and brow.
As for me, I went my way,
And a better man drew nigh,
Pain to earn, with long essay,
What the winner's hand threw by.

Matters not in deserts old
What was born and war'd and yearn'd,
Year to year its meaning told.
I am come—its deeps are learn'd.
Come, but there is naught to say.
Married eyes with mine have met.
Silence! Oh, I had my day,
Margaret, Margaret!

—Jean Ingelow.

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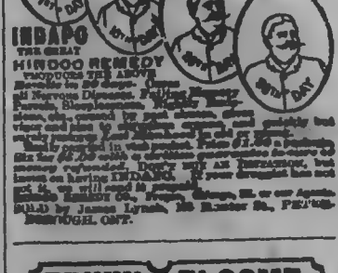

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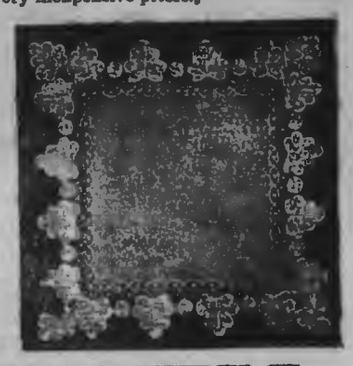

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THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

Co-operative Clothing Coterie—Gifts Acknowledged.

The office of the Children's Aid Society at the Children's Shelter was a transformation scene yesterday afternoon, while a band of kind-hearted and capable ladies were busy making up and making over garments for the seven poor children lately found destitute—several of them begging—by the Society's officer. It would have been reward sufficient to the kind donors of money, clothes, etc., to see the childish gratification and happiness pictured on those young faces when one after the other these small people were inducted into comfortable and seasonable clothing. The small boy's hands with proud satisfaction found their way to the trousers pockets, and when the coat was donned was quite a little man, ready to make his way in the world, but it was no article of clothing that climaxed the joy of the miniature woman. It was her treasure—the wonderful blue-eyed, flaxen-haired doll, hugged closely, that made her forget her fine new jacket, brought and fitted so neatly for her by the kind Winnipeg lady. It was evident, too, that it was not prison fare to which these children were treated at the society's shelter. Two pathetic small figures presented themselves lately at the secretary's door. "Please, we came to see if we couldn't stay longer at the Shelter. We don't like it at home. There's nothing good to eat there and we haven't a nice bed either. We'll be good." The Society wish to express their indebtedness to the following ladies and gentlemen for their contributions:—Mrs. Vernon, $1; Mrs. A. C. Dunlop, materials for dresses, underclothing, etc.; Mrs. G. Graham, Mrs. Brundrette, Mrs. Firth, Mrs. Fairweather, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Boswell, Mrs. Turnbull.

Mrs. Frederick Haultain and Miss Warner have most kindly offered to instruct the children on Sunday afternoons.

WHERE TO GO.

On Sunday young men will do well to go to the men's meeting in the Y.M.C.A. at 4.15 p.m. Speaker, Rev. Mr. Johnson, of Millbrook.

The General Secretary's Bible class on Sunday at 3 o'clock. Topic, "Portions here and hereafter." Lesson, "Discussion and question box."

Commencing to-night at the Saturday night meetings there will be a short address and conference on the practical points of the International Sunday school lessons. Topic for to-night "The First Disciples." Speaker, Mr. Geo. Hartman.

Mr. G. R. Irwin will lead a meeting at the pool at 9.30 a.m. on Sunday.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

Today, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	35°	19°

"I WILL BE HERALD"

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THE Y.M.C.A. DEBATING CLUB.

The School the Better Safeguard Against Crime.

The Y.M.C.A. Debating Club had a very large and successful meeting last night in the Bible class room.

The following were elected to compose the executive of the society: Messrs. W. H. Hill, B. Anderson, T. Barrie, Bennett and McCallum.

The debate "Resolved that the school provides a better safeguard against crime than the gaol" was ably discussed. The interest being perhaps the best in the short history of the club. The affirmative speakers were Messrs. Anderson and Williamson; negative, Messrs. G. R. Irwin and Rev. Mr. Grant. Mr. A. E. Dixon, President, followed with an able summing up, and gave his decision in favour of the affirmative.

At the close the discussion was taken part in by Messrs. Hill, Stubbs and Bell.

Next Friday evening Mr. Sheriff Hall will give his paper, the reading of which was postponed from last week. The topic is "How to read and what to read." There will be a musical progamme as well and the meeting will be held in Association Hall. The public, including ladies, are invited.

WEDDING BELLS.

Nuptials of Miss Mary Stinson and Mr. Samuel McGee.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, Jan. 5th, when Miss Mary Stinson, third daughter of the late Richard Stinson, Dummer, was united in wedlock to Mr. Samuel McGee, Asphodel.

A very large number of friends were present and an enjoyable evening was spent.

The bride was the recipient of many handsome and costly presents as a token of the high esteem in which she was held. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. F. W. White, at the residence of the bride's mother, South Dummer.

After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner was served, followed by a pleasant social time. The happy young couple departed for their future home in Asphodel followed by a copious shower of rice and the best wishes of their many friends.

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"I was troubled with pimples on my face and head which caused me much annoyance. After trying many remedies without benefit I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped me and I took four bottles. I am now completly cured." JAMES REILLEY, Proprietor Chapman House, Sarnia, Ont.

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COURT BRIDGENORTH'S BIG NIGHT.

Successful Celebration of Their Anniversary.

Court Bridgenorth, No. 315, Canadian Order of Foresters, celebrated their anniversary last night with great success in their hall in the village, which was literally jammed for the occasion.

In the early part of the evening an oyster supper was served in a very tasteful and attractive manner and large numbers enjoyed the appetising menu provided.

At the conclusion of this feature adjournment was made to the assembly hall where the intellectual dessert was served. Mr. James Gregg, C.R., occupied the chair in a very effective manner and gave a most instructive opening address on the subject of Forestry and during the evening Mr. F. J. Jameson, member of the High Court Executive, delivered an instructive address upon the history of the Order.

The following interesting programme was well presented:

Instrumental	Miss Fitzgerald
Instrumental	Messrs McConkey and Telford
Vocal duet	Misses Nelson and Scrimger, Lakefield
Recitation	Master Clayton Telford
Instrumental	Jopling Bros. and Telford Bros
Recitation	Miss Barrie
Comic contributions	Mr Geo Adams
Reading	Mr Wilson
Recitation	Mr John Rossel
Recitation	Mr Walter Hooper

Mr. George Adams, of Peterborough, in his vocal and banjo specialties, was a host in himself and furnished no end of fun.

Altogether the evening was most enjoyably spent, and all present carried away delightful recollections of a very pleasant evening.

A jolly sleigh load of the Foresters of Peterborough drove out to assist their Bridgenorth brethren, and to congratulate them on their prosperity.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The Report of the Annual Convention of the Smith Sunday School Association Held in Gilmour Memorial Church.

The tenth annual Sunday School Convention of the township of Smith and village of Lakefield was held in the Gilmour Memorial church, Smith, on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, Jan. 11th. There was a very fair attendance, but not as anticipated. The devotional exercises at the opening of each session were ably conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. C. E. McLeod.

The chair at the afternoon session was occupied by the president of the Association, Mr. R. G. Clifford.

The minutes of the last convention held in Lakefield were read by the Secretary, Mr. J. H. Sherin.

Reports from the different schools were then called for, and without an exception every school in the Association reported either through a delegate, or through the secretary of the Association.

The financial statement for the year was very gratifying.

The sum of $21.50 was contributed to the Provincial Association.

It was decided that hereafter all schools should forward their contributions to the Township Secretary not later than October 1st in each year.

The next item on the programme was an excellent paper on Primary Work, by Miss White, of Lakefield.

Rev. Mr. Erb, of Lakefield, being absent, Rev. W. D. Harrison, of Bridgenorth, was then called for "An outline of the life of Christ." The subject was treated in a way that commended itself to the audience, as was shown by the discussion which followed. This brought the afternoon session to a close after which the meeting adjourned to the basement where the wants of the inner man were satisfied by a feast of good things provided by the ladies of the church.

The evening session opened at 7 o'clock and after a service of praise and prayer the election of officers for the ensuing year took place. The following were elected:—

President—Mr. Wm. Nicholls.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. J. H. Sherin.
Executive Committee—Pastors, superintendents and secretaries of the different schools.

It was also decided that the next convention be held at Selwyn and in the Methodist church.

The new president was then asked to occupy the chair for the rest of the evening meeting. Having taken the chair he then called upon Dr. T. W. Harrison, of Keene to conduct a normal drill on "The Life of Paul," which Dr. Harrison did in his pointed and practical way. Rev. Mr. Shorey, of Peterborough, then gave an instructive and inspiring address on several phases of S. S. work. The question drawer was then opened and the questions answered by Rev. A. C. Reeves of Lakefield, after which the convention was brought to a close by singing and prayer.

DONT'S FOR DYSPEPTICS.

Timely Advice for the Use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Don't starve yourself to death in the midst of plenty because you have Dyspepsia or Indigestion. You don't need to do so. Your Dyspepsia won't bother you if you take a couple of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets after eating. You'll forget that you ever had Dyspepsia after you have used a couple of boxes of Tablets.

Don't abstain from eating your favourite foods because they used to cause Indigestion. You don't need to if you use one or two of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets after having eaten.

Don't suffer because you are not quite sure that Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach stomach troubles, as surely as the sun rises. You don't need to do so. Get a box of the Tablets and try them. You'll never doubt afterwards. Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have been tested too often, and have cured too many hundreds of thousands of cases to fail in yours.

Don't delay. You are unwise if you do. For who should you suffer an hour longer than is necessary? You don't need to suffer another day. You can't suffer from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, nor any other stomach complaint, if you use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Don't be obstinate and "pig-headed," and worry your wife and family because you are dyspeptic. It's your own fault that you are. You've been assured that Dood's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure you, and if you haven't taken advantage of this assurance, so much the worse for you.

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Our baby boy was born July 1, 1894. In the fall his legs became rough, from some skin trouble, from his knees down to his toes, also his arms, breast, and abdomen. We tried a great many different kinds of remedies, but without success. In the summer of 1895 it became a little better, but in the fall, and all winter, it was a sight to behold. He had scales on his body and arms like a fish, and almost black. In fact we were ashamed with it, but could not help it. We were almost in despair until we had used CUTICURA REMEDIES for about four days, when we noticed an improvement. Every time my wife washed him, her apron became covered with a scale-like skin. To-day it is gone, his skin is as smooth as any child, and we owe it, with the blessings of God, to CUTICURA REMEDIES. If you can use this testimony, we give our full consent.

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INDUSTRIAL NOTES

Concerning Peterborough Manufacturers—Other Items of Interest.

Appended will be found a number of interesting paragraphs from the Canadian Engineer:

The Ontario Lithographic Stone and Mining Comphny, Limited, has received an Ontario charter; $250 000 capital. It is to be composed of A. L. Davis, H. S. Macdonald, J. W. Gray, R. M. Dennistoun and F. S. Jameson, Peterborough, Ont.

The British Columbia Iron Works Company, Vancouver, have placed an order for a 10-kilowatt, direct connected, steel frame, incandescent lighting generator with the Canadian General Electric Company.

Jas. Conmee, M. L. A., predicts that in a year and a half there will be 1,000 stamps at work in the Rat Portage district of Ontario.

W. A. Hungerford is going to smelt the gold-bearing ores of Hastings County, it is said, on a small scale near Millbridge, Ont.

It is proposed to extend the Belleville, Ont., Street Railway to Trenton and Tweed, using rails sufficiently heavy to allow of the C.P.R.'s hauling freight over the line.

The Canadian General Electrical Co. has recently installed a 250-light plant in the premises of the Northey Manufacturing Co., Toronto.

Bobcaygeon, Ont., has a scheme to secure electric railway communication with Peterborough. The proposal is to build a line to Scott's mills, some twelve miles east, then south to Buckhorn and on to Peterborough. It has been estimated that the line can be built for less than $200,000.

W. Austin, Cardiff township, Haliburton county, Ontario, reports a find of ore including gold and copper, on his farm. Tests are said to show $16.80 in gold and $34 in copper to the ton.

R. Maitland Roy, Peterborough, Ont., who has been connected with the engineering staff of the Central Bridge Co. for a number of years, has accepted a responsible position with the Hamilton Bridge Co., and will remove to the ambitious city.

The Auburn Woolen Mills, Peterborough, are putting in an improved system of fire protection, and have ordered a number of hydrants, check and gate valves, from the St. Lawerence Foundry Co., Toronto.

Incorporation has been granted to M. M. Boyd, W. C. T. Boyd, Bobcaygeon, Ont.; G. Boyd, J. Wickham, Toronto; J. D. Flavelle, and J. G. Edwards, Lindsay, as the Cowichan Lumber Co., Limited. Capital, $150,000.

The Canadian General Electric Company has recently closed a contract with the Bushnell Oil Company, Sarnia, for a 25-kilowatt direct connected, steel frame, incandescent lighting generator, coupled to an "Ideal" engine. This installation will will embody all the latest improvements in direct connected practice, which the Bushnell Company, from its connection with the Standard Oil Company of the United States, has learned to value through their experience there.

The Canadian General Electric Company is supplying a 1,000 light direct connected incandescent lighting plant for the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co. The installation will be, when finished, one of the most complete in the country. The machine is of the steel frame, ventilated armature type, direct connected to an "Ideal" engine, running at the slow speed of 280 revolutions per minute. The great saving in space, durability and high efficiency obtained by the use of these direct connected units, has led to their adoption as the standard machine where it is desired to obtain the best and most economical conditions in operating an isolated incandescent lighting plant.

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Have you ever tried to estimate satisfaction, pleasure and financial returns that you get when you spend ten cents for a package of Diamond Dyes? The advantages and profits are strikingly wonderful. Faded and dingy looking dresses, blouses, capes, knitted shawls, hose, lace curtains, and pieces of drapery are all restored to their original value and usefulness. The truth is, they are made as good as new and they cost only ten cents.

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Boys odd Short Pants, in sizes 22 to 28, in Tweed and Serge, regular price 45c, 60c and 75c, Grafton & Co's clearing sale price 29c.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Jan 16th, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Second Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 16th. Services:—8 30 a.m. Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Second Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 16th. Services—11 a.m., Morning prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. All seats free.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Jan. 16th—Missionary Anniversary Sunday. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by Rev. T. W. Jolliffe, Colborne, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. C. E. McIntyre, Belleville. Collections and subscriptions in aid of Mission Fund. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Jan. 16th—Missionary Anniversary Sunday. Services at 11 a.m. conducted by Rev. Mr. McIntyre, of Belleville, and 7 p.m. by Rev. Mr. Jolliffe, of Colborne. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. The services on Sunday, Jan. 16th, will be unusually interesting. At 11 a.m. the pastor's subject will be "Working together with God." At 7 p.m. an old people's service will be conducted—subject: "God's tender care for old age." Classes Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will meet at the usual time. Sunday school at 2.30 p.m., M. W. Matchett, superintendent. League meeting on Monday evening. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Concert next Friday evening, Jan. 22, in the new town hall. Everybody welcome.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. R. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 16th. Services as follows:—11 a. m., *Communion service*; and 7 p.m.; both services conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed. Collections for colleges at both services.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 16th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. Wm. Johnston, B.A., of Millbrook. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday at 8 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 16th. Services at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Song service in evening—subject: "The Good Shepherd." Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O. C. Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 16. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Bruce Rickey, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Merchant, Insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate, credit and effects for the benefit of his creditors under the revised statutes of Ontario, 1887, chapter 124 and amending acts.

Further notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said estate will be held in the office of Roger & Bennet, my Solicitors, No. 375 Water street, in the town of Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1898, at 2 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and give directions as to the disposal of the estate generally, and creditors are requested to file their claims with me or my solicitors on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is given that after the said date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim I shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Peterborough this 11th day of January, 1898.

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Solicitors for Assignee. 5d3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In re Estate of WILLIAM WALSH, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, chapter 110, section 36, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Walsh, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, druggist, deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of June, 1897, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the Solicitors for the Executors, Messrs. Roger & Bennet, 375 Water street, Peterborough, on or before the

19th day of February, 1898,

full particulars of their claims against the said William Walsh, and of the securities (if any) held by them, and after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

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Liberals Actively at Work Over the Province.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN NOMINATED.

Addresses by Him and the Minister of Education at Oshawa on Saturday—The Liberal Party Fully Alive to the Situation—In the Thick of the Campaign.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—The final session of the Assembly elected in 1894 is over and we are already in the thick of the campaign for a new election, the exact date of which will be announced shortly. To say that the Liberal party enters upon the campaign with enthusiasm is to state the case very moderately. With such a leader and such a record as it is fortunate in possessing it has every reason to await the issue with confidence. Nevertheless victories are gained only by backing a good cause with active, vigorous fighting. That is how the Mowat Government achieved its quarter century of triumphs. That is how the Hardy Government must continue these triumphs. The Liberal party is apparently awake to the occasion. Already candidates have been placed in a large proportion of constituencies, and conventions have been called in most other cases.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN.

The Popular Minister of Agriculture Again Nominated for South Ontario—Stirring Speeches Delivered.

Oshawa, Jan. 17.—The Liberals of South Ontario met in convention here Saturday afternoon for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding at the coming Provincial General Election. Hon. John Dryden, the present member, was the unanimous choice of the delegates. Addresses were delivered by Hon. George W. Ross, M.P.P., Leonard Burnett, M.P., and Hon. John Dryden, M.P.P.

When Mr. Dryden advanced to speak it was some moments before he was able to make himself heard because of the cheering. He said, feelingly, that there was not a man in all this province who would not be proud to be put in nomination by such a large and representative convention. He expressed his heartfelt gratitude for the honor which they had conferred upon him by selecting him for the sixth time to bear the standard of Liberalism in the county. Each time he had led them to victory and was confident that he would again do so. After referring to the Opposition Mr. Dryden sketched the work he had done since assuming charge of the important Department of Agriculture; the appointment of a superintendent of Farmers' Institutes, devoting his whole time to that work, had resulted in greatly extending their usefulness; the number of institutes increased from 70 to over 700, and the attendance from a few thousand to 125,000. The publications in connection with the department sent to a member each year gave him a compendium of knowledge and instruction which would lift him out of ignorance, if he was in it, and enable him to do his best for the province. He believed that the three chief industries which must in this province take the place of wheat-growing were dairying, live stock and fruit-raising, and an effort was being made to stimulate and encourage and help the people so as not only to have an increased output to send away, but to have it of uniform and good quality. Associations had been formed to deal with these questions. The dairy associations sent out instructors to the various factories where the work is carried on, and if any difficulties were encountered as to quality these experienced men could put them right.

Then there were the dairy schools in Guelph, Kingston and Stratford, and the travelling dairy. He mentioned an instance where the bacteriological experiments at Guelph had been of infinite service in determining the cause of the "tainted cheese" in some of the eastern factories, and enabling them to overcome the difficulty. The result of these efforts was that we had captured very nearly 70 per cent. of the English cheese market, and we were reaching out for the almost unlimited butter market of Great Britain. The work of the live stock associations was also spoken of at some length. The removal of the quarantine regulations between Canada and the States, and the export of large quantities of inferior cattle from Ontario, with the consequent improvement of the quality and the price, were referred to with pride. In connection with the fruit industry, Mr. Dryden referred to the ten experimental stations, the spraying instruction and the present effort to exterminate the destructive San Jose scale. He also dealt with the opening of the experimental farm at Wabigoon, and the rich promise of northern Ontario this brought to the notice of the public.

Mr. Dryden defended the Ontario Agricultural College from the attacks made upon it by the members of the Opposition, particularly ridiculing Dr. Willoughby's statements in regard to the cost of that institution.

All of this was but one branch of the Government, and all of the others were equally progressive and equally strove to advance the interests of the people of Ontario. Mr. Dryden pointed out that the Opposition had not in all the time the Government have been in power been able to fix a single charge upon them; all of their attacks had been on side issues, and in this connection he reminded them of the recent libel suit successfully brought by him against Mr. Smith for bringing charges against him personally.

The Minister of Education.

Hon. Geo. W. Ross was received with enthusiasm. In opening his address he spoke warmly of Mr. Dryden's ability and sterling worth. He had sat by him in Council and near him in the Legislature, had heard him debate public questions of almost every kind, and if they had searched the province all over they could not have found a better all-round or more capable man, or a more frank one, or one whose judgment carried more weight than the distinguished man who represents South Ontario. (Cheers.) He was of a practical turn of mind, as shown by the wonderful work in connection with agriculture, which, of all occupations, required a practical man, not a man who flies kites with or without a tail. It was said of Sir Robert Peel that he had a great deal of insight and very little foresight; Mr. Dryden had both. When he undertook anything he saw the end from the beginning in a most remarkable way. It was easy to waste money in agriculture, as in the experiment of the late Dominion Government in buying butter at twenty cents a pound and selling it in England for fourteen cents. When he took over the Agricultural College there were 110 pupils; last year there were 287, a remarkable increase, showing that the farmers of this country and the young men who had been at the college realized its value and had advertised it through the country and distributed the knowledge they received there and so raised the general intelligence. What he understood about farming was that it required intelligence and keen, far-seeing minds. Mr. Ross spoke of his friend's (Mr. Dryden's) tenacity of purpose and skill in getting his own way in matters that came up in Council. He referred also to the remarkable expansion of the dairy industry under Mr. Dryden's care. Mr. Ross' eulogium of their member roused the electors of old South Ontario to loud and long-lasting applause. The Minister of Education was somewhat pressed for time, as he had to catch an early train, but he gave a clear statement of the general policy of the Government, setting forth their course in administering the various public institutions of the country and dealing particularly with the administration of his own department.

The meeting was closed with ringing cheers for the Queen, the candidate and the Liberal leaders.

Patrons Open the Battle.

Picton, Jan. 17.—The initial meeting of the electorate campaign now on, in the interest of Mr. John Cavan, M.P.P., the Patron candidate for the County of Prince Edward, was held in the Quinte Opera House here on Saturday. Notwithstanding the inclement weather the place of meeting was filled to overflowing, many remaining standing. About 500 persons were present. Mr. Caven addressed the meeting in a speech of one hour and a half's duration. A motion approving of and endorsing Mr. Caven's candidacy was carried unanimously. Mr. Caven thanked the audience and announced his candidature at the approaching elections.

CONSERVATIVE NOMINATIONS.

Brampton, Jan. 17.—The Conservatives of Peel have nominated Mr. Hilliard Cameron of Toronto to contest this riding with Mr. John Smith M.P.P.

London Jan. 17.—The East Middlesex Conservatives Saturday nominated ex-Mayor T. D. Hodgins of this city to contest the riding for a seat in the local Legislature.

Gananoque Scorched.

Gananoque, Jan. 17.—An alarm of fire sounded at 3.30 Sunday morning, when it was discovered the store occupied by Lalonde Bros., situated in the Turner block, was on fire. Much difficulty was experienced by the firemen, owing to the dense smoke, and the stock, consisting of boots and shoes, was almost an entire loss, as was also the stocks of L. Fraid, clothier, and J. B. Turner, grocer. On the second floor was the Independent newspaper office, and J. C. Ross, barrister, both of which were badly damaged. Losses are estimated as follows: L. Fraid, total loss, insurance $2,000; Lalonde Bros., total loss, insurance $5,500; J. B. Turner, stock badly damaged by smoke and water, insurance $1,500; insurance on building $7,000; O. V. Goulet, publisher, badly damaged by smoke and water, insured for $800; J. C. Ross, totally destroyed, no insurance.

Cuban General Killed.

Havana Jan. 17.—A despatch received from Spanish sources in Pinar del Rio says that the insurgent Brigadier-General Porico Delgado has been killed by his followers and that his chief of staff Luis Lopez Marin, has surrendered to the Spanish authorities.

Released by the Afridis.

Calcutta, Jan. 17.—Sergeant Walker, who was captured by the Afridis in December, has been released.

HAVE YOU A VOTE?

THE PROVISIONS OF THE MANHOOD REGISTRATION ACT.

Young Men are Particularly Affected—Many of Their Names are Omitted as They are Not on the Municipal Assessment Roll.

The Act for the registration of Manhood Suffrage voters is about to be put in force for the first time since its passage, and as it will affect the approaching Ontario elections, it is well that its bearing should be fully understood, especially by the young men of towns and cities, for the benefit of whom it was specially prepared.

The Act, in short, makes provision for the placing on the voters' list of those whose names are not already there, as owners, as tenant, or as being assessed for income. By the new enactment all those who pay statute labour tax or who are British subjects and over twenty-one years of age, and are not on the voters' list, can have their names placed there by going before a registration board.

Those eligible to be registered and entitled to a vote by the Manhood Registration Act, must (1) have lived in the Province for one year previous to registration; (2) have been a resident of the town for three months, and (3) for one month continuously previous to registration.

At present only those are on the list who are entitled to vote at municipal elections. All others have to register, and as this class is largely composed of young men, their attention is particularly called to the fact, although the registration board has not yet commenced its sitting.

Every male person of the full age of 21 years, a subject of her Majesty by birth or naturalization, and not otherwise by law prohibited from voting, shall be entitled to be entered on the list of manhood suffrage voters for the polling sub-division in which he resides. Provided, that such person has resided within the province for the twelve months next preceeding the day on which the first sitting of the registrars was held for the preparation of the lists. And provided, that such person was in good faith, on the said last mentioned day, and for the three calendar months next preceeding the same, a resident of, and domiciled in, the municipality on the list of which he is to be entered; and was in good faith on the said day, and for the next preceeding thirty days, a resident of, and domiciled within, the territory comprising the electoral district on the list of which he is to be entered. And provided, also, that such person's name is not on the revised list of persons entitled to vote at both municipal and Assembly elections.

Members of a permanent militia corps enlisted for continuous service are to be registered on furnishing evidence that they are entitled to registration under the Dominion Franchise Act, and not otherwise. So, also, are students in attendance at an institution of learning in any city or town to which the Act applies, provided they are, during such attendance, residents of, and domiciled in, such city or town, and are not at the time of their application for registration under this Act registered or entered upon, and are not entitled to be entered or registered upon, any other list of persons entitled to vote at elections for the Legislative Assembly. Any person who has ceased to be entitled to vote under part I. of the last revised list, may, subject to other conditions of qualification, have his name transferred to the manhood suffrage list.

In Peterborough the Registration Board will be composed of the County Judge, the Police Magistrate, and the Clerk of the County Court. Such selection has been made for the purpose of having the law impartially administered and in all municipalities permission it made to have the Board composed of judicial or semi-judicial officials. These are known as ex-officio registrars and they are privileged to appoint such other registrars as may be necessary for the proper enforcement of the Act. It it in the power of the Government to appoint a chairman, pro tem, for the purpose of calling the Board together to arrange the necessary preliminary details for putting the purpose of the new Act into force.

At their first, or any subsequent meeting meeting, or vacancy, the board may appoint a chairman, who shall hold office during their pleasure or until the next general election. In the event of the Government not appointing a chairman prior to the dissolution of the Legislature, or of the appointed chairman ceasing to be a member of the board, then the two ex-officio registrars shall call the board together immediately after the issue of a proclamation.

Two days and a night will be occupied in the cities for the registration of voters. The sittings will be held in each division on the seventh day after the dissolution of the Legislature. In the event of the seventh day falling on a Sunday the sittings begin on Monday. They are to last from 10 in the morning until 9 in the evening, with intervals for meals. No provision has yet been made for registering voters in the larger towns at night, but it is expected that an amendment to the law enabling this to be done will be adopted. The registration of voters will begin immediately after the formal dissolution of the Legislature, when the Clerk of the Assembly will notify the chairman of the Registration Board, and the latter shall summon the Board together within the specified time.

Provisions are made in the Act dealing with absenteeism, and permitting the registration of persons suffering from sickness or other disability, or who are temporarily absent in the prosecution of their calling, as lumbermen, mariners, fishermen, commercial travellers and railway men, or are temporarily absent in attendance at an institution of learning. The Act also provides for the holding of supplementary sittings and the hearing of appeals from persons whose claims to registration have not been acknowledged.

Sons of Scotland.

Mr. Jas. Anderson, special organizer for the Grand Camp of Scotland, has been in town during the past few days engaged in re organizing the new camp for Peterborough. Mr. Anderson has met with the most encouraging success, having obtained a list of twenty-six new members in less than two days, including names from the ranks of the professions, merchants and best class of mechanics. It is expected that the Grand Secretary Capt. D. M. Robertson, of Toronto, and other grand officers will be present at the opening ceremonies.

A Working Man

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He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1898.

THE PROVINCIAL ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

The present session of the Ontario Legislature, which is the last of the eighth Parliament, ceases to-day. It is probable that dissolution will be shortly declared, and the general elections will follow before very long, probably while the sleighing lasts.

The Hardy-Ross Government will, in the coming elections, appeal to the country for a renewal of the confidence that has been so emphatically reposed in them during the past. The Government never went to the country stronger in the confidence of the people, stronger in administrative ability, stronger in a record of capable administration, stronger in a record of wise and beneficial legislation.

Under these circumstances there is no possible doubt of the result. The Government will be handsomely sustained, for in addition to this merit of their administration, they have shown their strong grasp of the function of government. Here is contrasted the inefficiency of the Opposition. During the past few months and during the past session the Opposition have shown their weakness and unfitness to even capably criticise, not to speak of governing. The failure of the Opposition to criticise effectively and intelligently the public questions that arise was demonstrated time after time, and the Opposition's depressed standard of statemanship was strikingly shown by the petty issues they have brought up and by the pettifogging style applied to their discussion.

In West Peterborough there is no doubt of the result. The people have a candidate in the person of Mr. Stratton who is well known from his past satisfactory relations with the people. He is well known to the electors, for he has kept in touch with them during the past twelve years he has represented West Peterborough. He has kept in touch with the people not only during an election time, but from week to week and all the year round. He is perhaps the only member of the Legislature, who after every session, has visited the people, addressed them on the work that had been done and consulted their opinions as to the course he had pursued, and which he should pursue in the future in the interests of his constituents. His zeal, earnestness and his eminent success in promoting the welfare of West Peterborough, have been cordially endorsed and recognised at three general elections, and with the added experience of public life, with the same interest in West Peterborough and the advancement of the interests of its citizens, there is no room for doubt that the people will again heartily endorse the course pursued and enthusiastically give another renewal of confidence to Mr. Stratton, who has so satisfactorily represented the riding.

Mr. Stratton will address the electors on the dates and at the places mentioned below. The meetings are invariably called for 7.30 p.m.:—

Beamfort, South Monaghan, on Tuesday, January 18th.

Ballilieboro, South Monaghan, on Thursday, Jan. 20th.

Fraserville, South Monaghan, (Orange Hall) on Friday, January 21st.

Town Hall, North Monaghan, on Monday, January 24th.

Middleton's School House, Smith, on Tuesday, January 25th.

A large attendance of the electors is requested, as Mr. Stratton will enter very fully into the discussion of the questions at issue in the present campaign.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present, and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

AN evidence that the improvement of Canadian trade is not altogether due to holiday activity is found in the fact that wholesale trade in both Montreal and Toronto is picking up encouragingly after the holiday season. Travelling agents of wholesale houses report satisfactory orders and good remittances from country customers, so that the revival of trade is general and the prospects for another prosperous year are very encouraging.

THE bill of Hon. Mr. Hardy, to permit of the garnishee of salaries of civil service employees, is a step in the right direction. No man should be allowed to evade the payment of his just debts. If he will incur liabilities, he must expect to meet them, and civil service employees, above all, should be honest. In service they are representatives of the Government that employs them, which, as the source of authority, should set an example of just dealing.

OTONABEE.

Council Meeting.

The newly elected council met, after subscribing to qualification and taking declaration of office. Reeve Johnston took the chair. The following officers were appointed: D. P. McFarlane and Andrew Shearer, auditors; Wm. Drummond, collector; John Drummond, clerk and treasurer; Dr. Shaw, Medical Health Officer; John Bell and John Dinsdale, Sanitary Inspectors; John Doyell, member of the local Board of Health for three years. The appointing of an assessor was left to next meeting to see what action the County Council will take in fixing the time for assessing between 1st of Feb. and July. The salary for assessing was fixed at $70 if it can be done the latter part of April and the months of May and June.

On motion, the following persons are to receive for charity the following sums: Andrew McDermott, $4 per month; Jas. Metcalf, $3 per month; Jas. Rennie, $5 per month; St. Joseph's Hospital, $1 per week for Mrs. Barry; Mrs. Jas. Armstrong, $1 per week.

The following communications were received: From J. Ross Robertson, chairman of the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children, asking for aid. No action was taken. From W. J. Hall, asking the council if they were going to sell the wood on the base line near the river. The clerk was instructed to say in reply that it has no intention to sell the wood at present. From J. B. Laing, Provincial Municipal Auditor, re municipal audit, and how it should be conducted.—Received. From John Brecksenridge, clerk of Asphodel, re cost of school arbitration, also cost of $6 for repairing the Asphodel boundary. The clerk was instructed to reply that as Mr. Lancaster, who has charge of the boundary on behalf of the Otonabee council, was not consulted as to the expenditure, therefore the council cannot pay the amount; but, if necessary will expend an equivalent during the summer of 1898.

From Hon. Sidney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, saying in reply to the clerk that no compensation can be given for the cow ordered to be slaughtered, as the slaughtering was not done by order of the Department.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—J. M. Drummond, salary, $240; refund postage, $20; Government returns, $5 00; James Hayes, gravel 90c.; B. R. Matthews, cedar, $6.03; Patrick Sullivan, gravel, $3.09; Philip Elmhirst, repairing culverts in Keene, $1.00; James Lang, gravel, $5.25; treasurer's cash book, $5.45; express, 85c.

Council adjourned until February 21st.

STONY LAKE NOTES.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Adella Richardson who was visiting with Mrs. James Miles, her cousin, has returned to Norwood.

Miss Jane Whitney, of Kemptville, spent two days last week with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. James Robb.

Mr. G. H. Buck, of Norwood, was in this locality on Thursday last looking up some square timber. Mr. Buck is an energetic lumber man.

Yorkville Fire Station,
Toronto, March 3rd, 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Having used Dr. Chase's Pills for costiveness, I am very pleased to say that I consider them superior to any pill I ever used, as they have perfectly cured me of this trouble. Thos. J. Wallace Fireman.

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Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

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WHEAT WEAKER.

A Slight Rally in Liverpool Prices, But Supplies Are Liberal—Exports for Six Months.

Friday Evening, Jan. 14.

Peas advanced ½d in Liverpool to-day.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ½d to ⅝d higher, and corn is ½d to ⅝d higher. May wheat on curb 90⅛c.

It is stated to-day that India has withdrawn from wheat market, and that offerings from the Argentine are more liberal. Prospects are for a large crop of corn in the Argentine.

Exports of wheat and flour from America the past six months equalled 118,-883,000 bushels, the largest for any corresponding period except in 1891, when they were 120,000,000 bushels.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91⅛	$0 90⅛
New York	0 98⅝	0 91⅛
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 91⅛	0 90
St. Louis	0 94	0 93⅝
Toledo	0 90½	0 92
Detroit	0 90⅝	0 91⅛
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91⅛	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90⅛
Toronto, red	0 88	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is dull and featureless. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is dull, with little demand. Red winter sold outside at 89c to 90½c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose at 77c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 89c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is dull and steady, with sales of white at 25c west and at 24c to 24½c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is fair, with offerings light. A few cars sold at 52c to 53c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

MEAL—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

The deliveries of live stock at the Western Cattle Market to-day were liberal, 42 loads all told, composed of 600 cattle, 371 sheep, 6 calves and 1000 hogs. No loads of exporters coming forward. Those bought for that purpose are picked from amongst the butchers' cattle. Prices range from $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt. Export bulls sold at $3.50 to $3.70 for heavy; something extra heavy, well finished, would bring a little more. Export bulls, light, sold all the way from $2.75 to $3.50. S. H. Reynolds sold one bull, weighing 1900 lbs., at $75. William Levack bought 9 medium bulls at $2.75 to $3.50 per cwt. Butchers' cattle of good quality were not as plentiful as on Tuesday, and prices were a trifle higher. Too many unfinish d cattle are coming forward, and prices for these were a shade lower. Butchers' cattle, choice picked lots, sold at $3.65 to $3.90; loads of good at $3.35 to $3.55, medium $3.00 to $3.25, and common to inferior $2.75 to $3 per cwt.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

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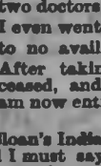

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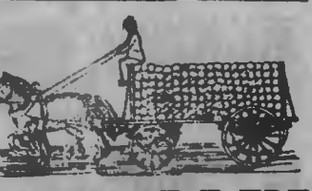

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THE INDIAN TROUBLE.

Afridis Have Again Taken Possession of Khyber Pass.

A CHANGE OF BRITISH GENERALS

Death of the Father of the House—Complete Submission Demanded of the Engineers Before the Lockout is Raised—The Ominous Situation on the Upper Nile —Cable News.

London, Jan. 17.—The Earl of Elgin, Viceroy of India, has wired the Government that the Zakka-Khel Afridis have re-occupied Khyber Pass and that the cutting of wires and firing upon escorts have recommenced.

A Change of Generals.

Calcutta, Jan. 17.—The Queen has approved the appointment of Gen. Sir Arthur Powers-Palmer, K.C.B., to succeed Gen. Sir Wallock Hart as commander of the Tirah field force on the Northwest frontier.

The report of the escape of Lieut. Turner of the British survey party, recently attacked by tribesmen in the Province of Mekran, Baluchistan, is confirmed.

PRACTICALLY A CASUS BELLI.

France Apparently Bent Upon Forcing Great Britain Into War.

London, Jan. 17.—Temporarily overshadowed, the movements of the French on the Upper Nile are again becoming unpleasantly prominent to those who imagined that Great Britain had undisputed claims upon those regions. It is immaterial to discuss the exact whereabouts of the French expeditions. It suffices that, according to the bulk of the evidence, they have penetrated to Bahr-El-Ghazel, the most fertile province of the Egyptian Soudan, with the distinct mandate of their Government. If this is true, and the declarations of successive British Cabinets mean anything, M. Hanotaux, the French Minister for Foreign Affairs, has brought about a casus belli.

Thus far, M. Hanotaux seems to have the advantage, but the game is dangerous. Fear of war with France will not stop Great Britain from recovering the whole of the Egyptian Soudan and driving out any French expeditions which may be found there, when, in the opinion of the Marquis of Salisbury, the proper time has arrived.

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Complete Submission Demanded.

Manchester, Jan. 17.—Interest in the engineers' strike has shifted to the attitude of the employers. They are disposed to stand out for a complete victory, and say the withdrawal of the demand for 48 hours per week does not end the differences. They still insist upon complete control of their works, and will effect a reconciliation only on the terms outlined at the last conference.

Eight Hours' Demand Withdrawn.

London, Jan. 17.—The official engineers' joint committee has notified the Employers' Federation of the withdrawal, on behalf of the men, of the eight hours demand.

FATHER OF THE HOUSE.

Death of the Right Hon. Charles Pelham Villiers, the Venerable Member of Parliament for Wolverhampton.

London, Jan. 17.—The Right Hon. Chas. Pelham Villiers, M.P. for South Wolverhampton, and known as the "Father of the House of Commons," having sat continuously in the House since 1835, died at nine o'clock Sunday night.

Sketch of His Career.

In addition to being the oldest member of the House of Commons, he was father of the English bar, for he was "called" at Lincolns Inn in 1827. Mr. Gladstone, seven years the junior of Mr. Villiers, entered Parliament two years before him, but while the service of Mr. Villiers has been continuous, that of Mr. Gladstone was broken when he retired from the House of Commons. Mr. Villiers was returned for Wolverhampton three years after the passing of the great Reform Act, and the last Parliament of William IV. Besides being the oldest member of Parliament he was the oldest surviving Parliamentary candidate. It was in 1826, when George IV. was King and Victoria was a young child, that he travelled down to Yorkshire from London and contested Kingston upon-Hull, under the Reform banner of Canning, though unsuccessfully. After his return for Wolverhampton he identified himself with the Liberal movement and in 1859 was appointed Judge Advocate General. Subsequently he was President of the Poor Law Board. He became a member of Lord Palmerston's second administration in 1859. As an independent Liberal he was one of the most able and eloquent leaders of the anti-Corn Law agitation and to the triumph of the cause his earnest speeches and persistent motions in Parliament contributed. In the session of 1865 he introduced a very important measure in connection with the poor law administration, the Union Charge Ability bill, which became law. In 1879 his constituents at Wolverhampton unveiled a marble statue of Mr. Villiers, when speeches in eulogy of his public services in connection with the anti-Corn Law movement were delivered by Earl Granville and Sir Robert Peel. Notwithstanding his extremely advanced age, his memory was singularly retentive and he was able to entertain his friends for hours at a time with lively scenes in the House of Commons during the first half of the century. Canning had passed away eight years before Mr. Villiers entered Parliament, but the two often met, as Canning was a bosom friend of the uncle of Mr. Villiers. The latter often went to the House to hear Canning speak and he described him as a wonderful orator. With Cobden and Bright he was intimately associated in the anti-Corn Law agitation and was always described as one of the triumvirate that brought about the repeal.

Among the famous personalities he could recall and vividly portray were the great Sir Robert Peel, Lords Melbourne Russell, Derby, Aberdeen, Brougham, the Duke of Wellington, Daniel O'Connell, Hume, Grote and Disraeli. He always delighted to recall the circumstance that he was in the House when Disraeli made the celebrated speech in which he said that one day the House would be compelled to listen to him.

The late Mr. Villiers was the third son of the Hon. George Villiers, son of the first Earl of Clarendon by the only daughter of the first Lord Boringdon. According to "Men and Women of the Time" he was born Jan. 19, 1802, but this date appears to be inaccurate, for the London papers of Jan. 4 say that on the previous day Mr. Villiers celebrated his 96th birthday, received a large number of his friends and congratulatory messages from all parts of the Kingdom.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and Kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

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Yours truly,
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Zola Has Made a Sensation.

Paris, Jan. 15.—M. Zola's letter to President Faure and the action of the Government thereon resulting in its decision to prosecute him, have produced an amazing and alarming effect upon the public mind. The scandal has developed into a national crisis with public excitement at a degree of intensity that is difficult to understand. It is no longer a Dreyfus scandal, but a great Jewish and anti-Jewish agitation with an incredible intensity of popular passion.

Yesterday newspapers displayed prejudices which, while they are genuinely French, are also dangerous. M. Drumont, in La Libre Parole, leads the attack against Zola and the defenders of Dreyfus. He makes a bitter onslaught upon the Jews and alleges that they are engaged in a conspiracy against the State.

The other journals call for a great popular demonstration against any further agitation of the Dreyfus case and this movement is only too likely to succeed.

Father of the House Said to Be Dying.

London, Jan. 15.—The Right Hon. Charles Pelham Villiers, member of Parliament for South Wolverhampton and known as the "Father of the House of Commons," having sat continuously in the House since 1835, is believed to be dying.

Gen. Jament to Succeed.

Paris, Jan. 15.—The Cabinet to-day will nominate General Jament to succeed General Saussier as Commander-in-Chief of the French Army.

We know the great cures of Hood's Sarsaparilla are genuine because the people themselves write about them.

Don't Go On.

Don't go on suffering from nervous troubles that make strong men weak, impotent, and unable to do the right thing at the right time, all because the system is tobacco poisoned. We urge you to test Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they make the blood pure and rich, tingling with life and energy, and the man who feels old they make young and happy again.

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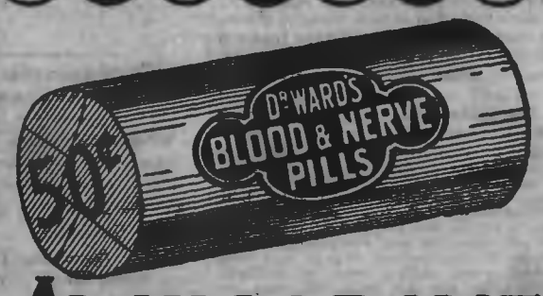

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"Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills put new blood in me, and I have gained five pounds since taking them. They are a God send to weak and nervous women. I never had anything do me so much good." Miss Mason J. Ryan, 67 Wellesley Street, Toronto.

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Dear Sir—I have been using catarrh remedy of different kinds for the last fifteen years, but find "Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure" the best I have used, and have no hesitation in recommending it to any one troubled with catarrh or cold in the head.

Yours sincerely,
W. HARPER,
Hardware Merchant.
Lakefield, Ont., Feb. 7, 1896.

John Forsyth, Berlin:

Dear Sir—I take much pleasure in certifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of your cure for catarrh. It has done me more real benefit than all the medicine I have taken, and I am completely cured now,

Yours faithfully,
ROBERT FOWLER,
Orillia, Sept. 12, 1896.

Dear Sir—I take pleasure in giving my testimonial to the efficacy and value of Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure. I was induced through a friend to give it a trial for catarrhal cold in the head; the result was marvellous. I cannot speak too highly of its merits. I can faithfully recommend it to anyone troubled with chronic catarrh or cold in the head.

Yours truly,
T. J. HUMPHREY,
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LOCAL NEWS.

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing sale.

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Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Stock must be reduced. Cash buyers can look for bargains in all lines of furniture from a good kitchen chair for 25c to the finest parlour suits. Watch for further announcements or call and inspect. No trouble to show goods.—CLEGG'S Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 425 and 427, George street.

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Drop in and see the bargains we are offering during our stock-taking sale. We want everyone who reads or writes, to become a customer at the Peterborough Bookstore. We keep all the latest newspapers and periodicals, and supply them them regularly every week and month. Be a regular subscriber, and you will also be sure of your paper. Don't forget your Sunday reading.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

An Irish Piper in Town.

Mr. Peter Dolan, a genuine Irish piper from the Green Isle, is delighting the hearts of Irishmen in town by his selections on the Irish bagpipes. He is on a visit to friends in town and vicinity, and can rattle off an Irish jig in such a manner as to warm the cockles of an Irishman's heart, and carry him back to the days when on the village green he danced with many an Irish colleen. Mr. Dolan will in all probability render a few selections on the pipes at the Catholic Association rooms this evening.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 239 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices:

Hair cut..... 10c
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Having been five years in the employ of Mr. LeGros, I can guarantee my work to be satisfactory. Three comfortable chairs and up-to-date accommodation. Ladies' Shampooing correctly done. Switches and bangs repaired and made to order to match your own hair at half the usual price.

EDWARD LECLAIRE.

A New Firm.

Mr. A. E. Ford, who for the past few years, has built up a very good business in photography on Charlotte street, has sold his entire stock and gallery equipment, photos, negatives and a splendid assortment of frames, to A. Cunningham & Co., who are now prepared to continue the excellent work done by Mr. Ford. The members of the new new and enterprising firm are not strangers to Peterborough. Mr. Cunningham, whom many will remember in Mr. F. H. Green's gallery, is a practical photographer of good standing, and Mr. Wm. Potter, brother of Mr. J. G. Potter, of St. Andrew's church, is associated with him. Both gentlemen are determined to make this gallery a success. Already the reception room has been made more cosy, and everything will be done for the comfort and convenience of patrons. The room is centrally situated, being on Charlotte street near George, in near the different lines of railway, and being on the ground floor will be found very convenient for ladies and children. All negatives made by Ford & Ford will be kept, and photos can be printed at any time. The finishing department will be fully stocked with finishing materials, and all orders will be promptly filled. The studio was formally opened to-day.

FIRE IN SMITH.

Mr. Jas. Sanderson's Barns Destroyed—A Heavy Loss.

At about three o'clock this morning the barns on the property of Mr. Jas. Sanderson, of Smith Township, broke out in flames, and in a few hours the fine buildings were reduced to ashes, together with a large quantity of hay and between three and four thousand bushels of grain, representing the entire season's threshing. Two head of stock were also consumed, but the implements and the rest of the cattle were saved.

No possible reason can be assigned for the fire, other than that it was caused through the presence of tramps, which belief was caused by the fact that Mr. Mollmoyle, teacher of the section, who boards with Mr. Sanderson, heard strange noises around the house at night, and when the fire broke out footprints were found in the snow leading from the road through the lane to the barn and back again across the field to the road. The footprints from the barn across the field gave evidence of having been made by a man who was running.

When Mr. Mollmoyle first heard the noise he thought it was someone trying to get into the house and loaded his revolver, but on the noise ceasing he dismissed the thought from his mind. Before he went to sleep, however, the glare of the fire was reflected through his window.

The loss to Mr. Sanderson will be very heavy, as there is only $700 insurance on the barn and contents. The insurance is placed in the "Northern" through Mr. W. H. HOLL.

A HEINOUS OFFENCE.

William Cummings Committed to Goal for Five Months at Hard Labour.

William Cummings, who for some time has had a small table of knick knacks in the market hall, was arrested on Saturday on the serious charge of indecently assaulting a little girl of nine years of age.

The evidence was direct and convincing, some four or five witnesses having seen the act committed in the market hall at noon on Saturday, and other witnesses giving evidence as to the previous offences of a like character.

The magistrate imposed a sentence of five months at hard labour in the county gaol.

TOWN VS. MONAGHAN.

The Sewerage Arbitration Difficulty Settled at Last.

On Saturday afternoon, as arranged at the council meeting Friday night, Mayor Davis met the representatives of the North Monaghan council and a settlement of the difficulties, which arose out of the sewer arbitration, was amicably reached.

The town gives a cheque for $225.67 to the township, being the costs of the arbitration and the township gives the town a cheque for $62.50—the amount of the costs in the recent motion in Toronto.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The Peterborough II. team goes to Norwood to-night to play the return match in the Junior series of the O. H. A. The team will be composed as follows:—Goal, Geo. Dixon; point, R. Glover; cover point, R. Thorne; forwards, Harry King, Chris. Graham, Dick Watt and Wilfred Crossley. It will be observed that the team which the Peterboroughs are sending to Norwood is composed of purely junior players, who have participated in no senior match this year.

The Winnipeg team will arrive in Peterborough from Montreal on the 4.10 afternoon train on the C.P.R. They will be met at the station by Mayor Davis and the officers of the club and driven around the town, after which they will be left at their hotel. The game in the evening starts at 8 o'clock, when the puck will be placed by the mayor, who will give the signal for play to begin. The record which the Winnipeg team has made on its eastern trip is well known and the biggest crowd of the year will doubtless be at the rink to witness the match, at the conclusion of which the visitors will be banquetted.

After the Millbrook hockey club entered the O.H.A. they found that owing to some disagreement between the curlers and the rink owners, the rink would not be running this winter. Rather than let their games go by default, however, they decided to play out the schedule. On Friday night the Millbrookers drove to Lakefield, and after a most stubborn fight, were defeated by a score of 7 to 8. Under the circumstances Millbrook certainly deserves great credit for the plucky fight they made. They had not the slightest practice, having bought their sticks in Peterborough on their way out. When the Millbrook team can put up such a game without practice, it is hard to say what they would have done in the association this year if their rink had been going and they had received some good training. They will meet Lakefield again this week in the Peterborough rink if arrangements can be made.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

The Ashburnham school board will meet Wednesday evening, January 19th, to organize for the year.

Arrangements have been completed for the choir concert in the town hall on Friday, Jan. 21, when the best talent of Peterborough and Ashburnham will assist.

Active practices are being held for the Ashburnham Public School concert in the town hall on Friday, Jan. 28th. Pupils are admitted free. Others will be charged a small admission fee. Proceeds will be devoted to buying pictures, etc., to adorn the rooms of the school.

END OF THE CENTURY BARGAINS.

The century just closing never saw anything like the earthquaking bargains which Gough Bros. will give from Wednesday out, in High Class Clothing. The Tireless Goughs have bought $16,480 worth of superb high class Clothing of Oak Hall, corner George and Hunter streets. This splendid stock must be cleared out at Gough Bros.' prices—a big cut in the cost of making. You'll never find, if you live to be ninety another such sweep of cyclonic bargains. Corner of George and Hunter streets.

THE PAPAL ENCYCLICAL

Read Yesterday in St. Peter's Cathedral—His Lordship's Lucid Explanation of its Significance.

The Encyclical letter recently issued by His Holiness the Pope, was read in St. Peter's Cathedral at both morning masses yesterday and in the evening His Lordship Bishop O'Connor gave an address explaining its provisions in order to make it more intelligible to popular understanding.

The Bishop gave a most interesting sketch of what may be called the Separate School question from the beginning and the rights conferred in relation to the Separate Schools by the Confederation Act in 1867 and the Manitoba Act in 1870. In the latter act the clause relating to Separate Schools was inserted in the interests of both Catholics and Protestants, as the respective populations were at that time nearly equal. Affairs went on in Manitoba under this Act until 1890, when the Legislature abolished the dual system of Separate Schools. While this may have been accepted by the Protestants, the Catholic people objected. The history of the appeals to the Privy Councils, and the subsequent events which are doubtless still fresh in the public mind, were clearly rehearsed. In regard to the "settlement" that was effected, the Holy Father took unusual pains to inform himself of the real circumstances, and sent out a special delegate to examine into all the circumstances. Upon that report His Holiness, to whom the Bishop paid a high tribute, not only as a saintly ecclesiastic, but as a statesman of brilliant abilities, whose high qualities all men, whether of his faith or not, recognized. The resulting encyclical pointed out with no uncertainty he duty of parents in regard to the education of their children, which was required to be distinctly Catholic in every respect—schools with Catholic teachers and Catholic books—schools pervaded with an atmosphere of Catholic influence.

The encyclical pronounced the so-called settlement and the resulting legislation as insufficient and defective, and far short of what Catholics had a right to demand. The duty of Catholics in regard to the situation was to maintain their ground with firmness and prudence. Whilst the present condition of things was unsatisfactory, a crumb was better than no loaf at all.

A NEW PARISH.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick Appointed Its Priest.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of the Cathedral, has been appointed to the new parish which has been constituted with Young's Point as its centre, and Chandos, Lakefield and surrounding country as a part of it. Rev. Father Fitzpatrick entered upon the duties of parish priest yesterday. During his stay at the Cathedral, Rev. Father Fitzpatrick has faithfully performed the duties of his sacred office and won a high place in the esteem of the flock of St. Peter's, while at the same time he has gained the high respect of the citizens generally of all creeds. Many warm wishes for success follow him to his new parish.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. J. Gough was down from Toronto for Sunday.

Miss Etta Ainsworth, of Brighton, is visiting with the Misses Faux, No. 56 Harvey street.

Rev. C. E. McIntyre, of Belleville, while in town yesterday was the guest of Mr. W. W. Daly, Water street.

Mr. D. M. Hunter, of Westwood, was in town to-day on his way to Ottawa, where he will attend the Normal School.

Miss Smith, of Midland, who has been visiting friends in Cobourg, is at present in town, the guest of Miss Lane, Sherbrooke street.

Mr. Charlie Brodigan, who has been visiting at the residence of his uncle, Dr. Caldwell, for the last few weeks, left for Hamilton this morning.

Mr. E. J. Bolton, son of Mr. Michael Bolton, whose name recently appeared high amongst the honour graduates of the Normal School, is one of the few candidates who was successful in passing the Normal College examinations at Toronto the other day. Congratulations are extended.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

—A meeting of the Charity Board is called for this evening.

—The Dog Show opens to-morrow in the market Hall at 10 a. m., and continues for three days.

—The annual sale of periodicals will take place this evening at eight o'clock at the Public Library.

—All the members of the Banjo club are requested to attend practice this evening instead of to-morrow night.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 2

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 7° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	15°	8°

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

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The entire stock of the T. W. Robinson & Co. Groceries and provisions must be cleared out in the next ten days. The goods are all fresh and have been selected with care, and are being sold at a great sacrifice. You will save 25 to 35 cents on every dollar. E. F. MASON & Co., at the T. W. Robinson Co., corner George and Smith streets.

LIBERAL ORGANIZATION MEETING,

IN THE COMMITTEE ROOMS WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19th.

To Effect Organization for the Coming Campaign—Mr. Stratton Will Address the Meeting.

Mr. Stratton will be glad to meet his political friends and supporters in the Committee Rooms, over Loch & Sons' fur store, George street, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 19th, at 7.30.

Arrangements for organization will be perfected and Mr. Stratton will deliver an address upon the Manhood Registration Act which comes into force in Peterborough for the first time at the present election. It is to be hoped that there will be a large attendance, so that every detail of local organization may be arranged. The campaign must be pushed from now till the hour of victory.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

St. Peter's Branch No. 21, E.B.A., Installs its Officers for the Current Term.

The following officers installed at a meeting of St. Peter's Branch No. 21, E.B.A., held on Thursday evening last:—

Rev Father O'Sullivan.....Chaplain
H Carveth.....President
J Lonergan.....Vice-President
J Hanrahan.....Rec Sec
J Drain.....Fin Sec
J H Primeau.....Treasurer
E R Warde.....
J Sullivan.....
R McAuliffe.....
J Hanrahan.....
C Wall.....
Stewards
R McAuliffe.....Marshal
Jas Gorman.....Assistant Marshal
E R Warde.....Inside Guard
C Wall.....Outside Guard

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BENSFORT, on Tuesday, Jan. 18th, at 7.30 p.m.

BAILLIEBORO, on Thursday, Jan. 20th, at 7 30 p.m.

FRASERVILLE, Orange Hall, on Friday, Jan. 21st, at 7.30 p.m.

TOWN HALL, NORTH MONAGHAN, Monday, Jan. 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

PETERBOROUGH

Opera House, Peterborough, Thursday, Jan. 27th, at 7.30 p.m.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1898.

OBITUARY.

Death of George Grant, of Dummer, on Tuesday Last.

Another old landmark is gone in the person of Mr. George Grant, who died on the 11th inst. in his 66th year. Mr. Grant was born on the 28th of May, in 1832, in Dummer, and has lived almost continuously in the township ever since. He married in the spring of 1860, Miss Jane Taylor, of Dummer, who survives him. The issue of this union was two of a family, one died in infancy—the other a son, is married and lived in the homestead with his father. Mr. Grant was the last surviving son of the late William Grant, who emigrated from England to Dummer in 1831. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church from his boyhood, and a life long Reformer. Being of a retiring disposition and never aspiring to any public office, he was a quiet and inoffensive neighbour. His aged wife and his son and family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community. The funeral was largely attended on Thursday when the remains were interred in the Warsaw Cemetery. The pall bearers were his four brother-in-laws Messrs. Christopher Crowe, J. J. Crowe, Samuel Smylie and W. C. Doughty.

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A NEW MISSIONARY ENTERPRISE.

That has Been Organized Under the Auspices of the Christian Alliance.

Pastor R. V. Bingham, of the People's Baptist Church, of Newburgh, N.Y., addressed the congregation of Bethany Mission at both meetings yesterday. In the morning he spoke from Heb. iv., 9, R. V.—"There remaineth, therefore, a Sabbath rest for the people of God." Although in the future tense when spoken, the apostle states that we which have believed do enter into that rest. From the Old Testament, Mr. Bingham pointed out that the complete observance of the Sabbath involved (1) the entire abandonment of the life to God and (2) the perfect adjustment of man to his fellow-man. This constituted "Rest," and this was a present experience to be enjoyed.

In the evening the hall was filled ere Mr. Bingham began to speak on the theme of missions. After various references to personal experiences in Africa, in which the speaker made earnest appeals for sympathy and help on behalf of the people of that dark land, he briefly outlined a plan of missionary work which, after thorough testing in East Africa, has by its marked success given promise of the solution of the problem of the speedy evangelization of Africa. The method adopted has been to send out with the regular missionary several lay workers who should make it their principal business to raise a revenue for the support of missionary. Up to the present this has been successfully accomplished by adding to the mission station a plantation of from 500 to 1 000 acres, where several hundred natives are employed under direction of missionaries' assistants. Thus while the missionary is seeking to instruct them in the truths of the Gospel, the native himself by his labour is earning a revenue for the support of the mission.

Although the first object of the work is to give the message of salvation to the people, the industrial system has proved a death blow to slavery wherever introduced and at the same time has lifted the native socially and intellectually as well as spiritually. A British Society established less than six years ago reports twelve stations formed, and this year state that they make their last appeal for funds, as the forty missionaries employed are receiving sufficient revenue from the industries to meet their support. All workers gladly labour for a simple maintenance, and all capital realized from the plantation in excess of the expense, goes to establish new stations. Although a Baptist enterprise, at the close of the meeting a number of donations were handed in amounting to about $20, all of which will go to the establishment of a station in Africa in connection with the church represented.

Special prayer meetings will be held in connection with Bethany Mission every night this week except Saturday.

CHURCH CHIMES.

The Christian Endeavour Society of the Charlotte street Methodist church will hold a literary meeting to-night.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Charlotte street church meets at three o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

An art exhibit and concert will be held by the Junior League of the Charlotte street church on Thursday.

The anthem, "When I survey the Wondrous Cross," by T. C. Jeffers, was well rendered by the George street Methodist church choir last evening. This anthem is the composition of Mr. T. C. Jeffers, a brother of Mrs. Howson, the present organist of the George street church.

MURRAY STREET BAPTIST.

In the Murray street Baptist church yesterday morning Rev. A. T. Dykeman writes as his text: "They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength, Isa. 40:31." His heads were as follows:

Of all the necessities of the church, spiritual power is the greatest.

As the soldier needs strength for drill and warfare, so the soldier of Christ needs strength for spiritual warfare.

As the racer needs strength to win the race so the Christian must have strength for the Christian race.

As the servant needs strength in order to give satisfactory service to an earthly master, so we must have spiritual strength in order to give proper service to our heavenly Master.

The Christian must have strength to resist.

We must have strength to endure trials, afflictions, discouragements.

The source of strength: "God's grace is sufficient."

Intellectual and material forces are of no avail against spiritual force.

How to gain strength: They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength. "Wait upon" in this case means to look forward to, to expect. We must wait in an attitude of readiness.

There is a waiting of activity. There is also a waiting of inactivity.

The Indians believed that the strength of every white man they killed entered into the Indians who killed him. Every victory we gain over the enemy gives us the greater strength.

We gain strength in prayer.

As a plant when brought into the sunshine grows, so the Christian grows when brought into the sunshine of God in prayer.

"Knowledge is power." We gain strength by the study of God's word. We must be waiting in faith. Touch God by faith in Jesus Christ and divine power will permeate the entire being and transform the sinner into a Christian.

A duet, entitled "The prayer of the Wanderer," was sung by Dr. and Mrs. Scott.

In the evening the subject was "The Good Shepherd," and the text, "I am the good Shepherd." Jno. 10:27. The Jews were thoroughly impressed with the idea that God was their Shepherd. Repeated references were made in the Old Testament to God as a Shepherd.

Qualifications of a good Shepherd: 1st—Watchfulness. In Oriental lands constant watchfulness was necessary in order to protect the sheep from danger. Christ has His eye constantly upon us and sees our danger when we cannot.

2nd—Courage. The Oriental shepherd must be ready to face wild beasts, with which the wilderness was infested, in order to protect his sheep. Christ has faced our great enemy the devil.

3rd—Love for his sheep. So great was the Eastern shepherd's love for his sheep that he was ready to give his life to protect them. Jesus Christ laid down His life for us. The Oriental Shepherd knew his sheep by their names. Christ knows all His sheep individually. It was customary in Oriental lands to brand the sheep. A great divine has said: "Christ's sheep are marked in the ear and in the foot." Ear mark: My sheep hear my voice; Footmark: And they follow Me.

Safety of Christ's sheep: "They shall never perish neither shall any man pluck them out of My hand," Jno. 10:28. The pastor concluded with an earnest invitation to all to come to Christ, the good Shepherd.

The musical programme was carried out as announced in Saturday's issue.

MARK STREET.

Two excellent sermons were preached on on Sunday by the popular pastor, Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B. The morning text was "We are labourers together with God," and the evening subject, "God's tender care for old age." The text was very appropriate, being Psalm 37—25: "I have been young and now I am old, yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.' Large congregations listened to both services.

The Sabbath school was also well attended. Others will also be made welcome.

Mr. Chas. Noyes will take the E. L. topic at the meeting on Monday evening. All welcome.

Tuesday evening at 7.30 the Prayer Meeting and the Music Committees of the League will meet at the parsonage to arrange topics, leaders, hymns, etc., for the meetings of 1898.

Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock the ladies will meet at the parsonage to organize a Ladies' Aid Society.

The usual church prayer meeting will be held at eight o'clock on Wednesday evening.

On Thursday evening the cottage prayer meeting will be held at Mr. Wand's. It will be led by Mr. J. Batten.

The choir concert will be held in the new town hall on Friday evening. An excellent programme has been arranged. Only a small admission fee will be charged and all will be welcome. Remember the date, Jan. 21st.

THE S. N. & L.

Agricultural Society Hold Their Annual Meeting—Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the townships of Smith, Ennismore, and village of Lakefield Agricultural Society, was held in the Lakefield town hall on Wednesday afternoon last. Quite a number of the members was present.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted.

The auditors presented their annual report. The total receipts amounted to $539 50, the total payments being $585 85, leaving a deficit of $46 45, which is smaller than last year. The following are the amounts paid in prizes to the different classes:

Horses	$ 130 00
Cattle	40 50
Sheep	20 50
Pigs	15 50
Poultry	7 25
Dairy products	11 00
Grain and seeds	22 50
Roots, etc	24 25
Orchard and garden	9 40
Implements, etc	2 75
Fine arts	5 00
Ladies work	45 00
All other objects	13 00

The total number of entries were 383.

The report was on motion received and adopted.

The election of officers was then proceeded with and resulted as follows:

President—Ed. Elliott.
Vice President—R. J. Munro.
Sec.-Treas—W. Sherin.
Directors—Messrs. R. H. Braden, H. C. Garbutt, S. Wallace, W. Abbott, Levi Payne, G. W. Fitzgerald, W. Leahy, S. McKibbin and R. Q. Dench.
Auditors—W. M. Graham and A. Fairbairn.

The meeting then adjourned.

LILY LAKE LITERARY SOCIETY.

One of the best meetings this society has yet had was held on Thursday, Jan. 13th. The president being absent the vice president took the chair. The following programme was rendered in excellent style:

Address	Vice President
Report	Secretary
Report	Critic
Opening chorus	Glee Club
Recitation	Miss Winnie Reid
Solo	Miss Belle Tully
Reading	Miss Annie Downer
Instrumental	Mouthorgan band
Recitation	Mr Will Beck
Reading	Miss Sadie Young
Recitation	Miss Lillie Middleton
Reading	Mr Geo A Reid
Instrumental	Mouthorgan band
Reading	Mr Will Beck

God Save the Queen.

Critic for next night, M. G. A. Reid.

Catarrh Cure for 25c.

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The Oak Hall acorn drops into Gough Bros'. mit, who have bought the $16.430 stock of Senator Sandford at 62½ cents on the Dollar—and that dollar, the manufacturer's cost. You can fancy what sweeping prices Gough Bros., the Princes of Low Prices, will put on the Goods. First Class Goods. Unheard of Low Prices. Sale begins Wednesday at the Oak Hall store, corner George and Hunter streets. Follow the mile posts to Oak Hall for the biggest bargains of the century.

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GEORGE A. RAPTIE, Lakefield.

CANAL ITEMS.

Items of Interest at Lakefield—The Work Going on.

The work on that portion of the Trent Valley Canal through Lakefield is progressing very favourably at present, and if the fine weather keeps on a large amount of work will be done.

Contractor Aylmer has hopes of striking a gold vein at Lakefield.

A great many complaints are being made with reference to blasting. The stones are blown a great distance, and quite a number of windows have been broken in the village. It is also very dangerous for parties walking anywhere near the canal. The contractors should have the blasts covered to prevent damage.

Mr. Geo. Fitzgerald, foreman, who is building the stone wall between the Lakefield bridge and Hull's mill, is making good progress, and when completed it will be a very neat job.

A steam pump is at work night and day pumping out the water at the lower cut. The steam drill is also at work night and day.

TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto.....Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.20 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 3.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST	ARRIVE DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.53 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.48 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
	WEST	
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.53 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

Boys' odd Short Pants, in sizes 29 to 33, in Tweed and Serge, regular price 75c, 85c and 98c, Grafton & Co's clearing sale price 45c.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Bruce Rickey, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Merchant, Insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate, credit and effects for the benefit of his creditors under the revised statutes of Ontario, 1887, chapter 124 and amending acts.

Further notice is also hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the said estate will be held in the office of Roger & Bennet, my Solicitors, No. 375 Water street, in the town of Peterborough, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1898, at 2 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and give directions as to the disposal of the estate generally, and creditors are requested to file their claims with me or my solicitors on or before the date of such meeting.

And notice is given that after the said date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have had notice, and I will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim I shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Peterborough this 11th day of January, 1898.

ROGER & BENNET, H. RUSH,
375 Water St., Peterborough. Assignee.
Solicitors for Assignee. 519

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I have been troubled for three years with Dropsy. Could not get any relief. My limbs were swollen to a size I could not rest. I was advised to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. I have only used two boxes and I am completely cured. I have no objection in allowing you to publish this so as to help others. I remain, yours,

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DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

Two Cases Which Throw Light on Their Relationship With Each Other.

Windsor, Jan. 15.—A short time ago the residence of Charles McLerie was burned, and the insurance money was garnisheed by a number of creditors to whom McLerie had become indebted while he was connected with the Windsor brewery. Mrs. McLerie claimed that the insurance was her own, that it could not be used to pay off her husband's debts. The creditors, however, showed that the husband had been given power of attorney to use his wife's name in his business transactions and claimed that his debts should be met by Mrs. McLerie. The judge took this view of the case, and granted the claims of the creditors.

UNDER THE CENSOR'S EYE.

Despatches to Havana Cannot be Published Without Permission.

Havana, Jan. 15.—A decree has been published prohibiting the publication in daily newspapers of cable despatches without previous censorship and without twelve hours' notice of their receipt. In addition, in future the post-office here will detain national and foreign newspapers not having previously been censored. Violators of the law are warned that they are under military jurisdiction. Another edict will soon be published, forbidding the gathering of groups of more than four persons either in the streets or in the stores.

Made an Illegal Seizure.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Judge Morgan has decided that a gift from a husband to a wife cannot be seized for rent. The Land Security Co. seized for rent a Bell organ, given by Mr. Evans of Delaware avenue to Mrs. Hannah Evans, his wife. She sued to recover, and Judge Morgan gave judgment in her favor, allowed $90 damages, and ordered the company to pay the costs.

German Warship in Trouble.

London, Jan. 15.—The British steamer Duncra reports having seen a German warship in a disabled condition at the Island of Perim, at the entrance of the Red Sea.

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"My daughter was suffering with catarrh of the stomach, and tried many different prescriptions without benefit. Finally she began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and it helped her at once. She has taken fifteen bottles and is now able to work all the time. We prize Hood's Sarsaparilla very highly." ANNA MERRILL, Eaton, Que.

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Beat an Old Man to Death.

Fort Steele, B.C., Jan. 14.—An old man named George Smith was beaten to death last week by four French-Canadians whom he was driving, because he insisted upon their getting off the rig while going up a hill. All of them are arrested.

The Abbotts Get the Bonus.

Kingston, Jan. 14.—The bylaw granting $62,000 to the Abbott Bros. of Montreal, to establish iron works here, was carried to-day by a majority of 1088. The concern will at once proceed to build in the eastern part of the city.

Forty-Three Lives Lost.

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 14.—The latest official death list shows a total of 43 lives lost in the tornado which swept through Fort Smith Tuesday night. Not less than 76 others are injured.

A Storm is Brewing.

Your rheumatism tells you so. Better get rid of it and trust to the weather reports. Scott's Emulsion is the best remedy for chronic rheumatism. It often makes a complete cure.

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Proposed Note Issue Against Gold to Relieve Stringency.

THE END OF ENGINEERS' STRIKL

Ex-Premier Crispi Makes a Stirring and Patriotic Speech on Italian Unity —Zola's Sensation in France— The Father of the Imperial House Said to be Dying —Cable Notes.

Calcutta, Jan. 15.—Sir James Westland, the Finance Minister of the Council, introduced a bill yesterday providing for the issue of currency notes in India against gold. Mr. Arthur, the paid Secretary of State in London, in behalf of the banks and chambers of commerce, endorsed the measure. The Finance Minister said the Indian money market was experiencing a period of extreme stringency. The local resources, he added, were unable to supply the demands of trade. The scarcity, he explained, was due to the banks remitting their capital home and keeping as little as possible in India.

This policy was adopted before the legislation of 1893, and was not in consequence of that legislation. But, while they were advancing towards the attainment of a 16d rupee this success militated against the transfer of sterling capital to India in exchange. The banks must operate upon commercial principles. Sir James Westland denied the allegation that the Government was holding money in order to starve commerce and force up exchange; but, the recent demands on the Government, he continued, had been so heavy that it had been obliged to ask the Secretary of State to intermit the drawings. The amount in hand was ample to assure the convertibility of the Indian notes. Therefore there was no risk from a currency point of view. In conclusion, the Finance Minister said: "The Secretary of State will draw on the Treasury, if it is requisite, to the full extent to which funds are available. But if the demand continues beyond that point he will, in issuing telegraphic transfers, set apart the gold received and transmit it to this country."

CRISPI ON ITALIAN UNITY.

The Ex-Premier Makes a Stirring and Patriotic Speech.

Palermo, Jan. 15.—A banquet was given here Thursday night in honor of ex-Prime Minister Crispi, who is a Sicilian by birth, in connection with the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Sicilian revolution. Signor Crispi made an important speech, which moved his audience to intense enthusiasm.

The chief point of the speech was the ex-Minister's forcible contention that the unity of Italy was necessary to her existence as a nation. He asked would Sicily gain if she returned to autonomy, and the audience shouted an emphatic "No." Then Signor Crispi fervently declared:

"For us unity is life. Without it our existence would be uncertain. We should be the plaything of the bullies of the world. Surrounded by strong military governments, with the adjacent shore of Africa in the hands of a foreigner, who is strongly fortifying it, the Alps and the two seas would not suffice for our defence, which demands big battalions."

Signor Crispi concluded by urging all Italians to stand shoulder to shoulder round the throne, with the cry of "Long Live the King, Long Live Italy, one and indivisible."

Upon the conclusion of his speech Signor Crispi was greeted with prolonged and enthusiastic cheering.

ENGINEERS HAVE GIVEN IN.

Their Demand for 48 Hours Labor Per Week Withdrawn.

London, Jan. 15.—The committee of the Allied Trades Unions on the initiative of the amalgamated engineers has decided to withdraw the demand for 48 hours of labor per week, and the workmen's officials hope the employers will follow suit, withdraw the lock-out notices, and thus end the greatest labor dispute.

The decision of the committee of the allied unions means the withdrawal of the strikers' principal demand and the immediate or early end of the struggle. The statements of the strikers' representatives, however, are conflicting, as, while the decision mentioned above was announced emphatically at Glasgow and in Manchester, where the employers were advised to that effect, Secretary Barnes of the London Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers declares the announcement is untrue.

The Amalgamated Society of Engineers issued a manifesto last night which ignores yesterday's reports. It merely recites the engineers' contentions and says they are willing to arbitrate the question of hours of work.

A Great Book Free.

When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N.Y., published the first edition of his great work, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, he announced that after 680,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, $1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labour and money expended in producing it, he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, 21 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent postpaid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1,008 pages, profusely illustrated. The free edition is precisely the same as that sold at $1 50, except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send now before all are given away.

Napoleon's Loss.

It is said that but for an attack of indigestion, brought on by over eating, Napoleon would have won Waterloo. Great issues depend on good digestion—good digestion depends upon Burdock Blood Bitters. "Two years ago my wife was very ill with dyspepsia. Six bottles of B.B.B. cured her, and she has no return of the malady." WM. DAY, Fort William, Ont.

Jumped or Fell 147 Feet.

New York, Jan. 15.—An unknown man threw himself or accidentally fell from a parapet on the Washington bridge over the Harlem River at 181st street yesterday. The distance from the point where he fell to the water is 147 feet, which is 12 feet further than the distance traveled by the Brooklyn bridge jumpers. The man was fished out by two laborers who saw him fall. He died later in the afternoon.

Stouffville Waterworks.

Stouffville, Ont., Jan. 15.—The Stouffville waterworks were tested yesterday and gave the most complete satisfaction. At the highest point in town, with a 7-8 inch nozzle, the water was thrown 80 feet higher than the highest building; and at the lowest point, where the pressure is more heavy, 50 feet above the highest building.

Died a Natural Death.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Coroner Webb of Waterloo has received word from Government analyst Dr. Ellis of Toronto stating that no poison was found in the stomach of Paul Fink. The only reasonable conclusion now to be arrived at is that Fink's death was produced by natural causes.

Toronto Gets It.

London, Jan. 15.—Yesterday the Ontario Poultry Association decided to hold its annual show in Toronto next year, and Dr. A. W. Bell of that city was elected president. The show just closed was the most successful in the Association's history, there being over 2,000 entries and grand birds.

Sudden Death of a Strathroy Lawyer.

Strathroy, Ont., Jan. 15.—Mr. John Cameron, the well-known lawyer of this place, died suddenly last evening at the Queen's Hotel.

DR. CHASE'S REMEDIES

Some of their Remarkable Cures.

E. J. Lasalle, Dunnville, Ont.—Cured of severe Kidney and Bladder Trouble by Chase's K.-L. Pills, a cure that created a sensation.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart, Folgar, Ont.—Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine saved her little boy, who was sinking rapidly from Lung Disease.

R. D. Robbins, 148 Cowan Ave., Toronto, Ont.—Cured of an Eczematous Sore extending from knee to ankle. Eight doctors failed. Dr. Chase's Ointment cured.

Miss Anna A. Howey, Eden, Ont.—Cured of Catarrh of 19 years' standing and Catarrhal Sore Throat by Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure.

Mrs. Jos. Querin, Ethel, Ont.—Cured of Eczema of the Head and Face from which she suffered 9 years. Head a mass of scabs. Dr. Chase's Ointment cured her.

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MRS. ANN GRAHAM, 295 Palmerston Ave., Toronto, Ont., says: "I had Jaundice very bad for seven years, and severe pains in my back. I was weak, and always felt tired. The whites of my eyes and my skin were as yellow as saffron. The doctor said my kidneys were not acting right. I have been taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and they have cleared my eyes and complexion. The pain in my back has gone, and I am much stronger now."

PAINS AND ACHES GONE.

MR. CHAS. SULLIVAN, Chatham, Ont., made the following statement: "I suffered a great deal with pain in the small of my back and left side, and had a dull feeling in my head, with pain through my eyes. At times I was dizzy, and suffered greatly from urinary troubles. When I commenced taking Doan's Kidney Pills I thought myself almost past relief, but began improving rapidly, and now I am able to say that all my troubles have gone."

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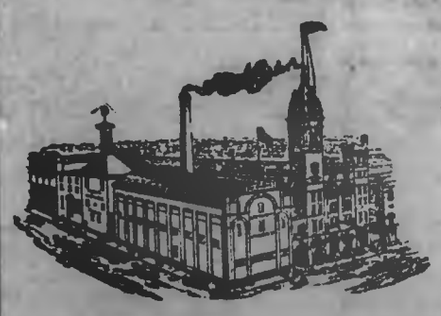

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FIVE REMARKABLE TREES.

Which Rank Among the Curiosities of Plant Life.

The whistling tree, or Acacia fistula, is found in Nubia and the Sudan. The Arabs call it soffar, or piper, because of the whistling sound that it produces, and the specific name of fistula, a word also meaning pipe or flute, has been given it for the same reason.

Insects infest the tree and deposit their eggs in its shoots. A gall-like excrescence about an inch and a half in diameter is produced at the base of the shoots, and when the larvæ have emerged from circular holes in the sides of the shoots the holes, played upon by the wind, produce a whistling sound equal to that produced by a sweet toned flute.

The cow tree is so called because it yields an abundant supply of milk. To obtain the milk deep incisions are made in the tree, from which the fluid flows into vessels placed ready to receive it. This vegetable milk is white, somewhat viscid and has an agreeable flavor, and an analysis of it shows that it is very much like the milk of a cow in its composition. The cow tree grows on the slope of the mountain chain bordering on Venezuela.

The cloth tree is found at Otaheite, in the south sea. The bark is taken off in long strips and put to soak overnight in running water. The soaking softens it, so that the inner fiber may be easily separated from the rest of the bark. The fibers are put together in lengths of about 11 or 12 yards, and the lengths are placed side by side until they are at least 12 inches in width, and two or three layers of fibers are put one upon another.

The fibers adhere together in one piece, and the material thus formed is beaten upon a smooth piece of wood until it becomes as thin as muslin. It is then bleached in the air for a time, when it is ready to be made up into clothing.

The stinging tree of Queensland is pleasing to the eye, but dangerous to the touch. Its effects are curious. It causes great pain to the person or animal that has the misfortune to get stung by it, but it leaves no wound, no mark of any kind, and for months afterward the part stung is painful in rainy weather or when in any way it gets wet. Frequently it is necessary to shoot horses and dogs that have been stung by the tree, so maddening is its effect upon them.

The angry tree grows in Nevada, eastern California and Arizona. When in the least disturbed, this highly sensitive tree shows its anger by ruffling up its leaves and emitting a disagreeable odor.—D. V. F. in Philadelphia Times.

Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

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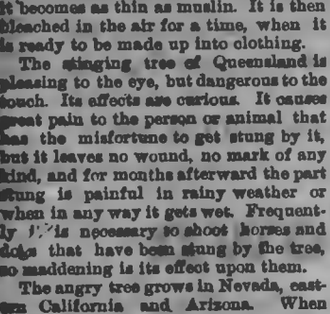

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A Movable Code.

"'Other time, other manner,'" remarked the man in the big leather armchair, "ought to be amended to read 'Other countries, other manners.' Not long ago I went back to the small country town of my boyhood to make a short visit, and while there the whole town was set agog by the appearance of a highly interesting foreigner—a Hungarian of noble birth. No, he wasn't a barber in disguise. He was a genuine titled Hungarian. One of the clever, pretty girls in Smalltown had gone abroad to study music and had there met and made a serious impression on this Hungarian gentleman, who had crossed the water to make her a visit. He held a military position in his own country, and the tails of his military coat, lined with a brilliant red, nearly prostrated the entire community.

"One Sunday morning he accompanied the young lady to church, and of course Smalltown was out in full force to get a good look at him. Certainly his church deportment differed widely from anything ever witnessed in this country. He was seated in the pew with the young woman when her father came down the aisle. As the father entered the pew the tall Hungarian arose, placed his hand across his breast and bent double in a ceremonious bow, then seated himself, the red coattails being much in evidence during the salute. When the girl's mother entered a few minutes later, the same formal reception bow was made to her. As a rule, Americans do not rise and make sweeping bows in church; but, as is evident, such is the Hungarian fashion, and Smalltown was naturally much interested and agitated over this unusual display of foreign manner."—Detroit Free Press.

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Suffering Ended in a Few Weeks by the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; many remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

This story, with variations as to the disease, is told by hundreds in Petrolea. Dodd's Kidney Pills have not been known to fail one yet. Every case has been a cure.

A LIFE FOR LOVE.

A world below and a heaven above—
Let us live, my dear; let us live and love!
We know not all that the blue skies mean,
But the beautiful lilies loll and lean,
And here is the sunlight on meadows of green
And rivers with silvery ripples between—
A world below and a heaven above.
Let us live, my dear; let us live and love!

A world below and a heaven above—
Let us live, my dear, for a breath of love!
We know not the meaning of stars and skies.
We only see heaven in Love's glad eyes
And give him our sorrows, our songs and our sighs.
And a red rose is born for each red rose that dies!
For a world below or a heaven above
Let us live, my dear; let us live and love!

Let us live, my dear, in the lonely lands
For a kiss, a tear and a clasp of hands,
For whatever blessings a soul may miss
There is nothing in heaven as sweet as this,
Love's kiss—love's lingering, first sweet kiss.
With a world below and a heaven above
And a life, my dear, that is lived for love!
—Atlanta Constitution.

WANTED, SOME BURGLARS.

They Were Requested to Call and Steal Valuable Heirlooms.

A man rushed into the business office of one of the daily papers and stopped at the advertising window. There he secured a pad of paper and a pencil with a string to it. He wrote and erased, and then tore up what he had written, chewing the fragments savagely while he made another copy.

"There," he said at last, as he thrust the paper into the hand of the advertising clerk, "count the words and tell me what they will cost for one insertion. I reckon that will fetch them."

This was the advertisement:

"Burglars are requested to call some night this week on Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Brown, Ash court. A door and window will be left open and every facility offered for removing the spoils."

"But this is a very unusual form of advertisement," said the clerk, with a troubled look. "I don't know whether to put it under the head of personal or educational. What is your motiv may I ask?"

"My motive?" said the advertiser, "is to get rid of an awful incubus of inherited truck without any responsibility fastened upon me. I might burn the house down, but in that case I would be expected to save the heirlooms or perish with them. Say, young man, were you ever the victim of a legacy?"

"No," said the clerk, with a friendly grin. "What a funny question."

"No old maid aunt ever died and left you a dozen battered silver teaspoons that had come down from Oliver Cromwell?"

"Never!"

"Lucky chap! Never had a solid silver punch bowl bequeathed to you by a bibulous old uncle who was a disgrace to the family while he lived, but promised to return and haunt you if you didn't entertain his comrades once a year out of that bowl?"

"I should say not."

"Nor a great-grandmother who left you a silver soup ladle with a coat of arms of some unknown descent and got a ancestor which must be placed under your pillow every night for safe keeping?"

"No," said the clerk. "I belong to plain, everyday people, and we haven't a coat of arms to our backs."

"Be thankful, young man. You little realize what a blessed lot is yours. To crown our misfortunes, another relative died in Paris last week and left us her diamonds. But I draw the line at diamonds, and so does my wife. We take turns now sitting up with the silver. After the burglars come and clean us out we shall begin to live. Put that advertisement in a good place, and I'll let you know if we hear from it. S'long."—Chicago Times-Herald.

When a Japanese girl marries, she blackens her teeth, thus to a great extent marring and spoiling her beauty. American husbands would not dream of such barbarism, but on the contrary, want their wives to remain beautiful and attractive just as long as possible. In fact, every woman owes it to herself and society to preserve her beauty, attractiveness and amiability to the very end.

Thousands of women fail of this for one great prevalent reason. While they resort to every device to preserve their beauty of complexion by external applications and possibly take the best care of their general health, they are too frequently utterly neglectful of their health in a special womanly way. No woman can remain beautiful, attractive or amiable, who suffers from weakness and disease of the delicate and important feminine organism. A woman who suffers in this way will lose her clearness of complexion, her eyes will become dull, worry and pain will mark her face with wrinkles and she will become nervous, sickly, fretful and despondent. There is a sovereign remedy for all troubles of this description. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

"My illness was caused by lack of medical attention during childbirth. It lasted for a period of three years, during which my suffering was almost indescribable," writes Mrs. Edith Petty, of Texanna, Cherokee Nat., Ind. Ter. "Owing to the injuries received—rupture, internal displacement, etc., I became a physical wreck. I was in a constant state of pain and nervous collapse. I became so nervous I feared insanity. My heart was affected and I had spells of palpitation and smothering. Was reduced in strength and could take no solid food. The doctors told me that recovery was impossible without a surgical operation. My monthly periods ceased entirely. My mother bought a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I took twelve bottles. Thanks to an All-wise Providence and Doctor Pierce's medicines, the symptoms have all disappeared. I can now do a hard day's work, eat anything and everything I wish. I regard my recovery as permanent, for it is nearly two years since I stopped taking Dr. Pierce's medicines."

The Old Time Stagecoach.

In 1763 there were, strange as it seems, only six stagecoaches running in all England, and of course these were the only public vehicles for travelers. Even these were a novelty, and a person named John Crosset thought they were such a dangerous innovation that he wrote a pamphlet against them. "These coaches," he wrote, "make gentlemen come to London upon every small occasion, which otherwise they would not do except upon urgent necessity. Nay, the conveniency of the passage makes their wives come often up, who rather than come such long journeys on horseback would stay at home. Then when they come to town they must be in the wade, get fine clothes, go to plays and treats, and by these means get such a habit of idleness and love of pleasure that they are uneasy after." Even people who come to the city on steam cars are sometimes similarly affected by the visit, even unto this day.—Exchange.

A Natural Query.

"I am getting up a little article about men of wealth," explained the reporter, as he entered the great merchant's office, "as a sort of lesson for the young men of today. Would you mind telling me how you got your first real start in life?"

"Not at all, not at all," replied the old man pleasantly. "Do you want the truth, or the regulation biographical romance that is ordinarily used? It's immaterial to me."—Chicago Post.

It is Time

To turn over a New Leaf!

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New Year's Resolution

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Weak and Nervous Men:

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When summer roses fall
And lie, forgot, in withered drifts
Along the garden wall;
If all the wreaths a lover weaves
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Then out upon the silly fool
Who makes not merry now!

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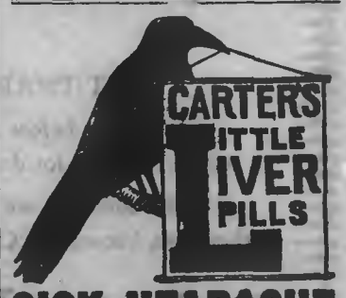

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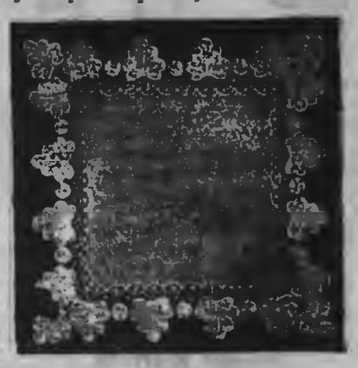

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SPECIAL SERMONS IN CHARLOTTE STREET AND GEORGE STREET EDIFICES.

They Were Preached by Rev. Mr. Jolliffe, of Colborne, and Rev. Mr. McIntyre, of Belleville—Interesting Discourses.

Yesterday was missionary Sunday in the local Methodist churches and services were preached to the George street and Charlotte street congregations during the day by Rev. T. W. Jolliffe, of Colborne, and Rev. C. E. McIntyre, of Belleville. Rev. Mr. Jolliffe took the morning sermon in the George street church and in the evening was at Charlotte street church, whilst Rev. Mr. McIntyre appeared in the Charlotte street edifice in the morning and went to George street at night.

Mr. Jolliffe's evening sermon was based on Romans, 1st chap., 16th verse:

"For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek."

In opening the speaker referred to the great statue of William Penn, which had been erected in Philadelphia, and which

TOWERED FAR ABOVE

even the highest church steeples. Every word, he argued, that was uttered by the author of the text was worthy of the closest attention. Paul was no common man. He rose infinitely above the men by whom he was surrounded. Not many men rise to a position of greatness, but there are some who, like the statue of Penn, rise above, far above their fellows as in the instance of Paul. His words are worth close study. If there be a passage of scripture that bears the ring of sterling honesty, of loyalty and devotion to Jesus Christ, we have it in the words of the text—"For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."

At the time that Paul uttered these words, everything that contributed to man's temporal necessities was applauded. A great many were ashamed of the gospel on account of the lowliness of the birth of the carpenter of Nazareth—ashamed because of the persecution that fell to the lot of those who boldly announced their faith—ashamed because the teachings were considered too simple, self sacrifice was practiced by those who announced their allegiance to the Lord Jesus; and yet Paul says "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Jesus Christ."

There are those who take no account of missionary Sunday. They say that it is simply a novelty of the present age, but they are mistaken. The first meeting we hear of being held in the habitat of God's holiness was a missionary meeting. It was held for the purpose of finding a missionary. God knew that man had sinned and communed as to how he should find a remedy. Was there any who would undertake man's terrible condition and die for him. Jesus Christ volunteered to undertake the mighty work. He was the first missionary and He offered the grandest sacrifice known to man. He gave Himself that we might be redeemed.

REV. MR. McINTYRE.

In the evening Rev. Charles McIntyre, of Belleville, gave what might be termed "A Mission Talk," in the George street Methodist church. He opened by pointing out that the Missionary Society had used $6,000 in excess of their receipts last year. In the Women's Missionary Society they do not pay out a dollar until they take it in. In the general church missionary society things were run just vice versa. They paid out money before they had it in hand. The Peterborough district gave last year $2,021 57, out of this the George street church gave $633.

The speaker then considered the missions under the auspices of the Methodist church—French, Indian and Foreign. He next referred to the abundance of rich minerals which were locked up by nature in the northern regions. In a very years miners will be settled there. Supplies will of necessity follow, and thus large cities will be formed. Missionaries will then go there with the blessed Gospel and labour for the Master. All Canada was at one time missionary ground, so to speak. This was even the case with Peterborough itself once. The missionaries went from point th point preaching and as a result of their labour self-sustaining circuits sprang up. The guiding principle of the society is to send out a missionary, making him a small allowance or grant. Then the missionary holds meetings and tells the people what he is there for, also stating the missionary society is doing this and asking them to retain the Gospel in their land by helping to support him, so he will be able to expound it to them.

IN A VERY SHORT TIME,

if matters are successfully carried on, it is a self-sustaining circuit. The society has been steadily increasing the number of these circuits and missions. "We will never allow any one to say that the gospel was beyond his or her reach," said Mr. McIntyre.

The Missionary Society has missions in cities. In Belleville north, there is one which a few years ago was almost self-sustaining. This is where most of the Grand Trunk employees lived, but by some change in the management of that company the majority of the leading helpers of the mission were obliged to go elsewhere for employment. This is a great loss to the mission, and now it needs help. They have either to support it from the fund or else shut it up. "Which shall we do?" said he. "If you help us we may be able to carry it on successfully yet." "Oh!" but you say, "it is not far from the city. Let them go there and hear the Gospel." I answer that it is quite a distance from the city, and supposing it were not the Bible says: "Go and preach the Gospel to them," etc.; not, let them come and hear the Gospel.

Reference was then made to the work in Quebec, where those who turn to the Protestant faith and Christianity have so many severe temptations and trials; the the Northwest and French missions, where there was a good deal of the spirit of independence shown shown by the Christian converts at the last elections, when they stood up and told the priests to attend to their own spiritual avocation and not dare interfere with them in their politics. The Indian missions were shown to be in a fair state of prosperity, as were also the Japan and China missions.

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The Amended Regulations for Their Governance.

THE CASE OF MRS. STERNAMAN.

Hearing the Plea for Commutation—Dr. Thompson's Affidavit—Fluid Found in the Thoracic Cavity of the Body—His Excellency Gets the Case To-day—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—Amended regulations governing placer mining along the Yukon River and its tributaries, including the Klondike, as well as all other parts of the Yukon territory, were adopted in Council on Saturday, and will be printed and available in a week or two. The main points and most important changes are covered by the following summary: Every miner and employe of a miner will require to take out a miners' certificate, the fee for which will be $10; in the case of a company it will be $50 or $100, according to the amount of capital stock. A miners' license will confer a right to mine, fish, hunt and cut timber necessary for mining. Provision will be made for obtaining miners' certificates at a number of cities and towns, such as Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria. The general size of mining claims will be 250 feet; discoverers' claim 500 feet. Every alternate ten claims shall be reserved by the Government of Canada. Sub-aqueous mining leases will be issued in five-mile sections, with a fee of $100 per mile per annum, and the usual royalty. The fee for recording and renewing mining claims will be $15. Any number of miners, not less than five, more than 100 miles distant from the office of a mining recorder, may appoint a recorder, who will record claims, and within three months transfer the record and fees to the nearest mining recorder. A royalty of 10 per cent. on the gold mined shall be levied and collected by Government officers appointed for the purpose; but provision is made for the exemption on the annual product of any mining claim up to $2,500, so that claims which do not produce more than $2,500 a year will not be liable for royalty. Provisions are made to prevent speculation in claims by throwing a claim open to entry which has not been worked a certain number of days, unless reasonable cause is shown, and by providing that a record shall not be issued for more than one claim to any miner in the same locality. There are other provisions guarding the public interest and revenue, and at the same time affording the most ample facilities for mining the enormous wealth of the Yukon.

MRS. STERNAMAN'S CASE.

Mr. German and Rev. Mr. Foote at Ottawa Trying to Save Her.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—Last night the Ministers of the Crown deliberated on the fate of the unhappy woman who is lying in Cayuga Jail under sentence of death. To-day His Excellency will have the case in his hands. For nearly three hours yesterday morning Mr. German, M.P.P., counsel for Mrs. Sternaman, and Rev. Mr. Foote, whose church she attended, were engaged with the Minister of Justice and Messrs. Blair, Scott and Sir Louis Davies, discussing the question of executive clemency. Mr. German reviewed the evidence and made a very strong plea for commutation. He put in an affidavit from Dr. Thompson of Cayuga, the coroner, stating that he had found a quart of fluid in the thoracic cavity of the body, notwithstanding that it was sworn to at the trial that there was no fluid there. This fluid must have been injected by the undertaker, Snider. Dr. Harrison swore at the trial that there was no fluid in the body. Dr. Thompson did not mention this at the court because it was not asked of him. At the time he was not aware of the evidence of Dr. Harrison.

Mr. German also spoke at length on the fact that while Mrs. Sternaman knew that the embalming of the body in Buffalo would have destroyed all traces of poisoning, she did not do so, but brought it to his mother's place of residence.

Rev. Mr. Foote strongly urged the moral life of the woman as exceptionally upright, and further pointed out the friendly relations existing with her first husband and family.

Mr. German in conversation last night said: "Perhaps the wish may be father to the thought, but I am rather inclined to think that on the whole Mrs. Sternaman's death sentence will be commuted. I secured no definite opinion, of course, from the committee of Council, but rather incline to this opinion from what I saw. I was closely questioned on all points; and as to the feeling in the west, I am bound to say that if the sentence takes its course it will not be in line with public sentiment there."

General Ottawa News.

The new civil service list is out.

A new Church of England parish is to be formed in Ottawa South.

Dr. Valleo of the Montreal jail has been appointed temporarily as deputy warden of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.

Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Solicitor-General, is to be banqueted by his fellow-townsmen of Quebec on the 31st inst.

Mr. Charles A. Gauvreau, the newly-elected member for Temiscouata, will move the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

Deputy Surgeon-General Oliver of Halifax arrived here yesterday afternoon to arrange with the Militia Department for the manufacture of the Oliver accoutrements for the militia.

The Canada Atlantic Railway Company has decided to build an elevator at Cotoau Landing with a capacity of 500,000 bushels. The municipality will give freedom from taxation for 20 years.

Mr. Frod. L. Jones, chief preventive officer of customs, has caused the arrest at North Sydney of Capt. Street of the schooner John Millard, and also of the crew and a party named Ford, the supercargo. They will be tried for smuggling. Street broke jail the night of his arrest.

General Manager Hays and Assistant General Manager Wainwright of the G. T. R. were engaged yesterday afternoon with Mr. Blair, Mr. Schreiber and General Freight Agent Harris, I.C.R., discussing the arrangements for the through extension of the I.C.R. and terminal facilities at Montreal. It will be spring before the Drummond County Railway is taken over, but Mr. Blair wants an understanding with the G.T.R. before the session opens.

9,000 OPERATIVES OUT

With the Serious Prospects of 125,000 Altogether Before the Cotton Strike Ends—Dirt-Throwing.

Boston, Jan. 18.—A reduction in the wages of about 125,000 operatives employed in nearly 150 cotton mills in New England which the manufacturers decided upon as a temporary remedy for a widespread depression in the cotton goods industry of the north, went into effect in a majority of the mills yesterday morning. In several mill centres, namely, New Bedford, Biddeford, Saco and Lewiston, Maine, dissatisfaction among the mill hands is intense and strikes are on. The 18 mills of the former city, which give employment to about 9,000 hands, have been shut down because the operatives have refused to accept the reduction, and the contest thus inaugurated promises to be one of the most stubborn in the history of the textile industry.

The situation in New Bedford is viewed from a very gloomy light by the depression which followed the failure of six mill corporations last spring. The 8,500 employes at the Laconia and Pepperell mills in Biddeford, Me., yesterday refused to go to work under the new schedule, and it is thought the strike there will not be settled easily. Some of the employes of the York mills of Saco also joined the Biddeford movement.

Dirt-Throwing at New Bedford.

New Bedford, Jan. 18.—A shut-down, the most complete in the history of the cotton mills of New Bedford, began yesterday morning. Not a spindle is turning, not a loom in motion in the factories of the cloth portions an hour after the usual time of beginning work. Nine corporations, operating 18 mills, in which upwards of 9,000 hands are employed, are involved in the strike. The cut-down is uniform all over the city, ten per cent. The total pay roll of these corporations is estimated at $70,000 weekly.

Both manufacturers and operatives seemed to be well prepared for the strike, and the situation was treated in a very matter-of-fact manner by both sides.

Only at the Acushnet mills gates did any disturbance occur, and that did not prove serious, although the managers were jeered loudly, and some frozen dirt and sticks were thrown about, but no one was hurt.

CANADIAN CURRENCY.

Dr. Woods has been elected Mayor of Aylmer, Quebec.

The city health authorities officially declare that Montreal is completely clear of smallpox.

James A. Ross, proprietor of the Ross House, East London, died on Sunday after a long illness, leaving a grown-up family.

George Lawlor, a tramp, has been sentenced to six months in the Central Prison and twelve lashes for criminally assaulting a little girl.

E. B. Scroggie of Montreal has eleven reindeer in his park at Black River. They have just arrived from Lapland and will be sent to the Klondike in the spring.

General William Booth, accompanied by Commander Nicol and Colonel Lawley, left New York for Boston, en route to St. John, N. B., where his Canadian tour will begin.

News received at Quebec tells how a band of Indians at Fort Hope Post, in the Hudson Bay Co.'s territory, killed, cut to pieces and burned one of their number.

The London Street Railway Co. is to be sued for $5,000 damages for the death of William Spice of Missouri, who was killed Dec. 17 last by a car backing down to Pottersburg.

The 8-months-old daughter of Louis Gauthier, a civil servant at Ottawa, was choked to death yesterday by a piece of candy which a little girl had given her in Mrs. Gauthier's absence.

Mr. Malcolm McFiggin, an old resident of Colborne, died from apoplexy on Sunday, aged 75. He came to Canada in 1849 and settled at Cobourg. He moved from there to Colborne 24 years ago.

ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

Hon. R. Harcourt Enthusiastically Renominated.

HAVE THE PRESAGE OF VICTORY.

West York Liberals Meet—Mr. Robert Ferguson Again the Liberal Candidate for East Kent—Hon. Mr. Harcourt's Speech at Wellandport—A Veteran Liberal—The Other Side.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Another member of the Ministry was renominated in his old constituency yesterday, namely, Mr. Harcourt in Monck. The Provincial Treasurer, whose brilliant management of the financial interests of the Province during the last two Parliaments has contributed materially to the popularity and strength of the Mowat and Hardy Governments, faced an enthusiastic convention, and may be depended upon to wage a vigorous and successful campaign in his county.

In West York, too, a meeting was held yesterday that seemed to have a presage of victory about it. Mr. James McMullen, M.P., Mr. A. Campbell, M.P., and Mr. W. J. Hill, the popular Liberal candidate for the riding, were the leading speakers of the afternoon.

Mr. Robert Ferguson, who has held East Kent true to the Liberal cause for a dozen years past by overwhelming majorities, was also renominated yesterday, and a plain, effective statement of the affairs of the province was laid before the electors by the Provincial Secretary, Hon. E. J. Davis.

In Toronto the Liberal party is alert and active. The annual banquet of the Young Liberal Club will be held to-morrow evening at the Rossin House, and strong and effective addresses may be looked for from Sir Richard Cartwright and Premier Hardy, who will be the leading speakers of the evening.

HON. RICHARD HARCOURT

Again Nominated in His Old Constituency—His Enthusiastic Reception and Rousing Speech.

Wellandport, Ont., Jan. 18.—The largest Liberal convention that was ever held in the County of Monck was held here yesterday, when it was moved by Augustus Hyett, Reeve of Pelham, seconded by George Brooks, Reeve of Camboro, That the Hon. R. Harcourt be again chosen as Liberal candidate for the coming election. He accepted the nomination amid loud applause, after which the following gentlemen addressed the audience: William Gibson, M.P. for Lincoln; J. T. Middleton, M.P.P., East Hamilton; John Brown, ex-M.P. for Monck; Donald Macnish, M.P.P. for West Elgin, and Hon. R. Harcourt.

When Mr. Harcourt rose to speak the gathering "whooped it up." They did not "rise as one man," according to constitutional practice, because they were all standing and had been for three hours, but they cheered the louder to make up for that omission. Mr. Harcourt spoke warmly in acknowledgment of the confidence reposed in him by the delegates, many of whom had known him from his boyhood. He adverted to the temperance question, citing the advances that had been made by the Government and dwelling particularly upon the new License Act, which was a great advance in temperance legislation, raising the age limit from eighteen to twenty-one, lowering the number of licenses from one for each 400 population to one per 600, preventing the granting of licenses near churches and schools or in residential districts, closing saloons, shortening the hours of sale, restricting druggists, etc. Mr. Harcourt referred to the timber policy of the Government and the large revenue secured by the province from the disputed territory won for it by Sir Oliver Mowat; to the efficiency and economy of the administration of public institutions, and the satisfactory condition of the finances of the province. The meeting adjourned with hearty cheers.

A Veteran Liberal.

A picturesque figure at the convention was Mr. S. G. Wiggins of Wellandport, a handsome, keen-eyed, clear-headed veteran of 83 years, still full of the fire of Mackenzie's rebellion. When any particularly good point was made by the speakers his deep-toned, cheery, characteristic "hear, hear" rang through the hall and gave that encouragement so dear to the campaigner. Mr. Wiggins is the man who, when Mr. Laurier was speaking at Welland a few years ago, kept himself in as long as he could, then rose to his feet, and, waving his white hat aloft, cried "The spirit of William Lyon Mackenzie is hovering over us." The echoes of the cheer that then rang through the hall have not died out in this county yet. Mr. Wiggins was born at Lundy's Lane, and the battlefield was his playground.

In East Kent.

Thamesville, Ont., Jan. 18.—The annual meeting of the East Kent Liberal Association was held here yesterday in the Ferguson Opera House. Mr. R. Ferguson, M.P.P., was the only one whose name brought before the convention, and he received the unanimous nomination of the Reformers of East Kent for the fifth time.

After the nomination addresses were made by Mr. Ferguson, Hon. E. J. Davis, J. F. Lister, M.P., and Messrs. Rankins, Walker and McCully.

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Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURBIER.

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HON. G. W. ROSS IN THE OPERA HOUSE.

Unusual interest will be taken in the announcement that Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, and Mr. J. R. Stratton will address a mass meeting of electors in the interests of the Hardy-Ross Government and the Liberal candidate for West Peterborough, in the Opera House, Thursday, Jan. 27th. Hon. Mr. Mr. Ross is one of the most capable Ministers of the Government, and one of the best, if not the best, and most effective speakers on political subjects in Canada. He is a most ready, brilliant and convincing orator and the Opera House should be crowded to listen to an able and exhaustive exposition of the public questions now engaging the attention of the people of this Province. Ladies will be made welcome and assigned to seats in the gallery.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

ARE you on the voters' list?

LOOK out for the date of registration.

IT takes a Hardy Government to stand the storm.

THE revised edition of the "gospel" of St. John is to be bound in pig.

THE fate of Ananias should be taken to heart by some campaign orators.

IF you are not a voter in the municipal elections you have a chance to register.

ALL that Mr. Whitney has left of his timber policy is the stump—and the deuce of it is he can't collect the dues.

THE Ontario Government can't, perhaps, make the bad boys in the Reformatory angels, but they are aiming to make them the next best thing—farmers.

ACCORDING to the Mail and Empire and the other organs, the Ontario Opposition practically runs the Government. They might tell us therefore the exact date of the elections.

THE rumour that Ananias is dead is evidently without foundation. Otherwise one can't account for a great deal that appears in the Mail and Empire.

MR. WHITNEY in riot of imagination placed the cut of American lumbermen in the Georgian Bay district at 600 million feet. Hon. Mr. Gibson, dispensing with imagination and depending upon carefully prepared reports of departmental officers, placed the cut of American lumbermen in the Georgian Bay district at a quarter of that amount, or 68 million feet less than last year. To make sure, the Opposition always make their yarns large enough.

Mr. Whitney, leader of the Opposition, went into the session that closed yesterday with a "little bit" of prestige. His summer tour, in which his bravado on the stump met with no contradiction—the statistical mysteries of Col. Matheson and St. John's then unchallenged pig prodigies, standing by themselves and uncontradicted, had a certain sort of weight. Many a foolish man, when he speed his horse by himself along the highway, argues himself into the belief that he has a flyer, but when his nag runs up against a horse that really can go the illusion is dispelled. Mr. Whitney and his confreres on the tump last summer had everything their own way, but when brought to book in the House and their reckless statements squared with facts, they found both themselves and their fairy tales discredited. Mr. Whitney and his friends have made but a sorry exhibition in the House. Their piggery issue has run suddenly down a steep place into the sea of investigation and become choked. Their saw log policy has resulted in a "jam." The Opposition declared that the auditing of public accounts was a sham, and they proved their case. They made the Public Accounts Committee a sham by making it a means of wasting time, and to prove that there was even a greater sham, St. John and his precious piggery humbug. It is small business to write of such matters, but they have been, and are still, the stock in trade of the Ontario Opposition. They challenged the attention of the House with such issues, and if the people accept such issues as a standard to judge them by, they have only themselves to blame. If the people felt the slighest inclination to dispense with the services of the present Government, the antics and attitude of the Opposition, who are applying for the position, would turn them from their purpose.

HARVEY

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Harvey council elect met at the town hall on January 10th, as provided by the Ontario statutes. The members made, subscribed and filed their several declarations of qualification and office with the clerk and took their seats at the council board. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. On motion a bylaw was passed re-appointing W. P. Chase and John Elliott as auditors for 1898. On motion a bylaw received the several readings re-appointing the clerk, treasurer, assessor and collector and passed. A bylaw was passed appointing health officers for 1898, viz.: A. G. Shearer, reeve (ex officio), Jas. Cairnduff, clerk (ex-officio), John Smith, Samuel Guthrie, sen., and Jas. A. Purdy. C. E. Bonnell, M.D., was re-appointed medical health officer. On motion the reeve was instructed to attend the land sales for taxes in arrear, on behalf of the interests of the municipality. On motion W. T. Elliott was appointed to examine and sell the timber on the 10th concession line between lots nine. The following accounts were read and orders drawn on the treasurer for payment, viz.:—C. E. Bonnell, salary as medical health officer, 1897, $50.00; Lewis & Pearson, repairs on road scraper, per Adams, 75 cents; James Cocos, deputy returning officer, expenses Poll No. 1, municipal election 1898, $5.00; H. A. Cairnduff, deputy returning officer, expenses Poll No. 2 and rent, 1898, $3.00; Nathaniel Pearson, rent of house Poll No. 3, municipal election, 1898, $2.50. On motion the council adjourned, to meet at the clerk's office on Monday, February 14th, 1898.

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CHANDOS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Municipal council held its first meeting of 1898, at Caldwell's School, on Monday 10th. Meeting opened at eleven a.m., when the following gentlemen took the necessary declaration of office as the council of 1898: John Meadgue, Reeve; (by aclamation) W. S. Rosebush, D. S. Campbell, John Bullied and John Hales, Councillors. After which the Clerk read minutes of last meeting, also applications from Wm. James, Aaron Post and C. S. Prouty for the office of Assessor. From Times Publishing Co., for the contract of municipal printing, supplies, etc., for 1898, for the sum of $25 00. From Wm. Tinney, for assistance to open a portion of the boundary between Chandos and Cardiff.

Moved by J. Hales seconded by D. S. Campbell, that A. Post be appointed assessor. Moved in amendment by J. Bullied, seconded by W. Rosebush that Chas. Prouty be appointed assessor. Reeve gave casting vote in favour of A. Post.

Moved by J. Hales, seconded by J. Bullied, that J. Monogue and W. Rosebush be a committee to confer with Coe Hill Board of Health as to the advisability of uniting with them in the matter of employing a Medical Health Officer.

On motion of Councillors Campbell and Rosebush, Wm. Tinney received grant of $5 on boundary between Cardiff and Chandos.

The following municipal officers were appointed: J. M. Ratcliff appointed, clerk; Alex. Trotter, re-appointed treasurer; C.S. Prouty and Jas Cleary, auditors; D. S. Campbell, M. Couche and H. Mix, Board of Health.

A bylaw for the appointment of the several officers passed its different readings.

Moved by J. Hales, seconded by W. Rosebush, that Stephen Scott receive an order for $5 roadwork ordered by council; also that Wm. James receive $1 for dry goods for Mrs. Tomlinson.

Moved by Councillors Campbell and Hales, that clerk receive an order for $9 to cover election expenses.

Moved by Councillors D. Campbell and Rosebush that A. Trotter receive $3.98 for postage account.

Moved by Councillors Rosebush and D. Campbell, that Dr. Caldwell receive an order for $20, being half of salary due from 1897 as Medical Health Officer.

Moved by Councillors Rosebush and Hales that clerk notify trustees of S. S. No. 5 that it is the opinion of this council that should they continue their school after Jan. 1, 1898, they (the trustees) will be liable for teacher's salary, etc.

Meeting then adjourned to meet at call of Reeve. Next meeting to be held at Foster's school house.

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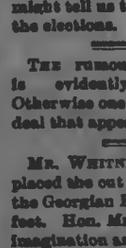

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WHEAT STRONGER.

The Visible Supply Shows a Larger Decrease Than Expected—The Local Markets and Prices.

Monday Evening, Jan. 17.

Cash wheat ¼c higher in Chicago at 91⅝c.

The stock of wheat in Chicago is now 10,733,000 bushels.

English visible supply of wheat increased 124,000 bushels last week.

The world's shipments of wheat for the week were 5,800,000 bushels.

Russian shipments of wheat the past week were 1,688,000 bushels.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ½d higher for May and July and 1d higher for March.

Grand Trunk Elevators.

The receipts and shipments of grain at the two G. T. R. elevators at Toronto for 1897 were as follows:

	Inwards.	Outwards.
Wheat, bu.	220,114	214,683
Peas, bu.	330	330
Barley, bu.	137,089	122,324
Oats, bu.	16,247	16,247
Corn, bu.	14,508	14,508
	388,288	367,702

Visible Supply of Grain.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	Jan. 15. 1898.	Jan. 16. 1897.	Jan. 17. 1896.
Wheat, bu.	37,848,000	52,450,000	67,988,000
Corn, bu.	41,134,000	21,522,000	7,713,000
Oats, bu.	15,063,000	13,621,000	6,616,000
Rye, bu.	4,151,000	3,443,000	1,334,000
Barley, bu.	3,582,000	3,877,000	3,426,000

Wheat decreased 1,025,000 bushels last week, as against decrease of 1,413,000 the corresponding week of last year. Corn increased 1,621,000 bushels last week, oats increased 735,000, rye increased 51,000 and barley decreased 488,000 bushels.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago,	$0 91⅝	$0 91
New York	1 00½	0 92½
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern.	0 91⅝	0 90⅝
St. Louis	0 94	0 94
Toledo	0 91½	0 92⅞
Detroit	0 91⅝	0 91⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91½	0 90⅝
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard.	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand is only moderate, with little change in prices. Red winter sold outside at 81c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose at 77c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 83c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 33c. No. 3 extra sold at 28c and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firmer, with sales west at 24½c to 25c for white and 24½c and 25c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is fair, with offerings light. Dealers quote 51c to 52c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c west and 31c east.

RYE—Offered in car lots, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm. Car lots quoted at 27½c to 28c west.

MILLFEED—Cars of shorts and bran are at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain were small to-day, only 1000 bushels. Prices unchanged. Wheat, 300 bushels, sold at follows: White 84c to 85c, red 87c to 88c and goose 77c to 78c.

Rye, one load, sold at 43c. Barley, 400 bushels, sold at 31c to 34c. Oats firm, 100 bushels selling at 28c. Peas firmer, 100 bushels sold at 53½c to 54c. Hay, 10 loads sold at $8 to $9 per ton. Straw sold at $6.50 to $7.50 per ton.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 7s 3½d for March, 6s 9½d for July and 6s 4¾d for Sept. Maize firm at 3s 2½d for Feb., 3s 2d for March and 3s 1¾d for May and July. Flour 23s.

London—Close—Wheat off coast, buyers and sellers apart. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, 37s 6d Jan. and Feb. Maize on passage, buyers and sellers apart.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 27f 65c for June. Floor 50f 5c for March.

East Buffalo Cattle Markets.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts 150 cars, including 17 loads of Canadian stock. Market generally steady, with good butchers' steers ruling higher. The bulk of Canadians were stockers and feeders, in which little was doing until late in the day and then at 10c low prices. Extra to prime export steers, $4.90 to $5; good to choice shipping, do., $4.75 to $4.85; coarse rough steers, $3.75 to $4.30; green steers, $3.75 to $4.25; choice to smooth 1st heifers, $4.25 to $4.50; fair to good butchers' cows, $3.75 to $3.75; export bulls, $3.65 to $3.90; oxen, $2.25 to $4.60.

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LOCKHART'S RETURN.

Sir Power Palmer Will Succeed to the Command in India.

HIS DISTINGUISHED CAREER.

The Cost of War Must Not Deter Britain From Keeping the Door of Chinese Commerce Open, Says the Chancellor of the Exchequer—A Soudan Capture—Cable News.

Calcutta, Jan. 18.—Sir William Lockhart, after completing the report on which he is engaged, concerning the future Indian frontier policy and the measures to be adopted, will return to England on three months' leave. Gen. Sir Power Palmer will act during his absence, being succeeded in his present command by General Elles. The force will otherwise remain unchanged, except for a temporary reduction of the headquarters staff.

Sir Power Palmer has been commander of the Punjab frontier force since 1895. He is now in his fifty-eighth year. He entered the Indian army in 1857, and during the mutiny he served with Hodson's Horse. In 1868 he was on the North-west frontier. He served in the Abyssinian war from 1867 to the end of 1868; was with the Duffla expedition in 1894 and commanded the Chin Hills expedition of the previous year. He also served during the Afghant war, 1878, and in the Soudan expedition, 1885. He received the rank of Major-General in 1893.

Even at the Cost of War.

London, Jan. 18.—The Right Hon. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, speaking at Swansea last night, echoed the declaration of Mr. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, on the Indian policy of the Government, at Manchester, and said the Government was determined, even at the cost of war, that the door of Chinese commerce should not be shut to Great Britain.

Dervish Post Captured.

London, Jan. 18.—A special despatch from Cairo says a party of friendly natives has captured the Dervish post at Sarfich, making ten prisoners and obtaining possession of quantities of supplies.

The Notes Were Forged.

London, Jan. 18.—At yesterday's hearing of the suit brought by Mr. Daniel Jay against Lady Tatton Sykes, most of the time was occupied with expert evidence to the effect that the signatures were forged. Sir Tatton's Yorkshire banker testified that the notes were forged, and the Monte Carlo cheques, previously referred to during the trial, were forged, adding that when Sir Tatton Sykes' attention was called to the matter he gave a genuine cheque for £9,000 in place of them.

Reindeer for the Klondike.

Copenhagen, Jan. 18.—An agent of the Canadian Government named Lowis is organizing an expedition (for the relief of the miners in the Yukon valley) similar to the one undertaken by Dr. Sheldon Jackson, in behalf of the United States Government. Six Laplanders and 114 reindeer are already en route.

Countess Russell Dead.

London, Jan. 18.—Frances Anna Maria, Dowager Countess Russell, widow of the celebrated Lord John Russell, is dead.

The Dowager Countess Russell was a daughter of the second Earl of Minto. She was born in 1815, and married Lord John Russell, as his second wife, in 1841. Lord John Russell died in 1878.

Serious Earthquake in Italy.

London Jan. 18.—A special despatch from Rome says there was a severe earthquake yesterday at Argenta, 18 miles southeast of Ferrara. A church and several buildings were wrecked and some persons were injured.

DR. BESSEY ACQUITTED.

Justice Rose Took the Case From the Jury and Discharged Him.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Dr. William E. Bessey, of 48 Carlton street, was yesterday afternoon acquitted in the Criminal Assize Court of the charge of performing a criminal operation on Mrs. Jane Thomas, who lived at 187 Church street.

The evidence put in by J. K. Kerr, Q.C., Crown Prosecutor, was mostly medical, being that of Dr. Primrose, Dr. Dwyer and Dr. Brown.

After the latter had concluded J. I. Faulds, who, with Joseph Wright, appeared for the defence, argued that the Crown had not made out any case to go to the jury. Justice Rose concurred, and took the case from the jury.

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One or more of the members of every family in Canada suffer from one or other of these diseases. All their sufferings can be relieved, their diseases totally and permanently cured in every case, by the use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Sick Headache, etc., can be banished utterly from Canada, if the sufferers will each take a couple of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal.

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No undigested food can lie in the stomach if Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets be used. The first one taken begins the work of digesting it. The stomach rests and gains new strength and vigor. The bowels are regulated. In from one to three or four weeks you are cured for all time. You forget what dyspepsia or indigestion is, or what a sick headache feels like.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by all druggists, or will be sent on receipt of price fifty cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, by The Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

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Ontario Gains This Amount by the Present Method of Dealing With Neglected Children.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—The report of the Department of Neglected and Dependent Children, which was presented to the Ontario House in manuscript, states that there are now 608 children in foster homes throughout the province and that the various Children's Aid Societies are doing a splendid work in the aggregate for neglected and homeless children. The principle of finding homes for children instead of keeping them in institutions for a number of years meets with continued favor from all classes, and is effecting a very substantial saving of public funds. It is estimated that if half of the children who are now in foster homes had been kept in institutions, the annual maintenance for them would be over $30,000, and, taking the past four years, the cost would have been fully $100,000. By finding homes for these children without unnecessary delay, the cost of large and expensive buildings and of many officials is avoided. The benefit to the children themselves, which, after all, is the chief consideration, is very pronounced.

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Dear Sir—I have been using catarrh remedy of different kinds for the last fifteen years, but find "Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure" the best I have used, and have no hesitation in recommending it to any one troubled with catarrh or cold in the head.

Yours sincerely,
W. HARPER,
Hardware Merchant.
Lakefield, Ont., Feb. 7, 1896.

JOHN FORSYTH, Berlin:

Dear Sir—I take much pleasure in certifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of your cure for catarrh. It has done me more real benefit than all the medicine I have taken, and I am completely cured now.

Yours faithfully,
ROBERT FOWLER,
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Yours truly, (Signed) PATRICK MURPHY.

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Yours truly, (Signed) MRS. ANNIE MARSHALL.

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GEO. COCHRANE,
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Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Oranges 15c. Lemons 10c. Spot Cash.

Oyster Supper.

Reserve Tuesday evening, February 1st, for the oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street Methodist church. Particulars later. 2d

Shun! All Saints' Church B. B.

All members of All Saint's Company Church Boys' Brigade, are requested to be at the rooms at 6.45 to-night, prepared for the sleigh drive this evening.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Diana forget the fruit sale at the Spot Cash, 363 George street.

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A Syrian Wedding.

Taking advantage of the fact that a Syrian priest is spending a few days at the Cathedral, a young couple of that nationality were married at St. Peter's last evening. Much interest was taken in the event as the Syrian language was used in the performance of the ceremony.

Patronize the Spot Cash Grocery Co., for groceries, fruits and oysters.

Fine Oak Sideboards.

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As the result of re-organisation and infusion of new blood, the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association, after months of careful planning, has found itself in a position to hold an exhibition in connection with a bench show of dogs. The dog show opened this morning at ten o'clock, and at seven this evening the Poultry and Pet Stock exhibition will be formally opened and an address will be delivered by Mr. A. G. Gilbert, director of the Poultry Department of the Ottawa Experimental Farm, who will speak on the subject of dressing poultry for the British markets.

The officers of the Association are as follows:

Honorary President—J. R Stratton, M. P.P.
President—R. Cockburn.
1st Vice-President—Geo. Pratley.
2nd Vice-President—John A. Davidson.
Secretary-Treasurer—Wm. Collins.
Secretary of Dog Show—B R Poole, V S.
Directors—Jas. Beptie, R E Birdsall, B. R. Poole, Smith Milburn, H. Lush, J. H. Garbutt, C. B. James, W. H. Taylor, W. C. Rightmyer.
Reception Committee—Geo. Pratley, H. C. Winch, G. Hayward, R. E. Birdsall, J. Robson.
Coops, Feeding, Care, Etc.—H. Lush, G. Pratley, I. Dormer.
Printing, Etc.—R. Coburn, Wm. Collins, Dr. Poole, Alf. Terrill.
Dog Show Committee—George Burnham, M. D., Henry Pigeon, M. D., B. R. Poole, V. S., James Heard, Alf. Terrill, E. H. White, C. McCormick, John McKee and C. B. James.

There is only one Great Dane, but he is beauty and is owned by Hugh Nickle, of Kingston. In Greyhounds, Jas Baptie, of town, and P J Lee, of Hasting, are the contestants. In Foxhounds there eleven entries and as all but one are from town the interest manifested in the judging in this class will be keen. The entries are by W H Reckham, S Ray, John Watt, W G Westlake, Wm Snowden, H Burdett, J B Larocque, A Cocoran, John Clancy, and Jas Stothart, of town and D J Robinson, of Toronto. A couple of beagles are shown by H C Winch and Frank Bradburn.

The Irish Setter class brings dogs from Douglas & Chambers, of Toronto, and Walter Head, of town. Black Cocker Spaniels—H G Charlesworth, Toronto; Miss M F Atwood, Lakefield; Bert Jones, town and Wm Douglas, Toronto. Coloured Cockers—H G Charlesworth, Toronto; Unique Kennels, Colborne; Thos Warren, town, and Robert Sears, Kingston. Spaniels—any variety—Wm Buchanan, of town, and C T Mead, Toronto.

The entry list is also a big one in fox terriers of both the wire hair and smooth variety, there being twenty-one shown in all. The owners are Robt H Fairweather, of town; A. A McDonald, Toronto; Wm Carmac, Belleville; Francis H Macnee, Kingston; G W Hatton, town; Wm Thorne, town; Mat Jamieson, town; W A Johnston, Hastings; Alex Patterson, town and Jas Head, town. In Dachshunds, B R Poole and D C James, both of town, show against each other.

As Collies have become the fashion, it is interesting to note that there are seventeen entries as follows: Miss Daisy Hamilton, town; Miss Boucher, town; C Y Ford, Kingston; Robt McEwen, Byron; B R Poole, town; Geo B Fraser, Montreal; W H Moore, town; C B McAllister, town; A J Raddon, town; John Davidson, town; Joseph Reid, Montreal, and J Fred Davidson, Smith. Mr Sidney Britcher, of Montreal, shows two bull terriers, and Mr C Y Ford, of Kingston, has three pups on exhibition, amongst which is the $10,000 champion Otterburn Treasure, which has won 25 firsts, besides medals and cups. In the unclassified terriers the Unique Kennels, of Colborne, show Irish terriers, as do H H Ritchie, of town, and H Parker Thomas, of Belleville. G W Hatton has a couple of Manchester terriers, Alex Gibson a Yorkshire terrier, and W P Fraser, of Toronto, one of the Scotch variety. In the Miscellaneous Class are the Unique Kennels' English blood hound, Mrs G W Sime (town) Pomeranian, and Stone & Beatty's (Toronto) Gordon Setter. Mr Shirley Stewart, of Toronto, shows the bull dog "Miss Malone."

The Poultry and Pet Stock occupies all the southern half of the big hall and no less than five hundred coops have had to be constructed, so numerous are the entries of poultry, geese, turkeys, ducks, pigeons, canaries, rabbits, etc., from all parts of the Provinces. This department of the exhibition does not open until seven o'clock this evening, as during the day the judge will be at work scoring the birds. The entry list is something tremendous, and the directors are highly gratified at the prospects of success which are greeting their first effort.

Amongst those making entries of poultry and fancy stock are:—E R Tate, Lakefield, Andalusians; Miss Atwood, Lakefield, Silver Wyandottes; H T Lush, town, Longshans and Minorcas; E B Poole, town, Golden Wyandottes; Brown & Morrow, Colborne, Brown Leghorns, White Leghorns and Wyandottes; R J McGillivray, Kingston, Black Minorcas; J H Parsons, Osaca, Plymouth Rock, Red Game and Indian Game; J H McGill, Port Hope, Golden Wyandottes, Jacobins, Pouters, Fantails, and Tumbler Pigeons; Wm Stewart & Son, Meaford, Brahmas, Buff Cochins, Partridge Cochins, Dorkings, Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Black Minorcas, Houdens, Indian Games, Silver Sprayed Hamburgs, Polands, Grey Geese, Toulon Geese, Aylesbury Ducks, Rouen Ducks, Bronze Turkeys and breeding pens of American, Asiatic, English and French fowl; F N Haig, Hoard's, Brahmas, Langshans, Dorkings, Leghorns, Houdans, Andalusians, Wyandottes, Red Caps and Minorcas; John Robson, town, Langshans, Leghorns, Black Minorcas, Game, R Sinclair, Kingston, Black Spanish, Leghorns, Hamburgs; Milburn Bros, town, Langshans; Trow & Williamson, Lindsay, Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Houdans, Minorcas and breeding pens of American and French; James Sopley, Port Hope, Black Minorcas; W H Reid, Kingston, Dorkings, Black Spanish, Houdan, Andalusian, Golden Spangled Hamburg, Javas, Bantams, white Geese, Aylesbury ducks, Jacobins, Pouters, Fantails, Tumbler pigeons; McCaughlin & Sheridan, Oshawa, Black Minorcas, Brahmas, Leghorns, and Mediterranean breeding pen; W. C. Rightmyer, town, Brahmas, Leghorns; Wm Elliott & Son, Oshawa, Plymouth Rock and Hamburgs; C E Warwick, Toronto, Jacobin, Pouter, Magpie and African Owl pigeons; F E Milne, Kingston, Buff Cochins, Black Javas, White Javas, Bantams, Pekin ducks and Guinea fowl; W T Jenkins, Fenelon Falls, Plymouth Rocks, Leghorns, Minorcas, Andalusians and Wyandottes; J R Hand, Fenelon Falls, Silver Wyandottes, Leghorn and Indian game; Wm. Vicars, town, Lop-ear rabbits; H. C. Winch, town, Black Minorcas; S R Graham, Kingston, Buff and white Leghorns; T Learmouth, jr., Hastings, Brahmas, Buff Cochins, Langshans, Black Spanish, Plymouth Rock, Black Minorcas, Bantams; John Jarrell, Port Hope, Black Minorcas; J F Osborne, Bowmanville, Cochins, Langshans, Black Spanish, Plymouth Rock, White Minorcas, Hamburgs, White Geese and Aylesbury Ducks; W R Knight, Bowmanville, Grey Dorkings, Leghorns, Houdans, Andalusians, Wyandottes, Hamburgs, Javas, Toulouse geese, Pekin and Rouen ducks; Wm Head, town, Plymouth Rock, Wyandottes, Fantail and Tumbler pigeons; Hugh Mackey, town, dressed fowl and canaries; Isaac L Dormer, town, Light Brahmas; John A Davidson, town, Plymouth Rocks and dressed fowl; C H Curtis, Warkworth, Partridge Cochins, Plymouth Rock, Indian Game, Hamburgs, Wyandottes, Polands and Pekin ducks; Hayward & Co., Lakefield, Hamburgs and Red Caps; Jas Head, town, Belgium Hares; Thos Warren, town, Belgium Hares; J S Brumwell, town, Pekin ducks and Bronze turkeys; F G Lund, town, Bantams, Fantail, Jacobins and Antwerp pigeons, doves and freak fowl.

MR. C. B. McALLISTER'S (IMPORTED) "MELPHIS."

For the last several days a large number of those interested in the success of the Exhibition have been working in the Market Hall, where the show is being held, and the change effected in the place is such as to reflect great credit on the zeal of those who have so kindly lent their efforts to aid in the work. The northern half of the hall is lined with benching and partitioned off for the dogs and a double row of benching also runs across the hall from the doorways. In the space thus enclosed, the two prize rings have been erected and in them Mr. Chas. S one, of Toronto, will judge:—Mastiffs, St. Bernards, Great Danes, Greyhounds, Foxhounds, Beagles, Setters, (English and Irish), Dachshunds, Collies, Pugs and Bull Dogs. Mr. Herbert P. Mullens, of Toronto, will take Spaniels, (all kinds), Fox Terriers, Bull Terriers, Terriers (any variety) and Miscellaneous.

The entries for the Dog Show are most gratifying—between a hundred and a hundred and fifty being received. All of these were benched this morning and in consequence pandemonium reigned in the Market Hall to-day as each district specimen seemed desirous of drawing attention to itself as the crowds pressed past the benches.

A large number of the dogs shown are owned in Peterborough, but the majority are from outside points. The two Mastiffs entered are owned by Mr. Geo. Pratley and Mr. Samuel Munro, both of town.

There are no less than 16 St. Bernards and some remarkably fine specimens are on exhibition. The owners are Archdeacon Casey, J O Grant, Wm Steeksdale, R E Wood, W G Sime, E H White and Wm Head, all of town; Rev A W McKenzie, Lakefield; Thos J Lilly, Port Hope; Unique Kennels, Colborne; J R Clemens, Hastings; P Bighirst, Hastings; Philip Hart, Belleville; Mrs. H A Bates, Kingston; Thos J Lilly, Port Hope, and H G Charlesworth, Toronto.

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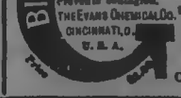

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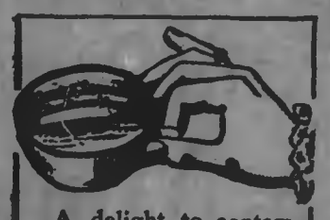

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Mr. Peter Gillespie, of Baillieboro, to be Principal.

Mr. Peter Gillespie, of Baillieboro, has accepted the position of principal of the West Ward School, made vacant by the resignation of Mr. McCreary. Mr Gillespie is an honour graduate of the Normal School, holds a first-class professional certificate for the Ontario School of Pedagogy, has had four years' experience, and comes highly recommended as an efficient teacher.

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OF THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY.

The Annual meeting was Held and Reports Submitted Concerning the Work of the Year—The Election of Officers.

The annual meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon in the council chamber, with President Henry Denne in the chair.

After the reading and confirmation of the minutes of the last meeting,

THE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Was read by Mr. E. A. Peck, Secretary-Treasurer, as follows:

To the Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery Company.

GENTLEMEN—The Directors of the Company beg to submit the following report for the past year.

They are pleased to state that arrangements were finally completed with the Peterborough Water Company for a supply of water for the ground, etc. The agreement made with the Water Company was for a supply of water for five years and provided that the Cemetery Company should pay the Water Company $20 towards the extension of the water main and should also pay annually $50, the Water Company agreeing to furnish water for the grounds and for drinking fountain between 20th of April and October during such five years and for house purposes during the whole period.

A drinking fountain, the need of which has been felt for years, has been erected.

In order to connect the Water Company's mains with the water service in the grounds and fountain, etc., an expenditure of $281 was necessary. The grant to the Water Company and the expenditures for fountain and connection of the water services as mentioned are, it is to be observed, for permanent improvements and are expenditures out of the ordinary character.

If the payments were excluded from the financial statement which is submitted, the balance in favour of the Company in the year's operations would be $350.00.

In recognition of the services of the Superintendent, an addition to his salary of $40.00 per annum has been made taking effect from the 1st March last.

The Directors desire to record their deep regret at the loss the Board has sustained by the death of Mr. John Burnham, Q. C., who has been a member of the Board for the past eleven years.

Dated the 17th day of January, 1898.

Submitted on behalf of the Board of Directors.

HENRY DENNE,
President.

The report was adopted.

THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT

was then read as follows by Mr. Peck:

Receipts.

To balance in Ontario Bank	$1,525 59
" Interest on Debenture	110 00
" " "	110 00
" " allowed on deposit in Bank	45 10
" Cash received from Superintendent	2,368 90
	$4,159 59

Expenditures.

By Superintendent's salary	$ 541 60
" Secretary-Treasurer's salary	100 00
" Auditor's salary	10 00
" Wages	926 68
" Horses and team work	79 28
" Lumber, supplies, repairs, etc	197 24
" Flowers, etc	31 25
" Printing, stationery and post	39 25
" Grant to Water Company towards laying main	200 00
" Supplies, etc., for water service	239 57
" Fountain, etc., etc	44 92
" Water	20 55
" Painting	3 00
" Insurance	11 50
" Re purchase of Lot	15 00
" Miscellaneous	3 00
" Balance in Bank	1,414 39
	$4,159 59

We certify that we have examined the above balance sheet, the Treasurer's books and vouchers, and the Superintendent's fortnightly statements, and find the same correct.

The balance in hand at the end of the year was $1,414.39 as above stated. In addition, there are held by the Company, four debentures of the town of Peterborough, amounting to $3,000.00.

JAS. A. HALL,
J. J. HALL,
} Auditors

The report was adopted.

THE SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Was presented as follows by Mr. J. H. Foord

To the President, Directors and Shareholders of the Little Lake Cemetery Company.

GENTLEMEN—I beg to submit the following report of the improvements made at the Cemetery for the year ending December 31st, 1897.

In July a water main of 676 feet extending from the main entrance to Oak avenue on the north side of the chapel was laid with three inch cast iron pipe, averaging five feet deep, to connect with the Water Company's main on Crescent street, and also a service for the lodge. In section C 300 feet of one inch wrought iron pipe was laid and five hydrants erected. In section D 300 feet of one inch pipe was laid and three hydrants erected. In section E 140 feet of one inch pipe was laid and two hydrants erected. In section N at the single grave plot 130 feet of one inch pipe was laid and two hydrants erected. 250 feet of one inch pipe and 125 feet of ¾ inch pipe have been laid in the lawns at the entrance and six hydrants erected. Also a main of 1¼ inch pipe of 125 feet from the lodge on Maple avenue to the intersection of Lake avenue and three hydrants erected, and 125 feet of 1¼ inch pipe on Oak avenue to connect the mains on Oak and Conger avenues, and 100 feet of 1¼ inch pipe leading from Lake avenue to the lake for a blow off pipe, making a total of 2,148 feet of pipe laid in 1897 and 21 hydrants erected. Pipe laid previous to 1897—1,952 feet of 1¼ inch pipe, 3,965 feet of 1 inch pipe, 640 feet of ¾ inch pipe and 42 hydrants, making a total of 8,695 feet of pipe and 63 hydrants in the cemetery grounds up to November 24th. At the north east corner of the chapel a drinking fountain with two self closing faucets has been erected on a cut stone base, and a concrete ice box built fitted with coils for cooling, which makes the water cold in the hottest weather. The water was turned on from the Water Company's service on the 4th of August and the service is excellent.

I would recommend that deep drains be made and laid with tile in the walks between ranges No. 1 and 2 and between 3 and 4, on section C, to intersect the drain on Ravine avenue the coming season.

I append hereunto my financial statement for the year ending December 31st, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

To sale of lots	$ 327 00
To sale of graves	95 00
To digging graves	422 50
To vault fees	12 75
To miscellaneous work and other sources	261 15
	$2,368 90

EXPENDITURE FOR LABOUR.

By Superintendent's salary	$ 541 60
By workmen's wages	921 05
By team and horse hire	79 28
By balance of income over labour expenditure	783 34
	$2,325 90

UNCOLLECTED OR STILL DUE.

To sale of lots	$ 191 27
To sale of graves	10 00
To digging graves	84 75
To miscellaneous work, etc	347 76
	$ 644 28

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. FOORD,
Superintendent.

The report was received and referred to the new Board.

On motion of Messrs. Jas. Stevenson and Chas. Stapleton, Messrs. Jas. A. Hall and J. J. Hall were elected auditors.

The following directors were nominated by Messrs. Jas. English and Geo. W. Hatton and were unanimously elected: Messrs. H. Denne, C. Stapleton, B. Shortly, C. W. Sawers, J. Stevenson, W. H. Moore, J. J. Landy, Dr. Geo. Burnham and R. M. Dennistoun.

The meeting then adjourned.

THE OFFICERS.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were elected:

President—Henry Denne.

Secretary-Treasurer—E. A. Peck.

Managing Committee—The President and Messrs. Jas. Stevenson, Chas. Stapleton and C. W. Sawers.

Sale of oranges and lemons at the Spot Cash, 353 George street, Wednesday.

OBITUARY.

Death of Francis Lemay in Montreal on Sunday Last.

Mr. Francis Lemay, aged 86 years, father of Mrs. Jas. Dolan, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. R. Turcotte, Montreal, on Sunday, January 16th, 1898.

Deceased was a resident of Peterborough for many years. He had only been ailing for the last two weeks.

Fruit sale, Wednesday. Spot Cash.

A CORRECTION.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Peterborough, Jan. 17th. 1898.

DEAR SIR.—In your issue of this evening, under the heading "A New Missionary Enterprise," is an article which, to say the least of it, is very misleading. In reference to it, I desire to make the following statements:—

(1) That the Baptist denomination, has no connection whatever, with the Christian Alliance, either in missionary, or any other Christian work.

(2) That all the missionary efforts of the denomination, whether at home or abroad, are under the direction of missionary boards, appointed from year to year by the annual convention.

(3.) That the only official of the Foreign Mission Board of Ontario and Quebec, is the Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, of Toronto, Ont.

Pastor R. V. Bingham, of Newburgh, N. Y., may be a Christian minister, above reproach, and the mission, whose claims he advocated yesterday, may be deserving of hearty support, but I hope the above statements will make it clear, (1) that he does not represent the Baptists officially, and (2) that the Baptist denomination is not connected with mission work, under Christian Alliance auspices.

Yours sincerely,
O. C. ELLIOTT,
Pastor, Park St. Baptist church.

[In reference to the above, it is to be said that the report was supplied and is to be supposed to be a correct account, so far as it goes of the speaker's remarks, and the denominational relations of the speaker were written down as printed. The misleading part, if any, was contained in the sub-heading to the article, which was not supplied by the writer.—ED. EXAMINER

Lemons 15c. per doz. while they last at the Spot Cash, Wednesday.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

Fruit sale, Wednesday. Spot Cash.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

—Poultry, Pet Stock and Dog Show today, to-morrow and Thursday, 10 a.m. till 10 p.m.

—Installation of officers of Court Forest Queen to-morrow night. All members are urged to be present.

Oranges 15c. doz. while they last at the Spot Cash, Wednesday.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 2

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Court Langton C.O.F.

This growing court of Foresters will meet in their new hall, over Oke & Co.'s store, this evening, when it is expected that another contingent of applicants will be initiated. Mr. Thos. Drew, the Chief Ranger, assisted by the other officers of the court, have been exerting themselves to have their new hall in readiness for this evening's meeting. They deserve the thanks of the members for the attention they have given to this matter. It is expected that a number of visitors will be present.

Catarrh Cure for 25c.

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have ever used, and gladly recommend it to sufferers Yours truly,
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Sale of oranges and lemons at the Spot Cash, 353 George street, Wednesday.

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The entire stock of the T. W. Robinson & Co. Groceries and provisions must be cleared out in the next ten days. The goods are all fresh and have been selected with care, and are being sold at a great sacrifice. You will save 25 to 35 cents on every dollar. E. F. MASON & Co., at the T. W. Robinson Co., corner George and Smith streets.

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Strike your guitar, fair Camilla, and sing the
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Let the lithe fingers fly swift o'er its strings,
for your dark eyes are beaming—
Beaming with faraway fancies, Camilla, that
pend for expression.
Only thy vibrant guitar is attuned for the
sacred confession.

Now Camilla's fair fingers are plucking in
rapture the pulsating strings,
And her faraway eyes are intent on the scene
and the story she sings—
Singing her song of Felipe, her hero intrepid
and true;
Singing his praise and recounting what deeds
for her love he would do.

See the wild race after cattle, the broncho's
wide nostrils blood red!
Hear the hello of the herder Felipe, who
dashes ahead!
Hist, how the lariat sings as it flies o'er the
horns of a steer!
See the wild plunge and the horse standing
firm! Hear the bellow of fear!

Then, on the trail of Apaches, who leads the
long marches by night?
Who but Felipe would dare to press on o'er the
mesa to fight?
Who but Felipe sits firm in his saddle when
rifles ring out in the dark?
Coolly he levels his weapon. The bullet flies
true to its mark.

Such is the song sweet Camilla is singing with
gaze far away:
Such is the song, for she knows not how long
her Felipe will stay—
Knows not that lone in the waste of the sage-
brush her master lies, slain.
Ah, sweet Camilla, thy songs for Felipe, the
fearless, are vain!

—Charles A. Keeler in "The Land of Sunshine."

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Boys' odd Short Pants, in sizes 29 to 33, in Tweed and Serge, regular price 75c, 85c and 98c, Grafton & Co's clearing sale price 45c.

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FRASERVILLE, Orange Hall, on Friday, Jan. 21st, at 7.30 p.m.

TOWN HALL, NORTH MONAGHAN, Monday, Jan. 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

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Opera House, Peterborough, Thursday, Jan. 27th, at 7.30 p.m.

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BEATING THE DINGLEY BILL.

Mineral Water Importers Called in the Services of Jack Frost and Thus Escaped the Duty.

Washington, Jan. 17.—As an instance of the ease with which sharp men can avoid the high rates of duty imposed by the Dingley bill when they desire to do so, it is related that a number of wealthy gentlemen in Boston some time since purchased a mineral spring in Canada. They intended to ship the water to this country under the provisions of the then tariff law, which imposed a mere nominal tax on mineral water. The Dingley law soon after went into effect with a tariff of 24 cents per gallon on all imported water, which amounted almost or quite to a prohibitory tax.

The mineral water syndicate practically decided that their investment was a losing one and that the project must be abandoned, but as a last resort consulted a lawyer and asked him to get them out of their scrape. He directed them to freeze a quantity of the water and see if its properties were at all changed by the freezing. When it was ascertained that the freezing had no bad effect on the quality of the water, the shrewd lawyer said: "Then you need have no further trouble about the tariff. Simply freeze the water in Canada and import it into this country. There is no duty on ice."

It is a fact that the Dingley law retains ice on the free list, and so the syndicate ships its mineral water across the border in solid chunks at the lowest freight rates, and at the same time avoiding the use of casks that cost $4 each, and besides they save 24 cents on every gallon.

FIRE ON THE CANADA.

The Cargo of the Dominion Liner Damaged to the Extent of $30,000.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 17.—A fire started from some unknown cause in the hold of the Dominion Line steamer Canada about 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and for a time there was considerable excitement on board ship and about the Hoosac Tunnel docks, whom she was lying. Smoke was seen issuing from a new refrigerator containing grain and cotton, but the steamer's fire pumps and the city apparatus, which responded promptly to an alarm, soon had the fire extinguished.

The vessel's cargo, which was nearly all on board, was badly damaged by smoke, fire and water, the loss being placed at fully $30,000, although it will have to be overhauled before the exact extent of the damage can be ascertained. The damage to the vessel itself will be slight.

Sunday in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 17.—By a decision of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia Saturday the Act by which the Sabbath Observance Society sought to stop the operation of street cars on Sunday was declared to be ultra vires of the Provincial Legislature. The Sabbath Observance Society had officers of the Halifax Electric Tramway Co. summoned to the Police Court for employing men to perform servile labor on Sunday. The company asked the Supreme Court for a writ prohibiting the police magistrate from going on with the case on the ground that the Act was ultra vires. The writ was granted.

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In this connection we unreservedly endorse the pastoral letter of Archbishop Begin, read on Sunday last in the Mother Church of Canada.

$12,000,000 AT PAR.

To Run Fifty Years, is the Loan England is Willing to Loan China.

London, Jan. 17.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times says: "Saturday Sir Claude MacDonald, British Ambassador to China, in the course of an interview with the Tsung Li Yamen (Board of Foreign Control) stated that England was willing to assist China to liquidate the Japanese indemnity and would provide a loan of £12,000,000 at par, to run fifty years, the service to be 4 per cent, not, including sinking fund conditions as follows: First, the opening of three treaty ports—Ta Lien Wan, Siangin and Nan King—thereby increasing the customs revenue; second, a declaration that no portion of the Yang-Tse-Kiang Valley shall be alienated to any other power; third, the right to extend the Burmah railway through Hu Nan Province (the most southwestern in China).

"In the event of her default, China to place certain revenues under the control of the Imperial Customs. On this basis the negotiations will proceed. China regards them as advantageous, but for..."

...ster of Justice and ask for executive clemency in Mrs. Sternaman's case. Rev. Mr. Foote, spiritual adviser to the criminal, is also here. The two gentlemen saw Hon. Mr. Mills after Council rose, but as the hour was late and consideration of the case likely to be lengthy, an appointment was made for this morning. If Mrs. Sternaman escapes the gallows—and the prospects are she will—she will owe it largely to her sex. There have been so far two women hanged in Canada since Confederation, and nine in all were convicted of murder.

The writ for Quebec Centre, vacant through the appointment of Francois Langelier to a judgeship on the Superior Court, was issued Saturday. The nomination will be on the 24th, and election on the 31st inst.

The Government has decided to ask Parliament to vote $10,000 for the relief of the sufferers in the Prescott and Russell fire. The relief committee consider that when this money is paid they will be able to give reasonable relief to all those burnt out. The fund to date amounts to $82,000.

The case of Dunn v. the Prescott Elevator Co., a claim for damages over the handling of grain, is still proceeding in the Assize Court.

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When Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N.Y., published the first edition of his great work, The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser, he announced that after 680,000 copies had been sold at the regular price, $1.50 per copy, the profit on which would repay him for the great amount of labour and money expended in producing it, he would distribute the next half million free. As this number of copies has already been sold, he is now giving away, absolutely free, 500,000 copies of this most complete, interesting and valuable common sense medical work ever published—the recipient only being required to mail to him, at above address, 31 one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, and the book will be sent postpaid. It is a veritable medical library, complete in one volume. Contains 1,008 pages, profusely illustrated. The free edition is precisely the same as that sold at $1 50, except only that the books are in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth. Send now before all are given away.

A BULLET IN HIS HEAD.

An Asylum Guard Shoots Himself—Says He Intended to Fire at a Rat.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—George Wilson, a guard at the Asylum for the Insane, was walking around yesterday with a bullet in his head. He shot himself at the asylum in the morning. The bullet was located by the Roentgen process last night, the injured man walking from St. Michael's Hospital to Dr. E. E. King's office on Queen street east, where his head was exposed to the X-rays and the bullet located behind the temple. He went back to the hospital and will be subjected to an operation to-day.

Wilson says he saw a rat and took his revolver to shoot it. The weapon, he says, discharged accidentally while he was examining it and the bullet entered his forehead. The noise of the report alarmed the house surgeons, who attended the wounded guard and sent him to St. Michael's Hospital.

Mrs. Thomas May Recover.

There is some hope for the recovery of Mrs. Thomas, whose husband shot her on York street last Monday. The bullet that remains in her body has not yet been located by the surgeons at St. Michael's Hospital, and it is altogether likely that the X-rays will be brought into use to locate it some day this week. The patient showed signs of improvement yesterday.

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GENERAL BOOTH.

The Salvation Army Chief Warmly Welcomed in New York—Will Spend Three Weeks in Canada.

New York, Jan. 17.—Gen. William Booth, chief of the Salvation Army, arrived here Saturday. Commander Booth-Tucker and a large delegation of Salvationists gave Gen. Booth a warm reception.

"The General," said Commander Booth-Tucker, "will stay at my home in Fordham until Monday, when he will leave by the 1 o'clock train from the Grand Central depot for Canada. I shall accompany him as far as Vancebore on the border, where he will be met by his daughter, Miss Eva Booth, who is in charge of the Salvation Army in Canada. He will remain three weeks in Canada, inspecting the work of the army and then will return to the United States. He will begin his American tour on Feb. 19 in Washington. After that he will visit Pittsburg, Columbus, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City, Denver, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and Spokane, at which last place he will be on March 12. Then the general will again cross over to Canada and visit Victoria, Vancouver and Winnipeg.

"On March 19 he will reach Minneapolis and then St. Paul. From March 25 to the 31st he will be in Chicago. From then till April 14 he will visit successively Cleveland, Buffalo, Boston and Philadelphia. Gen. Booth will conclude his American visit with a series of meetings and demonstrations in New York, from April 14 to 19. On April 20 the General will sail for England.

"Gen. Booth's idea is not alone to look over the work and progress of the Salvation Army in the United States and Canada, but in traveling through these countries he will confer with a number of the citizens of the leading cities concerning his schemes for the assistance of the poor. Gen. Booth will inspect and suggest improvements in the social institutions which we have established in this country, which now have accommodation for 4,000 persons."

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Fred. W. Leiskau, Baden, writes:—

Please send me another bottle of Sloan's Indian Tonic. I bought one bottle from your agent early this spring, and I must say it is the best medicine in existence. I was troubled with a soreness in my right side and tried many doctors, but they could not cure me, and after using the one bottle I have had no trouble with the soreness. I am very glad I can state this.

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Mrs. Clara Howe, Moncton, N.B., says: "I used Laxa-Liver Pills for Headaches and Liver Trouble, and they not only relieved me but cured me. They do not gripe or sicken and are easy to take."

Sold by all Druggists at 25c. a Vial or 5 for $1.00

THE PASTORAL LETTER.

Issued by the Archbishop of Toronto and Bishops of Hamilton and London Concerning the Pope's Encyclical.

Toronto, Jan. 17.—The joint pastoral letter of the Archbishop of Toronto and the bishops of Hamilton and London, publishing the Pope's encyclical letter, was read at the early mass of all the Roman Catholic churches of this city yesterday. The encyclical itself was read only as far as the introduction of the Manitoba school question proper.

These are striking extracts from the joint letter of the archbishop and bishops:

Venerable Brethren of the Clergy; Dearly Beloved Children of the Laity:

We have great pleasure in communicating to you officially an authorized English translation of the encyclical letter which our Holy Father, Leo XIII., has recently addressed to the Canadian hierarchy.

This important encyclical claims our serious attention in all its parts, and should be weighed and studied in its entirety. There is not a paragraph or a sentence in it that has not for us a definite meaning, and that does not deserve due consideration. Like the nicely balanced works of a clock, no part of it can be neglected or ignored without detriment to the meaning and understanding of it as a whole. We, therefore, bespeak for it a careful study and consideration.

We need hardly assure our Holy Father, on behalf of ourselves and clergy and laity, that we give our unreserved and hearty adhesion to all its teachings and directions.

The Catholic church has the right to provide for, to direct and control the education of its children; and this right is derived from the divine commission committed to her in the words of Christ: "Go ye therefore, teach all nations, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you." (Matt. xxviii., 19-20.)

In heartily accepting the teachings and obeying the directions contained in this noble encyclical we are not only acting as becometh good and loyal Catholics, but we are trusting to a heaven-directed guidance that has never yet failed the children of the church amid the greatest doubts and perplexities and in the darkest times.

This masterful encyclical has been justly described as "a message of peace to Canada." It is an appeal to the sense of justice of our people to restore to the aggrieved minority of Manitoba the educational rights of which they have been despoiled; it is a call on all fair-minded citizens to right the wrong that has been thus inflicted, and in this way to restore the reign of peace and good-will amongst us. If it is true that justice exalteth a nation, it must be equally true that injustice lowers and dishonors it. When, in the human body a member is hurt or injured, the whole body feels the pain and the shock; and so it is in the body politic. When any member of it suffers injustice or wrong, the whole body must be pained and disturbed; irritation, discontent and heart-burnings will exist where security, peace and good-will should hold sway. As good citizens anxious for the peace and happiness of our country, eager to promote its welfare and greatness, and to see all its sons laboring together in peace and good-will to build up a prosperous and successful state, we earnestly hope and pray that this message of peace, this plea for justice and right, coming to Canada from the great head of Christendom, will find a generous and noble response in all hearts, and will result in securing substantial justice to the aggrieved Catholics of Manitoba.

In this connection we unreservedly endorse the pastoral letter of Archbishop Begin, read on Sunday last in the Mother Church of Canada.

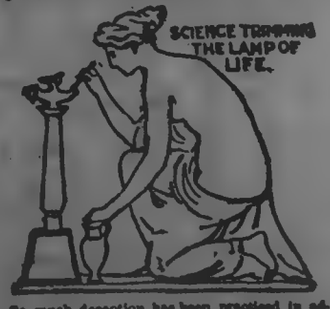
Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED. HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world to-day—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N.Y.

This is due to the fact that the company controls some inventions and discoveries which have no equal in the whole realm of medical science.



So much deception has been practiced in advertising that this grand old company now for the first time makes this startling offer:—

They will send their costly and magically effective appliance and a whole month's course of restorative remedies, positively on trial without exposure to any honest and reliable man!

Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

The Erie Medical Company's appliance and remedies have been talked about and written about all over the world, till every man has heard of them.

They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy vitues and new life.

They quickly stop drains on the system that sap the energy.

They cure nervousness, despondency and all the effects of evil habits, excesses, overwork, etc.

They give full strength, development and tone to every portion and organ of the body.

Failure is impossible and age is no barrier.

This "Trial without Expense" offer is limited by the company to a short time, and application must be made at once.

No C. O. D. scheme, no vague philanthropy nor speculation, no exposure—a clean business proposition by a company of high financial and professional standing.

Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO N.Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

$12,000,000 AT PAR.

To Run Fifty Years, is the Loan England is Willing to Loan China.

London, Jan. 17.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times says: "Saturday Sir Claude MacDonald, British Ambassador to China, in the course of an interview with the Tsung Li Yamen (Board of Foreign Control) stated that England was willing to assist China to liquidate the Japanese indemnity and would provide a loan of £12,000,000 at par, to run fifty years, the service to be 4 per cent. not, including sinking fund conditions as follows: First, the opening of three treaty ports—Ta Lien Wan, Siangin and Nan King—thereby increasing the customs revenue; second, a declaration that no portion of the Yang-Tse-Kiang Valley shall be alienated to any other power; third, the right to extend the Burmah railway through Hu Nan Province (the most southwestern in China).

"In the event of her default, China is to place certain revenues under the control of the Imperial Customs. On this basis the negotiations will proceed. China regards them as advantageous, but fears the threatened opposition of France and Russia, especially to the opening of Ta Lien Wan and Nan King."

The Times, commenting on the dispatch, suggests that Siangin, which its correspondent describes as in "Hungan" province, is a telegraphic error and means either Siang Yang, in House Pei Province, or Siang Tang, in House Nan Province. Nan King is in the province of Kwang Si. Thus, the Times points out, the acceptance of the conditions would open three ports at points widely distant.

A special dispatch from Shanghai says the whole British squadron is likely to assemble soon at the mouth of the Yang-Tse River in support of Great Britain's assertions to China.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

The Danube Released.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 17.—The Canadian steamer Danube, which was voluntarily placed into the custody of the United States authorities for violating the customs regulations of Alaska, has been released on the filing of a bond for $36,000.

Death of Mr. John A. Gano.

Cincinnati, Ohio., Jan. 17.—Mr. John A. Gano, a well-known citizen, formerly one of the proprietors of the Cincinnati Commercial, died Saturday.

Ballington and His Father.

New York, Jan. 17.—Gen. William Booth said Saturday that he has asked for an interview with Ballington Booth "without the interference of any other persons."

Fell Dead in Church.

Burk's Falls, Ont., Jan. 17.—At the fellowship meeting after the morning service in the Methodist Church, Burk's Falls, Sunday, Joseph Lernick, aged about 60 years, dropped dead in his seat. Deceased was a highly respected farmer and one of the first settlers in this locality.

Freight on Hogs to Canada.

New York, Jan. 17.—Commodity rates on hogs from Buffalo, N.Y., to Ottawa, have been fixed by the joint traffic managers at 18c per 100 pounds, plus Buffalo switching charge of $3.60 per car.

Death of Mrs. J. L. Flood.

San Francisco, Jan. 17.—Mrs. James L. Flood, wife of the millionaire mine owner, died Saturday as the result of an operation recently performed at the California Woman's Hospital.

The Meanest Man.

"About the meanest man I ever knew," said the steady liar, "was a fellow over in Indiana. His little boy got a leg cut off in a sawmill, and the old villain had a wooden leg made for the kid of green willow, in the hope that it might grow as the boy did and save him the expense of getting a new one so often."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Sweden and Norway find the United States a good customer of cod liver oil and matches, those articles being the principal items of export to this country.

Gypsies are supposed to have come originally from India, and not from Egypt, as their name implies.

"On Guard."

When disease shoots the first arrow the truly wise man will come instantly on guard. He will not wait for the attack. He will not hesitate until the full force of disease and misery and death comes crashing about him.

When a man begins to feel "out of sorts," when his appetite is failing and his energy is not up to the mark, when he has bilious attacks and a feeling of lassitude and incapacity, if he is wise, he will take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery right away. It will bring his appetite back again, and what is more it will bring back his digestive powers. It will give all the assimilative functions the edge and power to extract abundant nourishment from the food he eats. It will make good, pure, healthy blood and send it coursing rapidly through his veins and arteries into every organ and tissue of the body. It will put flesh on his bones and force in his muscles; it will give him strength and courage and cheerfulness, in a word it will give him complete health.

It excretes from the system every particle of dead, useless, flabby tissue. It even reduces the weight of the corpulent man at the same time that it builds up his strength and working power. The weight it adds to people who need it is the kind that comes of pure blood and every organ doing its work properly and thoroughly;—what pugilists call "fighting weight."

He Reclaimed His Jewels.

One day while Rabbi Meir was away from home teaching at college, his two children were suddenly taken ill and died. When on returning he inquired about them, his wife, Beruria, first gave him an evasive answer, and then, leading the conversation to another topic, related to him how a man who had left some jewels in her care had come to reclaim them. "Am I to give them back?" she asked. "How can you put such a question?" said he, "of course you are to return them to the owner." Beruria then took her husband into the chamber where the two children were lying, and, pointing to them, while her tears were overflowing and her heart was nearly breaking, she courageously said: "The owner has come to-day and reclaimed these jewels in our trust."—From The Talmud.

The King and the Haymaker.

George III. was one day visiting a small town in the south of England, and being anxious to see something of the country, took a solitary walk. He came to a hayfield in which there was one woman at work. The King asked where all the rest were and was told that they had all gone into town to see the King.

"Why didn't you go to?" asked he.

"Pooh!" she answered, "I wouldn't go three yards to see him. Besides, they've lost a day's work, and I'm too poor to do that with five children to feed."

His Majesty slipped a sovereign into her hand and said:

"When the rest come back, tell them that while they were gone to see the King the King came to see you and left you his portrait in gold to remember him by."

Chocolate Biscuit.

Chocolate biscuits are a novelty for a luncheon and are delicious when carefully prepared. Break six eggs, separating the whites and yolks. Add to the yolks half a pound of powdered sugar and beat the mixture thoroughly. Beat up the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth and add three-quarters of a cupful of flour that has been thoroughly sifted. Stir the flour in, taking care that the "cells" of the beaten eggs are not broken. After this add four tablespoonfuls of freshly-grated chocolate. Pour the batter in little paper cases and bake in a moderate oven until they are light and thoroughly done.—Boston Budget.

Stone in Bladder

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

I have been troubled with Stone in the Bladder. I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills' cures, and concluded to try them. I have used 18 boxes, and can safely say they have been the means of removing the stone. I can highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all suffering from this disease.

I remain, yours, etc.,
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Shelburne, Ont.

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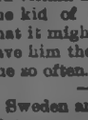

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STRONGER

Was the Liverpool Wheat Market on Saturday—Chicago Unsettled—Local Markets Dull.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 15.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¼c firmer at 91½c.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ⅜d to ½d higher.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91½	30 9 ½
New York	0 99¼	0 [illegible]
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 91¼	0 0 ¾
St. Louis	0 94	0 9
Toledo	0 91	0 9 ½
Detroit	0 91½	0 91½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91	0 90⅝
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet, with no changes in prices. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market is dull, with buyers showing little disposition to lead up. Red winter sold outside at 80½c to 81c west. Spring is quoted on Midland at 82c for No. 2 and goose at 77c Midland. Manitoba wheat steady, with No. 1 hard quoted at $1.01, grinding in transit, Toronto freight; 89c to 90c Fort William, and 97c Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 34c. No. 3 extra at 27c to 28c, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is quiet and without feature. Sales of white at 23c west and at 24c to 24½c for mixed.

PEAS—The demand is fair, with offerings light. Dealers quote 51c to 52c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c to 31c outside.

RYE—The market is dull, with quotations unchanged at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Sales at 27c to 27½c west for new, and 28c for old.

FLOUR—Demand is fair with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts rule at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day amounted to about 3000 bushels wheat, 600 bushels which sold as follows: White at 88½c, red at 88½c and goose 76½c to 77c per bushel. Rye, 100 bushels sold at 46c.

Barley, 800 bushels sold at 30c to 34c. Oats, 1000 bushels brought 27c to 28c. Peas firm, 300 bushels selling at 53½c.

Hay dull, 12 loads sold at $7 to $8.50 per ton. Straw nominal. Vegetables, poultry, butter and eggs plentiful, prices unchanged.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 7s 2½d for March, 7s for May and 6s 9½d for July. Maize steady at 3s 2d for Feb. and March, and 3s 1½d for May. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage, buyers and sellers apart. Maize off coast and on passage quieter.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 27f 45c for June. Flour steady at 58f 65c for March.

SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter, at 2 cents per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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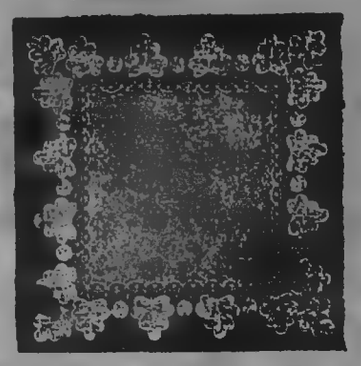
Millions of Sealed Lead Packets Are Sold Annually.

25c, 30c, 40c, 50c, 60c.

What Shall I Give?

This is the all-absorbing question of the week, but a visit to our store will suggest many handsome Presents at very inexpensive prices.

—Ladies' Aprons at 15c, 25c, 50c, 90c.
—Children's at 25c, 50c, 65c, 75c.
—Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c.
—Ladies' Wrappers and Blouses.
—Flannelette Underwear, Corsets, Fancy Hair Combs, etc.
—Ladies' Blouse Sets, 10c up to 40c.
—Ladies' Hosiery and Whitewear.
—Children's Tams and Toques from 19c to 45c.
—Children's Dresses.
—Belts in Fancy Leather and Plaid Effects, 15c, 20c, 25c.
—Ladies' Hand Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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SPECIALTIES:

Finest English and Bavarian Hopped Ales.
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January

Is our month for selling off everything made in Furs for the season, left over from the holiday trade. The stock is well assorted and what we offer is most seasonable and stylish.

The prices are without question the LOWEST FOR FINE QUALITIES AND FASHIONABLE FUR GOODS EVER OFFERED.

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THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

MOST SATISFACTORY REPORTS PRESENTED ON SATURDAY.

This Excellent Organization is Doing a Good Work Along the Lines Laid Down For it, as Shewn by the Reports Submitted.

The annual meeting in connection with the Young Women's Christian Association was held on Saturday evening in the board room of the Boarding Home, which is conducted under the auspices of the organization. The Vice-President, Mrs. Stuart, presided, and Miss A. L. Clarke presented the following most satisfactory report of the

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

The Board of management of the Y.W.C.A., in presenting their annual report, desire to give expression to their gratitude for the Divine blessing upon [illegible] past year. The work of the association has grown and prospered greatly, although its management has been saddened sorely by a double bereavement. They have not only had to mourn the loss of a beloved sister and fellow-worker, but in their deliberations they have missed the counsel and active support of their two most prominent and efficient officers. But it is not by power or by might, but by God's spirit, that good is accomplished in this world. He putteth down one and setteth up another, but His work goes on.

It having been decided by the Board of Management last year to extend the work of the association by opening up a boarding house for young women and girls, away from their homes, arrangements were made at the first regular meeting of the year for vacating the rooms over Mr. Long's store and taking possession of new premises, 163 Brock street, by the 1st of Feby. The association was exceptionally fortunate in securing as their general secretary and superintendent of this home the wife of a clergyman, Mrs. Walter Roger, a lady admirably adapted both to grace the head of an institution of this kind, and to manage its practical and often onerous details, while her moral and spiritual influence could not but be felt by every young person brought into contact with her. The second meeting of the year was held in the new quarters, the business of this and the few subsequent meetings having mainly to do with the necessary arrangements for the reception of boarders. A Glee Club and a Reading Circle were formed. Mrs. Wallis most kindly taking charge. A Bible class conducted by Miss Forsythe and lately by Mrs. Kennedy was opened on Saturday evenings. An advertising system was added, mistresses being charged 50c when supplied with servants.

In June a garden party was held at Castleneck, the grounds of which were kindly given by Mr. Dennistoun for the occasion.

On Sept. 27th a special meeting of the Board of Management was called by consent with Mrs. Harvie of Toronto, as to the best methods of carrying on rescue work in Peterborough. Mrs. Harvie recommended the formation of a Vigilance Committee and committees for jail and hospital work, for house-to-house visitation, for making clothing for kitchen and garden work, etc.

At the suggestion of the Secretary of the Children's Aid Society, the Board of Management called a mass meeting of women to discuss the same subject, Mrs. Harvie addressing the meeting. As a result of this meeting a Woman's Benevolent Association was formed, which acting in conjunction with the Children's Aid Society, secured from the town council a small yearly grant towards the maintenance of a children's shelter, Mr. Best giving a house on the corner of Charlotte and Stewart streets for the purpose. At the regular monthly meeting on the 11th of October, arrangements were made with Miss Burnham, of Port Hope, for a course of cooking lessons. A free lecture and demonstration lesson was given on the evening of Oct. 26th. Very successful classes were formed and most satisfactorily carried on.

The Society sustained a severe blow in the death of their most valued and much loved secretary, Miss Beck; their honoured president, Mrs. Brooks, suffered a sad bereavement, the loss of her husband. As in former years, on New Year's day and afternoon and evening, a reception for young women was held in the rooms of the Association. Music, recitations and games occupied the time. Refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time spent. A large number of young women were present.

A. L. CLARKE,
Asst. Sec, Y.W.C.A.

The report was received and adopted, after which Mrs. (Dr.) Scott submitted the appended

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts.

House furnishing	$ 109 00
Jubilee garden party	60 96
Fees and subscriptions	56 11
Cooking class	23 21
Gymnasium and fees	76 00
For nine months rent	180 00
	$ 575 28

Disbursements.

House furnishing	$ 109 00
Breese & Jones	6 75
Peterborough Bookstore	2 73
EXAMINER Printing Co	18 65
Mr. Long, rent for rooms	14 00
J J Turner & Son	4 75
Rathbun Co	34 80
Pet Light and Power Co	37 00
Adam Hall	2 75
W H Moore, rent	180 00
Wilson & Co	1 20
Water Co	24 97
Rutherford, fixing light	30
Y M C A, for gymnasium	40 00
Miss Burnham, cooking lessons	50 00
Expenses for cooking class	15 77
A Stewart, repairs and light post	7 00
Expenses at garden party	1 90
Sundries	50
Review Printing Co	3 20
Balance	14 11
	$ 575 28

ADDIE SCOTT,
Treasurer.

The report was audited by Mary A. Nicholls and S. J. Moore, and was adopted.

Mrs. H. S. Roger, General Secretary of the Association, then presented the following:

REPORT OF BOARDING HOME.

In looking back on the past year, we have great reason for thankfulness. The Boarding Home was opened the 1st day of [illegible], with no funds in hand for its maintenance. Through the kindness of friends and different church organizations, the house was furnished. For a month we had no boarders and not until the end of April had we two. It was not until September, that there were more than four at one time. Since that the number has varied from six to eight. Altogether fifteen have boarded in the Home during the eleven months; some for a few days, others for months.

The Cooking Classes during November were well attended. The Gymnasium Classes have been taken advantage of by a number, 42 having paid the fee.

In connection with Employment Bureau, 110 ladies have applied for domestics, since March 1st and 124 girls have sought situations, and quite a number obtained the same.

Not as many as we would like to see make use of the reading room. Though quite a number have promised to attend the saturday evening Bible class, only a few come. Mrs Kennedy has been most faithful in her attendance. In response to requests for games, Mrs Geo Burnham kindly sent a crockinole board, and Mrs F H Hamblin the game of Halma. Both of these games have been much appreciated, especially on New Year's Day, when between fifty and sixty visited the rooms during the afternoon and evening. We have great cause for thankfulness, that though expenses have been great, we close the year with all our liabilities paid.

We are also thankful to be able to say all has been harmonious, no friction whatever, other between boarders or superintendent.

In the beginning of this new year our hope and prayer is that God's richest blessing may be on all who come and go from this Home.

M. L. ROGER,
General Secretary Y.W.C.A.

The report was adopted, after which the society adjourned.

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1 doz. oranges or lemons to each customer. Spot Cash fruit sale.

SOCIAL OR PUBLIC SOCIETY.

REV. FATHER M'COLL'S SCHOLARLY ADDRESS.

In the Catholic Association Rooms Last Evening—A Large Audience and a Good Programme Presented.

The lecture room of the Catholic Association was crowded to overflowing last night to listen to Rev. Father McColl's address on "Social or Public Society." Mr. T. J. Begley, President, introduced the reverend gentleman, who prefaced his remarks by referring to the good work being done by the society, and the pleasure it gave him to assist the directors.

He had chosen as his subject for the evening that of "Civil Society," although he feared it would be hard to make it interesting to the audience.

In the first place he would remark that we are born to live in society. We cannot live isolated, but are dependent on our fellow-being to supply many of our wants. We must arrange to the best of our ability our surroundings so as to acquire as much as possible of intellectual and physical knowledge. We cannot do this to the best advantage by ourselve alone. We have to depend greatly on others for our knowledge. We are also dependent on others for the interchange of the commodities of commerce. There must be commercial intercourse between different peoples. We have also to unite to conduct many things in common such as mutual defence, care of the poor and lunatics and execution of civil government.

God has created us to live in society; it is a necessity of our nature and consequently in accordance with His will that we live in communication with one another. A public society is a number of families living together, bound by a common law framed for the public good and directed by a moral influence. Every law supposes a legislative executive administrative and judicial power; consequently to keep up mutual society there must be some kind of power to regulate the affairs of the community. This is a result of God's will and His teaching for the establishment of power is upheld by Scriptures as the speaker showed. Although depending on God's will as to its existence, yet as to its form this power arises in various ways. It may arise from the spread of the family principles, from warfare or from the pre-eminence of great men. But when once legitimately established and used for the common welfare we are bound to obey the laws and support the public power.

There are as the speaker showed many forms of power established—absolute monarchies, limited monarchies, republics and other kinds. Absolute monarchies are practically bad because the monarch rules generally for his own and not for the public welfare. Even republics may become tyrants in time if they cease to rule according to the natural laws of God.

All power comes from God to the people, and it lies in their hands to establish rulers and choose whatever form they wish. But once established the people are bound to obey its laws as long as they are for the public good. Legislation passed must be in harmony with the law of God, otherwise we would be governed in defiance of Him who is the source of all power. It is the duty of all citizens to use their best efforts in favour of good legislation, never to accept bribes or do anything to sustain an improper power, and to use with great precaution the means given them to secure the very best results.

During the evening a very interesting musical programme was rendered. The opening number was a vocal duet by the Misses Bellegham, which was well received and heartily encored.

Some national airs were next heard from a genuine Irish piper, fresh from the old sod.

A humorous farce, "The Klondyke at Home," furnished considerable amusement, and this was followed by a selection from the Glee Club, Mr. Frank Dwyer taking the solo.

After the lecture a pleasing violin solo was played by Miss S. Guerin.

A vocal solo by Miss Loftus and a farce entitled "The Haunted Motel," closed a very interesting programme.

A vote of thanks was presented to the speaker of the evening by Messrs. T. Cahill and J. Coughlin, and Rev. Father O'Sullivan also made a brief address.

Oranges 15c. Lemons 10c. Spot Cash.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	23° above zero	
Yesterday	18°	—7°

Diana forget the fruit sale at the Spot Cash, 358 George street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

The Thistles seem to be sweeping everything before them this year, having won the Colts' Cup, the Kendry Cup and the Innis Medal. These trophies will now be played off for amongst the Thistle rinks, and the following draws have been arranged for the Kendry Cup and Colts' Cup:

DRAW FOR KENDRY CUP.

1 Hamilton ..... vs. ..... T Rutherford
2 Ray ..... vs. ..... Ferguson
3 Bellegham ..... vs. ..... R Rutherford
4 Connal ..... vs. ..... Kells
5 LeBrun ..... bye

5 ..... vs. 1
2 ..... vs. 4
3 ..... bye

3 or 4 ..... bye
3 ..... vs. ..... 1 or 5

DRAW FOR COLTS' CUP.

1 Kells ..... vs. ..... LeBrun
2 Bellegham ..... vs. ..... R Rutherford
3 Ray ..... vs. ..... T Rutherford
4 Hamilton ..... vs. ..... Ferguson
5 Connal ..... Bye.

5 Connal ..... vs. ..... Winner of 2
3 ..... vs. ..... " " 1
4 ..... Bye.

4 ..... vs. ..... Winner of 5 or 2
3 and 1 ..... Bye.

WEDNESDAY.

Ray ..... vs. ..... Rutherford
Bellegham ..... vs. ..... R Rutherford

FRIDAY.

Kells ..... vs. ..... LeBrun
Hamilton ..... vs. ..... Ferguson

HOCKEY.

The Winnipeg game to-night.

The Peterborough juniors have won their first round in their series by a total score of 22 goals to 6. They went to Norwood last night and defeated the home team by 5—1. The game started at 9 o'clock, and as it progressed, a very fine game of hockey was played. The Peterborough forwards did not play their combination game, although at times some good rushes were indulged in. The defence attended to all they had to do, Thorne playing a specially good game at cover, and Dixon gathering almost everything that was on the flags. McGregor at point and Pearce in goal played well for Norwood. The teams lined up as follows, with Mr. Bert Hendren as referee:

Norwood.		Peterborough.
R Pearce	goal	G Dixon
L McGregor	point	R Glover
E Pearce	cover	R Thorne
R Cameron	forwards	C Graham
C Pengelly		H King
B Headrun		D Watt
W Stewart		W Crossley
T Clancy	umpire	H Stenson
Alf Finlay	timekeeper	Geo Riley

WRESTLING.

In the numerous holds and falls which wrestler Hugh Leonard describes, those who have a smattering of the sport will be interested in reading of well-known formations. One wrestler, by standing too erect, has given his adversary an opportunity of closing upon him. The aggressor seizes the right wrist and upper arm of his opponent with his left and right hands respectively, at the same time placing his right leg behind the opponent's right leg at the knee. The aggressor now swings his opponent over his right leg and buttock to the mat and down upon the carpet, following him up closely with his weight. Pressure of the upper man is gradually increased until the fall is secured. The half-nelson-and-body lift is a well-known combination. The aggressor slips his arm under his opponent's near arm around over the back of his neck. He simultaneously lifts his opponent clear of the carpet by the arm, which still remains around his body. He then swings his opponent to his side by straightening the half nelson arm and at the same time releasing the arm around the body. The opponent falls prone upon his back, or into position from which another hold may be secured.

Anyone of experience in wrestling will recall the famous strangle hold which was made notorious by Evan Lewis. Lewis, by reason of his great strength, practised this hold upon his opponents until a halt was finally called. Its action on the general content was sometimes as deadly as the solar-plexus blow in pugilism. Lewis would strangle his opponents into semi-unconsciousness and then roll them over on their backs, generally leaving the man in such a shape that wrestling out the match was out of the question. Leonard says of the strangle hold:—"It is barred in amateur and most other wrestling matches. A strangle hold is any hold where the pressure is brought bear across the throat, either with both hands or one hand and arm, aided by another part of the body. The ordinary grip around the neck is not a strangle hold."

There are many varieties of the half-nelson and full-nelson combinations, grape vine locks, hammer locks, which consist in wrenching the arm of the wrestler out behind his back, and a large number of wrist, body, leg, arm and flying falls practised by the professional wrestlers of the day.

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MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.30 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.50 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.25 p. m
Arrive	9.50 a. m. and 5 40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.19 a m.	7.35 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.43 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.35 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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An Encouraging Augury of Victory—Addresses by Mr. T. Blezard, M.P.P.—Mr. Stratton Deals Fully With the Issues of the Campaign—Splendid Vindication of the Government's Record—Honest, Capable and Effective Administration—Opposition Campaign Orators Scored—Their Misleading Tactics Mercilessly Exposed.

It was a rousing meeting last night at which Mr. Stratton opened his fourth election campaign in West Peterborough, the largest, most enthusiastic and most encouraging ever held at Bensfort. The large school hall was well filled by stalwart representatives of the sterling farmers of what is claimed to be the most fertile township in the riding. And the earnest and close attention paid to Mr. Stratton's convincing address of an hour and a quarter's duration was only varied by the enthusiastic applause that greeted the many telling points made in his address.

Mr. John Riddel occupied the chair and invited any representative of Mr. Garvin who might be present to take a seat on the platform. There did not appear to be any one present in that capacity, but Mr. John Green, of Peterborough, arriving later was at once invited to the platform. He declined saying he came merely as an auditor to hear Mr. Stratton, and he added that the latter had not replied to Mr. Garvin's invitation to attend his meetings, insinuating that he was afraid to do so. Mr. Stratton replied that he intended running his campaign in a manner that best suited his own ideas, and Mr. Garvin was at liberty to pursue a similar course. Mr. Stratton pointed out that he had two weeks engagements within his own constituency, and was engaged to speak in other ridings. He was not afraid to have Mr. Garvin continue his farcial campaign in the way that he thought best. Mr. Garvin, or a representative would be welcome at any of Mr. Stratton's meetings, to which he was publicly invited by the posters issued. He (Mr. Stratton) was not afraid of any discussion of Provincial matters.

THE VETERAN FROM THE EAST.

The first speaker of the evening was Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., for East Peterborough, and was very warmly received. He said he was pleased to be among his neighbours across the river, and pleased to be present to assist his respected colleague, Mr. Stratton. He remarked that he ought to have some idea of the claims of the present government to recognition at the hands of the people whose endorsation they were seeking at the dissolution of the present parliament. He pointed out that we had a government that deserved a renewal of their lease of power—if they were not, then the present Opposition was not fit to succeed them. When he entered politics he was an ordinary voter, unacquainted with politics, and he was elected by a majority of 130. He had wanted to retire but his people declined to release him. He was not afraid to go back to them now, because he had done his best, and he was free to say that his friend, Mr. Stratton, had done much better for his constituents than he (Mr. Blezard) had been in a position to do. (Cheers) When he (Mr. Blezard) was on his first campaign he was followed by Mr. Carnegie, who so persistently declared that we were on the verge of direct taxation that he (Mr. Blezard) himself almost believed him. The Opposition are telling the same story now, and we all know what it amounts to. We had the richest and most prosperous province in the world because we had been honestly and capably governed for 25 years. If we ever came to direct taxation it would be by the action of the Opposition, who in the past had helped the Dominion Government in the attempt to rob this province of 100,000 square miles of territory, whose wealth of timber and minerals would

KEEP DIRECT TAXATION AWAY

for half a century. They had helped in the attempt to deprive this Province of the use of its streams for driving timber. The Opposition helped the Dominion Government to rob this Province of some $300,000 a year for licenses. The defeat of all these attempts was due to the vigilance of Sir Oliver Mowat. Mr. Blezard said that as much as he admired Sir Oliver Mowat, he was bold to say that he had even a higher opinion of Hon. Mr. Hardy as Premier. Sir Oliver was too kind and yielded too readily to the demands of deputations that waited upon him. Mr. Hardy had the courage of his convictions. No deputation could leave him without he knew both sides and all sides of the question and was not afraid to speak his mind in the interests of the province. He believed he would be triumphantly sustained at the coming election. Referring to the tour of the Ontario Opposition throughout the country and the misleading statements made on the stump that had to be taken back on the floor of the House, Mr. Blezard charged that these statements were made under the belief that the elections would come off before the meeting of the House, so that their extravagant statements could not be met and refuted; but they were compelled to face Parliament and to eat their words. He referred to one of the chief stock charges of the Opposition, the pig.ery charge of selling diseased pork. Mr. Blezard declared that the Government was not responsible, for they had turned the whole matter over to the officials of the Dominion Government, and there was a predominence of proof in support of the statement that the Government did not sell diseased pigs. Referring to the contest in West Peterborough, Mr. Blezard, after mentioning a few other matters of provincial interest,

REFERRED IN WARM TERMS

to Mr. Stratton's representation of West Peterborough. He had been twelve years the representative of the most important riding in the Province in Parliament, and there was none in Parliament better qualified for the duties of such a position, or one who worked more faithfully and successfully in the promotion of the interests of West Peterborough and the Province at large. He was recognized as one of the leading debaters of the House and was looked to to take a large share in the heavy debates that came before the House. "If ever," Mr. Blezard said, "there was a constituency that should be proud of its representative, that constituency was West Peterborough." (Loud cheers.) In addition to what they all knew he had done for his riding, he was honoured and trusted in the House. He was chairman of of the Committee of the Whole House, the most important committee of the Legislature, and a position that was next to the Speakership or to a Cabinet position, for either of which he was in every way capable. Mr. Stratton was chairman of the Printing Committee, a position in which his special knowledge of printing and his exceptional business ability were exercised to the very best advantage. With all these claims to the support of the electors, Mr. Stratton had been put to the expense of election, an expense which, if it had been saved, would have been so much to the advantage of Peterborough, for they all know that Mr. Stratton was not sparing of his means in the promotion of good works and worthy causes. Mr. Blezard asked the electors if they would

PREFER A MERE STRANGER

to Mr. Stratton—a man who had no particular interest in the riding? Would they put such a man in the place of their trusted representative? (No, no!) He (Mr. Blezard) appealed to Conservatives, and not to Reformers, to rally round their old and trusted representative. The speaker had heard dozens of Conservatives say that they did not see any need of opposing Mr. Stratton especially if there was no hope of defeating the Government, which there was not. Mr. Blezard insisted that the Government would be handsomely sustained, because they had been a capable Government, because they had been an honest Government, because after twenty-six years of attention to all the needs of the Province they had a surplus of revenue over liabilities of over five and a half millions and on the past year's operations over $300,000 cash in the treasury. Mr. Blezard referred to the large amount given back by the Government to lessen direct municipal taxation and he justified such expenditure but he would leave details to Mr. Stratton who was perfectly competent to deal with such matters—as competent, Mr. Blezard averred, as any of the Cabinet Ministers. He again asked if they would prefer a mere stranger to such a representative, a man who rushed into a contest which such men as Max Dennistoun, Evie Bradburn and others under the circumstances saw the wisdom of avoiding—they saw the folly of making a fight. Mr. Blezard concluded his address amidst great applause.

Mr. Green was given an opportunity to speak, but he declined.

MR. STRATTON'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Stratton in rising to speak was received with enthusiastic cheers, which were frequently repeated during the course of his speech. He began his address by remarking that the last session of the eighth Parliament of this Province closed yesterday and it was anticipated that dissolution would follow immediately so that before long the electors would be again asked to give expression to their opinion respecting the course of the Government and their representative in this riding. As for himself Mr. Stratton reminded the electors that he had been for the past twelve years the representative of the riding in the Ontario Legislature, and he submitted that his representation had not been unacceptable or unfruitful to the riding, but that, as he had striven to make it, his course had been advantageous to all parts of the constituency and while the considerable attention he had felt bound to give to the discharge of his duties had conflicted in no small degree with the duty he owed to his personal affairs,

IT HAD BEEN A PLEASURE

to him to serve a riding with whose interests his own were so intimately bound up.

Though he had enjoyed the honour of being its representative for nearly twelve years in succession, he wished it to be distinctly understood that he did not consider that fact as establishing any claim on his part to the position. He held that it was a free gift on the part of the people, and in that sense he appealed for the support, not only of the Liberal electors, but also of the large independent element of the electorate whose confidence and support he had enjoyed in the past, and which he hoped he still enjoyed to a large extent, if he were to place confidence, which he heartily did, in the assurances of support which he had received from this as well as other sources. He felt that he would have just occasion to regret his past record as a representative if he could not employ that record as a basis of appeal for continued support. He felt, however, that he could appeal to his record of the past twelve years, for whatever may have been his shortcomings, he had endeavoured, to the fullest extent of his abilities and opportunities, to advance

THE INTERESTS OF THIS RIDING.

He had striven to be the representative of the whole body of the electorate, independent of party or other considerations. He had endeavoured to recognize every claim upon his services, no matter from what source it arose, so long as the promotion of the interests of the constituents of West Peterborough were at stake, and could be advanced by his efforts. If in any case the results were not up to expectations, his power, and not his will nor lack of effort, was at fault. He had endeavoured to deal justly with all the interestt concerned.

In adopting such a course in this respect as he had pursued in the past, and which, if honoured by a continuance of their confidence, he should pursue in the future, he took no special credit, for he simply regarded it a duty incumbent on one in the position of representative to place himself at the service of his constituents, even at the expense of his personal convenience, and to a large extent, personal interest.

While a representative of a riding may serve a constituency with the very best results, a large amount of the good he is able to effect is not a subject of record, but he could, he hoped, say without boasting that there were practical evidences of the success of his personal efforts to

ADVANCE THE WELFARE

of West Peterborough. He might point out that his efforts in the direction of improving the means of communication with the back country had not been without success. These means of communication were in a much better condition now than when he became representative nearly 12 years ago, and as a result of improved communication the condition of the people had improved through better means of reaching the county town and market; and journeys from the far north to town, which were a serious undertaking a dozen years ago, were, thanks to improved roads, every day occurrences, exciting no remark. By the appropriations he had been able to procure, the highways had been improved, the people of the northern part of the riding were able to come to town easily, dispose of their produce upon one of the best markets of the province and expend the proceeds among the merchants with benefit and advantage to each, for whatever benefits the country helps the town, and vice versa. And not only the northern but this part of the riding had been helped by his efforts. He might fairly claim some credit for promoting the construction of the Bensfort bridge, (though the people had done a great deal for themselves by their own exertions and expenditures) which permits a large number of the farmers of one of the richest agricultural townships of the riding to reach their market by a greatly shortened route. This is a benefit to both the town and the township. As a supporter of a government whose policy is to deal justly with the people and to promote their material interests, he had pressed the claims of his constituents for consideration with reasonable success, and the course he had pursued in the past, he

SHOULD CONTINUE TO FOLLOW

if he was honoured again with the confidence of the people.

Mr. Stratton went on to say that they all knew that he was a candidate, and that they would perhaps wish to know who his opponent was. His opponent, a Mr. J. W. Garvin, had been to Bensfort, to hold his first meeting outside of the town, and he (Mr. Stratton) understood that on that occasion two lawyers, Mr. A. P. Poussette, Q. C., and Mr. John Green, who was also a Q. C., but not a Queen's Counsel, but, as was evident from the statements he had been making, a Queer Character. (Laughter.) He also understood that Mr. Garvin had introduced himself as "a thoroughbred"—whatever that high-sounding aristocratic name meant. He also stated that he was a native of Simcoe County, where he had been reared on a farm, where he, perhaps, might have stayed to advantage, if success in his vocation was a desideratum—for success in his chosen calling did not appear to be very promising. He declared himself to be a politician by profession, as he had studied with that purpose, and he was doubtless a professional politician, for he had left no stone unturned to secure a nomination in the county where he was born and best known; but in the riding where he was best known the people wouldn't have him. Mr. Garvin was twice a candidate for the Conservative nomination last year in Simcoe, where he was best known, and he was the first time rejected by a vote of 113 to 35—the wise men of his party evidently did not take stock in his abilities or feel any sympathy with his ambitions. Later on he

TRIED ANOTHER CONVENTION,

in his own county. This time the convention was smaller and Mr. Garvin was rejected by almost two to one—70 to 40. Then if the county, where Mr. Garvin is best known, did not want his services, why should the people of West Peterborough be bothered with a man of whom they know nothing, except that he was ambitious?

Mr. Stratton would like to ask if a school section of South Monaghan advertised for a teacher who, in response, came among them as a stranger, and who, after two years, found him so unsatisfactory that they were obliged to discharge him; and if that person remained in the locality, adopted an agency business and ran against their reeve, who had interests in the township, which required the attention of somebody having knowledge of its requirements, and whose interests were the people's interests—would they, under such circumstances, elect him to look after their affairs? (No.) He did not think they would. He thought they would be justified in sticking to the reeve who had served them well. (Cheers) They would not experiment with a practically unknown man when there were many others in South Monaghan who would

MAKE CREDITABLE REPRESENTATIVES.

This was the position Mr. Garvin was in. He came to Peterborough as a school inspector; he failed to give satisfaction and the board dismissed him. He then took

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Pains Were Severe

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1898.

PERSECUTION BY TARIFF.

Narrow Gauge Regulation in the Interests of Monopoly.

According to the new tariff regulations of the United States, no seal fur garment or skin can be imported into American unless it bears a stamp indicating that the seal which furnished the fur was killed on the Pribyloff Islands, or a Consul's certificate to that effect These islands are leased to an American Company, to which, by the new Act, has been given an absolute monopoly of the right to supply seal-fur to the people of the United States. It would be interesting to know how much this Company has paid for the monopoly, for that it is a free gift is not credible. The first illustration of the working of this Act was the temporary confiscation of a seal-skin jacket worn by an English visitor to New York, who, however, managed to recover it by proving it was purchased before the Act came into force. But what must be thought in Europe of the intelligence of American legislators, when the garments of ladies who visit the States are liable to be confiscated, unless the material of which they are made can be proved to have been brought from a particular part of American territory? What, too, must intelligent American ladies think of their Government prohibiting them from buying any seal furs except those provided by one American Company? They will justly regard it as a mean form of social persecution, petty enough to be the act of an Eastern despot. Ladies in Europe and in Canada to whom a seal fur jacket, or cloak, is an ordinary article of clothing in winter will give the United States a wide birth. American ladies who own a garment of this class will fear to wear it, as they will render themselves liable to arrest, and to an official examination to test whether their furs are to be confiscated, or themselves heavily fined for wearing an article not the product of the Pribyloff Islands. Fancy the annoyance caused to a lady who is proposing to visit the States by her being compelled to get a Consul's certificate authorising her to take her furs to that country! American Consuls are usually very courteous; they show an anxious desire to encourage the visits of outsiders, but they will feel hampered in this by having to grant lady visitors a permit to wear their furs on the trip. Such petty. Inquisitorial interferences with the costume of lady visitors to their country will be sharply resented and condemned by the intelligent classes in the United States.—Finance Chronicle.

OMEMEE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

There was a large number from Peterborough and Lindsay attending the funeral of the late A. Thornton on Saturday last, which was very largely attended. The solemn and impressive services were conducted at the house and grave by Revs. Messrs. McCann, Roberts and Tanner. The large funeral was an evidence of the esteem the deceased was held in, many being unable to gain admittance to the services.

There were two loads, including the fine Salvation Army band from Peterborough to attend the banquet here to-day. Ome-

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There went many of our sports down to see the hockey match at Peterborough.

Mr. Cunningham, proprietor of the Peterborough Music store, has been successful in placing some of his musical instruments and sewing machines here.

The Sunday school convention was largely attended here last week, and the interest is increasing. Dr. J. N. Thompson, superintendent of Omemee Methodist school, is still to the front, as a competent superintendent, and his school is amongst the largest.

BENSFORT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. W. Smith is doing a rushing business chopping grain for the farmers in vicinity of Benafort bridge.

One of our leading farmers, who considers himself an excellent horseman, has been breaking in a colt. It goes all right, but is inclined to go two ways at once.

A resident living on the shore of Rice Lake took a notion to fish through the ice. He cut a hole and was preparing for operations, when his feet slipped and he fell, or rather, sat in the ice cold water.

The Hiawatha Indians are doing a rushing business fishing through the ice.

There is fine sleighing on Rice Lake. The ice is good and the farmers are taking advantage of it. A large number from the "Plains" cross to Peterborough every Saturday.

The meeting of the South Monaghan Agricultural Society was held at Centreville on Wednesday, Jan. 12th.

COLD SPRINGS.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The first regular meeting of the Cold Springs Literary and Debating Society was held on Monday evening last, the president in the chair. A very large number were present, the building being almost crowded. If this attendance is sustained there is no doubt but that the society will be a great success.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. Then, after transacting all necessary business, the constitution was read and adopted.

The following entertaining programme was rendered:—

Address	President
Instrumental	Wilson Orchestra
Reading	Mr D Kennedy
Song	Mr Kitney
Recitation	Master Leo Shaughnessy
Club swinging	Miss M Long
Reading	Mr C Munro
Solo	Miss Caughlin
Recitation	Master W Huston
Journal	Editor
Essay on Tennyson	Miss E Crowley
Instrumental	Wilson Orchestra

Arrangements were made for a debate entitled: "Resolved that Canada in not ready for Prohibition. A very interesting discussion is expected next meeting. Hereafter the society shall go under the name given above, and the meetings shall be held every Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock. All are welcome. Come and enjoy yourself with the rest

NEWS OF VICTORY

James Thompson Cured of Diabetes by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Many Startling Cures to Their Credit in Bruce County—No Medicine Made Can Approach Them.

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Mr. Thompson is only one of many thousands who have been cured of Kidney diseases by Dodd's Kidney Pills. The simple, undeniable truth is that every person who has used them for any of these diseases has been thoroughly and permanently cured. It is cannot be said, truthfully, of any other medicine that has ever been used. Dodd's Kidney Pills stand alone in proud position far above any rivals.

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CHARITY BOARD.

The First Meeting of the Year—Organization and Officers Elected.

The Central Charity Board met Monday night in the town clerks office with the following members present: Messrs. Robt. Innes, J. J. McBain, W. B. Bamford, Jas. Fowler, F. Miller, T. H. Best, Peter Campbell, Jos. Batten, Wm. Aldridge and J. H. Cobb, the latter representing the town council.

Mr. J. J. McBain submitted a report of the wood purchased during the month. Confirmed on motion of Messrs. Best and Fowler.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

W H Hamilton	$10 50
F J R Mitchell	4 00
M J Dunford	9 00
Waller & Co	11 00
R J Lane	5 10
W Bradshaw	21 80
J W Brisbin	5 60
D H Keneghan	2 80
D Sullivan	1 40
A Affleck	10 00
J L Braund	2 00
East Cash Grocery Co	1 00
Alex Elliott	2 00
J J Lynch	5 00

Mr. Cobb was tendered the chairmanship but declined on account of his occupying a seat in the town council. Mr. Innes was then elected to the position and Mr. Cobb to the office of vice-chairman.

Mr. Peter Campbell was elected Treasurer and Mr. S. R. Armstrong, Secretary.

On motion of Messrs. Bamford and Batten the account of the Stevenson Coal Co. was ordered to be paid. No more coal will be given out.

Mr. A. L. Davis, the retiring chairman and representative of the council, thanked the members for the care they had taken in initiating and carrying out the scheme of distributing charity through the Board.

On motion of Messrs Batten and Fowler, Mr. McBain was empowered to purchase about 100 cords of good wood at the best price he can procure it at.

The Board then adjourned until January 31st.

LITERARY EVENING.

Of George Street Methodist Church E. L. of C. E.

Monday night the literary meeting of the George street Methodist E. L. of C. E. was held in the lecture room of that church. It has become customary to prepare a special programme for such occasions, and the excellent one which was provided and carried out Monday evening was as below:

Instrumental solo	Miss E Hubbs
Recitation, "Jes 'Fore Christmas"	Miss H Holmes
Paper, "Glimpses of Child-life in literature"	Miss L Mcharry
Solo	Mrs (Rev) Shorey
Paper on "J Whitecombe Riley"	Miss Mark
Recitation, "The Crippie"	Miss Maggie Patterson

The singing of "God be with you till we meet again," brought the very pleasant evening's entertainment to a close.

Boils, pimples, and eruptions, scrofula salt rheum and all other manifestations of impure blood, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Lena Cummings is visiting friends in Bobcaygeon.

Miss Clara Brockle of Michigan, is visiting with her friend, Miss Mary Slade.

Mr. D. M. Hunter paid our village a farewell visit before going to the Normal School at Ottawa.

Mr. Charles Blake has returned home from the Northwest.

Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P., spoke in the interests of Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., at Bensfort on Tuesday last.

A number of our villagers attended the carnival at Norwood last Friday night.

The Rev. Mr. White has been holding special meetings in the Methodist church here for the past two weeks.

Rev. D. A. Thompson of Hastings, will take the topic at the C. E. meeting here on Sunday evening, Feb. 13th. Subject, "The Scottish Covenanters.

Quite a number of our young folks intend going to the carnival at Keene on Friday evening, Jan. 21st.

The Farmers' Institute meetings here on the 12th were well attended, especially the night meeting at which the hall was crowded to the doors, quite a number having to stand. The speakers were J. Hugo Reed, Professor Veterinary Science, O. A. C., Guelph, Mr. A. McNeill, a practical farmer, Walkerville, and Mr. A. P. Kitchen, also a practical farmer, Brucefield. There were about fifty present at the afternoon meeting. Mr. Reed's subject was "How to prevent Milk Fever in the Cow;" Mr. A. McNeill's, "Every Farmer his own Mason, or How to Use Concrete in Farm Structures," and Mr. A. P. Kitchen's, "The Breeding and Handling of Beef Cattle." Each speaker handled his subject in first class style, and an interesting discussion followed after each speaker. A good programme was prepared for the evening meeting, consisting of singing, music, recitations, etc., with each speaker speaking in his turn.

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They Fought Like Dogs.

Belleville, Jan. 15.—William Green, a young man who lives in Rawdon, has been arrested on a charge of biting an ear off John Mack in that township on Dec. 13 last in a cannibalistic fight in which both were badly chewed.

A tramp who gave his name as George Lawter is under arrest on a charge of criminally assaulting a 6-year-old girl, daughter of William Alford.

CURRENT CABLES.

It is now stated that Spain's power in Cuba rests on her ability to suppress disorder in Havana.

The French people are becoming greatly agitated over the Dreyfus affair. There was a heated discussion in the Chamber of Deputies, the Ministerialists defending themselves against charges from the Leftists and demanding a vote of confidence on their military and general policy. The vote resulted for the Government by 310 to 208.

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A NEW TRIAL ORDERED

Ottawa Cabinet So Decided on the Affidavits Submitted.

PRISONER'S JOY OVER THE NEWS

What the New Evidence to be Submitted Consists of—The Work of Mr. German, M.P.P., and Rev. Mr. Foote—Interview With Mrs. Sternaman at the Cayuga Jail.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—The result of the appeal to the Government in the case of Mrs. Sternaman became known last night through the despatch of instruction to the Sheriff of Haldimond County not to carry out the death sentence on Thursday. Mrs. Sternaman will, therefore, not be hanged, neither has her sentence been commuted to penal servitude. The Executive has, in fact, taken altogether a new departure in Canadian criminal procedure. It has been ordered that the condemned woman shall have another trial. The proceedings upon the appeal on behalf of Mrs. Sternaman have been quite out of the ordinary course. The petition and evidence submitted in support of it, instead of having been dealt with by the Minister of Justice, as is usually the case, was considered by a sub-committee of council, Hon. Mr. Mills having associated with him Hon. R. W. Scott and Sir Louis Davies. The three Ministers, having heard the petition and evidence, took the case under advisement, sitting until midnight Monday. Yesterday their report was presented at a full meeting of the Cabinet, and, therefore, when council rose at half-past six, it had been decided that the report of the sub-committee, recommending a new trial, be concurred in, and the order issued for a stay of execution.

The new evidence in Mrs. Sternaman's case consisted of affidavits of eight of the jurymen to the effect that had they known their recommendation to mercy would have been disregarded by the judge in passing sentence they would have found the accused "not guilty." Besides, Mr. German submitted evidence that raised a doubt as to the correctness of the testimony that the body had not been embalmed, a process that would have accounted for the discovery of arsenic at the post-mortem.

THE NEWS AT CAYUGA.

Interview with Mrs. Sternaman in Jail—She is Overjoyed.

Cayuga, Ont., Jan. 19.—The suspense over the Sternaman case, which yesterday had become almost painful, was last night relieved by a despatch from the Secretary of State at Ottawa, stating that the Minister of Justice had granted the condemned woman a new trial. During the greater part of the day her case had been before the Dominion Cabinet and the outcome of the their deliberations was awaited with great anxiety.

Rev. Mr. Foote, her spiritual adviser, who went to Ottawa in her behalf, returned with but poor encouragement that anything could save the doomed woman from the gallows. Between hope and despair, her friends lingered all day long. Radcliffe, the executioner, was on hand, ready to perform the last gruesome act.

About 7.30 a report came from the Great Northwestern press authorities to the effect that the Ministers had granted a new trial.

The telegraph office was full of expectant citizens, and when the news was announced a loud cheer of satisfaction went up.

Then the question came, who should go to the condemned woman's cell and break to her the news that she was, for a time at least, to escape the awful doom the court had pronounced upon her? Rev. Messrs. Foote and Edgar, who had been in constant attendance on the unfortunate woman since her incarceration, were present, and together they went to break the news.

When they entered her cell Mr. Foote said: "Well, how would you like a commuted sentence?"

"I would like it." she replied.

"How would a new trial suit you?" Mr. Edgar asked.

"That is what I want," was her reply.

They congratulated her upon her escape from the jaws of death and the poor woman was so overjoyed that she scarcely knew what to say. It was not hard to realize the awful load which had been lifted from the poor woman. When seen by a correspondent she was happy.

"I am pleased to meet you, Mrs. Sternaman, under such favorable circumstances," said the reporter.

"Oh, I am so glad," she said, "that I have not got to be hung. Now I will have a chance to have all the facts brought out and clear myself.

"This is Heaven to me. You do not know how glad I am. Oh! how I have suffered, no one knows; but thank God it is all right now."

She related how the news was broken to her by Rev. Messrs. Foote and Edgar. She said: "I heard Mr. Foote and Mr. Edgar enter the hall and enter the room below me. They talked in very low tones for a short time. O my, the moments seemed like hours to me, and the thought rushed through my head: 'Am I to be hung, or am I to have a new trial.' Then they came upstairs in company with Mr. Murphy. I could see at once that they had good news for me."

She spoke in very tender terms of Mrs. Chipman, her first husband's mother, and how kind she had been to her in all her trouble. Her eyes brightened when her children were mentioned, and she asked: "Did you ever see them?"

I replied in the negative.

She then related how Mrs. Chipman, who she calls "mother," had moved into one of the quietest spots in Buffalo, so that her children would not be exposed to the public gaze.

Through the kindness of the sheriff this interview was granted before the official announcement had been received. On seeing her again when she was made aware of the announcement of the official telegram, which left no doubt in her mind that she was to have another chance for her life, her face shone brightly. "Oh, this is heaven, indeed, to me. How thankful I am to Mr. Foote for all he has done for me." Her face expressed the great joy she was realizing. The look of despair was gone. Her eyes beamed with delight. In talking to Mr. Murphy, the jailer, she said: "If you leave this door open tonight I would not walk out. I would rather stay here till spring and receive a new trial, when everything will be brought out, and I shall then be able to go out and face the world, having the satisfaction of being an innocent woman."

Mr. Murphy spoke of her former outdoor exercises. "I am afraid I shall not be able to go out in the yard for some time because of the cold weather. I have been in here so long."

She wore a plain black dress and her hair was neatly put up. It was a pleasure indeed to see the great joy the unfortunate woman was realizing. She has changed very little since her trial two months ago.

The court officials are much pleased at the decision of the Cabinet. Radcliffe, the hangman, also expressed his pleasure with the decision.

QUEEN VS. POIRIER.

Detective Crevier Tells of Finding the Bloody Shoe of a Woman—Admissions as Evidence.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 19.—The court opened at 10.30 yesterday morning. The first witness was Detective Crevier, who said he found a woman's shoe in the kitchen. This shoe tallied exactly both in shape and size with the blood-stained marks on the floor by the bed of the murdered man. The piece of flooring on which the marks were found had been cut out and was exhibited.

High Constable Brazeau was the next witness. He corroborated Detective Crevier's evidence as to the finding of the shoe and as to the shoe marks on the floor.

Dr. Marion of Montreal also gave corroborative testimony.

Coroner Mignault then spoke to the finding of Poirier's body and to his search of the dead man's pockets. He proceeded to hand the exhibits round the court for inspection, but the defence strongly objected to this.

Judge Taschereau admitted as evidence the whole of the admissions made by the prisoner at her cross-examination before the coroner, and then the court adjourned until afternoon.

In the afternoon the Court House was so crowded that it took nearly 15 minutes for the jury to get to their seats. Coroner Mignault was again called into the witness box and said: When I had visited the Poirier house I found a lamp and a small bracket broken. I also remarked that Poirier was wearing black leather boots, but there was no blood on them, and witness produced the boots that Poirier had on the day of the crime.

After a few answers of no importance the court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

TRIAL OF TOM NULTY.

The Murderer of His Sisters and Brother Now Before a Judge and Jury at Joliette, Quebec.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 19.—The Nulty murder trial was begun before the Court of Queen's Bench here.

The first witness was Mr. J. D. A. FitzPatrick, who produced a map of the section of the country covered by the murderer on the day of the tragedy.

Mr. Michael Nulty, the prisoner's father, next took the stand. He told substantially the same story as he related at the inquest. He added that when Tom came home he had said to him: "This wouldn't have happened if you had stopped at home," and Tom replied, "Yes, that is just it. I was not at home." His son acted strangely at times, and he did not think he was sane when he committed the murders.

The trial is likely to last nearly a fortnight.

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Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; may remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

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Came the announcement a few days ago of the purchase by GOUGH BROS. of the Oak Hall Stock. Day and night, ever since, the thunder of Gough's Fusilade of Bargains has been both heard and felt all over the country. But yesterday, what were Bargains at Oak Hall, the lesser, did'nt GO. To-day they DO GO—at GOUGH'S GREATER OAK HALL—because they've GOT TO GO.

Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase. But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16,430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

62½ CENTS

On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's ma e population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

Look at the Inducements!

Workingmen's Suits
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The pick of the Sanford Manufacturing Company—every Garment fresh from a High-Grade Clothing House—the perfection of Clothing—cut by the best skilled artists of the cutting table—designed and finished by the hands of experts. A tip-top article of Clothing worth 100 cents on the dollar every day in the year. But see how the acorns have dropped from their perch:—

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MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that bore the Acorn mark of $9.00, $10, $11 and $13. We cut the heart out of them and drop them to $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

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The Relentless Boom will sweep through the entire establishment, from end to end. We bought the stock to sell at at a sacrifice, and when we say the goods must GO, —that settles it!

That reminds us too that we have been learning our customers to pay SPOT CASH, because of the immense advantage it brings to their pockets—your money back if not satisfactory."

GOUGH BROS.

Buyers of the Great Oak Hall Stock.

LEITER'S WHEAT [illegible]

He Owns About All the Contract Wheat in New York [illegible]

New York, Jan. 18.—The World prints the following telegram from Joseph Leiter is now transferring 2,000,000 bushels of his wheat from the Armour elevator into the holds of vessels in order to save storage and at the same time be ready to rush the grain to market when the time comes. From 9,000,000 bushels Leiter's line has increased to 15,000,000 bushels. He owns about all the contract wheat in this market, about 9,000,000 bushels. He has at Duluth about 1,000,000 bushels and at Minneapolis another 1,000,000. He controls about 300,000 bushels at Buffalo, and has some grain abroad. The owner hip of over 11,000,000 bushels of cash wheat, about a third of the visible supply, would make any interest at this time of the year a factor. Leiter's influence is the more commanding by reason of his grain being of the contract quality and amounting to at least 75 per cent. of the whole stock in storehouses available for delivery on speculative sales. But this does not end his interest. No one knows how large his purchases for future delivery are. The pit assumes that he is "long" 300,000 bushels for January, and that he has several million bought for May.

Death of Mrs. James Beaty.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—The friends of Mr. James Beaty, Q.C., ex-Mayor and ex-M P., will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Beaty, which occurred yesterday morning at the family residence, 286 Sherbourne street. The deceased lady was highly repected and well known for her work in church circles and in connection with charitable institutions. Deceased had only been ill a short time, the immediate cause of death being pneumonia.

Grievances Against the Government.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 19.—Kingston Reform Association met last night and named next Monday night as the date for a mass meeting to select a candiate. Some grievances against the Ottawa Government were also ventilated.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

BIG BLAZE AT NEW HAMBURG.

A $15,000 Fire in the Commercial Hotel Block.

New Hambug, Ont., Jan. 19.—The Commercial Hotel block here took fire about 4 o'clock p.m. yesterday. The loss to the block and contents is about $15,000, on which there is an insurance of $12,500. The building is owned by Benjamin Spahr of Clifford, Ont., and is valued at $10,000. It is insured for $8,000. The block contained a hotel and two general stores. The stores were occupied by Duncan Ferguson & Co., and the hotel by Jacob Seyler, lately of Waterloo, Ont. Seyler's loss is about $5,000; insured for $2,000. D. Ferguson & Co. were insured for $3,000, which will more than cover their loss.

The Commercial Hotel block was insured for $6,500 in the Gore Mutual and Scottish Union, the hotel furniture in the Waterloo Mutual for $3,000, D. Ferguson's stock, $3,000, in Waterloo Mutual. The fire was got under control about 8 p.m.

Calledar Smallpox.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Dr. P. H. Bryce, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, has taken hold of the smallpox scare at Callendar. He hopes to make it melt away, as did the scare in Toronto hay last summer. Local physicians are acting under his instructions.

A Storm is Brewing.

Your rheumatism tells you so. Better get rid of it and trust to the weather reports. Scott's Emulsion is the best remedy for chronic rheumatism. It often makes a complete cure.

Don't Go On.

Don't go on suffering from nervous troubles that make strong men weak, impotent, and unable to do the right thing at the right time, all because the system is tobacco poisoned. We urge you to test Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they make the blood pure and rich, tingling with life and energy, and the man who feels old they make young and happy again.

Changes In India.

I was lately shocked by seeing a Toda boy studying for the third standard in Tamil instead of tending the buffaloes of his mand. The Todas, whose natural drink is milk, now delight in bottled beer and a mixture of port wine and gin. Tins and kerosene tins are employed instead of the primitive thatch. A Bengali babu, with close cropped hair and bare head, clad in patent leather boots, white socks, dhuti, and conspicuous unstarched shirt of English device; a Hindoo or Parsee cricket eleven engaged against a European team; the increasing struggle for small paid appointments under government—these are a few examples of changes resulting from the refinement of modern civilisation.—"Indian Anthropology."

Practise Economy

In buying medicine as in other matters. It is economy to get Hood's Sarsaparilla because there is more medicinal value in Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses and will average, taken according to directions, to last a month, while others last but a fortnight.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gampricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

Cabinets $2.00 per doz.

You can get one dozen good Cabinet Photos at Byers' gallery for $2.00. I will guarantee them better than any $3.00 work made in Peterborough or refund the money. Isn't that fair? Give me your next order. You run no risk. My gallery is on George street, just across from Gough's. 2w8

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing sale.

Fine Oak Sideboards.

This is a line you can save money on during Clegg's January sale. Large polished oak sideboards, handsomely carved, with shaped British plate mirror, worth $34, for $19.75. Quarter sawed oak sideboards, highly polished, latest and most artistic designs, for $24.50, worth $30. A $38 sideboard for $26.50 and so on. Make it a point to see these goods at Clegg's Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 417 George street.

Everyone Who Can Read or Write

Drop in and see the bargains we are offering during our stock-taking sale. We want everyone who reads or writes, to become a customer at the Peterborough Bookstore. We keep all the latest newspapers and periodicals, and supply them them regularly every week and month. Be a regular subscriber, and you will also be sure of your paper. Don't forget your Sunday reading.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Sons of Scotland.

The re-organization of the local camp of the Sons of Scotland, will take place on Friday evening, Jan. 21st, in the Sons of England hall, at 8 o'clock. Every Scotchman interested in the growth of the order is expected to be present, and will be cordially welcomed. Capt. D. M. Robertson, Grand Secretary, Toronto, will also be present and explain the objects of the order. The music apart of the proceedings will be a very interesting feature of the evening. Vocal solos will be rendered by Mr. G. W. Mulligan and others. Any further information may be obtained from Mr. Jas. Anderson, special Grand Organizer at the Snowdon House. 2d

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I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 339 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices:

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Boys' odd Short Pants, in sizes 29 to 33, in Tweed and Serge, regular price 75c, 85c and $90c, Grafton & Co's clearing sale price 45c.

WINNIPEG DEFEATED THE PETERBOROUGHS

IN AN INTERESTING MATCH BY THE SCORE OF 8 GOALS TO 6.

The Game Was Replete With Brilliant Plays on Both Sides and was Thoroughly Enjoyed by Over 1,200 Spectators.

It is difficult to recall an event of the kind in which the citizens as a whole took as much interest as in the presence of the Winnipeg Hockey team in town. When the 4.10 C. P. R. Express came in the station platform was crowded to such an extent that it was with difficulty the visitors were able to force their way across the platform. They were met by Mayor Davis and officers of the club and escorted to sleighs, after which a drive around town was indulged in, during which a call was made at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hatton, Patron and Patroness of the club, where the visitors were entertained, light refreshments being served.

In the evening the rink was filled at a quarter past seven and by half past all the desirable places were secured. After that the spectators took their choice between swarming up the rafters and taking their their chances of getting a glimpse of the game over other people's shoulders.

The puck was not faced until about a quarter to nine, but the exciting incidents of the match which ensued more than made up for the delay on account of not being used to a small rink, the Winnipegs only played three forwards putting the extra man back on defence, and it was well they did so, as with

TWO COVERPOINTS

the Peterborough rush line broke through again and again, from which it was argued that with a less strong defence to combat the local team would have given the visitors even a harder fight for victory. As it was, however, the Winnipegs acknowledge the result of the match was never a certainty at any time so close was the score. The visitors were faster skaters than the local men, two of their forwards in particular—LeVecque and Neeves taking precedence of any which have ever heretofore been seen on the local ice. The only fault to find, if fault there was any, was that a little too much individual playing was indulged in by the Winnipegs. The Peterboroughs on the contrary played as usual, most unselfishly, and it was their team work which enabled them to hold the Winnipegs down to such a close score. Although the Peterborough's played a fast game from the drop of the hat until time was called, yet they have done better this year and had they put up the game which they did against the T.A.C. team, the Winnipeg's certainly would have had another defeat marked down to them. The boys all seemed to be a little "off" in their shooting, although this may be accounted for by the fact that two cover points were played by Winnipeg, which would necessarily have a tendency to hurt the work of the rush line materially. The Peterborough defence put up a great game and in relieving, both Montgomery and Hollingshead made many brilliant rushes. The whole merit of the Winnipeg defence lay in the faculty with which they blocked and intercepted shots made on goal. Not once during the evening did one of them attempt to play anywhere near the forwards but played strictly

ON THE DEFENCE

close to their flags. The forwards did not go back with the puck when it was carried into their territory. At least all of them would not and consequently when their goal was relieved they were already far up the ice and frequently were on the Peterborough goal before the puck got there.

These were the main points of difference in the style of play in the two teams.

In the first half the game was played under Eastern rules, which also govern the hockey clubs in Manitoba, and in the latter half O.H.A. rules were followed. By the Eastern rules a player can stop the puck with his hand, and a player cannot put an offside man on side by passing the puck to him and skating up even. The puck must be touched by one of the opposite side before it is in play. This latter point caused a good deal of trouble in the first half of the game, and the spectators were at a loss to account for the large number of offside plays which were made by the local team, until this was explained to them.

The two teams were composed as follows:

Winnipeg		*Peterborough.*
Baker	goal	E Wasson
Swinford	point	W J Montgomery
Breen	cover point	Hollingshead
Macfarlane		
Le Vesque	forwards	King
Thompson		Phelan
Neeve		Bellegham
		Davidson

Referee, F W Ashe, Norwood.

The puck was faced off at 8.44 o'clock—being placed by Mayor Davis, who gave the signal for play to begin.

Phelan took the puck, but the referee's whistle blew for an off-side, and in the ensuing face off

LEVISQUE MADE A RUSH

with Neeve, and shot on goal, but Wasson was there, and his brilliant stop started the cheering, which was kept up all evening. Up and down the battle raged, first one side having the advantage, then the other. Bellegham and King made some nice runs down the ice together, and the latter nearly scored twice. In relieving, Hollingshead made quite a rush with Bellegham and also did some splendid lifting. It seemed as though the local team were getting slightly the best of it, when suddenly LeVecque broke through with the puck and took it skilfully down the ice. A whistle blew shrilly and the Peterborough defence made no effort to stay him and he scored a goal. A different complexion was thrown on the matter when Referee Ashe stated that it was not his whistle which was blown, but one by an outsider. This gave first blood to Winnipeg. Time 11 minutes.

In the face-off Phelan passed back to Hollingshead and the Winnipeg forwards followed in after it, but Holly succeeded in getting through their line and, with Bellegham, went dashing up the ice. A few skilful passes and the trick was done, Bellegham scoring in 1 minute.

In another half minute the crowd almost went wild with excitement, when Phelan and Bellegham went down the rink together and "Scotty" tallied another in half a minute.

The Winnipeggers then made a most determined effort to even the score and the whole forward line went down the ice together. They passed everybody but Wasson. He successfully blocked his goal and returned to Hollingshead, who made

QUITE A RUN

up the ice with King. Another rush of the visitors, however, resulted in the score being made 2—2. Time 6½ min.

The next two games also went to Winnipeg, in five and two minutes respectively. Then Roger Davidson came through with the puck and passed to Phelan, who tallied, making the score 4—2.

It would have been 4—4 before the whistle blew for half time, but seeing the danger in which their goal was being placed no less than three of the visitors promptly lay down in front of it to prevent any chance of the puck being scrimmaged through. Half time was called before any more scoring was done.

The game re-opened with a rush on the Peterborough goal and then another on the Winnipeg flags. For three minutes the play was even, and then LeVeque got a chance and scored.

Out of a scrimmage in front of the Winnipeg goal five minutes later, Roger Davidson scored for Peterborough. Score 5—4 in favour of Winnipeg.

In another 8 minutes Winnipeg again had a lead of two points.

Three minutes more and Bellegham scooped one through. Score, 6—5.

Five minutes fast play followed, and then Winnipeg's score was 7—5.

One of the visitors was accidentally hurt through receiving a stick handle in the ribs, and a halt was called until he recovered. On resuming play Phelan scored again for Peterborough. Score, 7—6.

With only a few minutes left to play, the Peterboroughs pulled themselves together in an effort to tie the game and some very fast play resulted, but luck was against the boys and Winnipeg scored another.

The fast play was continued and the Winnipeg forward team went down the ice in a rush past everything. When about ten feet from Wasson, LeVecque made one of his bullet like lifts, but Ernie was there and his brilliant stop of the shot was probably the most sensational play of the evening. The whistle blew shortly afterwards and the crowd dispersed thoroughly pleased with the character of the game which had been put up.

Later on the visitors were banquetted at McCallum's restaurant, where a most creditable menu was provided by the well known caterer, who excelled himself on this occasion.

R. A. MASONIC PRESENTATION.

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Last night at the regular communication of Corinthian R. A. Chapter the routine of proceedings was delightfully interrupted by the presentation of a splendid Past Z jewel to Rt. Ex-Comp. R. E. Wood, whose term as Grand Superintendent of Ontario District closes with the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter in Toronto, on Jan. 26. Ex Comp Harry Rush, on behalf of the Chapter, made the presentation. The jewel itself, while orthodox in its symbolism, is of unique and elegant workmanship. The crown is brilliantly studded with diamonds and rubies. In addition to the evidences of the artificer's skill, unusual interest is added to the jewel by the fact that it is made of Klondyke gold, brought to Peterborough by Mr. Charles Gladman. The jewel is from the establishment of Messrs. Clarke & Gibson where it made throughout from the nugget.

Mr. Wood is justified in feeling very highly gratified by such a handsome evidence of the high esteem in which he is held by his brethren of the craft. It is a tribute to his zealous advancement of the interests of local Masonry and to the effective discharge of the duties of a grand officer.

DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH.

Important Parochial Translations.

The following diocesan changes in the Catholic Diocese of Peterborough have been promulgated by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor:

Rev. Peter J. McGuire, from Bracebridge to Hastings; Rev. T. F. Collins, from Brighton to Bracebridge; Rev. M. J. McGuire, from Lindsay to Brighton; Rev. C. J. Phelan, from Trout Creek to Lindsay.

These changes which will be of personal interest to a large number of the readers of the EXAMINER, will take effect the beginning of February. In this list should perhaps be included Rev. Father Fitzpatrick who had been previously promoted to be parish priest of the new parish, with Young's Point as the "see city" so to speak.

CARD OF THANKS.

I desire to thank heartily, all those who so promptly came to my help on the morning that my barns were burned, also, all those who have the care of my stock and who offered to assist in the care of it.

I would also thank all who have rendered me help since the fire and those who have offered help when needed.

JAS. SANDERSON.
Lakefield, Jan. 19th, 1898. 1d1w

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

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TO ORGANIZE FOR THE CAMPAIGN.

LIBERALS MEET IN THE COMMITTEE ROOMS TO-NIGHT.

The Friends and Supporters of Mr. Stratton Requested to Attend—Address on the Registration of Manhood Franchise Voters.

Mr. Stratton will be glad to meet with his friends and supporters in the committee rooms over Loch's fur store, at 7.30 o'clock this evening for the purpose of discussing preliminary organization. Mr. Stratton will also address the meeting on the Registration of Manhood Franchise Voters. It is to be hoped there will be as large an attendance as possible.

TWO ROBBERIES.

White's Butcher Shop and Anglesea's Bakery Burglarised.

Some time last night the door of Geo. J. White's butcher shop on McDonel street was forced and a quarter of pork, a quarter of lamb, a roast of beef and a quantity of sausage stolen. The door was found open when Mr. White went to open up the store this morning.

At half past three o'clock this morning when Mr. S. C. Anglesea's bakers went to work, they found that during the night the padlock of the bakery had been wrenched off. The burglars must have been disturbed, however, as nothing was missed.

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BENSFORT HEARD THE BOOM

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up the insurance business, remaining in the town, and now he thinks the people of West Peterborough, one of the most important ridings in the Province, are gullible enough to elect a man who was a comparative stranger to the riding and who had very little interest in it. There were many Conservatives capable—almost as capable at Mr. Garvin—of representing West Peterborough. But the Conservative leaders found that the independent element of the riding was not with them in factiously opposing a candidate who had faithfully served the riding for a dozen years (cheers), and none of the able local Conservatives, eligible to be candidates, felt inclined to risk a contest. If Mr. Garvin should be elected and his services, as in the case of the school board, proved to be unsatisfactory, the people would not be able to discharge him as promptly as the school board of Peterborough did when Mr. Garvin refused to acknowledge the board's right to control his actions and hold him to the discharge of his duties. When Mr. Garvin was inspector in Peterborough

HE LEFT HIS DUTIES

to go on the political stump up in Simcoe; the board remonstrated and Mr. Garvin told them that they had no right to call him to account; that he was under no obligations to ask them for leave of absence. Would Mr. Garvin be likely to treat his constituents in West Peterborough any better than he treated his employers, the Peterborough school board? A man is the servant of his employers; a representative is the servant of the people, and he has no more right in one case than in the other to refuse to recognize his responsibility to the powers that appointed or elected him. It might be, Mr. Stratton said, desirable for the people to elect Mr. Garvin. That was a matter for them to decide. If they decided to elect a new and untried man in preference to one who had striven to serve them well, it was their privilege to do so as far as he (Mr. Stratton) was concerned. He was willing to leave the matter in their hands.

Mr. Stratton said he would ask if, in view of the past course he had pursued, it was unreasonable on his part to claim the favour of their continued support. It would not, perhaps, be denied that it was to

THE INTEREST OF THE RIDING

to have a representative who, in addition to working faithfully nearly twelve years for the advancement of its welfare, had gained a special and complete knowledge of its needs, who was acquainted with every corner of the riding, both personally and geographically, with as intimate a knowledge of the highways as the people who daily use them, who had personal acquaintance with nearly every elector in the riding and who had, through the intimate knowledge of the people and localities of the riding, a plainly superior advantage and power to effectively serve the public interests over any stranger who might consider himself called upon to volunteer services which had not been sufficiently appreciated in his native riding to receive more than passing attention to his solicitude for nomination, as was shown by the fact of his having, where he was born and reared and best known, twice sought and twice been denied the position of a candidate by overwhelming majorities of the respective conventions.

There was a homely proverb to the effect of the wisdom of praising the bridge that carried one safely over the stream, and its application in this connection was not difficult to make. (Cheers.) If the people believed that he had

SERVED THEM FAITHFULLY

in the past, if they believed that his large material and business interests, his local patriotism and his pride in his native county gave him greater interest in West Peterborough, than a mere stranger, a practical foreigner, without any material interests in the county except what are prospective and arise out of a possible profit derived from the representation of the riding; if the people retained the confidence they had expressed in so flattering a manner on three previous occasions; if they believed that he was able to continue to serve their best interests as well, and aided by large experience, ever better than in the past, then, Mr. Stratton said, he appealed to them for a continuation of their generous support. He had reason to hope that he still enjoyed the public confidence, (You do!) and therefore that he should be trusted in he pledge which he now made, that if again honoured with re-election, he should do everything that lay in his power to faithfully represent West Peterborough and promote every interest of every part of the riding, as well as of the Province at large. (Applause.)

Mr. Stratton said that it might be expected that he would deal with some of the remarks made by Mr. Poussette at the meeting in that place on Tuesday night, but his statements, according to report as published in the Review, were so absurdly incorrect, his conclusions so grotesquely

ABSURD AND MISLEADING,

that they were hardly worth referring to—they were self-refuting, and would disceive no intelligent elector who reads the most modest country newspaper.

To show the nature of the statements made by Mr. Garvin's oratorical associates, Mr. John Green the new star in the political firmanent, senior legal adviser and political godfather of Mr. Garvin, is reported in the Review to have said at the Ennismore meeting, and no doubt previously uttered here, that

"Mr. Hardy was depleting the forests of Ontario. The Moore Lumber Co. deal was condoned by the Government, but the late W. A. Scott, of Peterborough, owing to the wrong-doing of an agent of the Government, had had his limits confiscated by the Government. A deputation of Peterborough citizens, Grits and Tories, protested to the Government against the action. The Government then imposed a fine of $26,000. The reason for this fine, the Government claimed, was that Mr. Scott had shipped out more lumber than had been accounted for to the Government, but Mr. Scott's friends explained that not all this lumber had been taken off Government lands, a good deal of it came off Mr. Scott's own private lands. But the Government assumed it was all off Government lands. Mr. Green contrasted the treatment of Mr. Scott with that of the Moore Lumber Co., who had been found guilty of wrong doing, but had not been fined, they had only been warned."

The facts of the matter are that in the time of Sandfield Macdonald, it transpired that the late W. A. Scott had, to put it mildly, committed errors in returns that represented a loss to the Province to a very large amount.

When the Blake Government came into power in 1872 they dealt with these irregularities. They appointed a commission, composed of Ex-Lieutenant-Governor Kirpatrick, Ex-Lieutenant-Governor Richards, and Thos. Johnston, Assistant Commissioner of Crown Lands—all Conservatives—who investigated the charges. Mr. John Rogers, under whose charge these irregularities were allowed to go on,

WAS REMOVED FROM OFFICE,

and the Scott estate was required to make good the deficiency, amounting to about $26,000. In taking such action the Government was simply protecting the interests of the people. Now it will be remembered that in 1896, 23 years later, it came to the ears of the Government that there was something irregular in the returns made by the Moore Lumber Company, and a commission of inquiry was appointed. The finding of the commissioners was that logs had been cut and taken in addition to those properly returned. It was found from examination of witnesses and the company's books in Detroit, that the information the Government had received was correct. After a good deal of investigation it was found that, although the head of the firm did not know of the state of things, there was a large shortage; and the Government collected from the firm $10,861.61, representing the shortage in dues, together with the costs of the investigation, $698.81, and the official was dismissed by the Government. This is all information that was made public in the House during the past three weeks, and what terms can be found to condemn a man who will wilfully, for the sake of political advantage, state an abominable falsehood. Mr. John Green owes the public an apology for deliberating

MAKING THE FALSE STATEMENT

that "the Moore Company had not been fined; they had only been warned." (Cheers.) Had this information not been before the country, Mr. Green might be excused. The electors should be well satisfied of the reliability of a speaker before they accept his statements, especially when he opens a campaign with what it is not too strong language to call a deliberate falsehood.

Mr. Kendry said in Ennismore, according to the Review's report:

"Our logs were taken out of the province and out in the United States. The Opposition wanted a law passed prohibiting logs being cut anywhere but in Canada."

Mr. Kendry knew that a bill had been introduced in the Legislature, which provided that after the 20th of April, 1898, all logs and timber cut on Crown lands in Ontario must be manufactured in Ontario, and he has no excuse for thus deceiving the electors. Campaign speakers should be fair and supply the fullest possible information, and they should make themselves sure of the grounds they aim to cover, especially when the public prints are full of it. (Hear, hear.) Now the facts about this timber matter, Mr. Stratton said, were simply these. As far back as 1890, the first sale of limits after Hon. Mr. Hardy became Commissioner of Crown Lands, was made

UNDER THE CONDITIONS

that the logs must be manufactured into lumber in Canada. It is true that Mr. Miscampbell moved a resolution along this line in the house subsequently to this sale, but every public man who desires to be honest, knows that there was no public agitation on the question among either the electors or lumbermen till after the presidental election in the United States and the tariff law known as the Dingley Bill was passed. This was only a few months ago, the Dingley Bill becoming law May 31st, 1897. This law increased the duty on imported lumber from $1 to $2, and also contained a retaliatory clause imposing an additional duty equal to the amount of duty Canada might impose upon logs or lumber for export. The lumbermen in Canada did not complain of the $2 straight duty, but the retaliatory clause was so obnoxious that it aroused a very strong anti-American sentiment. It brought the Georgian Bay lumbermen to arms, as it affected them exclusively as compared with the Ottawa Valley lumbermen, and they met and discussed the best course to be taken to

PROTECT THEIR INTERESTS.

This was the beginning of the lumber agitation and Mr. Stratton said if his memory was not at fault that Mr. John Bertram was the first man to write a letter to the papers advocating action by the Government. Why did he and the lumbermen call upon the Ontario Government? Simply because they felt that the imposition of an export duty by the Dominion Government would bring into operation the retaliatory clause of the Dingley bill and raise the American duty on lumber to $4.00, besides diverting the revenue from Ontario timber land into the Dominion treasury. Then, as the agitation grew, the Opposition availed themselves, and legitimately, too, of the chance to sail with the wind, and in their campaign tour in the Province made the most of the situation. But the Government could not take action without proper consideration, as a very large source of Provincial revenue would be affected by any action taken and also very large commercial and industrial interests. They begun investigation into the subject. The situation had changed, owing to action outside the Province, and they prepared as wisely and prudently as they knew, to confront the new conditions. They were interviewed by Canadian lumbermen. They were interviewed by American lumbermen. They gathered all the information available. They had the important interests of the Crown domains to protect. They were called upon to act with a full sense of the responsibility their action involved. After having gained all the information possible, after making sure of the wisdom of their action with regard to the interests of the Province and with due respect for the other interests involved, they

DELIBERATELY INTRODUCED THE BILL,

compelling all the timber cut on Crown lands to be manufactured in Ontario, and which yesterday afternoon received the Royal sanction and became law. The Government met the situation as promptly as it arose. True, the opponents of the Government clamour for the immediate enforcement of the manufacturing clause, but that could not be done without breaking the agreement under which leases to cut timber were issued. That would not only stain the honour of the Crown, but lead to costly lawsuits for breach of contract. The Opposition base this demand on the assertion that the American holders of Ontario limits are preparing to take out a much larger cut than usual, but the Government has collected exact information from the lumbering concerns to the effect that the export this year will be sixty millions less than last year, so that there will be no loss from the delay till the first of May and the Government while effectively protecting the interests of the country by their legislation, will, by the delay mentioned, have carried out its bargain with the lumbermen in an honourable manner, worthy of the dignity of a great Province. (Applause.)

THESE WERE THE FACTS

in regard to the timber question and the circumstances as they exist, and it is to be hoped that the decision of the Legislature, which was unanimous, will justify the Government in the course it took. The speaker was somewhat surprised that a gentleman of the political experience of Mr. Kendry should have so far failed to grasp the facts of the timber question, as his statement made at Ennismore would imply.

Mr. Stratton next turned his attention to Education, and said that the educational system of the Province of Ontario has been pronounced by unprejudiced observers and capable judges to be equal to any and excelled by none, and its excellence was was largely due to the wisdom of the present Minister of Education, Hon. G. W. Ross, who had occupied that position for fourteen years, and who has been practically identified with educational affairs as teacher, inspector and Minister for over a quarter of a century. He was regarded as one of the foremost educators of the continent, and had besides shown capacity for administration that had been in evidence in his splendid management of the Education Department of Ontario since 1883, when he succeeded Hon. Adam Crooks, the first Minister of Education of Ontario. But Hon. Mr. Ross' success as a Minister had not relieved him of detraction, not so much as an administrator, as

FROM PLAINLY POLITICAL REASONS.

He had been accused as being a partizan minister of education and of serving political ends by his office. The Opposition have placed themselves on record as opposed to the educational department being under a minister of the Crown, in spite of the fact that Dr. Ryerson, who is quoted by the Opposition as an infallible authority and whose services to education deserve the most generous recognition, favoured a minister responsible to parliament. Mr. Whitney, the leader of the Opposition, has twice placed himself on record (in April of '91 and '94) as opposed to a minister of education responsible to parliament. But he has changed his policy and pronounces in favour of an Advisory Board, to whom the minister shall be responsible instead of to parliament. Mr. Whitney's plan was tried in 1874, but after two years trial was abolished by a bill suggested by Dr. Ryerson himself, and the abolition received support from both sides of the House. So that Mr. Whitney's latest proposition was the revival of an exploded and impracticable plan. Why should an Advisory Board be appointed in the case of one department more than another? Why not have such a board appointed for each department of the government as well—for the Provincial Treasurer, for the Crown Lands, for the Minister of Agriculture? Ministers are

RESPONSIBLE TO THE PEOPLE.

If each one is surrounded with an Advisory Board he is responsible to that board and not to the parliament or people. (Hear, hear.)

The Minister of Education was responsible to parliament for all his acts and he recognizes this responsibility. Hon. Mr. Ross had been accused of being a Czar in his department, but no attempt has ever been made to fix a charge of partiality or despotic conduct upon him. Mr. Whitney and his friends would have the public believe that Mr. Ross acted without advice or without consulting anybody. The fact is that since Mr. Ross took office the School Act has been revised three times—in '85, '91 and '96. On every occasion a draft of the proposed amendments has been submitted to school inspectors and High School principals for opinion before the Acts were passed, and during their passage through the house abundant opportunity was presented for suggestions of improvement from the educationalists of the country. There was discussion in the House and through the press, and the whole legislation was done, so far as the minister was concerned, with full regard to his responsibility to parliament. And every regulation of the department, since Mr. Ross took office, has been submitted to parliament, and so far no such regulation submitted has been disapproved, and neither Mr. Whitney nor his colleagues have challenged one of them. Would an Advisory Board be any better than parliament, except that it would cost more money?

The charge of undue political influence in the Educational Department has never been pressed or supported by proof. Since the appointment of Minister of Education in 1876, the sum of nearly fourteen and a half millions ($14,441,141) had been distributed by the Educational Department, and it cannot be shown that one dollar was granted on the grounds of political favouritism. When so great a sum was distributed among so many municipalities such a charge, if it had the slightest grounds, could be easily proven. In the same time 325,208 persons have written, and 175,176 received certificates. No specific charge of political favouritism has been proved. Assertion without proof is cheapening the intelligence of the electors. Complaint was made by the Opposition that examinations destroy the individuality of the pupil. Examinations are

NECESSARY AS A STIMULUS

to the pupils, as a test of the pupil's proficiency and as a satisfaction to parents. Dr. Ryerson, who is rightly accepted by the Opposition as a high standard, thought so, for in the last year of his office there were twenty-nine examinations. Now there are less than half as many—thirteen—and if we omit the examinations for Kindergarten teachers there are only eleven. When we recollect how teachers, especially, were examined 25 or 30 years ago and what the standard of teachers was, we must endorse the present system of examinations which is the same principle in all the provinces of the Dominion. The examiners are not appointed by the Government but by an educational council representing every University of the Province, as well as the High and Public Schools and there is not the slightest proof of favouritism based on politics. (Cheers.)

The cost of the text books was, the speaker said, a sore spot with Mr. Whitney and the other critics of our schools, and Mr. Garvin was fond of indulging in wild and absolutely misleading statements regarding the alleged monopoly in school books and it would therefore be proper to submit solid and reliable evidence to counteract the fairy stories that were being told on the subject. In November, 1897, the Minister of Education in the discharge of his duty as a minister and with the interests of the people in mind, arranged for a Royal Commission for the purpose of ascertaining if any reduction could be made in the price of school books and of inquiry in regard to the manner in which royalties affected the price of school books and whether the payment of a lump sum to authors instead of royalties was advisable.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION APPOINTED.

This Commission, composed of Judge Morgan, of York county, Jas. Bain, jr., Public Librarian, Toronto, and C. Blackett Robinson, President of the great Presbyterian Publishing House, Toronto, made an exhaustive enquiry, examined witnesses, who were experts in the book publishing business, and of undoubted ability and integrity and summarized the results of their investigation in a report presented to Parliament a few days ago. The report deals very fully with the whole subject.

Their report first deals with the Readers now used in the Public Schools, authorized in 1885. In regard to these the report states, after quoting the evidence (taken under oath) of Prof. Alexander, of Toronto, Prof. Reynar, of Victoria University, Prof. Clarke, of Trinity, and Chancellor Wallace, of McMaster University, who united in speaking in terms of high praise of the literary quality and value of the school books:

"For all these reasons and looking at the literary, artistic and educational merit of the Ontario Series of Readers and the excellence of the print and binding, we are convinced that these Readers are infinitely more adapted for use in Canadian schools than any other Readers and are furnished to the public at very reasonable prices and that as Chancellor Wallace puts it—"the public have nothing to complain of," and we are further satisfied that the publishers and the trade are not making an undue profit from the production and sale of these books."

(Cheers.) The report

DEALS WITH THE SEVERAL BOOKS

published by the several firms under agreement with the Government. With the great majority of books it is found that the capital invested is still unrealized, thus proving that there is no excess of profits in the publication of the books and that they could not be furnished for a lower price. The report found that one or two books had been published "without living profits of any kind."

In a few cases the report states that sufficient profit is realized so that a reduction might be made. In these cases three are High School books, one the Public School Geography, which has been in use since 1887 and as the publishers have realized their capital, leaving them, as the report says, "a resonable source of legitimate profit," the price might be reduced.

And when it is possible with any sort of justice to the publishers to make a reduction, a reduction in the price of school books will be made. This has been the policy of the department in regard to other books; when the publishers having realized on the capital invested, the price of books has been reduced.. Since 1883 when Hon. Mr. Ross took office, the prices of six Public School books have been reduced, by which a saving, estimated by the number of pupils using such books, have been effected by parents of $74,507, and action in the same policy will be carried out in regard to other books as soon as it is possible.

When such a Commission, composed of capable and honourable men, solemnly report that there are no excessive profits to the publishers of school books what becomes of the cry of "monopoly" raised by interested opponents of the Government? Monopoly means enormous profits, not fair living profits. Let one man or firm have the contract of the manufacture of mowing machinery and they would see the

PRICES GO UP WITH A BOUND.

Mr. Garvin at Ennismore, on Thursday night showed his unfairness or ignorance in dealing with the school book question. He had the "cheek," no other word would do, to compare a Third Reader, costing 30 cents, with a dime novel, or worse than that, a 9½ cent novel, to prove that there was a monopoly. The Reader, he said, had a sale of 50,000 or 100,000 a year, and sold at 30 cents, while the novel, (Conan Doyle's "Micah Clarke") a little larger book, sold for 9½ cents. Conan Doyle's novels are popular, and are sold by the million. While the first edition of one of his novels cost $1 or $1.25, the tenth or twentieth edition, printed on pulp paper, with trashy binding, was reduced 19 to 20 cents, according to the sloppiness of its printing and binding. Dishonesty could go no further than such a misleading comparison. (Cheers.) In regard to the same Third Reader, the Commission says that "the publishers are only making a fair business profit, and that the price should not be reduced."

The price of an article or book is regulated by the demand—if the sale is large the price becomes lower, as a rule the larger the sale the lower the price. If a thresher sets up his machine on a farm and threshes one bushel of wheat, he will charge $7 or $8 a bushel; if he threshes 100 bushel, he will charge 7 or 8 cents; if he threshed a million bushels, he would do it perhaps for a still lower price. If school books were sold by the million they could be sold at the rate of dime novels. But

THE DEMAND IS LIMITED

and the price is, therefore, higher than if a larger number were sold.

Further interesting information was Mr. Stratton said, contained in the report of the Commission. The Commissioners stated that the system of paying a royalty to authors "insures a cheaper school book than securing the copyright by a lump sum." They also say that so excellent is the Ontario series of books that they are used, or most of them, in six of the chief other Provinces of the Dominion. They report, after diligent investigation, that the text books used in the schools of New York, corresponding to the Ontario series, cost $9.90, while the cost of the Ontario series of school books is only $4.95 or a hundred per cent. less. (Cheers.) The people could see what there was in the cry of the school book monopoly, and the facts presented were not hearsay nor ornamental assertions, but the report of a commission based on sworn evidence, and as reliable as the decision of a judge on the bench.

Under the present Government, Mr. Stratton showed that not only had the prices of school text books been reduced, but that the number had been reduced also. In the last year of Dr. Ryerson's reign there were 35 text books used in the public school course. Now the number of text books used in the public schools is only 11. In each case the Readers are counted as one book. The policy of the present Education Department is to use only one text book in each subject, so that pupils passing from one to another school in Ontario will not have to buy new books. Before Mr. Ross became Minister of Education there were used in the public schools 11 different text books in grammar, 9 in geography, 4 in arithmetic, 5 in history and 3 in reading—in all 32 books. Now there were only 5 text books, or one for each of the above subjects. (Hear, hear.) The policy of the Education Department was to

ENCOURAGE CANADIAN AUTHORSHIP

and publication. When Mr. Ross became Minister of Education out of 184 books used in the High and Public schools, 49 only were written by Canadians and 135 by English or American writers. Now every book in the public schools is written and printed by Canadians. In 1883, 87 of the text books used in the High and Public schools were imported. Now, with the exception of two or three, the Modern Language books for High Schools, every text book was manufactured in Canada. (Applause.) Thus it would be seen the misleading and extravagant charges against the Education Department were without foundation. There was a sincere and honest desire to serve the best interests of the rising generations. The prices of school books were now as low as they could be made, and whenever it was found that the prices of books could be reduced, that course, as had been done in the past, would be pursued. If the educational interests of the Province could not be efficiently served by a capable, experienced and well-disposed minister like Hon. Mr. Ross, who is an educator of over a quarter of a century's experience, what could we expect from a man like Mr. Garvin, who couldn't even keep the situation of school inspector for Peterborough—who after two short years' service was found so unsatisfactory that a Board of Education, composed of a majority of Conservatives, had to discharge him. And yet Mr. Garvin poses as the coming Minister of Education in the mythical and far away Cabinet to be formed by Mr. Whitney. (Laughter and cheers.)

If, however, Mr. Stratton said, it should be suggested that an appeal to the support of the electors for re-election for another term was not fully justified by his own personal record, he was sure it could be shown that whatever might be lacking was more than supplied by the merits of the Government to which it has been his pleasure to give an independent support for the past twelve years, and which is worthy now as ever of the confidence of the country. The present Government was practically the same as that which has so magnificently managed the affairs of the Province for the past quarter of a century. Though the personnel had changed there had been no deterioration of administrative ability, and the present Administration was guided by the same general policy that had been pursued with such splendid results in the past. He might be permitted to indicate generally what that policy had been and still was. The past and present policy of the Ontario Liberal Government had been to apply the public revenues solely to

THE SERVICE OF THE PROVINCE,

and incidentally, and as had been the case, to materially lighten the burdens of the taxpayer and to develop the resources of the Province.

The present Government had control of the revenue and expenditures of Ontario from '72 to '98, a period of nearly twenty-six years. In that time there had been expended a grand total of about eighty-nine millions of dollars, with the result that every service of the country had been efficiently met, the ways of communication improved, railways aided and roads in new districts constructed, and the people of the remoter sections brought in touch with the older settled portions, the province, equipped with necessary public buildings, constructed out of current revenue without a cent of borrowed money or of debt, and without as much as a charge of one dollar of public money being corruptly spent. (Applause.) Furthermore, in the expenditure of the large total of 89 millions of dollars, in the numberless and diverse channels in which the public requirements demanded it should be directed, in the multiplicity of ways it has been spent, there has not been brought one charge capable of being for a moment sustained, that one dollar of this money had been expended in any way other than in conformity with the government's policy of applying the public revenue solely to the service of the province. (Hear, hear.) Nor was there any tenable claim that the public money has been extravagantly used. There might have been, and there have been, large increases in the public expenditure, but they have

ALL BEEN JUSTIFIED

by the legitimately increased demands of the public service. Our province had not stood still but had grandly advanced, and this advance had to be met with increased expenditure to meet the expanding demands of the public service. With all this the province had now to its credit the large surplus of assets amounting to about $5,500,000 over liabilities, and it is the only government on this continent whose name appears in the Dominion Year Book without a dollar of debt against it. This is certainly a proud record for any government, and it stands to reason that a government that has accomplished so much and so well in the financial management of our affairs without staining its hands with a single corrupt transaction, is deserving of continued confidence on the part of the people. Especially when, in addition to strictly honest management of our finances, there has been wise, prudent and economical management, considering the increased wants of the public service, which necessitated increased expenditure to constitute efficient services.

The government was vaguely charged with extravagance and with dissipating and wasting the much boasted surplus of Sandfield Macdonald. No such charge could be sustained for a moment. When Sandfield Macdonald was defeated he left in the treasury

AN APPARENT SURPLUS

of $3,800,000, but if there had been a balance struck there would have been no such surplus, for it would have nearly all been wiped out to pay debts or obligations which Sandfield Macdonald left his successors to pay out of his apparent surplus. In the first place it took $300,000 to pay back to the Dominion, money advanced to meet the expenses of provincial government the first years after Confederation. This left $3,300,000 of the surplus. Then by special Act of the Legislature, there was appropriated $1,500,000 to aid railways, which had to be paid by his successors out of the surplus, which was thus reduced to $1,800,000. The Sandfield Macdonald successors had to pay to Quebec out of the surplus the sum of $200,000, that province's share of the collections from common school lands. This reduced the surplus to $1,600,000. Then the cost of the Rockwood Asylum, Kingston, $100,000, should have been paid by Sandfield Macdonald instead of being added to his surplus, which that payment brought down to $1,500,000. When Mr. Blake came into power he appropriated $400,000 to aid railways to meet engagements undertaken by Sandfield Macdonald and that came out of the Sandfield surplus, reducing it to $1,100,000. Sandfield Macdonald salted down an account of the Municipal Loan Fund, $500,000. This was a trust fund and he did not pay out a dollar of it, but it was afterwards paid out by the Mowat Government, and thus the surplus was reduced to the sum of $600,000. Thus we have nearly all of the Sandfield Macdonald accounted for spent to pay obligations for which his successors

WERE NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Mr. Blake afterwards appropriated $2,000,000 for railways which had to be met. So that the receipts of Sandfield's government vanished with considerable more to develop the Province which received full value. It is considered by many that another thing that should be charged to Sandfield Macdonald is the Teachers Superannuation Fund system, established by himself, under which he paid out only $6,000 and left it as a legacy to his successors, who have paid out under the system established by Sandfield Macdonald, over $1,400.00. Thus not only was his boasted surplus wiped out by payments for which his successors were not responsible but expenditures in excess were imposed. In addition to the baseless charge that the Government squandered the Macdonald surplus, vague charges of other extravagant expenditure were made. If the Government was extravagant the Opposition were consenting parties; as an example out of over thirty-three millions voted by Parliament for the public services in ten years, the Opposition assented to every dollar of expenditure, except the comparatively small sum of $89,000. If the Government was wasting the public money where were the watch-dogs of the Opposition? If there was extravagance they share the responsibility when they made no or little effort to prevent it. Another period was cited. In the five years from '88 to '92 a total sum of seventeen and a half millions was voted and the watchful Opposition only tried to prevent the expenditure of $350. The last session, however, the Opposition went to extremes and in a fit of obstruction divided the House, without rhyme or reason, on eight or more items of necessary expenditure, and there was not a tittle of proof that the items, all necessary to the efficiency of the public service, were excessive or unnecessary. Then the

CHARGE WAS MADE

that the expenditure had increased. That was a true charge and one to be proud of. We should blush if the province had not grown in the past 23 years, and if it did not need increased expenditure to provide for the growing wants of a growing province. But the increases had been legitimate and only grew with the growth and needs of the Province. The annual expenses of government of the Province had increased only 1 1-3 per cent. in 23 years. In 15 years, from 1881 to 1896, the expenditure of the town of Peterborough increased three times over, or from $39,695 in 1881, to $105,993 in 1896, and the town had comparatively little in the way of permanent improvement. In the matter of public buildings the Province had a proud record. The Province was well equipped with all necessary public buildings, all built out of current revenue and without a dollar of debt. (Cheers.) These include the Parliament Buildings, costing $1,256,985, put up with less than $1,200 contractors' extras. With the construction of these buildings the extraordinary expenditure represented by them, ceased, and the annual expenditure began to decrease. From 1891 to 1897 there had been a steady decrease of the annual expenditure, amounting to $1,638,503. Does this look like extravagance? and can Mr. Garvin or Mr. Green or any of his stumpers point

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BANQUET AT LIVERPOOL.

An Important Speech by Mr. Chamberlain.

GREAT CHANGES IN COMMERCE.

Benefits to Trade Flowing From a Strong Foreign Policy—The West Indian Sugar Question—Belgium's Action Commended—A Word for Canada's Great Enterprise—Cable News.

Liverpool, Jan. 19.—The Liverpool Chamber of Commerce gave a banquet last evening to the Right Hon. Joseph Chamerlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal was also present.

Mr. Chamberlain was greeted with an ovation, and a special cheer was given for Mrs. Chamberlain, who was with him.

Mr. Chamberlain in the course of a vigorous and important speech, referred to the great changes in commerce during the last 20 years.

"Since the great powers were bitten with the megalomania with which the Germans are accustomed to taunt us, as if it were our exclusive peculiarity, the German Empire has increased six fold, and France four fold, while England," he said, "has only added a modest third to her colonial empire."

Answering the argument that it is useless to colonize barren wastes, he pointed to the magnificent enterprise of the Canadian Pacific Railway that had opened up a vast country of the greatest wheat fields and was about to open what were perhaps the greatest gold fields in the world.

"Looking to the certainty," he said, "that we are likely to be excluded by hostile tariffs from any country where the British flag does not float, our present policy is to take a very firm attitude and to maintain free markets. What the foresight of our ancestors has done for us in building a great empire, we continue to do for our successors. This is not the policy of aggression or lawlessness. We have a three fold duty: First, to keep what rightly belongs to us; second, in Lord Rosebury's admirable words, to 'peg out claims for posterity,' and, third, if anyone tries to rush those claims, gently to prevent them." (Laughter and cheers.)

Referring to "The fact that our sacrifices of territory and our general forbearance and deference to the sensibilities of our allies, have only resulted in our being told that we are the most hated nation in Europe," he repeated Lord Salisbury's warning, "There is a limit to this forbearance."

After a repetition of the old zollverein aspirations, which he described as "less absurd than some have supposed," Mr. Chamberlain said: "We must seek in our own family the strength and support we shall never find from foreign nations, and with this view, we must be ready to respond to any colonial overture without seeking pecuniary recompense, but looking to the wider interests of the future."

Then came the weightiest portion of the speech. Mr. Chamberlain reviewed at length the West Indian question and the report of the Royal Commission thereon, and emphasized the "great injury of the bounty system, which, while ruining the West Indies, brings a gain estimated at £2,000,000 yearly to Great Britain." The Government, he said, believed the country "generous and just enough to remedy this crying injustice." He was glad that Belgium had anticipated Great Britain in calling a conference on the subject and hoped this might succeed better than former conferences.

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PROGRESS OF THE CAMPAIGN.

Liberal Hosts Confident in the Justice of Their Cause.

MR. HARDY TO SPEAK TO-NIGHT

The Fight to be a Hot One All Along the Line—Conservative Activity Met by a United Phalanx of Liberal Workers—The Candidates Nominated in the Provinces.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Though people can only speculate yet as to the date of the election, the activity of the politicians is as keen as if they knew when polling would take place. It would scarcely be correct to say that they are getting ready for the fray; they have already plunged into it, and they are in to stay until the last blow is struck. It will be a sharp struggle. The Conservatives are putting forth every effort to turn from office the Government that has administered the affairs of the province for a quarter of a century, but they will find the Liberals prepared at every point to resist the onslaught.

At the offices of the Ontario Liberal Association on Victoria street Mr. Alexander Smith, the Secretary, and his staff are hard at work despatching literature to the candidates, answering correspondence, receiving visitors and directing the movements of the campaign.

It is probable that the Premier will have something of importance to say to-night at the annual banquet of the Young Men's Liberal Club. He and Sir Richard Cartwright will be the principal speakers. In a few days the Ministers will be distributed throughout the country justifying their policy and administration before the people. Mr. Ross will speak at Barrie on the 24th, at Bowmanville on the 26th, and at Peterboro on the 27th.

Mr. Campbell Renominated.

Egansville, Ont., Jan. 19.—The South Renfrew Liberal convention re-nominated R. A. Campbell, M.P.P., unanimously.

Mr. Willoughby Chosen.

Watford, Ont., Jan. 19.—The Liberal-Conservative Association of East Lambton met here in convention, when Mr. W. G. Willoughby, who has been clerk of the township of Brooke for a long time, was made the unanimous choice.

South Essex Liberals.

Kingsville, Ont., Jan. 19.—The Liberals of South Essex convened here yesterday and unanimously nominated John A. Auld as candidate for the Provincial Legislature.

Candidates in the Field.

Below is given a full list of the candidates nominated to date in the various constituencies for the pending Provincial contest:

Riding.	Con.	Lib.
Addington	Reid	Cuttle
Algoma E.		Farwell
Algoma W		
Brant N.	Fisher	Burt
Brant S.		Hardy
Brockville		
Bruce N.	Jermyn	Bowman
Bruce S.		Truax
Bruce C.	Shouldice	Malcolm
Cardwell	Little	Wright
Carleton	Kidd (Ind. Con.)	
Dufferin	Barr	
Dundas	Whitney	Lawson
Durham E.	Fallis	
Durham W.	Reid	Mitchell
Elgin E.	Brower	McIntyre
Elgin W.	McDermott	
Essex N.	Winternute	McKee
Essex S.	Killackey	Auld
Frontenac	Gallagher	
Glengarry	McDonald	McRae
Grenville		
Grey C.	Lucas	Boland
Grey S.	Jamieson	Morgan
Grey N.	Boyd	Cleland
Haldimand		
Halton	Kerns	
Hamilton E.	Carscallen	
Hamilton W.	Colquhoun	
Hastings W.	Morrison	
Hastings E.		
Hastings N.	Allan	Lott
Huron E.	Mooney	Hyslop
Huron S.	Ellver	McLean
Huron W.	Beck	Garrow
Kent E.	Macon	Ferguson
Kent W.	Hall	Pardo
Kingston		
Lambton E.	Willoughby, W. G.	Pettypiece
Lambton W.		Pardee
Lanark N.	Preston	Caldwell
Lanark S.	Matheson	Clarke
Leeds	Beatty	
Lennox	Meacham	Aylesworth
Lincoln		
Loudon		
Middlesex E.	Hodgins, T. D.	
Middlesex N.	Hodgins, C. C.	
Middlesex W.	Campbell	Ross
Monck		Harcourt
Muskoka	Langford	Bridgeland
Nipissing	Lamarche	
Norfolk S.	Tweedle	Charlton
Norfolk N.	Robertson	Carpenter
Northumb'd E.	Willoughby	Douglas
Northumb'd W.		
Ontario N.	Hoyle	Chapple
Ontario S.	Calder	Dryden
Ottawa		
Oxford N.		
Oxford S.	Chambers	
Parry Sound		
Peel	Cameron	Smith
Perth N.	Magwood	Brown
Perth S.	Monteith	Moscrip
Peterboro' E.	Shaw	Blezard
Peterboro' W.	Garvin	Stratton
Prescott		
Prince Edward	Dempsey	Sprague
Renfrew S.		Campbell
Renfrew N.	White	Barr
Russell		
Simcoe W.	Duff	
Simcoe E.	Miscampbell	Harvey
Simcoe C.	Thompson	Davidson
Stormont	McLaughlin	
Toronto E.		
Toronto W.		
Toronto S.		
Toronto N.		
Victoria E.	Carnegie	Asaith
Victoria W.	Fox	McKay
Waterloo S.		
Waterloo N.		
Welland	Pew	German
Wellington E.		Craig
Wellington S.		Mutrie
Wellington W.		Scott
Wentworth N.	Wardell	Pirie
Wentworth S.	Evans	Dickenson
York E.	Moyes	Richardson
York W.	St. John	Hill
York N.	Wayling	Davis

Patron Candidates.

The Patrons and Independents have candidates as follows:

North Bruce, McNaughton; Centre Bruce, Macdonald; Dufferin, Dynes; Frontenac, Haycock; Glengarry, McPherson; South Grey, McNeil; East Lambton, McCallum; Lincoln, Zimmerman; Monck, Beck (Ind.); Prince Edward, Caven; Centre Simcoe, Train; East Wellington, Park; West Wellington, Tucker.

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LONDON CITY HALL CRASH.

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The injured in the City Hall accident all continue to improve rapidly. Yesterday Mr. Sweeney, who broke an arm and three ribs, and who could not move his neck for two weeks after, was a caller at the Mayor's office.

Mr. E. J. Cook, who had his collar bone broken in two places and was at one time not expected to recover, is now able to sit up.

Contractor Maurice Baldwin is around again. In addition to being crushed, he lost nearly all his teeth by coming in contact with a man's boot, while the latter was struggling to free himself.

Mr. Walter Beech, who was also seriously injured, will be able to be around again in a few days.

BACK AT WORK AGAIN.

Strikers in Clyde Shipyards Again Earning Wages—Amalgamated Society Endorses Committee's Action.

London, Jan. 19.—The Amalgamated Society of Engineers has formally endorsed the action of the joint committee of the trades unions in withdrawing the demand for 48 hours as a week's work, and has expressed the expectation that the lockout notices posted by the masters will be withdrawn. The attitude of the employers remains unchanged.

Strikers Going Back to Work.

Glasgow, Jan 19.—Many of the striking engineers resumed work in the Clyde yards to-day and a general resumption is expected on Jan. 24.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company, of Ontario, for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, 437 George Street, Peterborough, on

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THE FORMAL ENDING.

The Lieut.-Governor Prorogues the House —The Speech From the Throne —The Final Proceedings.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Yesterday afternoon the prorogation ceremonies of the Ontario Legislature were performed without much manifested interest on the part of the public. Twenty-six members were present, and prior to Sir Oliver Mowat's formal prorogation the bill affecting the sale of patent medicines and alcohol by druggists and others was amended by defining the word "manufacturer" to mean "a manufacturer for sale by wholesale." Two new sections to the Act were likewise passed. The effect and intention of these are to permit corporations (department stores in fact) having properly qualified chemists to sell similarly with druggists. The bill was read first, second and third time.

Formal Prorogation.

Then the formal prorogation took place. The band in connection with the detachment of the R.C.R.I. from Fort Stanley, which had attended Sir Oliver Mowat up from Government House, played the National Anthem as the Lieutenant-Governor entered the chamber in the full glory of his gold lace and cocked hat. He was supported by Commander Law, Capt. Crooks and Col. Graveley.

Sir Oliver duly read his formal speech as follows:

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

In relieving you from further attendance upon your legislative duties, it affords me pleasure to express my appreciation of the diligence and zeal with which you have applied yourselves to public business during the session now brought to a close.

It is a source of satisfaction that the entire body of the public laws of the province has been again consolidated and revised, and that you have confirmed and approved the work so faithfully performed by the commissioners appointed for that purpose. The new volumes of the statutes will, without doubt, prove to be of great convenience to the public, and especially to the bench, the bar and the magistracy.

Pine Products.

I hope and trust that experience will prove the wisdom of the bill passed for the purpose of securing the manufacture of the pine products of our forests in our own country, and I cheerfully assent to it.

I have perused with interest the report of the Royal Commission on Reforestry said before the Assembly during the session, and have been gratified to learn that several inexpensive yet efficient methods for encouraging reforestry have been suggested, and I trust that the bill founded thereon which you have passed may greatly contribute to the end which you have had in view.

I assent with pleasure to the important bill having for its object the prevention of the spread of the San Jose scale, and trust that its effect will be to save our orchards from the destruction with which they are just now threatened.

The Election Law.

The bills to amend the Election law and the Manhood Suffrage Registration Act will, I do not doubt, be found to contribute to the more efficient working of these laws.

The measures repecting jails and the public service will, I trust, contribute to the more economical administration of the affairs of the counties and of the province, and I readily assent to them.

The measures which you have adopted relating to the municipal and assessment laws, to education, to mining, to the Division Courts and the examination of judgment debtors, and to prevent gambling at agricultural exhibitions, will, I am satisfied, prove to be advantageous to the public.

Railway Aid.

The appropriations made by you to aid railway enterprises will, I feel confident, conduce to the material progress and advancement of the country, and to the extension of settlements in the newer parts of the province.

I thank you for the liberal yet judicious appropriations made for the public service for the present year.

Congratulations.

At the close of this last session of the eighth Parliament of the province I cannot help congratulating you upon the wisdom and prudence which have guided your deliberations during the several sessions of this legislative term—upon the many good and useful laws which have been passed, upon the desire for economy in the administration of public affairs which you have constantly manifested, and upon the loyalty and patriotism which have characterized all your proceedings. I venture to hope that your successors may prove not less zealous in these respects than you have been, and that they may show as wise an appreciation of public duty and as earnest a solicitude for the protection of the great interests committed by the constitution to the charge of the Provincial Legislature as has marked your course during the Parliamentary term now about to close.

Hon. J. M. Gibson then observed: "It is His Honor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued; and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued," and the session was over.

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Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N.Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

HASN'T FORGOTTEN THEM

Lord Edward Clinton Remembers "Boys of the Old Brigade."

Hamilton, Jan. 18.—To show that he hasn't forgotten Thomas Wyatt and Henry Turner, two comrades with him in the rifle brigade 36 years ago, Lord Edward Clinton of Osborne House, Isle of Wight, has forwarded £10 to Secretary Gardner of the Soldiers' Monument Committee to mark their last resting places.

The Sanford Mausoleum.

Senator Sanford purposes erecting a magnificent tomb over his only son's grave in Hamilton Cemetery. The mausoleum, when erected in the spring, will face towards the Bay. The rough slabs of Vermont granite are to be shipped to Hamilton, to be polished and erected by Canadian workmen.

The Hangman at Cayuga.

Cayuga, Ont., Jan. 18. — Radcliffe arrived in Cayuga last evening. The people of Cayuga seem to realize that Mrs. Sternaman will suffer the extreme penalty of the law. Up to a late hour last night no word arrived from Ottawa whether executive clemency would be granted her.

Has Accepted a Railway Position.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—City Engineer E. H. Keating has resigned to accept the general managership of the Toronto Street Railway in the place of Mr. Wanklyn. He asks the City Council to relieve him at the end of the month.

The Poirier Murder Case.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 18.—The court opened at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Mr. Parent, notary of St. Jerome, was the first witness. He produced the last will of Isidore Poirier, by which his wife Cordelia Viau has been constituted his universal legatee. Then came Mr. Carmel, civil engineer, who produced the plan of the premises of Isidore Poirier, where the murder was committed. The next witness was Coroner Mignault, who produced several articles—a revolver with one box of cartridges, butcher's knife, insurance policies and several letters signed by Mr. Evariste Champagne, inspector of the Standard Life Insurance Company, which articles he used as evidence against the accused, and at 5 o'clock the court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning. The courthouse was so crowded that over 200 people could not get in.

Long Tramp of 23 Canadian Lumbermen.

Ogdensburg, N.Y., Jan. 18.—Twenty-three Canadian lumbermen who were thrown out of work by reason of the sheriff taking possession of the Canton Lumber Company, arrived here yesterday, having walked 58 miles from the big woods. They expect to continue their journey on foot from here to Ottawa, a distance of 54 miles. They were destitute and claimed that they had received no pay from the company. It is said that they escaped the alien labor restrictions in entering this country.

One of the most eminent and skillful specialists in the United States is the author of a great home medical work that every woman, whether young or old, should read. That physician is Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. This is one of the greatest medical institutions in the world. In his capacity as head of this institution, Dr. Pierce is surrounded by a staff of nearly a score of able physicians. With the assistance of this staff of physicians, during the past thirty years, Dr. Pierce has prescribed for many thousands of ailing women. His "Common Sense Medical Adviser" contains 1008 pages and over 300 illustrations. It contains several chapters devoted to the treatment of diseases peculiar to women. A paper-covered copy is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps, to cover customs and mailing, by the World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. Cloth binding 50 stamps.

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DIED FROM MORPHINE.

Archie Campbell Did Not Feel Well and Swallowed Nine Pills.

Winnipeg, Jan. 18.—The body of a man named Archie Campbell has taken east yesterday en route for his late home, Sand Point, Ont., for interment. Deceased had been working on the Crow's Nest Pass Railway construction as timekeeper, and about a week ago, not feeling well, he took nine morphine pills, which killed him. It is believed that he was addicted to the morphine habit.

Alex. Smith of Gretna came in yesterday with fifty head of cattle, which he is shipping to the coast for the Klondike. Mr. Smith has received a contract to supply one hundred cars of cattle for the Yukon trade.

Colquhoun and Carscallen.

Hamilton, Jan. 18.—The Conservative convention to select candidates to contest East and West Hamilton. Coming to the nomination of candidates, Mayor Colquhoun and Stewart Livingston were nominated for West Hamilton, and H. Carscallen, Q.C., and Ald. Lester for the east. The balloting gave majorities to Mayor Colquhoun and H. Carscallen, who were then made the unanimous choice of the convention.

Napierville Woolen Mills Burned.

Napierville, Que., Jan. 18.—The Napierville woolen mills, owned by A. Merizzi, were destroyed by fire last evening. The loss will be about $10,000 or $12,000.

Smallpox Near Callendar.

North Bay, Ont., Jan. 18.—Four cases of smallpox are reported to be in a family near Callendar. The authorities are looking after the matter.

English farmers, who know it is against the law to use ferrets to drive out rabbits, place in the burrow a rubber hose with a tin horn on the end inserted. Then they blow the horn, and bunny comes out in quick order.

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Yours sincerely,
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Always Cure Female Weakness.

LYING PAMPHLETS.

The Northern Pacific Railway Folders Inimical to Canadian Interests. —A B.C. Protest.

Vancouver, Jan. 18.—Comment is being made by the merchants of Vancouver and Victoria on United States pamphlets being distributed detrimental to the Canadian outfitting trade, particularly to one recently issued by the Northern Pacific Railway, entitled "Key to Klondike."

The local press commented on the matter and it is likely to be taken up by the Vancouver and Victoria Boards of Trade. The Northern Pacific folder referred to strongly recommends outfitting in the United States. As a matter of fact the miner saves from 12 to 40 per cent. by outfitting in either Victoria or Vancouver.

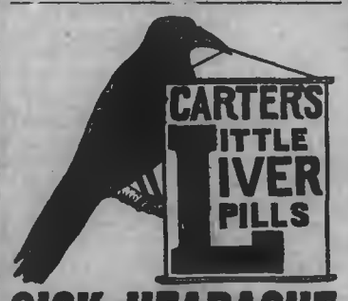
The very marked absence of any reference to Victoria and Vancouver as the chief points of departure for the Canadian gold fields in the folder is strongly commented upon, and it is thought that, in view of the wide distribution of this misleading Northern Pacific publication, the Boards of Trade of the two Canadian coast cities will take joint action in calling attention, not only to the saving to be made in purchasing in Canada, but to the advantages in starting from Vancouver or Victoria, from which steamers sail regularly, and where accurate information can be obtained from Government officials as to the regulations under which the Canadian gold fields are administered. Such information can only be correctly and fully obtained in Canada, and a gold-seeker so posted need have no fear of detention and annoyance on reaching the confines of the Canadian Yukon by reason of his running counter to some regulation.

Vessel in the Storm's Clutches.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 17.—An unknown steamer, supposed to be the Parkmore (British), Captain Evans, from Avonmouth seventeen days, for Boston, is lying off this harbor, afraid to attempt to enter until morning, her cargo having shifted and her steering gear apparently being disabled. A snowstorm is setting in and this will render her position very dangerous.

Cleveland Music Hall Burned.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 17.—The Music Hall, which was built in 1885 at a cost of $60,000, was destroyed by fire.



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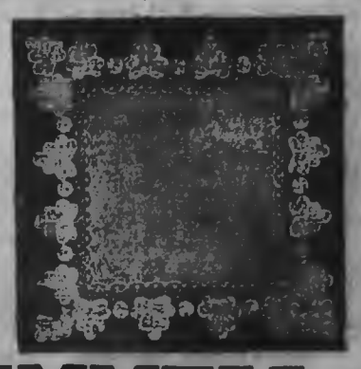
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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BENSFORT HEARD THE BOOM.

(Continued From Fifth Page.)

to a Conservative Government that ever lowered the expenditures. (Cheers.)

One of the items that had not decreased, however, was the most important, that of education. In 1897 we expended

FOR EDUCATION $719,815,

the year previous $702,569, and a gradual increase from 1893, when the total yearly expenditure for Education was $602,520. The most notable increases are in the grants to Public and Separate schools. The grant in 1872 was $204,750. This year the appropriation was $454,712, and the Poor School grants — a great boon to the new districts—had increased from year to year till it is now $50,000 a year. Altogether in the Province of Ontario over $1,200 a day was devoted to the public and separate schools.

The next most important department of public expenditure is that for the maintenance of our Public Institutions. The amount to be spent this year is $814,889, one-fourth of the gross revenue of the Province, an increase of $625,975 over the amount expended for these purposes at the time of Sanfield Macdonald. Had this expenditure remained stationary as it was under his Government there would have been a surplus *in this department* alone of over ten millions of dollars. And it must be remembered every dollar spent on these institutions represents the value of a dollar and no member of the Opposition has been, or is, able to demonstrate where extravagance exists, or to point to any country on the face of the globe where these unfortunates are better maintained and as cheap . (Cheers.) And it must also be remembered that the money thus spent, means a corresponding relief to the municipalities from which the inmates of our public institutions come. But for the provincial institutions these unfortunates would have to be maintained at much greater expense by the municipalities, or not maintained at all, which would be a disgrace to Christian civilization.

The expenditure on colonization roads was a most defensible one and the only fault to be found with the Government was that the expenditure was not large enough. The older settled districts from their advanced condition receive large appropriations from the Government funds on service not extended to new districts and it was eminently proper that the remoter settlements

SHOULD RECEIVE ASSISTANCE

in the way of grants for colonization roads, for which the average annual grant is about $90,000. This expenditure was not only a benefit to the new townships, but to the towns to which colonization roads gives access.

Another branch of the policy of the Government of Ontario has been the lightening of the burdens of the taxpayer.

Of the 89 millions expended by the Government in the past twenty-five years, almost one-half over forty-three millions has consisted of money returned to the people in a way that directly lessened local taxation. These payments were for the following services: Education, $14,835,186; Agriculture and Arts, $3,471,715; Hospitals and Charities, $2,768,988; Asylums, $15,430,078; Administration of Justice, $3,694,504, Colonization Roads, $2,808,097.

All these sums represented the amounts that were actually expended for the

LESSENING OF LOCAL TAXATION,

and did not include the amount of the departmental and legislative expense connected with their administration.

To show to what extent the County of Peterborough had participated in this distribution, it was mentioned that for aid to railways the Province had paid $77,620. Under Municipal Loan Fund distribution, $49,208; public works and improvements, dams, locks, slides, piers, etc., $52,000; Agricultural Societies, Mechanics' and Farmers' Institutes, $53,815; for patients, from town and county, maintained in asylums, $120,688; for prisoners from town and county in Central Prison, $10,440; Reformatory for Boys, $12,327; Deaf and Dumb, $12,000; Administration of Justice, $42,702; Colonization Roads, $116,685; the Nicholls Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital and Protestant Home have received $20,571; Public and Separate Schools, $113,918; High Schools, $60,483, altogether totalling the large sum of $752,511, all paid by the Provincial Government to the County of Peterborough for the lessening of direct taxation. Thus was afforded local illustration of one feature of the Government's policy, that of lessening the burdens of the municipal taxpayers. (Cheers.)

Mr. Stratton fully dealt with the "piggery" issue, but it is necessary to hold over a report of his remarks for a future issue.

At the conclusion of his effective address, which was listened to with the greatest attention and favoured with frequent demonstrations of approval, Mr. Stratton resumed his seat amidst enthusiastic applause.

Mr. Stratton addresses the workers and his supporters in the committee rooms tonight, and to-morrow night he addresses the electors at Bailliboro.

After a vote of thanks to the chairman, three cheers for the Queen, and three rousing cheers for Mr. Stratton were given, and the meeting dispersed.

Last night's meeting at Bensfort struck the key note of victory that will sweep from Rice Lake to Cavendish, resulting in the triumphal return of Mr. Stratton for another term as a supporter of the best administration ever enjoyed by this or any other Province.

MUNICIPAL AUDITING IN ONTARIO.

The Necessity and Advantage—The Work of the Provincial Municipal Auditor.

The Legislature of Ontario passed an Act two Sessions ago for the appointment of a municipal auditor for the Province who is charged with the duty of investigating the financial affairs of the various municipalities of Ontario. He is at the call of any corporation to give advice on its book-keeping, etc., and, under certain conditions can be appealed to by rate payers who suspect irregularities. His first report has just been presented. He found irregularities in three places, in only two of which there was manifest fraud, the third being simply defective book-keeping. These places were County of Simcoe, County of Frontenac, and town of Niagara Falls.

Investigations were also held in the town of Niagara, the townships of Manvers, Roxborough, St. Joseph and Ridgetown Collegiate. "A great deal of my time," says the auditor, "has been taken up in the preparation of municipal cash books. These books are intended for villages, towns, townships, counties and cities under 15,000, and their use is compulsory.

"The bank account is fully displayed, and there is a column for each important class of receipts and disbursements. On the first of every month the balance should be struck and carried forward to the next, and if a monthly extract is insisted upon by the municipality, as should be done in every case, a fraudulent entry should be detected at once."

The auditor suggests some changes in the present law, as follows:—

(a) All municipalities should have the same privileges as towns and cities, that is, of appointing one skilled auditor.

(b) Auditors should be compelled to have a stamp, to be used when passing accounts.

(c) Auditors should be appointed in November or December.

JUDGING COMPLETED AT THE DOG SHOW.

BUT THE PRIZES HAVE NOT ALL BEEN AWARDED FOR POULTRY YET.

The Exhibition is Being Liberally Patronized by the Citizens—The Ladies Largely in Evidence—List of Prizes.

The judging at the Dog Show commenced at one o'clock yesterday afternoon, and in consequence there was a big crowd in the hall to witness the event. Messrs C. A. Stone and H. P. Mullens, of Toronto, each had a prize ring and divided the work of judging in the different classes. After finishing their work both expressed the opinion that Peterborough should be well satisfied with its first venture in the way of a Bench Show, as although the entry list was not as large as it would undoubtedly be next year, yet the high standard of the dogs shown was most pleasing to note, and argued well for the development of the different classes in the vicinity. The result of the judging was as follows:—

Note—The prizes are awarded as follows: 1st $4.00, 2nd $2.00, 3rd $1 00. Very highly commended; highly commended; and commended. For the latter three the abbreviations of V. H. C., H. C. and C. are used.

CLASS 1.—MASTIFFS (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES.)

V H C Samuel Murce, Peterborough—Major, listed—breeder Alex Paton. Pedigree unknown. Age 6 years.

H C George Bradley, Peterborough——Rex, listed—breeder George Stevens. Pedigree unknown. Age 23 months.

CLASS 2—ST. BERNARDS (OPEN DOGS).

1 J R Coveney, Hastings—Buffalo Bill, C 4751—breeder F Russels, St Berno ex Lady Vivian. Age 2 years.

2 H A Bette, Kingston—Calderwood Rega, reg—breeder Mr Mahon. Jarl ex Readen Belle. Age 12 months.

3 Unique Kennels (Brown & Morrow, proprietors, Colborne, Ont)—Brownie, listed—breeder John Morrow. Scotch Bonivard ex Gipsy Queen. Age 2 years.

V H C Philip Hart, Belleville—Plinlimmon III C K C 4454—Breeders Hub Kennels, Boston. Imperator ex Rose. Age 3 years.

H C P Elmhirst, Hastings—Rosco, listed—breeder F G Russels. St Berneo ex Lady Vivan. Age 11 months.

C Thos J Tilly, Port Hope—The Abbot, C 1455—owner breeder. Scotch Bonivard II ex Lady Melrose. Age 2 years.

C Wm Stockdale, Peterborough—Lord Bute, listed—breeder Dr Maher. Canada's Bismarck ex Parkie' Age 11 months.

CLASS 3—ST. BERNARDS (OPAN BITCHES.)

1 Thos J Tilly, (Monastery Kennels, Port Hope)—Lady Aberdeen, C 4444—breeder H K Smith. Scotch Bonivard ex Queen Bess. Age 3 years.

2 H G Charlesworth, Toronto—Lady Macbeth, C K C, 4081—breeder Wm Williams. Refuge ex Nora.

V H C E H White, Peterborough—Lady Dell, reg 4467—breeder Frank Reynolds. Scotch Berno ex Lady Vivian. Age 11 months.

V H C Wm Head, Peterborough—Queen Brock, listed—breeder W Head. Maximilian ex Brock. Age unknown.

CLASS 4—GREAT DANES (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES.

1 Hugh C Nickle, Kingston—Earle Hannibal, reg 3947—breeder Jas Laurasce. Earl of Wurtemburg ex Kelpie. Age 2½ years.

CLASS 5—GREYHOUNDS (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES.)

1 Jas Baptie, Peterborough—Jerry, listed—breeder Wm Gould. Pedigree unknown. Age 2 years.

2 P J Lee, Hastings, (J B Coveny, agent)—Maud, listed—breeder—Jos Carter. Pedigree unknown. Age 18½ months.

CLASS 6—FOXHOUNDS (OPEN DOGS.)

Special of a pipe, presented by Messrs Talbot for best dog or bitch owned in County of Peterborough.

1 D J Robinson, Toronto—Hanks Ringwood, C 4450—breeder Wm McCutchien. Hanlon ex Bess. Age 2 years.

2 H Burdett, town—Piper, listed—breeder H Winch, Piper ex Music. Age 1 year 9 months.

2 John Clancy, town—Tippo C, listed—breeder John Stenger. Nip ex Dido. Age 3 years, 9 months.

V H C A Corcoran, town—Mike Bryan, listed—breeder, owner. Spot ex Music. Age 10 months.

H C Wm Snowden, town—Boxter, listed—breeder, T Rutherford. Nipps ex Sally Ann. Age 4 years.

C John Watt, town—Mack, listed—breeder, Jas McKenzie. Millies ex Nell. Age 1 year 9 months.

CLASS 8—BEAGLES (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES).

1 H C Winch, town—Sally, listed—breeder, Fred E Bullard. Jay Lee ex Bess. Aged 9 months.

2 F Bradburn, town—Count Anthony, listed—breeder George Thomas. Sire and dam UNKNOWN. Age unknown.

CLASS 10—SETTERS, IRISH (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES).

1 Douglas & Chambers, Toronto—Bleaney, reg 3741—breeder, Robert White. Elmo ex Kerry Gow. Age 5 years.

2 Douglas & Chambers, Toronto—Toronto Rose, listed—breeder, James Douglas. Toronto Bleaney ex Irene. Age 2 years.

3 Walter Head, town—Anele Rooney, listed—breeder, Mr Jones. Age, pedigree unknown.

CLASS 11—SPANIELS, COCKERS, BLACK (OPEN DOGS).

1 H G Charlesworth, Toronto—Sambo, reg 4034—breeder, John E Weston. Little Lad ex Dolly W. Age 4 years.

2 Miss F M Atwood, Lakefield—Terence, listed—breeder and pedigree unknown. Age 4 years.

(B. Shortly donates special of Dog Collar for best Cocker owned in Peterborough)

CLASS 12—SPANIELS, COCKERS (OPEN BITCHES).

1 H G Charlesworth, Toronto—Miss Peggy, listed—breeder, John E Weston, Champion Black Dufferin ex Bella W. Age 3 years.

2 Wm Douglas, Toronto—A Queen of Spades, reg 314—breeder and pedigree unknown. Age 18 months.

3 Bert D Jones, town—Little Jet, reg 4057—breeder H Parker Thomas. Gip Obo ex Qiena. Age 3 years.

CLASS 13—SPANIELS, COCKERS, ANY COLOUR (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES.)

1 H G Charlesworth, Toronto—Nugget, listed—breeder owner. Black Graf ex Nadgy. Age 6 years.

2 Robert Sears (C Y Ford, agent,) Kingston—Robertson Rufus, listed—Champion Red Obo ex Black Daisy.

3 H G Charlesworth, Toronto—Judith, reg. 4190—breeder owner. Champion Red Obo ex Beauty. Age 2 years.

V H C Unique Kennels, Colborne — Lady Hebe, listed—breeder T J Tilly. Champion Red Obo ex Vic Obo. Age 11 months. V H C Toronto, 1897.

H C Thomas Warren, town—Nellie Warren, listed—breeder and pedigree unknown. Age 6 years.

CLASS 14—SPANIELS, ANY VARIETY (OVER 28 LBS. DOGS.)

Specials: S Ray, Esq. donates pipe for best spaniel owned in Peterborough, any variety other than Cocker. "Friend of the Breed" donates special $5 for best Field Spaniel.

1 C T Mead, Toronto—Woolton Wonder, reg. 4122—breeder F W Morris. Marvel ex Langside Thyra. Age 4 years and 8 months. Winnings: 1st Toronto '96, Kingston '96, Boston '97, New York '97.

2C Also S Ray's special. W Buchanan, town—Jaco, listed—breeder owner. Spot ex Dolly. Age 7 months.

CLASS 15—SPANIELS, ANY VARIETY (OVER 28 LBS BITCHES.)

1 C T Mead, Toronto—Woolton Dagman, reg. 4123—breeder T Morrison. Trumpington Dash ex Trumpington Meg. Age 2 years and 8 months. 1st Toronto '96, 1st New York '97.

CLASS 16—FOX TERRIERS, WIREHAIR (OPEN DOGS.)

Special $5 presented by H P Mullens, Esq. for best team of Four Wirehaired Fox Terriers owned by one exhibitor. Special $2 presented by Society for best Wirehaired Bitch Puppy.

1 Also H P Mullen's special. A A MacDonald, Toronto—Pilly Bragg, listed—breeder C Y Ford. Aldon Quester ex Extra Special. Age 8 months.

2 Robert H Fairweather, town—Patsy O'Hara listed—breeder Mr. Maybee. Captain ex Nelly. Age 1 year 10 months.

H C Robert H Fairweather, town—Kiss Larry, listed breeder Mr Maybee. Captain ex Nelly. Age 13 months.

CLASS 17—FOX TERRIERS, WIREHAIR, (OPEN BITCHES.)

1 and Society's special—A A Macdonald, Toronto—Aldon Equal, listed, breeder owner. Aldon Quester ex Aldon Dahlia. Age 9 months.

2 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Wellingboro Raptere, listed. Breeder, E Bertie. Wellingboro Clinker ex Nettie. Age 1 yr 8 mos.

3 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Aldon Dahlia, 2647. Breeder, Thos Whithey. Carlisle Cribber ex Carlisle Gipsey. Age 4 years.

V H C—Wm Carnew, Belleville—Elmwood Kennels Tough, reg 4079. Breeder, H Parker Thomas. Cambridge Regal ex Lil Taylor. Age 2 years 10 months.

CLASS 18—FOX TERRIERS, SMOOTH, (OPEN DOGS)

1 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Aldon Proctor, listed, breeder owner. Warren Safeguard ex Venops, age 7 months.

2 Wm Carnew, Elmwood Kennels, Belleville—Eclipse Tartar, listed. Breeder Henry Hayhurst. Apology ex Longface Beauty, age 3 years 8 months.

3 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Von Volt, reg 3953. Breeder, R Vicary. Vic a Vic ex Vitelle.

V H C—Francis H Macnee, Kingston—Belvoir Jim, listed. Breeder, Richrad Gibson. Stardeus King ex Pelvoir Becky.

CLASS 19—FOX TERRIERS, SMOOTH, (OPEN BITCHES.

1 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Aldon Radiance, listed. Breeder C McCormack. Van Volt ex Warren Spruce. Age 1 year 10 months.

2 Wm Carnew, Elmwood Kennels, Belleville—Eclipse Blanche, listed. Breeder, Norman McWatt. Breeder ex Bodford Birch. Age 2 years 9 months.

3 A A Macdonald, Toronto—Aldon Alice, listed. Breeder B Tripp. Aldon Quester ex Aldon Sparkle: Age 13 months.

H C—Wm Carnew, Elmwood Kennels, Belleville—Miss Dominie, listed. Breeder George Raper. Baby Domino ex Richmond Jessmine. Age unknown

C also Mr Clegg's special—Jas Head, town. Beaut, listed, breeder Dr King. Pedigree unknown age 1½ years.

C—Alex W Patterson, town—Patterson's Queen, listed. Breeder John Fowler. Age and pedigree unknown.

CLASS 20—DACHSHUNDS, ANY COLOUR (DOGS)

1 D C James, town—Spitz, listed—breeder G N Ryan. Spice ex Brantford Age 2 years and 9 months.

1 B R Poole, V S—Policeman, C 4236 (Imported)—breeder J Connell, Scotland. Police Constable ex Rifle Langley. Age 2 years and 7 months.

CLASS 21—DACHSHUNDS, ANY COLOUR (OPEN BITCHES.)

1 B R Poole, V S, town—Mavis Clare, listed—owner breeder. Policeman ex Sylvia. Age 24 months.

2 D C James, town—Bunny, listed—breeder R Koenigbaur. Ager ex Fanny. Age 13 months.

CLASS 2—COLLIES (OPEN DOGS).

1 Also Mr Walker's special prize. C Y Ford, Kingston—Otterburn Conqueror, listed—breeder ——— Rosendale Doc ex Winfield Daisy. 2 firsts and special in Scotland. Age 8 months.

2 C B McAllister, town—Mephis, C 4343—breeder R Dunning. Aighourth Mill tream ex Bronlow Hill collie. Age 4 years.

3 C B McAllister, town—Orphan Boy, listed—breeder and pedigree unknown. Age 6 months.

V H C W H Moore, town—Mountain Chief, C 4462—breeder D Watson. Cliverbrook Ralph ex Bennacord Rose. Age 7 1-2 months.

H C Also Mr Nugent's special. Miss Boucher, town—Laddie, listed breeder Mr Sharper. Pedigree unknown.

C Robert McEwen, (Holyrood Kennels) Byron—Holyrood Major, listed — breeder owner. Imported Imperator ex Holyrood Thistle. Age 10 months.

CLASS 23—COLLIES (OPEN BITCHES).

1 C Y Ford, Kingston—Otterburn Marcella, listed—breeder Henry Jarrett. Wallesbourne Charlie ex Carmen II. Age 1 year and 9 months. 2nd and specials Toronto, 1897.

2 E H White town—Blink Bonnie, reg 4459—breeder, C B McAllister. Brashead Chrise ex Young Lassie. Age 11 months.

3 Joseph Reid, Montreal—Rose Blossom, listed—breeder, owner. Brashead Chrise ex Peach Blossom. Age 13 months.

V H C, C B McAllister, town—Grass Widow, listed—breeder and pedigree unknown. Age 2 years.

C, J Fred Davidson, town—Swan, reg—breeder, A Elliott. Charlie ex Jessie. Age 3 years and 9 months.

CLASS 24—BULL TERRIERS (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES).

1 Sidney Britcher, Montreal—Newmarket Flyer, reg 4443—breeder, Wesley Mills. Champion Little Flyer ex Newmarket Syren. 2nd Toronto, 1896. Age 15 months.

2 Sidney Britcher—Newmarket Lassie, reg C4190—breeder, Wesley Mills. Champion Little Flyer ex Newmarket Syren. Age 3 years. 1st Toronto K C Show, 1896.

CLASS 25—PUGS (OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES).

1 C Y Ford, Kingston—Challenge Otterburn Pearlie listed—breeder, Mr Duvernet. Champion Otterburn Treasure ex Champion Otterburn Pearl. 15 firsts and specials. Age 2 years, 3 months.

2 C Y Ford, Kingston—Champion Otterburn Treasurer, listed—breeder, owner. Andy Dee Champion Otterburn Pearl. Winnings, 25 firsts, medals and cups. Age 3 years, 4 months.

3 C Y Ford, Kingston—Champion Otterburn Pearl reg—breeder, Mr Dunn. Dundee ex Lady Clyde. 25 firsts and specials. Age 5 years, 8 months.

(Special $4 00 presented by Geo Gooderham, Esq., for best brace of pugs owned by one exhibitor)

CLASS 26—TERRIERS (ANY VARIETY NOT CLASSIFIED), OPEN DOGS.

Macfarlane Wilson, Esq., donates a Pair Vases for best Scotch Terrier owned in Peterborough.

1 W P Fraser Toronto—S Clair Don (Scotch Terrier—breeders, Messrs Kinneer & Herd. Champ Rascal ex Belle III. Reg age 4 years.

2 H Parker Thomas, Belleville—Nutcracks Mate (Irish Terrier), listed—breeder unknown. Merle Guy ex Merle Guess. Age 4 years and 9 months. Winnings, 1st and special, Newcastle, England; 1st, Sheldon; 1st, Durham County Show, South Shield, beating Treasurer, holder of sixty guinea challenge cup and numerous others. Price $500.

3 G W Hatton, town—Bijou, (Manchester Terrier), listed—breeder, G N Graham. Sire, Stadaconna ex Nancy. Age 2 years.

V H C Alex Gibson, town—Gibson's Tip, (Yorkshire Terrier) listed, Age, breeder and pedigree unknown.

Unique Kennels (Colborne)—Barney (Irish Terrier), listed—breeder, R A Gravely. Commissariat ex Bessie G. Age 3 years.

CLASS 27—TERRIERS, ANY VARIETY NOT CLASSIFIED, (BITCHES.)

1 W P Fraser, Toronto—Highland Fling, (Scotch Terrier)—breeder, W L Crawford. Lovat ex Highland Lassie. Reg age 2 years.

2 G W Hatton, town—Fly, (Manchester Terrier), listed—breeder, G N Graham. Stadaconna ex Nancy. Age 1 year and 8 months.

CLASS 28—MISCELLANEOUS CLASS.

For any recognized breed of dogs for which a class has not been provided.

Special of $4 presented by A A MacDonald, Esq. for best Gordon Setter dog or bitch.

1 Also A A MacDonald's special. Stone & Brealy, Toronto—Forest Boy, (Gordon Setter) listed.

2 Unique Kennels, Colborne—Victor Hugo (English Bloodhound), listed—breeder, Dr C A Leggett. Champion Simon de Sudbury ex Champion Kaween. Age 17 months.

3 Also Mr Nugent's special. Mrs W G Sims, town—Punch (Pomeranian), listed—breeder, H F Baker. Trab ex Judy. Age 20 months.

CLASS 29—BULL DOGS, OPEN DOGS AND BITCHES.

1 Shirley Stewart, Toronto—Miss Malone, listed—breeder, H N Saunders. Dirty Toby ex Jane. Age 1 year and 6 months.

SPECIALS.

Gough Bros, donate a suit of clothes, value $30 to exhibitor making the most entries. R M Roy, Esq., donates photo, size 16x20 for finest dog on exhibition, any variety. Both won by A A MacDonald. Lady's Prize, John Nugent gives bottle of perfume for best dog, any variety, owned by a lady resident of Peterborough. Won by Miss Boucher and Mrs Sims (equal).

The judging in Poultry began yesterday and is being continued to-day. A number of very fine birds are on exhibition, which score so high as to make it difficult to decide on the winners. The local fanciers are more than holding up their end as against the outsiders.

The show will be open this evening until ten at night. Crowds are attending—the ladies being largely in the majority.

No dogs or birds can be removed until after ten o'clock to-morrow night.

BIBLE SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting of the Peterborough Branch to be Held on Feb. 2nd.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian church on Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, at 8 p.m.

The citizens of Peterborough will have an opportunity of hearing an address from an able preacher in the person of Rev. G. J. Cliff, who is recently from the Mother Country, and now resident in Toronto.

The different churches in town have kindly consented to make this union meeting a success, as it has been the custom heretofore for all congregations to unite on this occasion.

SHERIFF HALL, President. JAS. G. POTTER, Secretary.

THAT GOLD-HEADED CANE.

What Pathmaster on the Chemong Road Wins it?

All persons who have used the Chemong Road (Peterborough to Bridgenorth) for wheeling the past season are requested to send at once to Mr. H. S. Macdonald, druggist, Peterborough, a postal card containing their opinion as to which of the four pathmasters on the road is entitled to the gold-headed cane offered to the pathmaster who kept his beat in the best order.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson of Rochester, N. Y., are visiting the former's parents on Gilmour street.

Miss Retta Irwin, graduate of Nicholls Hospital Training School, left for Chicago Monday, intending to enter a large hospital for a post graduate course.

It is not generally known that Mr. T. Shepherd, who owns the George street school property, is the mayor of Orillia and a partner in the lumber business with Mr. Wm. Irwin, of town.

Mr. C. Y. Ford, of Kingston, is in town to write up the Dog Show for the Canadian Kennel Gazette. He has also a number of dogs on exhibition.

Mr. Wm. Carnew, one of Belleville's prominent barristers, is in town attending the dog show. He has a number of fox terriers and spaniels on exhibition.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

—The Thistle curlers meet to-morrow night to elect tankard skips.

—A large amount of interesting local news had to be held over to-day on account of pressure of matter.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

—The S. A. Supply Co., of London, are desirous of employing a number of families to do work at home for them. See their advertisement in our "Want" column. 2

—Anniversary services in connection with the Charlotte street Methodist Sunday school will be held on Sunday, Feb. 27th. On the following Monday a concert will be given, at which Miss Ethel Webb will appear.

ROCKDALE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Russel Purdy, of Regina, N.W.T. was the guest of Mr. F. Purdy and family on Monday of last week.

Mr. Albert Williamson, of Manitoba, and formerly a resident of Belmont, is around here now, renewing acquaintances.

Mr. Josh. McLaughlin, of Havelock, and Mr. Thomas Fraser, of Norwood, were out here on business Friday last.

Messrs. Finlay and Brethen, of Norwood, were out near here visiting their timber limits a few days ago.

Dr. Young, of Adolphustown, was the guest of Mrs. Young and family on Wednesday.

A new election is at hand, caused by the unseating of Deputy Reeve Seeney, and our local politicians are as usual talking and working for their respective men with more than ordinary interest.

Mr. D. J. Young, of Rush Point, made a business call here on Thursday.

Our Sunday School has closed for the winter, its place having been taken by prayer meetings held twice weekly.

Mr. Charles Tome, who resides in this vicinity and who has been suffering from consumption since last spring, is seriously ill at present.

Mr. Richardson, of Hastings, passed through here on Monday, buying hogs.

Miss M. Cornell, of Trenton, is visiting friends here.

Miss Mary Seeney spent a few days with friends in Havelock.

Cure Yourself of Rheumatism.

The application of Nerviline — nerve-pain cure—which possesses such marvellous power over all nerve pain, has proved a remarkable success in rheumatism and neuralgia. Nerviline acts on the nerves, soothes, then drives pain out and so gives relief. Try it and be convinced.

Fancy Goods and Novelties now opened up and in full display at MISS MELVILLE'S Fancy Goods Store.

Appropriate Decorations,

For all occasions, executed in an effective manner. Fancy coloured bunting, streamers, flags, mottoes, evergreens, etc., expertly arranged. Halls, homes, societies, ball rooms, supper rooms, hotels, etc., dressed in the gayest effects. Special attention to wedding events, social functions, political meetings and other public gatherings. A. KINGSCOTTE, tent and awning manufacturer and decorator, 434 Water street.

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Life Destroying Croup Cured.

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Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a safe, sure and reliable worm expeller. Acts equally well on children or adults. Be sure you get Low's.

TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m.
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 4.30 p. m.
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m.

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m.
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 5 40 p. m.

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m.
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.05 p. m.

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.30 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.22 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11 35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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WILL ADDRESS THE ELECTORS OF

MONAGHAN

AS FOLLOWS:

BAILLIEBORO, on Thursday, Jan. 20th, at 7.30 p.m.

FRASERVILLE, Orange Hall, on Friday, Jan. 21st, at 7.30 p.m.

TOWN HALL, NORTH MONAGHAN, Monday, Jan. 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

PETERBOROUGH

Opera House, Peterborough, Thursday, Jan. 27th, at 7.30 p.m.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

R. W. BELL, M.D., *President.* G. M. ROGER, *Sec. W.P.L.A.*

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THE PREMIER IN SPLENDID FORM.

Our Exports Have Shown a Marvellous Expansion. Since Liberals Came Into Power—A Grand Record for 18 Months—Premier Hardy Also Holds His Own For Ontario.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Many and successful have been the banquets held under the auspices of the Young Men's Liberal Club of Toronto, and great speeches have been made at their banqueting table, but no more successful gathering has been held than that at the Rossin House last night under the presidency of Mr. R. J. Gibson, and no more interesting speeches made before the Young Liberals than those of Sir Richard Cartwright and the Premier of Ontario. The tone of the addresses proves that the national horizon is rapidly widening and that developments within the Arctic circle and in the far East, with which we would have had but a remote connection in pre-Confederation days, are now of importance to every Canadian, whether of the East or of the far West. The words "foreign policy" used by Mr. Bertram indicate that the days of localism are almost gone.

Sir Richard Cartwright made an exceedingly happy and inspiriting speech. He pointed with pardonable pride to the expansion of trade as an evidence that Liberal Government had been very far from the disastrous thing predicted by the Conservatives eighteen months ago. In the first year of Liberal rule the exports had increased from $109,915,000 to $128,983,000, an increase of fourteen millions, the greatest within a twelve-month within his knowledge. In the first five months of the present fiscal year the export of Canadian products had reached the great total of $74,896,000, another increase of fourteen millions, as compared with the same five months of last year. In all, therefore, Liberal rule had been accompanied—he did not pretend to say it was wholly due to Liberal rule—by the enormous expansion of twenty-eight millions in our exports within seventeen months. No wonder the tables trembled under the fists of the applauding Liberals. The record was one worthy of the tumultuous cheering with which the statement was greeted. In the latter part of his speech Sir Richard dealt with the problems of Klondike development and of the relations of Canada as a North American State to the empire. The greatest fact of the century politically was that two-thirds of the Anglo-Saxon race found their homes in the North American continent. To the sentiment that Anglo-Saxons north of the line were not prepared to barter their national existence for trade there was a splendid response, and this was no less marked when Sir Richard declared it to be the duty of Canadians to the Anglo-Saxon race to do everything possible to remove all prejudices and misunderstandings between the two great branches of the race. Behind the words of Sir Richard was unquestionably the thought that some day it may yet be possible to realize the dream of an Anglo-Saxon world-wide confederacy, guiding men onward to that day when the war drum beats no longer and the battle flags are furled.

His closing references to the coming provincial campaign, and the splendid record and reputation of the Government of Ontario, to its freedom from one speck of corruption, were received with the utmost enthusiasm.

Mr. Hardy was in magnificent form, and slashed away at the Opposition with splendid and characteristic vigor. The hollowness of the Opposition policy, or lack of policy, was shown, and how the lion-like roar of the Conservatives in the country had been changed to a donial in the House of the words attributed to them by their own journalistic friends. His praise of the excellent candidates coming forward for the first time to carry the standard of Liberalism in the campaign—not a few of them of historic name—was a graceful tribute to companions in arms, and will be appreciated by the gentlemen referred to. As to the date of dissolution the Premier was discreetly silent, but he warned his hearers that it would be soon.

To the right and left of the Chairman sat Sir Richard Cartwright and the Premier of Ontario; Mr. Warburton, the Premier of Prince Edward Island; George Bertram, M.P., James Innes, ex-M.P., J. S. Willison, W. Buckingham, G. E. Casey, M.P., President J. H. Mackenzie of the Reform Association, Alex. Wheeler, G. C Campbell, Hugh Blain.

AS EXPECTED.

The Denver Newspapers Win the Fight With the Departmentals.

Denver, Col., Jan. 20.—The boycott of the newspapers of Denver, begun ten days ago by fourteen department stores, was ended last night by the unconditional surrender of the stores. The stores made the demand that the papers reduce their advertising rates 50 per cent. or they would cease to advertise. The fight has stirred up the community greatly, the result being that the stores were almost forsaken by buyers, and the proprietors had to surrender or go out of the business. Labor unions held meeting after meeting to contrive plans to spread the agitation and keep the people away from the department stores.

At a late hour last night the newspaper offices were visited by a representative from each shop. They acknowledged that they were beaten, and would resume their advertising contracts as soon as arrangements could be made.

GRAVEYARD INSURANCE CASE

Is What the Poirier Tragedy at St. Scholastique, Quebec, Appears to Be.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 20.—At the trial of Mrs Poirier yesterday for complicity in the murder of her husband Cure Pinault testified that he had known of the illicit relations between Mrs. Poirier and Parslow, her paramour and accomplice, and had written to the deceased on the subject, whilst he was away in the States, and had received a reply from him, declining to accept his statements, because he knew his wife better than the priest did.

The greater part of the morning was occupied with evidence concerning the policies in the Standard Life, which Mrs. Poirier persuaded her husband to take out in her favor. Just before the last one was written, in September last, the prisoner enquired of the company's agent whether the policy would be paid if her husband died other than a natural death.

Agent Champagne answered that the company would pay the policy, but was surprised at receiving such a letter.

The next witness, Mr. Prosper la Chapelle, farmer, St. Canute, said: I met the prisoner a week before the crime was committed and was speaking with her. She spoke harshly of her husband and of his conduct, saying he was a drunkard and loafer. I was surprised. I had known Poirier for several years and considered him a good and honest man and thought they were living happily together.

After different questions had been answered the court adjourned until 10 this morning.

Penitentiary Convicts Flogged.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Contrary to what was given out yesterday, two of the ringleaders of the recent disturbance at the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary were flogged at that institution. Cardinal and Boudrias are the men who have already been punished, and it is said that a third, named Landry, will be whipped in a few days. Boudrias felt his punishment very keenly, but Cardinal began a quickstep as soon as the ordeal was over, and said he would not object to take as much more if they would give him a plug of tobacco. It is said that Mr. Foster, the acting warden, decided that discipline could not possibly be maintained unless an example was made of the leading rioters.

Fatal Slip of a Railroader.

Toronto Junction, Jan. 20.—It was just three weeks ago yesterday that the marriage of Florence Ada Pepplatt to William Field took place. To-day the bride of three weeks ago is a widow, and the sympathy of the populace goes out toward her. Mr. Field was a brakesman on the C.P.R., and yesterday morning about 4 o'clock, as the train was pulling out of Claremont station, he was walking on the top of the cars towards the engine, when he accidentally slipped on the frosty roof and fell to the track between the cars. He was instantly killed, and the body was greatly mutilated, about 19 cars passing over him. The remains were brought to the Junction.

Casselman District Fire Sufferers.

Casselman, Jan. 20.—Dr. Hurdman, who was appointed by the Ontario Government to give free attendance and medicine in the fire district, states that most of the sufferers have now been housed and are not suffering as much as was anticipated from the rigors of winter. The health of the inhabitants of the desolated district is good. Though large sums have been granted and expended, the advent of spring and the necessity of plowing and seeding will make additional help necessary.

Canadian Boy in Trouble.

New York, Jan. 20.—Recorder Goff in court yesterday declined to send to the Elmira Reformatory Ernest Corser, a young Canadian, who pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the second degree, in stealing $48. The recorder said that boys were frequently detained there for a much longer period than a court would think of fixing sentence. He therefore sent Corser to the penitentiary for three months.

A Bad Showing.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—The creditors of the Army & Navy Clothing Co. met yesterday at the office of Assignee Henderson, Front street. The hypothecation of goods to the value of $22,019, on which $18,255 was advanced, caused some discussion. The statement shows total liabilities of $104,751 and assets of $56,073. The following gentlemen were appointed inspectors: Messrs. George Kerr, W. Francis, Edward Still, M. McKenzie and N. Garland.

WESTERN DAIRYMEN.

Opening of the Annual Convention at London.

BUTTER AND CHEESE COALITION.

President McLaren's Reference to the Amalgamation—The President's Report Also Sketches the Progress Made During the Year—His Appreciative Eulogy of the Dairy Cow.

London, Jan. 20.—The annual convention of the Butter and Cheese Association of Western Ontario began in the Grand Opera House here yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance of delegates from the western section of the province, together with prominent visitors from other parts.

The President's Address.

The President, Mr. A. F. MacLaren, M.P., of Stratford, read his annual address. He traced the history of the association in an interesting way since its inception in 1868, when the first meeting was held in Ingersoll. During all the years since elapsed, the great cheese industry had gone forward with leaps and bounds. He felt that a good work had been done in joining hands with the Butter Association. It was marvellous to note how many cheese factories had been recently converted into creameries for the purpose of making butter during the winter months; and the time had arrived when good combination men were needed. Every cheese maker should also learn how to make butter and make it properly. He praised Messrs. Clark, Morrison and Miller, and referred in severe terms to those factories who neglected to employ an inspector. Buttermaking Inspector Sprague had also done good work.

If the association was to keep pace with the times more instructors must be employed, at least ten for cheese and ten for butter. The Government had been assisting them liberally, and a fee of 25 cents a year from each factory would enable them to employ more instructors. The Legislature should invest the association with authority to empower instructors to act as health officers, as some of the factories are in a very filthy and deplorable condition.

He warned the association that the other provinces, as well as the United States and New Zealand, are watching them closely and pushing very hard to achieve a similar position in the markets of the world. There must be no idling and going to sleep. To-day our chances were greater than ever. Education had accomplished much, and yet people asked what use were dairy conventions and so on. Dairy farmers should learn from their neighbors, should visit the best dairy farms in America, and act accordingly. The cow should be treated almost as well as if she were one of the family.

The president dealt with better methods of boxing cheese. The cracking of cheese could readily be overcome, with proper care. Cheeses were often hauled to the railway in rain and mud. If dairymen would think for one moment of what a Klondike the Grand Old Cow and the dairy business would be to them if handled properly, he had no doubt there would speedily be a great improvement. Concluding, the president warned dairymen against allowing cows to eat turnips, drink impure water, go without salt, eat apples or refuse from cider mills, rape or rye, be abused, whipped, run by dogs or excited, allowing milkers to milk with dirty hands, or cheese-makers to buy second-hand supplies. He also urged care in packing of cheese and gave many other useful suggestions.

Directors' and Treasurer's Reports.

The directors' report was also presented by the president, dealing in detail with the doings of the past year.

Secretary-Treasurer Geo. Hately of Brantford read his annual statement of receipts and disbursements. Receipts totalled $5,831.38, the expense being $5,553.90, leaving a balance of $277.48.

Among the prominent visitors already here are: Prof. Shutt of Kingston, Prof. Robertson of Ottawa, Mr. D. Derbyshire of Brockville, President of the Eastern Association; Mr. Nelson Bruzelle of Cowansville, Que., Mr. McAllaster of Michigan, and Prof. Drummond of Kilmarnock Dairy School, Scotland.

The Evening Session.

At the evening session Mayor Wilson read an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens of London. C. C. James, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, and D. Derbyshire were the principal speakers at the meeting last night.

DID FARMER BROWN SUICIDE?

Detective Murray Working on a Case Up in Huron County.

Blyth, Ont., Jan. 20.—James Brown, a well-to-do farmer of Hullett Township, was found hanging dead in his barn last July. It was looked upon as a case of suicide and little more was thought about it. A bruise on the temple, however, and some gossip as to the dead man having been jealous of Albert Haggitt, a hired man, whom he dismissed on the day of the tragedy, led to placing the case before the Provincial authorities, who sent Chief Detective Murray to look into the affair. After Brown's death Haggitt again went to work for the widow, who, when she got $1,000 insurance on her husband's life, sold the farm and went to live with her father. Haggitt lingered around the neighborhood until he heard that Detective Murray was coming; then he went to the States, and is there now. Whether the detective can work up a case which will involve Mrs. Brown and the hired man remains to be seen, but that appears to be the line intended.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. E. J. Lennox and daughter May, of Toronto, are spending a few days in town the guest of Mrs. J. McMillan.

Our reeve, Mr. H. G. Buck, is visiting Uncle Sam's domains this week.

Mr. A. R. Anderson is able to be out again.

Mr. G. C. Caskey, of Blairton, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Joseph Leahy, of Douro spent Sunday in town.

Miss Jennie Eaton, of Otonabee, is the guest of Miss May Eaton.

Miss Wood, of Cornwall, is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Cummings.

Miss Ella O'Keefe is attending the Normal School at Ottawa.

A new directory has been placed on the Public Library table.

Don't forget the concert in the town hall on Friday evening, to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church. It will be the treat of the season.

One of our old school boys, Mr. D. M. Hunter, who has been teaching in Westwood for some time past, was, on leaving, presented with a handsome purse, accompanied an address:—

Mr. D. M. Hunter:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We the members of the Epworth League and Sabbath School who have appreciated your kind assistance and sympathy with us in these societies, now return our sincere thanks to you and ask you to accept this token of our friendship and esteem. We all join in wishing you prosperity and many compliments of the season.

We also recommend you to all people as a loving friend and a servant of our Heavenly Father.

Signed on behalf of the M.L. and S.S.

G A L Humphries,
J B Comstock,
John Sargent,
J A Metcalf,
M W Cardwell.

The first masquerade carnival was fairly successful, a number having come from a distance. The costumes, not as many as usual, were fully up to the average. Prize winners:

Best dressed gentleman—Mr. J. Chandler.
" " boy—Roy McKelvie.
" " " (comic)—G. Boxburgh.
Best dressed lady—Miss Denno, Havelock.
Mile race—Mr. McGuire, Havelock.
Half mile (boys) H. Nicol,

The Norwood curlers are apparently not in the swim. On Thursday a Hastings rink came over and defeated Mr. Ashe's rink by a score of 16 to 12 in an eighteen end game. The players were—Hastings, Messrs. Fisher, Skye, Clary, Wigmore and N. Fowlds; Norwood, Messrs. Ashe, McKelvie, Finlay and L. McGregor.

Best dressed girl—Miss Ella Beckett.
Best dressed girl (comic)—Annie Beckett.

On Friday evening Campbellford sent over two rinks and again Norwood suffered defeat, the being Campbellford, 29; Norwood 20.

Three of our rinks go to Lakefield on Thursday.

Beside the matches with outside teams there has been a good deal of competition between the home rinks. On the 7th Messrs. Ashe and W. E. Roxburgh played, the former winning by eight points. Messrs. Patterson and Keefer played off, Mr. Patterson winning by 7 to 9 points.

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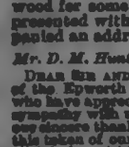

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On the 15th Mr. Ashe defeated Mr. Cummings by 4 points.

Rev. W. J. Welsh, of Brighton, was at the Methodist church on Sunday.

The congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held on the evening of the 26th.

LAKEFIELD.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. F. Mitchell, of Winnipeg, was the guest of T. Z. Webster last week.

Mr. Boyd, of Bobcaygeon, was in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. R. M. Eden, Mrs. Beatty, of Peterborough, and Miss Beatty, of Prince Albert were in the village on Tuesday visiting friends.

Misses Annie Paul, Ada Hall and Messrs. Wm. and Harry Sherwood were in the village on Sunday.

Mr. R. R. Rogers was in the village this week with the plans for high and swing bridge.

Mr. J. W. Garvin will address a meeting here on Friday evening.

Remember the carnival at the rink this (Thursday) evening.

Men's overcoats, ladies' jackets, and fur goods at special prices during R. Graham & Son's January sale.

Our hockey team defeated Millbrook Friday night. Score, 8—7.

Magistrate Edison tried a vagrant Tuesday, charged with having set fire to Mr. Jas. Sanderson's barn. He is an Italian and a tough looking specimen. His coat was burned, as if he had recently been in a fire. His shoes fitted the tracks leading from the burned barn to the road. He was remanded till Tuesday. His name is Carlos and as he could not speak English, an interpreter was procured.

R. Graham & Son are still continuing their January sale. Now is the time to secure bargains.

CHANDOS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The Municipal council held its first meeting of 1898, at Caldwell's School, on Monday 10th. Meeting opened at eleven a.m., when the following gentlemen took the necessary declaration of office as the council of 1898: John Mandgue, Reeve; (by acclamation) W. S. Rosebush, D. S. Campbell, John Bullied and John Hales, Councillors. After which the Clerk read minutes of last meeting, also applications from Wm. James, Aaron Post and C. S. Prouty for the office of Assessor. From Times Publishing Co., for the contract of municipal printing, supplies, etc., for 1898, for the sum of $23.00. From Wm. Tinney, for assistance to open a portion of the boundary between Chandos and Cardiff.

Moved by J. Hales seconded by D. S. Campbell, that A. Post be appointed assessor. Moved in amendment by J. Bullied, seconded by W. Rosebush that Chas. Prouty be appointed assessor. Reeve gave casting vote in favour of A. Post.

Moved by J. Hales, seconded by J. Bullied, that J. Manogue and W. Rosebush be a committee to confer with Coe Hill Board of Health as to the advisability of uniting with them in the matter of employing a Medical Health Officer.

On motion of Councillors Campbell and Rosebush, Wm. Tinney received grant of $5 on boundary between Cardiff and Chandos.

The following municipal officers were appointed: J. M. Ratcliff appointed, clerk; Alex. Trotter, re-appointed treasurer; C.S. Prouty and Jas Cleary, auditors; D. S. Campbell, M. Couche and H. Mix, Board of Health.

A bylaw for the appointment of the several officers passed its different readings.

Moved by J. Hales, seconded by W. Rosebush, that Stephen Scott receive an order for $5 roadwork ordered by council; also that Wm. James receive $1 for dry goods for Mrs. Tomlinson.

Moved by Councillors Campbell and Hales, that clerk receive an order for $9 to cover election expenses.

Moved by Councillors D. Campbell and Rosebush that A. Trotter receive $3.98 for postage account.

Moved by Councillors Rosebush and D. Campbell, that Dr. Caldwell receive an order for $20, being half of salary due from 1897 as Medical Health Officer.

Moved by Councillors Rosebush and Hales that clerk notify trustees of S. S. No. 5 that it is the opinion of this council that should they continue their school after Jan. 1, 1898, they (the trustees) will be liable for teacher's salary, etc.

Meeting then adjourned to meet at call of Reeve. Next meeting to be held at Foster's school house.

After serious illness Hood's Sarsaparilla has a wonderful building up power. It purifies the blood and restores perfect health.

HARVEY

Council Meeting.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Harvey council elect met at the town hall on January 10th, as provided by the Ontario statutes. The members made, subscribed and filed their several declarations of qualification and office with the clerk and took their seats at the council board. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. On motion a bylaw was passed re-appointing W. P. Chase and John Elliott as auditors for 1898. On motion a bylaw received the several readings re-appointing the clerk, treasurer, assessor and collector and passed. A bylaw was passed appointing health officers for 1898, viz.: A. G. Shearer, reeve (ex-officio), Jas. Cairnduff, clerk (ex-officio), John Smith, Samuel Guthrie, sen., and Jas. A. Purdy. C. E. Bonnell, M.D., was re-appointed medical health officer. On motion the reeve was instructed to attend the land sales for taxes in arrear, on behalf of the interests of the municipality. On motion W. T. Elliott was appointed to examine and sell the timber on the 16th concession line between lots nine. The following accounts were read and orders drawn on the treasurer for payment, viz.:—C. E. Bonnell, salary as medical health officer, 1897, $30.00; Lewis & Pearson, repairs on road scraper, per Adams, 75 cents; James Coons, deputy returning officer, expenses Poll No. 1, municipal election 1898, $5.00; H. A. Cairnduff, deputy returning officer, expenses Poll No. 2 and rent, 1898, $8.00; Nathaniel Pearson, rent of house Poll No. 3, municipal election, 1898, $3.00. On motion the council adjourned, to meet at the clerk's office on Monday, February 14th, 1898.

Yorkville Fire Station,
Toronto, March 3rd, 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Having used Dr. Chase's Pills for costiveness, I am very pleased to say that I consider them superior to any pill I ever used, as they have perfectly cured me of this trouble. Thos. J. Wallace Fireman.

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The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent, 360 George street.

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WHEAT FIRM.

Quiet as to Sales in Toronto, But Firm as to Price—Leading Grain Markets—Local Prices.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 19.

Cash wheat closed ⅝c lower in Chicago, at 91⅞c.

Liverpool wheat futures irregular. March closed ½d higher than yesterday, while May was ¼d lower and July ⅛d lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 91⅞	0 91¼
New York	1 01½	0 93
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 92	0 91¼
St. Louis	0 92½	0 94⅞
Toledo	0 91¼	0 93
Detroit	0 92½	0 92⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91¼	0 90⅝
Toronto, red	0 89	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The demand is fair, with prices unchanged. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.85, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market was quiet to-day, with sales of red winter at 81½c to 82c, north and west. Spring is quoted at 83c on Midland, and goose at 77½c. Manitoba No. 1 hard is quoted at 90c to 91c, Fort William, and is sold on the Midland at 88c.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 33c. No. 3 extra quoted at 29c to 29c and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 25½c for white and on Midland at 26c; mixed 25c west.

PEAS—The market continues firm, with prices ruling at 51c to 53c, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c west and 31c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 44c west and at 45c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm. Car lots quoted at 27c to 27½c west.

MEAL—The demand is fair, with sales at $7.50 to $7.75 west. Shorts sold at $10 to $12 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day were not so large, only 2000 bushels. Wheat firmer, 1000 bushels selling as follows: White at 84c to 85c, red 87½c to 88½c, and goose 77c. Rye firmer, 200 bushels brought 46½c to 47c. Barley firm at 31c to 34c for 1000 bushels. Oats firmer, selling at 29c to 29½c for 200 bushels. Peas firmer, 200 bushels were bought at 55c to 56½c.

Hay $7.50 to $9 per ton for 25 loads. Straw sold at $6 to $7 per ton for 5 loads.

Deliveries of dressed hogs were large and prices firm.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 3¾d for March, 7s 0¾d for May and 6s 10d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 2¾d for Feb., 3s 1½d for March, and 3s 1¾d for May and July. Flour 25s.

London—Close—Wheat on passage buyers and sellers apart. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, 37s 7½d. Maize on passage, buyers and sellers apart.

Paris—Close—Wheat 27f 75c for June. Flour firm at 50f 10c for March.

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I have been troubled for some years with urinary trouble. I could not hold my urine. Was constantly broken of my rest, as I had to get up six or eight times every night. I tried doctors and many remedies without getting any relief until one of my friends advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I felt relieved from the first box and six boxes completely cured me. I cannot thank you enough for the new lease of life and comfort your Dodd's Kidney Pills has given me.

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WOOD—The very best qualities carefully delivered at the following close prices:—

Long 4-foot Harwood	$3.50 to $4.00 per cord
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COAL—Lehigh, Plymouth Rock and Stranton. All Coal weighed on machine scales and certified by Market Clerk.

Egg Coal	$5.00 to $5.50 per ton
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— OF —

Of Valuable Freehold Property in the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF POWER of sale contained in a Mortgage in which default has been made and which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by John Haggart, Auctioneer, at the Morgan House Hotel, in the town of Peterborough, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following lands and premises, namely:—

Lot 16, north of Charlotte street and west of George street, in the said town of Peterborough.

There is erected on the premises a substantial red brick two story house.

The property will be offered subject to a reserved bid and subject also to a first mortgage for $1,500 and interest on the east half thereof, which said mortgage shall be assumed by the purchaser.

TERMS OF PAYMENT—Ten per cent. down at the time of sale and the balance within thirty days thereafter without interest.

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GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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License Inspector, East Peterborough

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WEST PETERBOROUGH.

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WILL ADDRESS THE ELECTORS OF

MONAGHAN

AS FOLLOWS:

BAILLIEBORO, on Thursday, Jan. 20th, at 7.30 p.m.

FRASERVILLE, Orange Hall, on Friday, Jan. 21st, at 7.30 p.m.

TOWN HALL, NORTH MONAGHAN, Monday, Jan. 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

SMITH

MIDDLETON'S SCHOOL HOUSE Smith, Tuesday Evening, Jan. 25th, at 7.30.

PETERBOROUGH

Opera House, Peterborough, Thursday, Jan. 27th, at 7.30 p.m.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

E. W. BELL, M.B., President. C. M. ROGER, Sec. W.P.L.A.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

A CLAIM ON CANADA.

Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's Speech at Bristol.

SUPPORT OF THE BRITISH NAVY.

The Granaries Proposal Ridiculed—England Has Plenty of Friends Ready to Supply Her With Corn—Illness of Mr. Gladstone—An Official Medical Statement—News by Cable.

London, Jan. 20.—Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Chancellor of the Exchequer, speaking at Bristol last evening, ridiculed the notion of providing granaries, as has been suggested in some quarters. He said he was convinced the British Navy was strong enough to hold its own, and in any war England would have many friends ready to supply corn.

Referring to the coming budget estimates he said these would show that the Government was fully alive to keeping up the standard of the army and navy; though, he declared, it was not creditable to Canada or fair to English taxpayers that such a colony should practically contribute nothing to the naval defences of the Empire. He hoped Canada would soon turn her attention to this matter, adding that he was convinced that if she did not, the day would come when she would have "a rude awakening which would be entirely her own fault."

In concluding his speech, the Chancellor of the Exchequer announced that China had approached England for assistance to pay the Japanese indemnity, and that the negotiations were still pending. The newspaper statements on the subject were erroneous and incomplete. The Government was pursuing the negotiations, and he believed the country would approve them. He could see no reason why foreign powers should object, but if the negotiations failed, Great Britain would take her stand on existing treaty rights.

Replying to a deputation of sugar refinery workmen that waited upon him yesterday, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach said the Government had readily accepted Belgium's invitation to a sugar conference and would do its best to secure a satisfactory result. He added that he believed the feeling of the country was so strong in favor of cheap sugar that any proposal to prevent the importation of bounty-paid sugar would meet with the greatest opposition.

MR. GLADSTONE'S HEALTH.

A Report That He Was Seriously Ill at Cannes Caused Excitement.

London, Jan. 29.—The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon made the following announcement in big type:

"With deep regret we learn on most excellent authority that Mr. Gladstone's health causes the gravest anxiety to those about him. His sojourn at Cannes has not had the effect of fortifying his strength, as anticipated."

§ The news placard of the Pall Mall Gazette read:

"Critical Condition of Mr. Gladstone."

The announcement is causing much anxiety.

Mrs. Henry Gladstone, daughter-in-law of Mr. Gladstone and Mr. George Armistead, an intimate friend of the family, were interviewed during the afternoon regarding the state of Mr. Gladstone's health. They both said there was nothing in the latest information they had received to justify the alarmist reports. Mr. Gladstone is suffering from a return of his neuralgia; but a letter received yesterday morning said he was better, and that his physicians were satisfied with his progress towards recovery.

The publication of the Pall Mall Gazette report caused numbers of inquiries to be made at No. 4 Whitehall Court, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gladstone.

The Westminster Gazette, although minimizing the alarming reports concerning the health of Mr. Gladstone, is "constrained to admit the fact that Mr. Gladstone has suffered great pain most of the time he has been at Cannes, being unable to leave his sofa."

Continuing, the Westminster Gazette remarks: "So far as the vital organs are concerned, however, he is no worse. On the other hand, continuous pain in a man of Mr. Gladstone's age is undoubtedly a symptom to cause anxiety."

Fairly Satisfactory.

Cannes, South of France, Jan. 20.—The health of Mr. Gladstone is fairly satisfactory. He went out for a drive yesterday.

Official Medical Statement.

London, Jan. 20.—An official medical statement issued last night reasserts that there is no cause for alarm as to Mr. Gladstone's health, although it has not benefitted as much as had been hoped at Cannes. The facial neuralgic pains persist with daily fluctuations owing to the cold winds and wet weather, but the complaint is quite local. His physical powers have not suffered; his strength is good, his appetite excellent; he joins the family at meals and makes regular drives, weather permitting.

It is not true that the family has been summoned.

Will Open on Monday.

London, Jan. 20.—At yesterday's conference of the Federation of Master Engineers, called to consider the situation in view of the withdrawal of the 48 hours demand, it was resolved to re-open the works on Monday next, providing the union accept the conditions of management mutually adjusted by the recent Westminster conference.

Zola Will Fight It Out.

Paris, Jan. 20.—It is said that Emile Zola has already prepared his defense, and that he will call 250 witnesses, including handwriting experts, when he is tried for publicly accusing a number of French officials of perjury in connection with the Dreyfus proceedings.

Effect of the Light Sentence on Prince.

London, Jan. 20.—The widespread dissatisfaction caused by the light sentence upon Archer, alias Prince, the slayer of William Terriss, receives point in two cases mentioned in yesterday's newspapers. The first of them is the case of a former music hall performer who was arraigned in court and remanded upon the charge of waylaying the manager of the Tivoli Music Hall and threatening him with the fate that befell Terriss. In this instance the ex-performer made the same accusation against the manager that Prince did against Terriss, that of blackmailing him and preventing him from receiving assistance from the Music Hall Charity Committee.

The other case was that of a discharged coachman, who threatened the life of the lady who had dismissed him from her employ. In making his threats the coachman quoted the Terriss case, and declared that he was prepared to do as Prince had done and suffer for his act in the same way.

RUSSIA WANTS MANCHURIA.

Loan Not Settled Yet—Opening of Talien-Wan Causes the Friction.

Pekin, Jan. 20.—The Tsung-Li-Yamen (the Chinese Foreign Office) has had another conference on the subject of the loan, which is still unsettled. Besides the right to extend the Burmah Railroad through Yun-Nan Province, (the most southeasterly province of China), Great Britain asks the right to build railroads through the Province of See-Schuan (north of Yun-Nan) and a third treaty port is demanded, the indentity of which, no doubt, is Siang-Yin, situated just south of Sung-Ling Lake in the Province of Hu-Nan, which Japan proposed to open at the time of the Shimonoseki negotiations.

The proposed opening of the port of Talien-Wan (on the Liao-Tung peninsular, and north of Port Arthur, a position which would command the railroad connecting Port Arthur with the north and Manchuria) continues to be the chief difficulty, Russia desiring to keep the whole of Manchuria for herself. Neither power is willing to yield on this point, and the question is no longer a commercial one. It has become political.

Centurion at Nagasaki.

Yokohama, Jan. 20.—The British battleship Centurion, flagship of the British squadron in Chinese waters, has arrived at Nagasaki.

The organ of the Government reproaches Russia, Germany and France with following a selfish policy in the far East, and adds:

"Japan will avoid alliances; but she is prepared to act vigorously if necessary, for the maintenance of peace."

British Warships at Kiao-Chou.

London, Jan. 20.—The British Admiralty has just issued a list of the whereabouts of the warships of Great Britain in the far East. It shows that the first-class twin-screw armored cruiser Undaunted (of 5,000 tons, 8,500 horse power and 12 guns) and the twin-screw sloop Algerine (of 1,050 tons, 1,400 horse power and six guns) are at Kiao-Chou Bay.

Seven Lives Lost, It Is Feared.

Belfast, Jan. 20.—The British steamer Herbert, hailing from Leith, Scotland, has foundered on the County Down coast, about six miles from Quan Island. The captain was saved, but it is believed that the other members of the crew, numbering seven, are lost.

Anti-Hebrew Riot at Algiers.

Algiers, Jan. 20.—The students here engaged in a violent anti-Hebrew demonstration yesterday evening. They were dispersed by the police.

CANADIAN CURRENCY.

The Marquis of Lorne has accepted the position of honorary colonel of the 15th Battalion, Argyle Light Infantry, of Belleville, Ont.

Brant County Poultry Show opened yesterday at Brantford, with 700 birds and a good attendance.

The Provincial Y.M.C.A. Conference opened yesterday at Brantford, with a large number of delegates present.

At London Flagman George Booth, aged about 60, was struck by passenger train No. 63, due in Toronto at 12.10, and so badly injured that he died in two hours.

William Booth of Silver Lake, Ont., convicted of housebreaking and robbery, has been sentenced by County Magistrate Deacon of Lindsay, to a year and a half in the Central Prison.

The trial of Tom Nulty for the murder of his sisters and brother in Rawdon, Quebec, has been going on at Joliette for three days. No new evidence of importance has been brought out so far.

John E. Walters, an eccentric blacksmith of Stratford, tried to cut his throat, but was prevented. He is a bachelor, aged about 50, and had been acting strangely of late. He will likely recover.

Two Grand Trunk trains came together at Stoney Creek while shunting and caused considerable damage, but no loss of life. The telegraph operator had to jump out of the back window to save himself from injury. No one was hurt.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF AGONY.

Suffering Ended in a Few Weeks by the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; may remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

This story, with variations as to the disease, is told by hundreds in Petrolea. Dodd's Kidney Pills have not been known to fail once yet. Every case has been a cure.

Hopes Fulfilled.

The following letter tells what people think about Laxa-Liver Pills:

Dear Sirs,—I gladly testify to the virtues of Laxa-Liver Pills. I used to be troubled with severe headaches and constipation for a long time and took these pills hoping for a cure, and my hopes were rapidly fulfilled. I have found them a never-failing remedy, and heartily recommend them.

Signed, Miss L. Lawson, Moncton, N. B.

Shiloh's Cure

is sold on a guarantee, it cures Incipient Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure. Only one cent a dose. 25 cts., 50 cts., and $1.00. Sold by John Nugent, 389 George

Piles! Piles! Itchin Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. Swayne's Ointment stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia, Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

Shilon's Cure, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 386 George street.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

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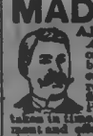

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LOCAL NEWS.

Baltimore Oysters "Spot Cash Grocery Co." Alex. Elliott's Old Stand.

Children's Aid Society.

The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held in the Council Chamber at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The public are cordially invited to attend.

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The class for Officers and Non-coms., which is being held in the drill shed under the instruction of Sgt.-Major Peters, is meeting with great success. Over thirty were in attendance on Tuesday evening last.

The Petrified Man.

This great scientific curiosity will be on exhibition for a few days in the premises lately occupied by the Sun Life Assurance Company, opposite the post office. Positively last chance to see this wonder, as it is to be shipped to Montreal and thence across the lines in a few days. Admission 10 and 15 cents. 5d

Obituary.

The death of Thomas Finn, aged 48 years, occurred Tuesday evening at his residence on Chamberlain street, where he lived with his sister, consumption being the cause of his demise. He was well known throughout the county, having acted in the capacity of school teacher in various parts of the county. The funeral took place this morning at nine o'clock to the Roman Catholic Cemetery.

Chase & Sanborn's delicious Coffee at reduced prices. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

Sons of Scotland.

The re-organization of the local camp of the Sons of Scotland, will take place on Friday evening, Jan. 21st, in the Sons of England hall, at 8 o'clock. Every Scotchman interested in the growth of the order is expected to be present, and will be cordially welcomed. Capt. D. M. Robertson, Grand Secretary, Toronto, will also be present and explain the objects of the order. The music at part of the proceedings will be a very interesting feature of the evening. Vocal solos will be rendered by Mr. G. W. Mulligan and others. Any further information may be obtained from Mr. Jas. Anderson, special Grand Organizer at the Snowden House. 2d

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A SPLENDID RALLY OF WORKERS.

MR. PETER HAMILTON CHAIRMAN.

Strong and Energetic Ward Committees Chosen—Rousing Address by Mr. Stratton—Other Speakers Address the Meeting—A Magnificent Beginning — Hundreds of Enthusiastic Workers in Harness for the Liberal Candidate — Manhood Registration Explained.

Without doubt the largest, most enthusiastic and most representative campaign organization meeting ever held in Peterborough, was held in Mr. Stratton's committee rooms, over Loch's fur store, last night, for the purposes of organizing for the coming election contest. The best workers mustered in strong force, and the spirit and confidence with which the contest is entered, coupled with a determination for energetic work, points to a most triumphant issue of the campaign. Organization was completed, and hundreds of zealous and experienced workers are now in harness, and making a united effort for the success of the Government candidate in West Peterborough.

A FEW SPEECHES.

Dr. Bell, President of the West Riding Reform Association, occupied the chair, and after expressing the pleasure it gave him to see so large a representation of the supporters of the Ontario Government present, said it was a forecast of success, and was especially encouraging when we had a candidate like Mr. Stratton, whose ability, zeal and energy had been worth a great deal to West Peterborough and to the Province. His ability and activity have placed him in the front rank of members of the House, and he has shown qualities as a debater and in executive ability that indicated that in case of a vacancy in the Cabinet he was the man to fill it, and he would do it worthily. (Cheers.) Dr. Bell referred to the duty of the meeting in the direction of obtaining a triumph. Each one should work with a sense of his individual responsibility for the success of the elections. We had heard something of the cry for a change. That would not be bad, if we needed a change, or if we could do better. But there's no chance of that with the present Opposition. If the Opposition got into the House and formed a Cabinet there would not be a single member who had any executive experience.

A voice—"There's no danger of their getting a chance."

Dr. Bell concluded by saying that he intended to go to work, and he hoped that every member of this large and influential meeting would do the same.

Mr. Stratton on rising to address the meeting, was enthusiastically applauded. He was very greatly encouraged by the splendid turn-out that had assembled on such short notice. The Legislature had been in session for seven weeks, and he had not had time to pay as much attention as he would wish to the affairs of the riding. He had returned at noon on Saturday, and had held his first meeting at Bensfort last night. It

WAS THE BEST MEETING

he had ever held in that township, and he knew that he had more votes in that part of the township than ever before, and that he would have a better majority than at the last election. It was very encouraging to start the campaign with such cheering prospects. It was very encouraging to receive so many assurances of support. He believed that his supporters had been honest towards him in their attitude, and he had endeavoured to deal honestly and openly with them. His opponents had shown their weakness by resorting to unworthy misrepresentations in dealing with himself and the record of the Government. Mr. Stratton said it was very gratifying that thirty years of government in Ontario could be looked back upon with so much pride. We had as a result of that thirty years of administration the best equipment of public buildings of any province or state on the continent, the best Parliament buildings, all built out of current revenue without a dollar of borrowed money or debt—without a dollar of debt and without a dollar of the public money gone astray. The legislation was up to the mark and in advance of any other civilized state in the world—a model to other countries. Our educational system was pronounced the best in the world—as the award of the judges at the Chicago Exposition, which gave our educational system the first, declared was the completest and best all-round system in the world. Our agricultural lands were peopled with a sturdy class of population. We should be proud of a government that could go to the country and say truthfully that it was all accomplished without a dollar of debt (cheers) and with a clear surplus of assets over liabilities of over five and a half millions of dollars, after having spent over 93 millions; this was a grand record, and we had to-day as good rulers as

HAD ACCOMPLISHED ALL THIS

and the present Government, which was a continuation of the past, had done its share. It was conspicuous for advanced legislation, up the latest requirements of the country and at the head of the Government was a minister, Hon. Mr. Hardy, specially equipped for all the needs of his position with a clear conception of what the country required with a full grasp of the situation that confronted a Government. Under these circumstances it was to be expected that the Government would command the confidence of the country to a very high degree, and that fact should encourage us in continuing boldly in the work of the West Riding campaign.

This meeting, they were aware, was for the purpose of organization, for electing chairmen for the town committees and selecting the committees with ward heads to work under their direction. Thus we should be ready for the fray. They were doubtless aware there had been a change in the law in regard to the registration of Manhood Franchise voters and he briefly explained that as soon as the writs were issued for the elections the Clerk of the House would notify all persons charged with the local duties of registration; in this case Judge Weller, County Judge; Mr. D. W. Dumble, Police Magistrate, and Mr. John Moloney, Clerk of the Crown, and they would appoint subordinate officials to assist in the registration and registration would be made for two days and one night up to ten o'clock. All young men not on the roll as voters at municipal elections and elections to the Legislative Assembly would be eligible for registration under the following conditions. They must be:

Twenty-one years of age.
British subjects.
Residents of the Province one year before the date of the election.
Residents of the town three months, and
Residents of the polling sub-division one month.

The procedure to be taken in the case of persons who were ill, of residents who who absent on temporary occupation, of students, etc., was referred to. These could be registered through the affidavits of those who knew the circumstances on behalf of those thus situated and legally entitled to register. Registration would take place within seven days after the issue of the writs, and there would be as many registration booths as was considered necessary for

EFFECTIVELY PERFORMING THE WORK.

In this connection the duty of the committees was pointed out and diligence urged. A man would be kept in the committee rooms during the day and evening to receive names.

It was, he concluded, extremely gratifying to see this exceedingly large representation and enthusiastic attendance of workers at the opening meeting of the campaign. He was greatly encouraged and deeply grateful for the warm interest thus manifested. He was pleased with this, for it would be necessary that he should leave considerable work to his friends. He was under engagement to address meeting in other ridings in East Peterborough, in Ontario and Victoria Counties.

As to the result of the contest in West Peterborough, he had no doubt—it was merely a question of majority. We should see, he firmly believed, a bigger vote for the Government candidate and a bigger majority than had ever been polled in the riding. Conservatives will feel that there were many prominent Conservatives in the riding whom they would have been glad to support, instead of being asked to pin their faith to a new and untried man. He had confidence in the friendly attitude of the workingmen. He thought they could put confidence in a Government that had put more law on the statute books in the interests of the workingman than any other Government he knew of.

Mr. Stratton, in concluding his remarks, was most enthusiastically applauded, one among many other evidences of the high place he held in the estimation of the very large gathering of workers present, and of their readiness to put up splendid work in pushing his candidature to triumphant success.

THE CHAIRMAN ELECTED.

Mr. Peter Hamilton was unanimously and enthusiastically elected chairman of committees for the town and Mr. Richard Hall, vice-chairman.

Mr. Hamilton, in accepting the position, said he did not expect to again occupy the chair. Mr. Stratton had asked him to take the chairmanship; he was a very busy man, but he felt that he was in a sense "the father of the boy (laughter,) and he could not refuse. When he first contemplated being a candidate Mr. Stratton had spoken to him (Mr. Hamilton) as to the wisdom of contesting this strong Conservative riding. He had not discouraged him and the result showed that Mr. Stratton had the stuff in him of which winners were made, and his successful political career had justified the confidence reposed in him twelve years ago. Everybody, Mr. Hamilton said, had an inherent sense of justice. He had many men employed who had served him faithfully, and his sense of justice led him to appreciate their friendly services, and to treat them in a spirit of friendly interest. Town councillors were very much complained of, but he believed that in the main they did their best for the town and the town should be grateful.

"If ever any riding," Mr. Hamilton said, "was under deep obligation to any representative, that riding was West Peterborough and that representative was Mr. J. R. Stratton." (Cheers.)

His services had been willingly and freely placed at the disposal of his constituents—he was as ready to befriend those who had opposed him as those who had helped him, and he did this cheerfully as a matter of right, and not as conferring any obligation. The riding of West Peterborough

OWED A DEBT OF GRATITUDE

to Mr. Stratton for the good services he had rendered the past twelve years. We sometimes forget what we owed to those who have done so much to help the town. He referred to Mr. Geo. A. Cox, who had reason to feel that what he had done to build up and advance Peterborough had not been as well appreciated as it might have been, and he believed if the people had it to do over again they would treat Mr. Cox and his services differently from what they had done. We should at least be just and fairly appreciate those who served us faithfully, especially those whose interests were in the town and who had shown that they were loyal to the town and county, and as willing as they were able to advance its interests. He would not say one word in disparagement of Mr. Garvin, but he felt the people would not show good judgment if they for a moment compared his claims for popular support with those of the present representative. Mr. Garvin had never done anything to show that he could do anything to advance the interests of the town. The town owed it as a duty to remember the services of a representative who had faithfully served its interests and had always cheerfully helped every good cause. He hoped the town would do itself justice by giving a liberal support to the man that has done so much and was able and willing to do so much for the town. Mr. Hamilton concluded his remarks by saying that if he were not present in the committee rooms every night it must not be thought that he was not

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EXHIBITORS DINED.

A Banquet at the Morgan House on Tuesday Evening Last.

The judges and exhibitors at the Poultry and Dog Show were dined Tuesday night at the Morgan House. President Cockburn occupied the chair and after full justice had been done the tempting spread the following toast list was presented:

The Queen.....The National Anthem
Song.....Geo Pratley
The Judges.....Messrs Stone, Mullens and Daniels
Song.....Jas Head
The Agricultural Interests.....Mr Gilbert, of Experimental Farm
Song.....Gerald Hayward
The Exhibitors..H G Charlesworth, Toronto; W R Knight, Bowmanville; G Y Ford, Kingston.
Sister Societies..Geo E Elliott, Edw Elliott and J Garbutt
The Secretary of the Dog Show.....Dr Poole
The Exhibition.....Harry Winch
The Ladies..Messrs Gilbert, Taylor and Hayward
Song.....Geo Pratley
The Army and Navy.....Capt Birdsall

During the evening Mr. Daniels, who is judging the poultry, stated that the hall was superior to any he had yet seen and that Peterborough should have no trouble in getting the Ontario Exhibition here next year.

Mr. Gilbert spoke to some length on the dressing of fowl for the market.

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MAY MOVE TO CORNWALL.

Negotiations are Being Made With the Toronto Rubber and Shoe Co. of Port Dalhousie—What is Peterborough Doing?

The appended despatch from Cornwall is taken from Wednesday morning's Montreal Star:—

"The advantages which Cornwall offers in the line of water power, and since the construction of the Ottawa & New York in railway facilities, have begun to attract the manufacturers all over the country. The town council are at present negotiating with the Toronto Rubber and Shoe Company, of Port Dalhousie, with a view to the removal of their factories to Cornwall. The company desires to obtain a site where they can enlarge their present business, and at the same time obtain a water power of 300 or 400 horse power. At present they employ some two hundred hands, to whom they pay on an average $6,000 a month in wages. A committee of the town council is now in communication with Mr. Jas. Robertson, the president of the company, and it is likely that he will visit Cornwall in the near future to inspect the site offered by the council. The committee is confident of being able to secure the approval of it, and expect to see the company remove here in the summer.

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BIRD AND DOG SHOW.

THIS IS THE LAST DAY.

EXHIBITION CLOSES AT TEN O'CLOCK THIS EVENING.

Grand Parade of Winning Dogs in the Prize Ring at Eight O'clock To-night—Notes of the Show.

The Poultry and Dog Show closes to-night at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Daniels concluded the judging of the poultry to-day and the prize tickets are all attached to the coops. The list will be published to-morrow.

Mr. F. J. Runnels, of Hastings, was up at the dog show to-day. Mr. Runnels is the breeder of Mr. J. P. Covey's grand St. Bernard, "Buffalo Bill," which was awarded first prize. Of this dog, which was never shown before, the judges say that he would certainly win at New York. Mr. Runnels still owns the dam of "Buffalo Bill," and has several other of his pups, which he thinks will be quite as good as "Buffalo Bill" when they are full grown. It is a great feather in his cap to win over the big breeders who exhibited. He received quite a few orders for pups whilst in the building.

Mr. Daniels, who is judging the poultry, is delighted with the exhibition made. In Asiatic classes he never saw finer birds shown in the Dominion. The light Brahmas exhibited by Mr. Isaac Dormer, of town, being unequalled in his remembrance. The black Minorcas, in the Mediterranean class, were also away above the average. In this connection it is pleasing to note that the winning strain all through

were bred by Mr. Harry Lush, of town. In the American class the Barred Rocks and Golden Wyandottes were also especially worthy of notice in the judges opinion, as were the bronze turkeys, geese, ducks and pigeons.

In chatting with Mr. Mullane, he said that local dog owners should not be in the least discouraged, if they did not receive prizes, as the winners were all dogs of the very highest standard. In the fox terriers Aldon Radiance and Aldon Sequel were shown in the smooth and wirehair varieties, and of course swept everything as they had just returned from New York, where they won from the cracks of America, the former being considered the best of her class in existence. In collies the winner of the recent Montreal dog show took first, but second and third went to Mr. McAllister of town. Mr. W. H. Moore's "Mountain Chief," took the V. H. C. diploma, and Miss Boucher's "Laddie" was highly commended. The first prize in collie bitches went to the winner at Montreal and other shows, whilst Mr. E. H. White of town took second. The V. H. C. went to Mr. McAllister's "Grass Widow," and J. Fred Davidson's "Swan" was commended. In the mastiffs, Mr. Samuel Monroe and Mr. George Pratley were both winners. Mr. Wm. Stockdale's St. Bernard dogs was commended. Mr. E. A. White's bitch took a V. H. C., as did Mr. Wm. Head's. There was a good deal of interest taken in the Fox hound class, Messrs. H. Burdett, John Clancy, A. Corcoran, Wm. Snowden and John Watt were all winners. H. C. Winch and F Bradburn took first and second in the bitches. Walter Head was a winner in Irish setters, as was Bert D. Jones in black cocker bitches. In the cookers of any other colour Thos. Warren's "Nellie" was highly commended and W. Buchanan's entry in field spaniels received favourable mention. Mr. R. H. Fairweather's entries got 3rd and H.C. In wirehair fox terriers and in smooth bitches Alex. Patterson's "Queen" was commended. D. C. James and Dr. Poole took 1st and 2nd in dachshund dogs, and in bitches the order was reversed. Dr. Poole getting first.

Mr. G. W. Hatton's Manchester Terrier was awarded third prize in the miscellaneous terriers, and Mr. Alex. Gibson's Yorkshire secured a V. H. C. diploma. In the bitches of this class Mr. Hatton's Manchester "Fly" took 2nd.

In the miscellaneous class Mrs. W. G. Sims' Pomeranian "Punch" got 3rd. This entry was a tie with Miss Boucher's collie "Laddie," for the best lady's dog owned in Peterborough.

Mr. Isaac Downer swept everything in Light Brahmas, and his coops are decorated with prize tickets. No outsider got a first prize over him.

Mr. Wm. Collins has been kept busy looking after the big entry list in the poultry department. What the Association would have done without him would be hard to say.

Mr. C. Y. Ford, of the Kennel Gazette, states that the show in St. Bernards was ahead of that of the Toronto Exhibition and that Peterborough should be proud of the success attained.

There were over a thousand visitors at the exhibition yesterday.

The judges were delighted with the attention which Dr. Poole gave the dogs in actually grooming and exercising them himself. As the Dr. has made a special study of dogs as a Veterinary Surgeon he was able to keep all which were entrusted to his care in the best of condition and the dogs show the result of his attentions, many of them looking far better than when they entered the show.

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SUDDEN DEATH

Of Thos. Brown, who Was Visiting Here From the West.

The sudden death occurred on Monday night of Mr. Thomas Brown, of Sidney, North Dakota, who with his son Charles and the latter's wife, is visiting friends and relatives in the county. At the time of his death the deceased was staying with his brother in-law, Mr. Samuel Sargent, of Otonabee. He showed no signs of indisposition except by complaining slightly of a pain in his side on Monday evening, but nothing serious was apprehended and he retired about half past ten. Not coming down to breakfast in the morning, his son went to awaken him and found him lying in bed, dead. From the position of the body death must have come quickly and painlessly immediately after retiring, as the deceased had not apparently moved after once getting beneath the clothes. Deceased was a brother of Mr. John Brown, of Chicago, formerly in the furniture and undertaking business in Peterborough. He removed to Dakota some fourteen years ago and with his wife and family settled in Sydney. Mrs. Brown died in 1888. She was a sister of Mr. Samuel Sargent, of Otonabee. Nine children survive. All are in Dakota with the exception of Charles, who was accompanying his father and who lives in Manitoba. The body will be taken to Dakota for interment.

Another Lemon and Orange Sale Saturday. Spot Cash Grocery, 353 George st.

GOOD ORGANIZATION WORK.

The I.O.G.T. Establishing New Lodges Throughout the County.

Mr. James Stubbs, Provincial Deputy of the Independent Order of Good Templars, assisted by some of the members of Auburn and City Lodges, has been doing some great work in the county during the past few weeks.

Lodges have been organized at Bridgenorth, with R. Heard as Chief Templar and a membership of 32; at Selwyn with Percy G. Might as Chief Templar and a membership of 30 and on the Fourth Line of Smith with 23 on the roll and Mr. James Young as Chief Templar.

On Tuesday evening the members of Westwood Lodge drove up to town and both they and the members of City Lodge were pleasantly entertained by Auburn Lodge.

THE PETRIFIED MAN.

GREATEST NATURAL WONDER OF THE AGE.

A Remarkable Story—The Curiosity to be Again Shown in Peterborough.

The stone man, one of the greatest marvels of the age, which was shown here a few weeks ago, will be again placed on exhibition in Peterborough for a few days. It is to be seen on the corner of Water and Hunter streets, opposite the Post Office, in the store formerly occupied by Mr. W. H. Hill as an insurance office.

For the last couple of weeks the petrified man has been on exhibition in Toronto, where it was examined by many prominent scientists and men of learning, including Chancellor Burwash, Professor Robertson, and Mr. David Boyle, the well known archæologist. All united in pronouncing it a genuine case of petrification.

The curiosity is under the management of Mr. Jas. McCreary, late principal of the west ward school. He is taking the body to Montreal and the South, but before doing so he has decided to place the curiosity again on exhibition in Peterborough, that all the people may have an opportunity of witnessing this strange freak of nature.

The body is the perfectly petrified remains of a Canadian guide named LeCount, who, while conducting a party of Englishmen from from Fort Garry, now Winnipeg, to St. Paul, Minnesota, was shot through the heart by one of the Englishmen, who had become insane on the voyage. He was buried to a swamp by his wife and two young sons, who were accompanying the party, and there it remained until it was discovered by accident.

In June 1896, while a roadway was being constructed across the farm of a man named McPherrin, near the village of Warren, in northern Minnesota, the labourers struck a hard object about two and a half feet below the surface. On raising it it was found to be the perfectly petrified body of a man about five feet six inches in height, with a bullet hole through the chest. The two sons of LeCount, who yet live in Cook county, Minnesota, identified the body as that of their father, and their identification was fully sustained.

A struggle for the possession of the body was begun between the sons of LeCount and parties who had bought the curiosity from the original finders. After various lawsuits the strange object was finally put up at auction and bought for $1,000 by Mr. T. M. Graham, of Grand Forks, Minnesota, a brother-in-law of Mr. McCreary. The great scientific value of the body being found out, Mr. Graham was made an offer of $1,500 for it, which he refused. It was placed by him under the management of Mr. McCreary, who has charge of it.

It is undoubtedly one of the greatest natural marvels of all time, being the only known case of genuine total petrification. The price of admission has been lowered from 25 to 10 cents. Everybody should see it.

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THE NEW PRESIDENT.

ANNUAL MEETING OF W. P. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Mr. Geo. E. Elliott Retires From the Presidency—New Blood Introduced on the Board—The Annual Reports.

The annual meeting of West Peterborough Agricultural Society took place yesterday afternoon in the Council Chamber with the President, Mr. Geo. Elliott, in the chair.

After the minutes of the last meeting had been read and confirmed, Mr. Geo. Elliott presented the report of the Directors for the year as appended:

DIRECTORS' REPORT.

In presenting the annual report for the year 'If your directors have pleasure in looking back upon the past year's exhibition with great satisfaction, as success attended many phases of the exhibition.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather it was gratifying to us to see that the attendance was so large under the circumstances. The exhibit of live stock from all points in Ontario, was the largest and best in the history of the Society, and the great interest manifested in this part of the exhibition evinces the fact that the farmers are giving their attention to the dairying industry which is the hope and future of the successful agriculturist, and that the reputation of our farmers for progressiveness is such as to warrant those who are owners of such valuable herds in bringing them the distances that they do for exhibition purposes.

The roots and fruits were not as largely exhibited nor of as good quality as those exhibited at some previous exhibitions, but were as satisfactory as those shown at surrounding exhibitions as far as we observed.

The inside exhibits was as usual very good, and the outside exhibits, which go to add strength and attraction to our annual show, were satisfactory.

We have to report for the first time under the present management a deficit, but the unfortunate state of the weather was the cause of the shortage in this connection. It will be remembered the day we anticipated having the largest attendance, it rained heavily until midday, which prevented the large attendance which we expected. The membership of the Exhibition was the largest in its history.

We have to thank the County Council and the Town Council for the interest they have generally manifested in the success of our annual show. We have also to thank the citizens who have from year to year contributed, and the public for their large patronage.

We desire also to express our appreciation of the labours of the Peterborough Fire Brigade, who turned out to save our buildings from destruction by fire during the summer.

We also desire to convey to the judges our thanks for the satisfactory manner in which they performed their duties.

We sincerely trust that the members to be elected to day will be composed of those who will in the future, as in the past, use their best efforts to keep the Peterborough Central Exhibition in the position of the foremost County Show in Eastern Ontario.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
GEO. E. ELLIOTT,
President.

The report was received and adopted, as was the financial statement, which was submitted as follows by W. J. Green, Secretary-Treasurer:

RECEIPTS.

County grant	$ 100 00
Govt grant	414 00
Insurance	299 25
Gate	1,069 00
Adv in prize list	31 50
Donations	28 99
Stabling	27 75
Tug of War	2 50
Horse entries	81 25
Members' tickets	265 00
	$ 2,319 46
Accounts collectable	$ 130 00

EXPENDITURE.

Prize List	$1,189 00
Building sheds	270 00
Speeding in the ring	235 00
Rents	200 00
Printing	250 00
Bill posting	50 00
Salaries	193 00
Carpenters	22 50
Gate men	20 00
Constables	15 75
Acrobats	42 10
H M Roy	31 50
Insurance	6 00
Hen Coops	12 50
Band	45 00
Straw, etc	16 50
Labour and caretakers	59 00
Sundries	200 71
	$2,979 46

Mr. Geo. E. Elliott, in retiring from the presidency, stated that he had now held the office for seven years and in insisting on giving it up urged that new blood be also introduced on the board. A letter was read from Mr. A. P. Morgan, retiring from the board, and Mr. Braden also asked to be allowed to withdraw.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—George Fitzgerald.
1st Vice-President—T. M. Hunter.
2nd Vice-President—Thos. Hall.
Directors—John Stothart, Geo. Bennett, T. E. Bradburn, W. C. Rightmyer, H. C. Winch, Robt Vance, Wm. Telford, Jas. Baptie and Dawson Kennedy.
Auditors—W. J. Hall and Wm. Collins.

On motion Messrs. Geo. E. Elliott and A. P. Morgan were elected Honorary Directors.

The meeting then adjourned.

Reserve Tuesday, January 25th, for the Y.M.C.A. Entertainment in Association Hall. Tickets 25c. Miss Tessa McCallum, reader. Miss Detta Zeigler, Soloist. 1d

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DIED

DUNSFORD—At Peterborough, on Thursday, Jan. 20th, 1898, Walter Allen, youngest son of the late Enos Dunsford, aged 5 years.

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NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Last night of the Dog Show.

—Havelock Carnival on the 21st.

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—Local matter has again to be held over to-day.

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—Mr. T. Cavanagh shipped a carload of horses to Whitefish Lake on Wednesday.

—Keep your eye on the travel advertisement of the Grand Trunk up-town ticket office. Mr. W. Benton the live agent, has a regular travel bureau in his office, complete with booklets, time tables, rates and other information concerning travel by rail and steamship.

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Mark Street Choir Concert.

The following is the programme of the concert given under the auspices of the Mark street choir, to be held in the new town hall, Ashburnham, on Friday night, the 21st of January. Admission 15 cents.

PART I.

Chorus	St Paul's Choir
Instrumental solo	Mr J Armstrong
Quartette	Misses Sherlock and Metheral and Messrs Skitch and Squires
Recitation	Miss Sherlock
Vocal solo	Mayor Davis
Violin duet	Misses Maud and Faux
Quartette	Misses Hendren and Stephens, and Messrs Skitch and Squires

PART II.

Chorus	St Paul's Choir
Instrumental solo	Mr J Armstrong
Vocal solo	Miss Hendren
Recitation	Miss Aggie Patterson
Duet	Misses Bellegham
Cornet solo	Mr J Miller
Quartette	Messrs Squires, Skitch, Morphet Harvey

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SUBSTITUTES FOR PRAYING.

Parrots and Prayer Wheels Among the Calmuck Tartars.

Finally if you spend most of your time, as I did, among the natives on the hurricane deck, your attention will be attracted by a third class of worshipers—namely, the Calmuck Tartars, who live in felt tents or kibitkas (kee-beet-kas) along the lower Volga, and who wander, with great herds of cattle and camels, over the steppes of eastern Europe and western Asia. These flat faced, ill looking nomads are all Buddhists, and not only do they pray, but they may fairly claim the credit of having reduced devotion to a science.

Praying five times a day, as the Mohammedans do, or even twice a day, after the custom of the fire worshipers, seems to have been too severe a tax upon the energies of the original Buddhists, and they set their ingenuity at work to devise some means of lessening the labor. The first expedient that occurred to them was teaching parrots to pray and then claiming the credit of the prayers thus said by proxy. This answered the purpose very well at first. But teaching parrots was troublesome, and besides that, the parrots in spite of all precautions would occasionally pick up scraps of profane learning, which they intermingled with their devotions in a manner not at all edifying. So the Buddhists finally abandoned the instruction of parrots and calling in the aid of applied science invented the prayer wheel.

Nobody, it seems to me, but the laziest of Asiatics would ever have thought of introducing labor saving machinery into the realm of the spiritual. But the Buddhists not only thought of it, but put the idea promptly into execution. The prayer wheel used by the Calmuck Tartars on the lower Volga is a small wooden cylinder 6 or 8 inches in length and about 2 inches in diameter, turning upon a vertical axis, the lower end of which is extended and thickened to form a handle. This cylinder is stuffed full of short, written prayers, and every time it is turned upon its axis all the prayers that it contains are regarded as duly said. Could anything be more simple or satisfactory? There is no shutting of the eyes, no getting down on the knees in uncomfortable positions, no facing in any particular direction. All that the supplicant has to do is to give his wheel a twirl and it grinds out prayers with a rapidity and fluency which leave nothing to be desired. But from an occidental point of view the whole performance is, of course, an absurdity. I could feel some respect for the prayers of the Mohammedans and of the fire worshipers, but the wooden wheels of the Calmuck Tartars excited only contemptuous amusement.—George Kennan in Independent.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

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CHINA SETTLES WITH GERMANY.

Kiao-Chou Bay to be Leased With Surrounding Territory.

Peking, Jan. 19.—The Yamen has cabled Chinese ambassadors throughout the world to the following effect:

A settlement of the difficulty with Germany has been effected. Kiao-Chou Bay is to be leased, a belt surrounding the bay, 100 li (about 30 miles), to be the boundary.

All the German troops outside the prescribed limits are to be withdrawn. Two of the culprits, charged with the murder of the missionaries, are to be punished with death, and the rest with imprisonment. Permission will be granted for the building of churches in the cities of Tai Ning, Tsao Chow Fu and Chu Yeh, and dwelling houses for the missionaries in the seven places in the districts of Tsao Hien and Shan Hien will be erected, for which purpose a sum of 225,000 taels will be allowed.

This amount is to be taken also as a compensation for the killing of the missionaries. The sanction of the throne to the above mode of settlement has been secured.

An All-British Cable.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—The Star special cable from London, says: "The startling events in the far East are forcing again to prominence the Pacific cable question. The Daily Mail insists day after day upon the urgent need of an all-British cable. To-day the Times devotes a column and a half to the Pacific cable project. 'The Empire must have communication free from foreign control.' "

Bread Riots in Italy.

Ancona, Italy, Jan. 19.—There have been bread riots here, arising from a demonstration of women organized by the Socialists that proceeded to the Town Hall to beg a reduction in the price of bread. The Mayor promised the measures, but the men then joined the demonstration and stoned several shops. In the melee that ensued several were hurt. Several arrests were made.

THE SWANSEA SPEECH.

A Decided Triumph for the Chancellor of the Exchequer—All the Newspapers Praise the Utterance.

London, Jan. 19.—The country generally is greatly pleased by the announcement made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, at Swansea, last night, in which he echoed the previous declarations of the First Lord of the Treasury, Mr. A. J. Balfour, at Manchester, on the Indian policy of the Government, and added that the Ministers were determined, even at the cost of war, that the door of Chinese commerce should not be shut to Great Britain.

This declaration is recognized as clearly defining the Government's position and both the Liberal and Conservative newspapers commend the plain speaking. The Globe, yesterday afternoon, said: "What we want in China is trade. We want to make a market for the commerce of the whole world. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's announcement of the determination of the Government is clear and resolute, and will tend to peace. It was a pity that other Cabinet Ministers have not spoken thus on other occasions. When the loan is definitely settled Russia, France and Germany will have to let us know, not only whether they intend to acquiesce in the principles we have laid down, but they will have to be definitely asked to give a plain answer on the specific points which have been discussed. In carrying out the policy promulgated the Government will have the support of the people of this country and also of two countries, who, above all others, are eminently concerned. Both the United States and Japan recognize the wisdom and the benefits which are likely to be derived from ports free and open."

The St. James' Gazette also believes that the "firm statement tends to peace."

The Pall Mall Gazette remarks: "The Government is determined that the Chinese door shall be kept open, even at the cost of war. These are grave words, but they would be more serious still if they did not represent a serious intention. It is the power that talks of war and then recoils from acting that gets embroiled."

The provincial newspapers also approve of the speech of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach.

The Westminster Gazette, in its financial article, says: "The stock exchange was not so cheerful. Consols have fallen. Some unsteadiness was caused generally by Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's speech, which has aroused some uneasiness."

Other papers say the speech was received on the stock exchange with general approval.

BRITAIN HAS DECLINED.

Will Not Reopen the Sealing Question at the Request of the United States.

London, Jan. 19.—Great Britain has again declined to re-open the sealing question. It seems that her previous refusal gave as its reason that while negotiations were pending between the United States and Canada, Great Britain could not re-open the matter. To this the United States replied that no negotiations were pending and renewed the request, but the Foreign Office sends its regrets that the Government does not see its way to re-open the question. The United States Ambassador, Col. John Hay, and Mr. Spencer Eddy, his private secretary, left London yesterday on their way to Egypt.

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A joy in life and a joy in dying!
Love is calling, and hearts must heed.
Sweet is the pathway where love shall lead.

Where love shall lead
There rings the cry of a world in need.
Spirits sweet in the shadows sighing.
Famished souls for the life bread crying.
Yearning still
To do love's will,
Listening ever for love's replying.
Love has called to a world in need.
Sweet is the pathway where love shall lead.
—Atlanta Constitution.

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BEFORE I KNEW.

It was on a beautiful day in autumn that I first set eyes upon Dunsforth mansion. I alighted at the porte cochere somewhat weary and not a little curious about my immediate future. But all my tired feeling fled when I gazed at the scene before me.

The owner of Dunsforth mansion was a woman, a rich widow, and I had been engaged as tutor to her two children. I had not yet seen her, having been appointed by her solicitor, an elderly, kind faced gentleman, who told me that I would surely be well suited with my surroundings and with my future employer.

My father had died recently, and as his estate was in litigation, which was likely to last for some time, it was incumbent upon me to seek employment almost immediately. My mother had enough to live upon for the present, but until we realised on my father's inheritance things looked rather blue.

I mused on our lot quite awhile and was finally startled out of my reverie by voices in the avenue. A beautiful woman with soft, fluffy hair, a delicate, high bred face, robed in mourning garb, came up toward me from the avenue. She chatted gayly with a little boy, whom she was leading by the hand. I knew at once that the lady was Mrs. Dunsforth. Her lips and eyes as she smiled betrayed a genial nature, and there was a cordiality in the grasp of her hand that made me at once at home at Dunsforth mansion.

We chatted about the weather as we walked toward the house. She did this to relieve me of my embarrassment, I knew.

"Charlie," she said before we reached the hall door, "this is your new tutor."

The little boy whom she had been leading by the hand came forward. He was 6 years old, the very opposite of his mother, with hair that was almost black, large brown eyes and a little, fragile body. I stooped to greet the little man, and he sprang forward and caught my hand.

"You are nice," he said, blissfully ignorant of my vivid blushes. "I like you already."

My heart went out to the child. "I am glad to hear you say that," I replied. "I know we will be great friends."

"My little Charlie is a very stanch friend once he has made up his mind to like any one," said Charlie's beautiful mother, with a proud look at her son.

"You are not at all like Professor Dolittle. He was always cross and he had a big wart on his nose," continued Charlie innocently.

I laughed aloud, caught the little fellow by the shoulders and drew him toward me.

"What's your name," he asked.

"John Middlebrook," I said, "Mr. Middlebrook," correcting myself.

"Mr. Middlebrook," said the child musingly. "Why, your name begins with an M, just like my Aunt Marjorie's."

"And what is your Aunt Marjorie's name?"

"Her name is Miss Manderville, don't you see," with a poke at my arm.

We had reached the drawing room by this time, for the hall door was open, letting in the sweet, crisp autumn air. Charlie scampered off and soon returned with his elder brother, who strongly resembled his mother. He had the same light curly hair, calm blue eyes and expressive, kissable lips. He was a bit more quiet than the youngster I had first met, more observing and thoughtful.

"This is Joe," said Charlie, bringing him up to me; then turning to his brother: "Joe, this is our new teacher. His name is Mr. Middlebrook. I like him ever so much, don't you?"

Joe shook my hand warmly, though he was not so effusive on short acquaintance as his younger brother.

I was soon installed in my new home, and thanked fate for having cast my lines so pleasantly. The winter went by in a quiet, steady way. My tutorship of those two splendid boys was a pleasant task, and their mother was ever the same cordial friend she seemed on the first day of our meeting.

Although Aunt Marjorie was frequently the theme of conversation between the children and their mother and seemed to be held in the same affectionate regard by both, I had not yet met her. In my leisure moments I pursued my study of the law, which had been so rudely interrupted by my father's untimely death.

One morning when I came down to the breakfast room I found her standing at one of the windows—Aunt Marjorie—of whom I had heard so much. Mrs. Dunsforth introduced me to her. "My dear sister, Miss Manderville," she said, "Mr. Middlebrook, the boys' tutor and good friend to us all."

Aunt Marjorie held out a little, fair hand with beautiful pink nails, dimples that did not come from fat, but were just made to intensify the beauty of that fair member. From her hand I glanced into her face, a shy, sweet face, with unspeakably sad eyes and a mouth which showed that it had twitched with pain.

She was fair, like her sister, and perhaps five or six years younger. In our intercourse during the next few days I found her a sedate, even tempered woman, who, I knew, had met with some great sorrow in her young life. But there came a time when I realised Aunt Marjorie was taking a deeper interest in me. She came to the schoolroom now and then and took part in the boys' lessons. She conversed with me at table and seemed delighted to know that I was keeping up my law study. Her sister, to whom I had mentioned my reverses of fortune since my father's death, had evidently informed her of that fact, and I read a kindly pity in the tender eyes of Aunt Marjorie.

I might as well say it—I loved her, loved her with a feeling akin to idolatry. I did not know whether my love was reciprocated, and for that I did not care. I was satisfied to dwell upon my feelings for her. My silent worship of her filled my life with a romance that was irrepressibly sweet.

At last it came as it was to be. I spoke to her of my love, and she listened graciously. It was on one of the first balmy spring nights. We stood by the open window and looked out upon the starlit sky, the dawn, dazzlingly beautiful in the brilliant moonlight with the dew scintillating on the grass blades.

"Marjorie, I love you!" I faltered. "Hear me and then answer me."

She paused a moment after my fervent avowal and the assurance that the litigation which held my father's estate in jeopardy was drawing to a close and that I would soon be able to take good care of so sweet a wife. As I looked down into her face I thought I read love for me in her tranquil eyes.

"We love each other, John," she said very quietly, but very tenderly.

I took her in my arms and kissed her passionately. She tolerated my caresses for a moment, then gently pushed me aside.

"I love you," she said. "I don't know why I tell you this when I must tell you in the same breath that I can never be your wife."

Her face grew white and wan. Dull suffering was in her eyes, and a shudder shook her delicate frame. I felt the coiness of the moment and clutched at the window hanging for support. Then, taking both her hands in mine, I looked steadfastly into her face and asked: "Marjorie, what do you mean? Why can you not be my wife?"

She caught my arms and put them around her neck. "John," she whispered huskily, "I am married!"

A burning kiss on my mouth, and she was gone. I was conscious only of the sudden emptiness of the room. Wretched and heartbroken, I sought my own chamber, and there, I may as well say it, I cried for the first time since my father's death.

I was able now to account for many things about Aunt Marjorie which I had not heretofore understood. She was frequently absent from her sister's house. She was moody to sullenness at times and then again warm hearted and gay.

Months went by, and the winter came again. Before the others Marjorie and I were as good friends as ever, but we were never alone together again. Her eyes seemed more melancholy than ever, and I was thankful for my task of teaching Mrs. Dunsforth's sons, and for the rest of the time I buried myself in study.

Spring came and with it another episode in my life at Dunsforth mansion. This time it was a rainy, chill spring day. The weather had been capricious for a week, and on the evening in question I was sitting alone by the fire in the library. My pupils had gone to bed, Mrs. Dunsforth was away on a visit to neighbors, and Marjorie had been absent for several days.

Suddenly the door opened, and there entered with the gust of chill wind a gaunt looking stranger. He walked straight up to the fire and held out his thin, trembling hands without speaking or looking around. For several moments I was too perplexed to speak. Was this an apparition, or was it a man of real flesh and blood, though he seemed to have but little of either. He was scantily attired; his hair was dishevelled and quite black. The face was ghostly white and the eyes dull and glassy. There was an air of refinement about the man, though, which caused me not to fear him.

"You are cold," I said.

He turned and bent his eyes upon me.

"Who said I was cold?" he asked abruptly.

"I did."

"You? Well, what of it? Who makes it cold? It's nice enough for anybody who has not been out in a long time. What makes you look at me so? Do you think I am crazy?"

I riveted my eyes upon him. "I didn't say you were crazy. Sit down; let me talk to you."

"I thought so. You think I am mad. I have just broken out of a madhouse. Are you going to send me back?"

"You need not fear me. I have no cause for sending you anywhere. Come, warm yourself. You are no more crazy than I am."

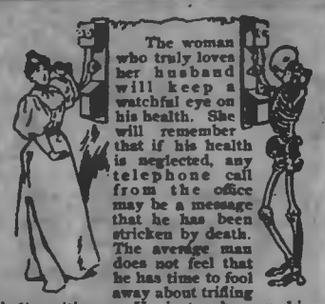
A grateful glance came from the dull, lusterless eyes, and after a little I persuaded him to lie down on the lounge. Soon he fainted away from the exertion of the long tramp he must have had, for the nearest insane asylum was 30 miles away. That much I knew.

He remained prostrated for a week in the comfortable bed of the guest chamber, to which I had carried him on the night of his arrival. Mrs. Dunsforth took as much interest in the strange visitor as I did, and now and then the boys came in and laid flowers from the greenhouse on his bed.

In a week from the night of his coming to Dunsforth mansion he died. Marjorie was absent while our strange guest was sick. She returned on the evening before we buried him. I heard her come up to her sister's room. The crazy man was lying in his shroud in the room below. After awhile the two sisters came down and went directly to the death chamber. I did not see them again that night. I had promised Mrs. Dunsforth that I would keep the watch beside the corpse, and at midnight I began my vigil. No one was in the room when I came in, and no one disturbed my lonely hours. Just as the night faded away into the gray dawn and the purple clouds crept up the horizon the door was softly opened to admit Marjorie. Her face was swollen with weeping, and her step was faltering as that of one who had not slept for many nights. She walked slowly to the bier and gazed distressedly at the face of the silent sleeper. Then she came over to me where I was sitting near the grate, with its fast dying embers.

"My husband, John!" she sobbed, pointing at the shrouded figure, gaunter and whiter than any dead man I had ever seen. In a moment I understood it all. She had been married to a lunatic. This, then, was the tragedy of her life that bade her tell me that she could never be my wife. Anguish at her spoiled, unhappy life filled my soul. I kissed her hand as I would have kissed the hand of a saint. She said not a word to me beyond a tender "thank you" for my sympathy. I arose and left her with the dead. I knew that now the obstacle to our union was removed; that she would be mine in good time, for had she not told me that she loved me!

While I am writing this story she is sitting beside me, a happy, blooming wife. We waited a year, then slipped away one day to be united forever. We are often at Dunsforth mansion, where our romance began, and my little charges are as fond of me as their "Uncle John" as they were when I was Mr. Middlebrook, whose name began with an "M," just like Aunt Marjorie's.—St. Louis Republic.



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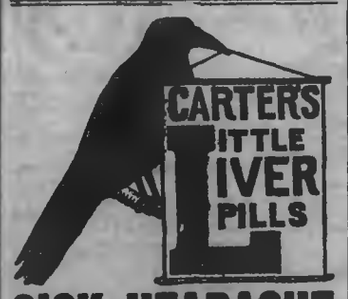

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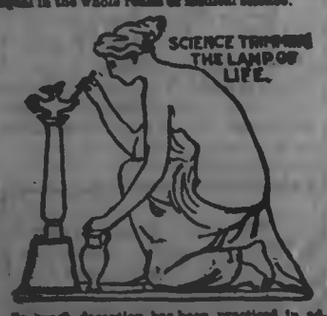

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interested, but that he was with them heart and soul in the work of

ROLLING UP A MAJORITY

for Mr. Stratton that had never been surpassed in this or any other riding of Ontario. (Loud cheers.)

Ward chairmen and strong ward committees were selected, but before and after their selection others present briefly addressed the meeting.

Mr. Richard Hall was very warmly received, and spoke of the great pleasure it gave him to see so very large a gathering of earnest workers present, which indicated that a deep interest was taken in the campaign. He took advantage of the occasion to thank those who had helped him when he ran, and he felt that the want of success was not due to any lack of effort on the part of his friends. He was especially grateful for the hard work Mr. Stratton had done on his behalf. He had no doubt that Mr. Stratton would again be elected by an increased majority—a natural result, he thought, in view of his record for the past twelve years. He has always been affable, approachable and obliging, ever ready to help all who had claims upon his services. There was something beyond politics in looking at the matter of the representation of the province, riding and town. We should look to their interests and see what would best serve them. We should have a representative who possesses ability and influence to help us and not a man who, if he chose, could at any time slip his pen behind his ear and leave us, and we might not miss him very much. We needed in the interests of the town, a representative like Mr. Stratton, and we should unitedly work to place him

AT THE HEAD OF THE POLL

by a majority that would express hearty appreciation of faithful and effective service.

Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald in the course of a brief address said he believed that as far as they could the Opposition, or folorned hope party, would, as the coming political contest, make it the effort of their lives. Not a stone would be left unturned, not a falsehood untold, not an accusation which envy and jealousy could invent, but would be used against the government of Hon. Mr. Hardy, the best and most capable government that any Province of Canada has ever had. He referred to the necessity of not being over confident; though local active partizans might now seem apathetic, yet they might rally round their candidate and force the fighting, and make an effort, if not to win, at least to reduce Mr. Stratton's majority. He hoped this would not be the case. No man, so representative has done a tithe of what Mr. Stratton has done for this constituency in every possible way. Not a settlement or road in the back country of this riding that he has not annually visited, for a matter concerning the town's advancement that he had not attended to, and it would be very marked ingratitude indeed if these services did not entitle him to the warmest approbation and support of the great majority of the electors of West Peterborough—a support which he is sure to get at the hands of the people. The Mail and Empire of yesterday said:—"With the departure of Sir Oliver, the "genius for legislation, as well as the "moral strength of the Government has "disappeared." Sir Oliver did not say that. While the Dominion and this Province look upon Sir Oliver Mowat as a most able and astute statesman, yet in all his work of Government he had able colleagues and none more ripe; nor has this the man he named to take his place, the Hon. A. S. Hardy, who had long borne the brunt of battle and had been at the inception and back of every legislative measure of importance that has been passed into law during many years. The fact was Sir Oliver left the real genius behind him to fill the place that he has so long adorned. Ontario had yet produced but few men of Mr. Hardy's broad and generous instincts, of his grasp of public questions and his skill to deal with them. He was a man wonderfully endowed, with a perception as keen and unerring, and a mental vision, as quick, clear and penetrating as are the X rays of electrical science. When the body of people to which the speaker belonged was sorely pressed for justice a few years ago in the matter of Separate Schools, it was the Liberal Government of Sir Oliver Mowat, aided by Mr. Hardy and his colleagues,

WHO STOOD BY THEM

and saw justice or a large measure of justice done them. What was the cry of the Mail and Empire then? There was another cry now—"It is time for a change." When Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Thompson, two great and good men, departed, the genius for legislation, as well as the moral strength of the Government at Ottawa disappeared, and a "nest of traitors" took its place. This was "a time for a change," and it took place with a vengeance, for the Dominion from east to west, in its wrath and indignation, at the first opportunity hurled from power the "nest of traitors" and planted in their place honourable, patriotic men, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. David Mills et al. It was the reverse of this that would happen if the Mail and Empire cry was ever acted upon. It would be by putting a lot of inexperienced, incapable men, whose capacity for legislation seemed to be limited to the consideration of a few pines, a sick pig and small potatoes generally, and putting out the model Government in the Dominion. After congratulating Mr. Stratton on the renewed warmth and enthusiasm of his reception, and the several working committees appointed, on the young blood, on their numbers, Mr. Fitzgerald concluded an encouraging and inspiring speech by urging strongly the wisdom of not underestimating the forces behind the opposing candidate. (Cheers.)

Mr. J. J. Hartley was pleased indeed to see so splendid a beginning. We had no reason to change our mind respecting the Government, and we had no reason to change our mind regarding our candidate, Mr. Stratton. (Cheers.) Mr. Hartley said the present rooms, though they had been sufficient in past campaigns, would be too small for this one. He believed in working for a majority—for there was

NO DOUBT OF THE RESULT.

It could hardly be otherwise than that Mr. Stratton should be elected for he had shown himself to be the man we needed. He was energetic, faithful and had ability and influence to advance the general as well as the material interests of the town, and we should retain him. We were all agitating and working for the upbuilding of the town, and were endeavouring to bring new manufactories to Peterborough, which were what was needed. Would it then be wise to exchange the representative we had, who had in the past and in the future would be able to render valuable assistance in this direction? Would the people be wise to exchange such a representative for a man who, though his moral qualities might be all right, and who had a sort of book ability, had none of the practical ability, business experience and business influence that would enable him to advance the interests of the town. He closed by urging the committee to get to work and roll up as great a majority as possible.

Mr. Wm. Lee, a veteran in the Liberal ranks, whose face was a familiar one around Liberal committee rooms in times past, was present and spoke of his political experiences in the Northwest, and spoke encouragingly in regard to the present contest. The Ontario Government was the best Government he knew of, and they could find no better representative than Mr. Stratton.

Mr. A. G. Gough spoke very warmly of Mr. Stratton as a representative and as a business man with large interests at stake, in the town, whose future prosperity depended upon increase of our manufacturing industries. He felt the necessity of having as representative a man like Mr. Stratton, who had the ability and experience to secure what we want—far superior to a man without experience or business qualification.

Mr. Andrew Macfarlane said that if the riding did itself justice and voted in the interests of the town and in the interests of the province Mr. Stratton's majority should be two thousand, and he would go to work with that end in view. He felt satisfied that the citizens would take the view of Mr. Gough, that the interest of the extension of our manufacturing establishments needed a man that knew what we wanted and had the ability and business aptitude to carry his desires into effect.

Mr. E. B. Stone made a rattling five minutes speech, pointing out the good work and record of the Ontario Government.

Rev. Mr. Grant said Peterborough had been honoured by having Mr. Stratton as its representative.

Mr. G. S. Amee briefly spoke, and said the Ontario Government was the best government he knew of. They were guilty of no extravagances, no scandals—everything was clean and above board.

Mr. H. C. Stabler said he would be an active worker in this campaign. He wanted good honest government and that he believed we were now having. The workingmen of Peterborough should vote for Mr. Stratton. He believed they would. He was the right man in the right place. He was not afraid to put his capital in manufacturing enterprises in Peterborough and did not always do so with a profit, but he had in some cases helped to keep establishments going to give employment to workingmen. He had always encouraged manufactures and he, Mr. Stabler, knew of many fair-minded Conservatives who were going to support Mr. Stratton in the interests of the town.

Councillor Wm. White was surprised at at the great size and enthusiasm of the first rally. A crowded room the first night was something new and spoke volumes for the result of the contest.

Mr. A. C. McCallum said that hitherto he had not taken an active part in elections, but he was going to work in this contest. He knew of Mr. Stratton's abilities and these justified his hearty support.

The meeting then closed after the usual cheers with the understanding that the committees for the various wards would meet at the committee rooms to report and complete unfinished details of organization.

There will be a grand rally of all committees and workers on Saturday evening at the rooms, when Mr. Stratton will be present to report progress and consult with his friends and supporters.

Try the Spot Cash Grocery Co. for Groceries, Oysters, Fruit and Fish.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 20° above zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday.....	25°	19°

PERSONAL.

Mr. Samuel Macknight, wife and two daughters, of Assiniboia, N.W.T., are in town on a visit, the guests of Rev. R. Macknight, McDonal street.

Catarrh Cure for 25c.

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have ever used, and gladly recommend it to sufferers Yours truly,
Harry Stone, Rainham Centre, Ont.

Baltimore Oysters at "Spot Cash Grocery Co.' Alex. Elliott's Old Stand.

"SILKOLENE."

Something new in Shaded Cotton arrived at Mrs. Appleby's Fancy Goods Store, Water street.

—Try Welsh's Oyster Patties at 25c per dozen.

A MOTHER'S THANKS FOR A DAUGHTER'S HEALTH.

How often we see a young girl, whose pale face and feeble form, gives evidence of the destroying power of wrong action of the heart. Weakness and pallor exist where bounding health and rosy cheeks should reign. Through one cause or another the heart muscles become weakened, the blood does not circulate freely, especially to the extremities. From such symptoms spring cold feet and hands, tired all-gone feeling, general debility, watery blood, anæmia, etc.

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Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16,430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

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On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum. Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's male population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

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Workingmen's Suits
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The pick of the Sanford Manufacturing Company—every Garment fresh from a High-Grade Clothing House—the perfection of Clothing—cut by the best skilled artists of the cutting table—designed and finished by the hands of experts. A tip-top article of Clothing worth 100 cents on the dollar every day in the year. But see how the acorns have dropped from their perch:—

Splitting the Acorns in Two!

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that bore the Acorn mark of $9.00, $10 $11 and $13. We cut the heart out of them and drop them to $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

LOWER-PRICED LINES in all sizes, at $2.95, $3.35, $3.75, $4.45 and $5.45.

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS—that hung on a slender Oak Hall profit at $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.25, $6.00 we have whittled down to $1.90, $2.68, $3.00, $3.58, $4.00.

CHILDREN'S SUITS $1.49, $1.78 and $2.00.

The Relentless Boom will sweep through the entire establishment, from end to end. We bought the stock to sell at at a sacrifice, and when we say the goods must GO, —that settles it!

That reminds us too that we have been learning our customers to pay SPOT CASH, because of the immense advantage it brings to their pockets—your money back if not satisfactory."

GOUGH BROS.

Buyers of the Great Oak Hall Stock.

BENNEMORE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell and Mr. Thomas O'Reilly of the Yankee Line, are in town during the past week visiting friends.

Miss Lizzie Scollard has taken her departure for De Ville convent, Montreal, to continue her studies. We wish her every success.

Mr. T. Curtin and his son William, who have been taking large contracts in the southern part of this township, have now completed the same, the last being at Mr. W. H. Crough's.

The weather is all that can be desired, as you may well judge by the high spirits of the people.

Although the sleighing is good there are not so many teams at that old-time job—wood-drawing.

The best Coffees and Teas at popular low prices. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

RAILLIEBORO.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

We are enjoying the beautiful winter weather. Excellent roads.

Our stores and fences are pretty well placarded with "Election Ho!" Mr. Garvin with two supporters from Peterborough, held a meeting in the hall. It was quite largely attended.

Mr. Stratton holds a campaign meeting in the same place on Thursday evening.

The annual meeting of the S. S. Association of the townships of Cavan and Monaghan, will be held in the Presbyterian church at Centreville during the afternoon and evening of Thursday, Feb. 3rd.

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TIME TABLE

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MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 3.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST	ARRIVE DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.43 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.35 p.m.

WEST

Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.43 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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THE WARM FIGHT ON.

The Election Campaign Progressing in the Province.

MORE CANDIDATES NOMINATED.

Mayor Mulhern in Stormont and Mr Samuel Grandy, Who Nearly Defeated Mr. T. Dixon Craig, for East Durham—A Patron Candidate Likely to Retire—Events to Come.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—Amongst the political events of yesterday must be mentioned the nomination of candidates in Stormont and East Durham, whose selection will inspire confidence in the Liberal ranks in these constituencies. In the former the choice fell upon Mayor Mulhern of Cornwall, a young man who combines the elements of popularity with first-class abilities. He is now serving his third term in the Mayoralty, a fact which attests the good opinion of those who know him best. It is believed that Mr. Adams, the Patron candidate, will retire, and thus leave the field open for a straight fight between Mr. Mulhern and Mr. McLaughlin, the Conservative candidate.

Mr. Samuel Grandy, who came within 62 votes of defeating Mr. T. Dixon Craig in East Durham, was named as the standard-bearer in that riding, and that he will make a good fight is beyond doubt.

The Liberals of East Toronto met in large numbers in Dingman's Hall last night and organized for the election. The belief was general that, with a united and determine effort, East Toronto can be won over to the cause of Liberalism and good government.

Mr. Harcourt will accompany Mr. Hardy to Brantford on Wednesday, when the Young Liberals of that place will tender the Premier a reception. On Saturday afternoon Mr. Harcourt will speak at the Lincoln County Liberal Convention at St. Catharines. Mr. Davis will attend the Halton Convention at Milton on Thursday, the 27th.

The Conservatives of Brockville met in convention and nominated ex-Mayor Culbert.

THE JOLIETTE MURDER.

The Fourth Day Sees the Prisoner's Mother on the Stand—Reporters Testify to Tom's Confession.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 21.—The fourth day of the Nulty murder trial opened at the usual hour yesterday morning. Mr. Morin was recalled to identify the ax with which the murders were committed; also to state whether there were blood stains and hair on it when first seen by him.

The counsel for the defence interposed the protest that the defence admitted the murders and did not think it right to occupy the time of the court in hearing the details of the tragedy repeated. The witness was thereupon excused from further examination.

Mrs. Michael Nulty, prisoner's mother, was examined. Her testimony was to the effect that her son Tom had only made casual allusions to marriage. She remembered having advised him not to do so, as there was no room in the house to spare. Tom had replied that if he did marry he would live with his married sister. Coming to the father's alleged intention to make little Patrick his sole heir, the witness swore that her husband was not partial to Patrick, but loved all alike, and that he never intended to disinherit Tom.

Two reporters who had heard the prisoner's confession also testified. The prisoner, they said, had been duly warned that his confession would be used against him and that he need not tell anything unless he liked. This evidence was adduced to offset the insinuations made by the defence that Detective McCaskill had wrung the confession from the prisoner by improper methods.

THE MASSEY SUITS.

Actions in the Court Amalgamated—Heard at the Next Sittings.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—By consent of both parties the two suits brought by the grandchildren of the late Hart A. Massey against the Massey estate were yesterday amalgamated and set down for hearing at the next sittings of the non-jury court.

The actions were to set aside the sale by the executors to Hart A. Massey of 113 shares in the company, and the second to set aside the sale of 106 shares made by the company to Hart A. Massey in 1885 and of 42 shares sold by Hart A. Massey to himself in 1896. It is sought to have the children declared owners of 50 more shares than they have been allotted, to have an account of the dealings of the Massey Harris Co. with regard to the shares and an injunction to prevent any disposition being made of the company's books of the time covering the dispute. Arthur Lyman Massey, son of the late Charles A. Massey, is the chief plaintiff.

MRS. POIRIER ON TRIAL.

The Evidence at the Trial Is Very Damaging Against the Accused—Finding a Dead Husband.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 21.—At half-past ten yesterday morning proceedings in the Poirier murder trial re-commenced. Joseph Mounier, who yesterday afternoon had given very damaging evidence against the prisoner, was cross-examined as to having made a statement in public that he hoped that the woman would be hanged. Now, however, he would make no definite admission of having done so.

Adelard Robert proved having filled Sam Parslow's whiskey bottle a day or two before the murder. It was the same bottle as that produced in court.

Delia Lachapelle testified to having been in the company of the prisoner and Sam Parslow when the latter had read aloud an account of the Rawdon horror. Witness remarked that Tom Nulty would be hanged, but Mrs. Poirier had replied, "I don't think he will, we don't hang murderers nowadays; you will see a worse crime than Nulty's was before many days are past."

On another occasion prisoner had given witness to understand that she did not love her husband.

Adrien Rioux, postmaster of St. Canute, said that whilst Sam Parslow was in Montreal he had written several times to Mrs. Poirier. She had not, he believed, replied to these communications.

Antoine Charbonneau, who had taken charge of the place directly after the coroner's arrival, proved that he had admitted no one to the house. He had, however, found at the bottom of the stove a charred heap of papers, cloth and woollen stuff; of this he was quite certain. The remains could not possibly have been those of a wood fire.

At 12.30 p.m. the court adjourned.

In the afternoon Mr. Philias Des Ormeau, farmer of St. Canute, was the first witness. He said: "On Nov. 22 last I was called by Coroner Mignault as caretaker of Poirier's house, with Antoine Charbonneau and John Hall, both of the same place." He corroborated Charbonneau's evidence as to the ashes found in the stove. "It is myself, who found the hooks and eyes in the stove the second day after the murder, which were produced in court."

The next witness was Joseph Cyr. He lives opposite Poirier's house and said: "I knew Poirier for over six years as an honest and sober man. He was very well esteemed in the parish." The witness then produced pillows, quilts, sheets and blankets, which were on the bed where Poirier had been murdered, and these articles were handed around to the jury for inspection.

Mr Noe Bouverette, blacksmith of St. Canute, a neighbor of Poirier's, said: "On Nov. 22 last Mrs. Poirier called at my shop to go and open the door for her, because it was locked and she had no key. I took off a second window and went in and opened the front door to let her get in. She there asked to see in the room if her husband was there, because she said 'I am afraid to go myself.' I found Poirier dead, lying across the bed and I told her, 'Your husband is there, but he has his throat cut.' We went, and she went home without saying anything."

The court adjourned until to-day.

ALLEGED CUBAN TRAITORS.

A Report That the Brother of the Cuban President Has Surrendered.

Havana, Jan. 21.—The Spanish authorities report that the insurgent General Juan Masso Parra, with the forces under his command, Lieut.-Cols. Augustine Feria and Jose Cannon Hernandez, Majors Feliciano Quesada, Saturnino Leon and Victoriano Gomez, with six other officers and 110 privates, well armed and well supplied with ammunition, have surrendered at Fomento to the Spanish General Aguirre and Senor Marcus Garcia, Governor of Santa Clara Province. The insurgents are said to have formed in line and delivered up their arms according to the ordinance, shouting "Long Live Spain!" "Long Live the Queen Regent!" "Long Live Spanish Cuba!" and "Long Live Autonomy!" General Juan Masso Parra is a brother of Senor Bartolome Masso, President of the Cuban Republic.

During the last 10 days the insurgents are said to have lost 115 killed and 24 taken prisoners, with 242 Remington rifles.

FIRE ON BOARD SHIP.

The Terrible Plight in Which the British Steamer Stockholm City Ran Into Newport News, Va.

Newport News, Va., Jan. 21.—The British steamship Stockholm City, Captain Richards, arrived last night from Manchester with her saloons, cabin, bridge, wheelhouse and all woodwork amidships burned. The officers and crew were almost naked, having lost most of their clothing. Fire was discovered in the bunkers last Sunday night. After three hours' hard work it was thought to have been extinguished. On Monday morning the flames again burst from the bunkers and spread rapidly to all the woodwork nearby.

The chief engineer rushed from his cabin in night attire, barely escaping with his life. In a short time the officers' quarters and the coal bunkers were in flames. Many times it looked as if the ship and all on board were doomed. It was not until late in the day that the fire was got under control. Everything combustible was burned.

BIRD AND DOG SHOW PROVED A SUCCESS.

IT CLOSED LAST EVENING AFTER A THREE DAYS' EXHIBITION.

The Exhibitors Were Thoroughly Satisfied and the Public Were Well Pleased—It Will be an Annual Affair.

The Poultry and Dog Show was brought to a close last night at 10 o'clock after a most successful three days' exhibition, in the market building. The affair was not patronized as largely by the farmers as was expected, but the townspeople turned out in large numbers, there being over a thousand visitors on the second day.

One of the most pleasing features is the praise which is so freely bestowed on the management by the exhibitors. The poultry men are unanimous in urging that the directorate apply for the Ontario Exhibition of Poultry for 1900, and are sure that arrangements can be made to have it held here. The market hall, they state, cannot be surpassed in the Dominion as a place in which to hold an exhibition of this kind. As coops are supplied by the management of the Ontario Exhibition, and the Ontario Government gives an annual grant to it of $1,000, it would certainly be an acquisition to have the show held here. The dog men bestow the highest encomiums on the members of the committee who had this department in charge and state that if more classes are arranged for and the amount of the prize money in each lessened, that the market hall would hardly hold the dogs which would be entered. They are very much pleased by the manner in which dogs were looked after this year.

Another supper took place last evening at McCallum's restaurant.

Mr. Daniels, of Toronto, concluded the judging of the poultry yesterday and the prize list is announced as follows:

$1 00 for 1st; 50c. for 2nd.

CLASS 1—LIGHT BRAHMAS.

Cock—1 Wm Stewart & Son, Menie; 2 McLaughlin & Sheridan, Oshawa.
Cockerel—1 Isaac Dormer, town; 2 Isaac Dormer, town.
Hen—1 Wm Stewart & Son, Menie; 2 McLaughlin & Sheridan.
Pullet—1 Isaac Dormer, town; 2 Isaac Dormer, town.

CLASS 2—DARK BRAHMAS.

Cockerel—1 W C Rightmyer, town; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Hen—1 C H Curtis, Warkworth; 2 W C Rightmyer, town.
Pullet—1 C H Curtis, Warkworth; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.

CLASS 3—COCHIN, BUFF.

Cockerel—1 and 2 F E Milne, Kingston; 3 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Hen—2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Pullet—1 F E Milne, Kingston.

CLASS 4—COCHIN, PARTRIDGE.

Cock—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Cockerel—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Hen—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Pullet—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie; 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth; 3 W Stewart & Son, Menie.

CLASS 5—COCHINS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cock—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville.
Cockerel—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Hen—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Pullet—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville.

CLASS 6—LANGSHANS.

Cock—J F Osborne, Bowmanville.
Cockerel—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 H Lush, town; 3 John Robson, town.
Hen—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings; 3 Milburn Bros, town.
Pullet—1 John Robson, town; 2 H Lush, town; 3 Milburn Bros.

CLASS 7—DORKINGS, SILVER GREY.

Cock—1 F M Haig, Hoard's.
Cockerel—W R Knight, Bowmanville.
Hen—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Pullet—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 W Stewart & Son, Menie.

CLASS 8—DORKINGS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Hen—1 and 2 Wm Stewart & Son, Menie.

CLASS 9—SPANISH BLACK.

Cock—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville.
Cockerel—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 W H Reid, Kingston; 3 R Sinclair, Kingston.
Hen—J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 R Sinclair, Kingston.
Pullet—1 W H Reid, Kingston; 2 R Sinclair, Kingston; 3 J F Osborne, Bowmanville.

CLASS 10—PLYMOUTH ROCKS, BARRED.

Cock—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Cockerel—1 Trew & Williamson, Linsday 2 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 3 W Stewart & Son.
Hen—1 Trew & Williamson; 2 J F Osborne; 3 Trew & Williamson.
Pullet—1 and 2 Trew & Williamson; 3 T Learmouth, Hastings.

CLASS 11—PLYMOUTH ROCKS, WHITE.

Cock—1 and 2 W Elliott & Son, Oshawa.
Cockerel—1 Elliott & Son; 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth; 3 W Elliott & Son.
Hen—1 W Elliott & Son.
Pullet—1 W Elliott & Son; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.

CLASS 12—PLYMOUTH ROCKS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cockerel—1 J. H. Parsons, Port Hope.
Hen—1 J H Parsons.
Pullet—1 J H Parsons.

CLASS 13—LEGHORNS, BROWN.

Cock—1 Brown & Morrow, Colborne.
Cockerel—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 Brown & Morrow.
Hen—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth.
Pullet—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie; 2 W R Knight; 3 Trew & Williamson, Lindsay.

CLASS 14—LEGHORNS, BUFF.

Cock—1 S R Graham, Kingston.
Cockerel—1 S R Graham.
Hen—1 S R Graham.
Pullet—S R Graham.

CLASS 15—LEGHORNS, WHITE.

Cock—1 W T Jenkins, Penelon Falls.
Cockerel—1 S R Graham, Kingston; 2 Trew & Williamson, Lindsay.
Pullet—1 S R Graham; 2 W T Jenkins; 3 Brown & Morrow, Colborne.

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so-called cures which had failed even to relieve me. At last I procured a bottle and after taking all the medicine the headaches had left me and my catarrh trouble was much better. I continued taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and have derived so much benefit from it that I would advise any one troubled with impure blood to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. I feel better now than I have for years, thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. E. GREY, 27 St. Nicholas St., Toronto, Ontario. Remember

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THE CAMPAIGN.

The Hardy-Ross Government is appealing to the country for a renewal of confidence, and from every section of the Province come indications that they will get it. Confidence is a good cause, and being in the right, is half the battle; and the battle is half won before it begins. Notes of enthusiastic preparation in the Liberal ranks ring from one end of the Province to the other, and the assurances of victory have never been so emphatic in the past twenty-five years.

The opening of the contest in Mr. Stratton's interest, at Benefort Tuesday night, was a splendid augury of success. Never has there been held in this township a campaign meeting to compare with it in the matter of attendance or evidences of sympathy with the candidate. The occasion developed the fact that fair-minded electors are willing to judge a candidate on his merits and on the character of his record; and the assurances of support Mr. Stratton is receiving from quarters in which it has been wanting in the past conjoined with the enthusiastic rally of tried supporters around him, furnishes an assurance that he will receive a more generous and more enthusiastic support in the present contest there has ever been accorded him before.

From this time forward the campaign will be prosecuted with unresisting vigour till the close of the poll heralds another victory.

HON. G. W. ROSS IN THE OPERA HOUSE.

Unusual interest will be taken in the announcement that Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, and Mr. J. R. Stratton will address a mass meeting of electors in the interests of the Hardy-Ross Government and the Liberal candidate for West Peterborough, in the Opera House, Thursday, Jan. 27th. Hon. Mr. Mr. Ross is one of the most capable Ministers of the Government, and one of the best, if not the best, and most effective speakers on political subjects in Canada. He is a most ready, brilliant and convincing orator and the Opera House should be crowded to listen to an able and exhaustive exposition of the public questions now engaging the attention of the people of this Province. Ladies will be made welcome and assigned to seats in the gallery.

DURHAM LIBERALS.

Meet at Millbrook and Select Mr. Samuel Grandy, of Cavan, to be the Standard Bearer.

Millbrook, Thursday, January 20th.—The East Durham Liberal Association met in convention here to-day for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding at the coming Provincial general elections.

Dr. Powers, of Port Hope, the President of the Association, occupied the chair, and with him on the platform were: Messrs. Arch. Wood, W. S. Pickup, Millbrook; R. P. Ross, Dr. Corbett, S. Long, Col. McLean, Port Hope; T. W. McGuire, Manvers, and John Pritchard, Cavan.

The chairman in calling the meeting to order, briefly reviewed the political situation of the riding. The voters' lists had been carefully looked after and he was confident that the prospects for electing a Liberal in the riding had not been as good in many years.

Before the nominations for candidate were proceeded with, Reeve W. S. Pickup, of Millbrook, moved, seconded by Mr. Samuel Caldwell, of Hope: "That we, the Liberals of East Durham, assembled in convention, hereby pledge ourselves to support the nominee of this convention." This was unanimously carried and the following names were then placed in nomination: Messrs. W. H. McCallum and W. H. Walker, of Hope; Mr. W. S. Pickup, Millbrook; Mr. John Fallis and Samuel Grandy, Cavan, and T. W. McGuire and Dr. Naismith, of Manvers. Messrs. McCallum and Fallis retired. After several ballots had been taken, the choice of the convention fell upon Mr Grandy.

Mr. Grandy, in accepting the nomination, said that he did so rather reluctantly as he considered there were stronger men in the Liberal party in the riding than he but owing to the unanimous nomination he had received, he would throw himself into campaign with all possible vigor. He had run in East Durham before in 1891 against Mr. Craig, and came very nearly being elected. He thought he had not lost any friends since then, and with the gain the Liberal party had made he was sure that it required only a little hard work, to send a supporter to the Hardy Government, at Toronto, from East Durham.

The meeting then dispersed with cheers for the Queen and Mr. Grandy.

Mr. Grandy was for many years Reeve of the township of Manvers, but now resided in Cavan for some time. In 1891 he ran against Mr. T. D. Craig, M. P., for the Dominion House and was defeated by only about sixty votes. He is very popular and will undoubtedly make a good run.

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HAVELOCK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. William Thorpe, engineer C.P.R., has gone to Smith's Falls to take charge of shunting engine, and Mr. Henshall has gone to Gwen Sound to take charge of C. P.R. shunting engine.

Messrs. Dryden and Frederick, of Campbellford, spent Tuesday last in town.

On Monday evening a number of the members of the Epworth League drove over to Campbellford to visit the Epworth League and report a pleasant journey.

The carnival to be held here next Friday night promises to be a grand affair. Valuable prizes will be given for fancy and comic costumes. There will be a mile race, a half-mile race and many others. Among the distinguished ice-flyers that are expected to be present are Fraser, of Norwood, Nattrass, of Millbrook and McGuire, of Havelock. The carnival will be under the management of Messrs. Knox & Wood.

The ice house is being rapidly filled these days with the ice from Norwood.

We congratulate Alf. McGuire on securing the most coveted cups both at Norwood and Campbellford carnivals.

There will be a meeting of the electors of Belmont and Methuen in the town hall at Belmont on Saturday next, for the purpose of nominating a deputy-reeve to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. W. Seeney.

There will be a grand concert in the Presbyterian church here on Wednesday evening, 26th inst., when Miss Tessa McCallum, elocutionist, will take a leading part, assisted by Miss E. M. Clark, contralto soloist, of Orangeville.

Mr. John Allin, of Peterborough, was in town on Tuesday purchasing a large quantity of wood here and at the Trent River.

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KEENE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eason of Otonabee celebrated their silver wedding on Monday evening, the 10th inst, with their children and about thirty invited guests, at Ennonville Corners. Mr. and Mrs. Eason were the recipients of a number of handsome presents as tokens of the love and esteem in which they are held by their friends and neighbours. All the members of the family were present, consisting of two sons and three daughters. It somewhat marred the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Eason that no grandchildren were present, but in all probability if God spares their lives 25 more years, a number of grandchildren will be present to celebrate the golden wedding. A very pleasant and enjoyable time was spent for several hours, and after congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Eason, the guests retired to their homes. The following is a partial list of those present and the gifts: D Eason, silver butter knife and sugar spoon; Geo Fife, parlour lamp; J J Eason, linen towels; John Fife, silver teapot; Allen Eason, linen towels; T A Eason, table linen; Milton Eason, silver cruet; W Spiers, linen; A Eason, linen; John Bryson, teapot and pitcher; D Eason, sr, silver butter dish and silver platters; A W Dickson, silver ink stand; Adeline Eason, bread and butter plates.

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HARVEY.

From our own Correspondent.

Rev. R. Macknight, Presbyterian missionary, is again back amongst us after an absence of some months. It is expected he will remain here for the winter.

Mr. John O'Donnell has again commenced operations on Squaw River, taking out cedar purchased from the Monson Boyd Co.

Mr. Geo. Brumwell, of Bridgenorth, was up this week arranging with the settlers for the purchase of their logs. It is reported that he has bargained for a considerable amount.

Mr. Wm. Simpson, of the Buckhorn road, who has been employed as cutter by the Dickson Co., was forced to resign owing to throat trouble. He is at present in Peterborough under medical care.

A social will be held at the residence of Mr. Frank Arscott on the evening of Feb. 1st, in aid of the choir of the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brumwell have removed to Bridgenorth.

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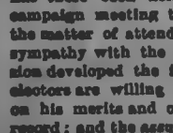

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A Responsible Statement Made That Government Has Decided to Add 7,000 Men to the Navy—Affairs in the Far East—Signor Nicolini Dead—Other News by Cable.

London, Jan. 21.—General Lord Wolseley, field marshal and commander-in-chief of the British army, speaking at a banquet in London this evening, refuted what he called "pessimist rumors current about the army."

Lord Wolseley asserted that if England declared war to-morrow she could have one of the finest and most fully equipped army corps in readiness for any British port before ships could be prepared to embark them. He said furthermore that, if the men were better paid, there would be no difficulty in obtaining recruits.

The Daily Mail, commenting on the recent Ministerial speeches and the proposed additions to the army and navy, thinks "it all proves that Lord Salisbury can be resolute when necessary."

There has been a responsible statement that the Government has decided to add 7,000 men to the navy, and that the first-class battleship Hannibal, now at Portsmouth, is to be put at once into commission. There is, however, no official information or confirmation in either case.

CHINA WAVERING.

While Recognizing the Advantage of British Terms Is Afraid of Russia.

London, Jan. 21.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times, telegraphing yesterday, says: "At his second interview with the Tsung-Li-Yamen yesterday (Wednesday) the remonstrance of the Russian Charge d'Affaires, M. Vavliff, was in the nature of intimidation against the opening of Ta Lien Wan. He threatened reprisals and a withdrawal of friendship and protection. The Chinese, while recognizing the advantage of the British terms as affording the best hope of maintaining the integrity of the Empire, are wavering."

A despatch to the Times from Shanghai says:

"It is stated in official quarters here that Germany will make Kiao-Chou an open port, without exclusive privileges to Germans, and broadly on the lines adopted at Hong-Kong, the land being held under Crown leases."

German Missionary Safe.

Berlin, Jan. 21.—The German missionary, Homeyer, of the Namefung station, who was recently robbed and wounded near a place called Langthen, has returned to Namjung. He is now out of danger. The Chinese authorities have taken measures to protect the missionary station, and have promised satisfaction.

Loan Situation Unchanged.

Pekin, Jan. 21.—Another loan conference was held yesterday. The situation remains unchanged. Great Britain reserves the right to exploitation in the Yang-Tse-Kiang Valley.

Dervishes Were Whipped.

Cairo, Jan. 21.—The Dervishes made a raid yesterday north of Atbara. They were repulsed with the loss of five men killed.

IZZET MARRIES A PRINCESS.

The Execrated Favorite of the Sultan of Turkey Especially Honored.

Vienna, Jan. 20.—A sensation has been created in diplomatic and official circles here by the news just received from Constantinople that the Sultan, as a crowning mark of his good will, has caused his universally execrated favorite, Izzet Bey, to marry the Princess Medinan Hanem Djellal, half sister of the late Khedive Tewfik of Egypt, and so first cousin of the Sultan, a member of the Imperial Ottoman family. The Princess is well known for her wealth and beauty and is much liked by the Sultan.

For the past three years Izzet, a man of the humblest Arab extraction, who was educated as a lawyer, has been the most powerful man in Turkey. As he is regarded as primarily responsible for the Armenian massacres, as well as for all the troubles which the foreign powers have had with the Sultan during the last two years, the news of this fresh mark of favor conferred upon him by his Imperial master has caused a feeling of uneasiness and dismay here, and is held to indicate the imminence of further difficulties at Constantinople.

SIGNOR NICOLINI DEAD.

The Husband of Adelina Patti Dies at Pau, France, From Bright's Disease.

London, Jan. 21.—A despatch to the Daily Telegraph says that Signor Nicolini, the husband of Adelina Patti, died yesterday at Pau, France, from a painful internal malady, from which he had suffered for nearly a year.

Signor Nicolini had been a sufferer from Bright's disease and other diseases for a long time. He had been aware a year or more before his death that he could never get well, and this knowledge was shared by Mme. Patti. The fact that he knew his disease must terminate fatally seemed to draw him closer to his wife. The devotion of the two was remarkable. For months she was hardly away from the sick room. Ever since her husband was taken ill Mme. Patti has given up all social and professional engagements to do for him what is usually expected of a trained nurse. Signor Nicolini was married to Mme. Patti in Wales in 1886. He had long been a famous tenor singer.

Mr. Gladstone Went Driving.

London, Jan. 21.—A despatch from Cannes says that, although Mr. Gladstone's neuralgia continues, he went out driving yesterday.

British Masonic Benevolence.

London, Eng., Jan. 21.—The annual contribution for the year 1897 for three Masonic institutions, the Royal Masonic Benevolent Institution for Indigent Masons, the Royal Masonic Institution for Girls, and the Royal Masonic Institution for Boys, amounts to £71,837, or $359,185, about $1,000 for each day in the year. In seven years (1891-7) the total subscriptions for the same charities amounted to $2,500,000. The Board of Benevolence in connection with the Grand Lodge of England relieved last year 330 cases, expending in this relief about £9,000 sterling, or $40,000.

Seven Men Drowned.

London, Jan. 21.—The small Leith steamer Herbert has foundered off Gunn Island, County Down, Ireland. Seven men were drowned and the captain alone was rescued.

Terriss Left $30,000.

London, Jan. 21.—The late Mr. William Terriss of the Adelphi Theatre, victim of the assassin, Richard Prince, left nearly £90,000 to his widow and children.

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WESTERN DAIRYMEN.

The Second Day of the Convention—Dr. Connell on Bacteria—Mr. Ruddick on Curing Cheese.

London, Ont., Jan. 21.—A meeting of the Cheesemakers was held yesterday afternoon at the Grigg House for the purpose of considering the advisability of a separate organization of the cheesemakers, with representation on the Dairy Board. The reading room of the hotel was packed, and several enthusiastic addresses were given. Mr. Anderson occupied the chair.

The session of the Butter and Cheese Makers' Association opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, and despite the inclement weather was well attended. President A. F. McLaren was in the chair.

The instructors' report was pretty fully discussed by Messrs. E. Hopkins, G. H. Barr, Harry White, J. M. Muir, Adam Bell, Robert Johnson, William Bothwell, W. N. Gray, C. W. Riley, R. M. Ballantyne, J. W. Cook, J. H. Thomas, Robert Robertson, W. P. Hibbard, I. W. Steinhoff and others.

Dr. W. T. Connell of Queen's College, Kingston, spoke on "Bacteria in Dairying." He gave much good advice regarding this the lowest form of animal life, which thrives best at 98 degrees. Cold does not kill the bacteria, and dark, damp cellars are very productive of the disease. Dry cellars expel it and the direct rays of the sun are sure death. Bacteria causes sourness and curdling.

Cheese Curing Experiments.

Mr. J. A. Ruddick, Illinois, was the next speaker. He spoke on "Cheese-curing Experiments," and followed along the line introduced by Dr. Connell. The cause of shrinking and discoloration in cheese was given. Improved construction would be a pronounced factor in curing cheese, with a uniform temperature. Moisture dries out of cheese as it does out of wood. If the curing room is allowed to be too dry the cheese will suffer in weight. When there is a tendency for the cheese to mould there should be plenty of light admitted to the room. Curing deserves more attention than has been given to it in the past.

A nominating committee was elected, composed of Messrs. Robert Johnson, Blyth; John W. Cook, Ingersoll; S. G. Kitchen, St. George; George Goodham, Ilderton; Harry White, Pottsville. The committee met in the afternoon and will bring in their report this morning, and the new officers will be installed.

President McLaren presented four gold medals, won at the Industrial and Western Fairs in competition for the best display of butter.

95,000,000 WHITE FISH.

The Canadian Government Experiment in Hatching Them at Sandwich.

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 21.—The Customs officials have received orders that hereafter the Canadian tariff laws must be strictly enforced to the very letter, the result of a big kick on the part of Windsor merchants, who say they feel the effect of Detroit's ten-cent stores. Hereafter the officers will be obliged to collect duty on all articles, no matter what the value.

The County Council is going to do its share toward the stamping out of the San Jose scale by appointing a fruit tree inspector, whose duty it will be to go around and point out the diseased trees to the farmers.

The Canadian Government is hatching out ninety-five million eggs of white fish at Sandwich to stock Lakes Erie, Huron, Ontario and St. Clair. William Parker, the superintendent, estimates that he will hatch at least eighty per cent. of the eggs, which is many times greater than the percentage if they were left to nature. In a river like Detroit, he said, the fish do not get a fair chance. They deposit their eggs on the mud or sand, and every vessel that passes churns up the water and deposits more mud or sand on them, and the young fish are smothered. Canada has kept well to the front in the artificial propagation of fish.

BRITISH WARSHIPS MOVING.

Her Majesty's Ship Pheasant Coaling for the Orient at Victoria, B.C.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 21.—The British fleet in Chinese waters is to be strengthened by vessels from this station. A telephone last night from Esquimalt conveys the information that H. M. S. Pheasant, one of the smaller vessels of the fleet, will sail to-day for the Orient, and that H. M. S. Imperieuse, the flagship of the station, will probably sail on Saturday.

Other vessels at present at Esquimalt, the Icarus, Leander and Phaeton, have received orders to be ready to leave at 45 hours' notice to cross the Pacific.

The officers pleaded ignorance of any contemplated movement of the fleet, when questioned, but admitted that the Pheasant and Imperieuse were being coaled and provisioned. The residents of Esquimalt, however, state positively that the vessels have orders as above.

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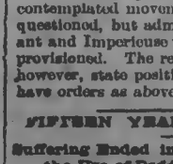

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Head and Throat Catarrh.

Catarrh in the head and throat for years. Some of the best doctors in Toronto tried hard but could not cure me. They said no more could be done. I became alarmed at the repeated failures and tried Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills as a last resort. The result is my catarrh is cured, strength and appetite are restored, and I am now strong and well as ever. Franz Fildes, Lithographer, Clarence House, London, Ont.

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I lacked confidence, snap, vim and energy. My vitality was low, my brain was worried and troubled so much that my system broke down. I got no benefit from all the other remedies I tried until at last I used Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills. They restored my health to robust vigor, and increased my weight surprisingly. My nerve power came back and I feel like I used to feel. I urge others to try them if they want to enjoy life. H. B. Williams, Guelph, Ont.

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Of the Y.M.C.A. will holds its regular meeting this evening. Topic, "The books every boy should read." This will be followed by a debate, Resolved, "That a boy who learns a trade is better off than a boy who goes to school."

Complimentary Benefit at C. L.A. Rooms to-night. Admission 15 cents.

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The Petrified Man.

This great scientific curiosity will be on exhibition for a few days in the premises lately occupied by the Sun Life Assurance Company, opposite the post office. Positively last chance to see this wonder, as it is to be shipped to Montreal and thence across the lines in a few days. Admission 10 and 15 cents. 5d

"How to Read and What to Read."

The debating club meeting of the Y.M.C.A. to-night will be open to the public when Mr. Sheriff Hall will give his talk on "How to read and what to read." The The meeting will be held in the parlour and Bible class room. All, including ladies, are invited. There will be a short musical programme.

Everyone Who Can Read or Write

Drop in and see the bargains we are offering during our stock-taking sale. We want everyone who reads or writes, to become a customer at the Peterborough Bookstore. We keep all the latest newspapers and periodicals, and supply them them regularly every week and month. Be a regular subscriber, and you will also be sure of your paper. Don't forget your Sunday reading.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

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HORSE THIEVES ABROAD.

A Warrant Issued for W. H. Stewart Alias W. Trompour.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of W. H. Stewart, alias W. Trompour, on the charge of stealing a horse and cutter yesterday from the Albion Hotel, Ashburnham.

The turnout belongs to Mr. Eugene Torpey, of Otonabee, whose son drives to school every day and leaves his horse at the hotel. Yesterday, Stewart, who has been working at the farm, drove into town with him and during the afternoon took the horse from the stable and disappeared with it.

The case has been placed in the hands of High County Constable Cochrane and the following descriptions of the turn out and the man are given:—Black mare with white strip on face, two white hind legs; not shod on hind feet; heavy mane and tail. Also taken at same time a square box cutter, grey robe, old harness with new lines. Stewart is a heavy set man about 35 years of age; heavy sandy moustache, face clean shaved; wore grey overcoat, black cloth cap with peak, patches on pants.

RETAIL MERCHANTS.

Their Association Getting Into Working Order.

At a meeting of the Retail Merchants Association last night, with Mr. H. J. Miller in the chair, Mr. Chas. Richor acted as secretary.

Messrs. M. Henry, Chas. Moore and A. Allison were appointed a committee to draft bylaws, etc., and report at the next meeting on Thursday evening, January 27th, in the council chamber.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING.

A Most Satisfactory Statement Presented at the Charlotte Street Church Wednesday Evening.

At a congregational meeting of the Charlotte street church Wednesday evening, Messrs. T.C. Elliott, Jno. Giles, T.J. Main, H. P. Kennedy, J. B. Oke, D. D. C. Dawe and Geo. Minorgan were elected as representative on the Quarterly Board.

The financial statement for the last quarter under the new regime was submitted, showing the collections from pew rents to be $300; contributions $300; plate subscriptions $95; coal collection $100; from other sources $25. It was estimated that the receipts for the ensuing year, including the last quarter, would amount to $2,980. This is the most satisfactory financial statement ever submitted at the Charlotte street church.

Another Lemon and Orange Sale Saturday. Spot Cash Grocery, 353 George street.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Tovey Entertain the Officers of the Daughters of England.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Tovey had the pleasure of entertaining the officers of the Daughters of England, at their residence, 159 Stewart street. A most pleasant evening was spent in games, singing and music. Refreshments were served and at the close a pleasant sleigh ride enjoyed, the members being thus taken to their homes, some residing at Auburn and others at Ashburnham. The party broke up at about one o'clock.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY

The hockey boys are going to Toronto, accompanied by a big crowd, on Monday afternoon. They will take advantage of the cheap rates afforded by the curlers' excursion.

Millbrook and Lakefield played off their second game in the junior O.H.A. series Wednesday afternoon at the rink. Millbrook has no ice this winter, and therefore the game had to be played here. Last week the team went to Lakefield and was beaten by eight goals to 7, but they more than made up the difference here Wednesday, when they won from Lakefield by the score of 7—3. The game throughout was most evenly contested, but Millbrook won out by its superior combination. Many of the latter team are old lacrosse players, and this was one of the factors which contributed to Lakefield's defeat, as the Millbrook boys are the heavier checks.

The score at the end of the first half stood 3—2 in favour of Millbrook, and it looked for some time as though the Lakefield boys would even the score, but two more goals scored by Millbrook gave them a cinch on the game. Lakefield scored another and Millbrook two more before time was called. The teams were composed as follows:

Lakefield		*Millbrook.*
Geo Newberry	goal	Dan Tucker
Gus sawyers	point	Walter Cassels
H Moore	cover point	A Leach
T Ridpath	forwards	J Nattrass
S Ridpath		T Nattrass
J Ridpath		H Duncan
W Stabler		F Leach
R Griffin	umpires	W Crossley
J H Sherin	timekeepers	Erale Clary

Referee—Walter Phelan.

CURLIANA.

At a meeting of the Thistle curlers last night Messrs. S. Ray and W. G. Ferguson were picked to skip the Tankard rinks, and Messrs. Rutherford, Connal and Hamilton to act in the same capacity for the rinks playink in the Lindsay—Peterborough competion.

The Thistles have arranged the following draws for the Innes medal, which they won this year from the Granites:

1ST DRAW.

1 E Rutherford / 2 J Connal		Bye
1 Ray	vs.	Kells
2 Hamilton	vs.	LeBrun
3 Bellegham	vs.	Ferguson
4 Rutherford	vs.	Winner of bye

2ND DRAW.

(a) Winner 2	vs.	Winner 3
(b) Winner 1	vs.	Winner 4

3RD DRAW.

Winner of a vs. Winner of b

The Thistles will play off their first draw in the Tankard Series on Wednesday in Toronto against Prospect Park.

Go with the crowds for Groceries at popular low prices. Alex. Elliott's Old Stand, 353 George street.

ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Rev. Mr. Moore and Rev. Mr. Shorey, chairman of the Peterborough District, gave addresses at Hiawatha Indian Missionary meeting last evening.

The Mark street church choir concert in the new town hall this evening promises to be a great success.

Mr. W. Wand is seriously ill again this week, being confined to his bed.

NICHOLLS HOSPITAL ANNUAL MEETING.

MR. RICHARD HALL IS AGAIN ELECTED CHAIRMAN.

The Receipts from Pay Patients Less by $1,000 than in 1896 through the Good Health Enjoyed by the Community—This also Reduced the Government Grant by $225.

The annual meeting of the Nicholls Hospital Board took place yesterday with Mr. Richard Hall, the chairman, presiding. Among the other members present were Messrs. R. S. Davidson, W. Aldridge, Jas. Stevenson, W. H. Hill and Dr. Fife.

Mr. J. Crane, secretary-Treasurer, presented the following financial statement for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1897:

RECEIPTS.

Pay patients	$ 1,182 25
Province of Ontario grant	2,335 77
Income from endowment	4,073 00

EXPENDITURES.

Butter and eggs		$ 207 74
Bread, flour and meal		390 68
Butchers' meat		438 40
Contingencies		202 52
Drugs and medicines		763 64
Fuel		867 48
Groceries and provisions		311 51
House furnishings		561 51
Ice		34 40
Light		393 25
Lady Superintendent (petty cash)		120 00
Milk		126 50
Ordinary repairs		830 38
Salaries and wages		2,586 97
Tea and coffee		51 60
Vegetables		245 37
Water		122 57
Wine, beer and spirits		75 50
Hay and straw		60 00
Surgical appliances		85 15
	$7,570 12	$8,633 66
Expenditure over revenue	$1,063 54	
	$8,633 66	$8,633 66

BALANCE SHEET.

Dr.

Furniture	$ 4,000 00
Real estate	25,000 00
Endowment Fund	95,000 00
Revenue and expenditure	1,031 06

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Assets	$ 124,000 00
Due Ontario Bank	1,031 06
	$125,031 06 $125,031 06

As will be noticed the excess of expenditure over receipts is $1,031.06, which was occasioned by the total amount received from pay patients, being about $1000 less than that received in 1896. The provincial grant was also $225 less as there were fewer free patients treated. The good health enjoyed by the citizens, as shown by the recent report of the Medical Health Officer of the town, is also a direct reason for the falling off of the receipts. There is a reduction of about $150 in the expenses as compared with last year, even though there was an extraordinary expenditure of $600, which would make in reality a reduction altogether in the ordinary running expenditure of $750.

The report was adopted.

THE OFFICERS.

Officers for the ensuing year were then elected as follows:—

Chairman—Richard Hall.
Honorary Secretary—R. S. Davidson.
Sec.-Treas.—J. Crane.
Finance Committee—W. H. Hill, A. P. Poussette, R. S. Davidson, Jas. Stevenson, C. McGill and the mayor.
Property Committee—W. Aldridge, John McClelland, R. S. Davidson, Dr. Fife and the mayor.
Supply Committee—John McClelland, R. S. Davidson, Wm. Aldridge, J. D. Tully and W. H. Hill.
Visiting Committee:
January and July—W. H. Hill and the Mayor.
February and August—A. P. Poussette and John McClelland.
March and September—Wm. Aldridge and J. D. Tully.
April and October—Richard Hall and Dr. Fife.
May and November—C. McGill and R. S. Davidson.
June and December—Jas. Stevenson.

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PERSONAL.

Miss Ida Banfield, of Toronto, is visiting Mrs. McCallum, Brock street.

Mr. E. A. Peck has been elected chairman of the Ashburnham School Board.

Mrs. G. W. Little is again able to be out after being confined to the house for some time.

Mrs. Geo. Gobiel, who has been in Toronto for the last few days, has returned home.

Mr. W. H. Armstrong left yesterday morning for Toronto, where he has secured a position as pattern maker in the Polson Iron Works.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCracken, of Mexford, and Mrs. McCracken's sister, Miss Roberts, of Omemee, are visiting at Mr. John Lockhart's, Harvey street.

Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed was in town and Ashburnham Thursday, saying good bye previous to his departure on Tuesday next for the parish of Norway, North Eastern Toronto, to which he was recently appointed rector. During his stay of two and a half years in this vicinity Mr. Reed has made many warm friends whose earnest good wishes follow him. Mr. Reed himself leaves his late field of labour with regret; he has received so much unvaried kindness that he will always have a warm place in his esteem for his many kind friends in Otonabee, Ashburnham and Peterborough.

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THE CHAPLAIN ENTERTAINS

The Non-Commissioned Officers of the 57th Battalion.

Last evening the non-commissioned officers of the Rangers assembled by invitation at the residence of their chaplain, Rev. J. C. Davidson, where a most enjoyable evening was spent.

The non-coms. have plenty of good talent in their ranks, and a most pleasing programme of vocal music and recitations was given.

Refreshment were served at the close of a most pleasant evening, and all retired delighted with their enthusiastic chaplain's hospitality.

OTONABEE WEDDING BELLS.

Celebration of the Boyce-Bell Nuptials on Wednesday Last.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place on Wednesday last at the residence of Mr. Wellington Boyce of Otonabee, when his daughter, Miss Lizzie Boyce, was united in marriage to Mr. Matthew Bell of Selwyn.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. McLeod of the Gilmour Memorial Church, assisted by Rev. A. T. Dykeman of the Murray street Baptist church.

Those present were the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

A large number of most handsome presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell left yesterday on their wedding trip.

Remember the Curling and Hockey excursion to Toronto and Hamilton. Good going on the 23th and on the p.m. trains on the 24th. Toronto $2.00. Hamilton $2.50.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 29° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	35°	24°

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STRATTON SPEAKS AT BAILLIEBORO.

ANOTHER ROUSING CAMPAIGN MEETING.

Large Attendance—An Able Presentation of Provincial Issues Enthusiastically Received.

The rousing first meeting in Mr. Stratton's campaign at Bensfort, was followed by a similar one at Bailliebore last night.

In spite of the stormy evening the hall was well filled with an audience of the intelligent farmers of the vicinity.

Mr. John Porter was voted to the chair, and the usual invitation was given to any speaker, in Mr. Garvin's behalf, to take a seat on the platform, but no one responded, though two of his prominent supporters from Peterborough were present in the audience.

The first speaker of the evening was Mr. F. D. Kerr, who said the electors had met to take part in the discussion of public issues, and to discuss whether the people would continue the flattering confidence they had reposed in Mr. Stratton or transfer their allegiance to a stranger. The Opposition made the claim that the present Government had had so long and successfully governed the Province of Ontario. The Opposition claimed that the Government had made many mistakes. We all as individuals or Governments make mistakes, but it was a matter of fact that the Liberal Government had made fewer mistakes in twenty-five years than any other Government that ever existed. They have in the past twenty five years spent eighty-nine millions of dollars, and there is not a possibility of sustaining a charge that a single dollar had been corruptly expended. The Opposition charged extravagant expenditures. The Opposition charged that the Government had been too long in power, but we could not have too much of a Government that had spent many millions of dollars, and not a dollar has stuck. Look at the boodle reign in the Dominion and Quebec. Do they want a change in the direction of having more boodle in circulation? We did not want such a change. Reference was made to the record of the Ontario Government in the way of encouraging agriculture, and it was contrasted with the indifference, if not hostility, of the Opposition to the wants of the farmers. The Ontario Government was a business government and didn't talk as much as they accomplished. They had dealt practically with the timber question and had done so in a business like manner. The speaker suggested that the Opposition dealt in small issues and were justified in such a course because on all large issues. the Opposition could not but agree with the government's position.

Mr. Stratton said that before entering upon a discussion of public questions at issue in the campaign it would be advisable to pay a little attention to the utterances of the political missionaries who had recently visited this and other parts of the riding. He had not had the pleasure of hearing these gentlemen and he would therefore have to trust to the reports of their addresses as they appeared in the Review newspaper, but this might not be depended upon for it was a favourite practice of the Opposition orator to go about the country making extraordinary statements and then when brought to book deny these reckless statements or put the blame on incorrect newspaper reports and he, Mr. Stratton, did not much blame them. If he had made such reckless and misleading statements as had been made by some of the speakers in Mr. Garvin's behalf and by that gentleman himself, he would be glad of some hole to crawl into and the smaller the better. (Laughter.)

In speaking at Bailliebore Mr. Dennistoun, a lawyer from Peterborough,—and it was strange to see what a special interest the limbs of the law took in Mr. Garvin's campaign—said according to the Review's report that, "The Reform Government of to-day was not the Liberal Government they had been supporting a year gone by." This was only a half truth. True there had been a

PARTIAL CHANGE OF PERSONNEL

but the policy, the principles, the animating spirit of the present Liberal cabinet was the same as that which had for so many years given the province the best government, the best code of statutes of any government that had existed the past century or for the matter of it any other century of history. It was true that Mr. Pardee, a prominent member of the Mowat Government, died about a dozen years ago, and was succeeded by Hon A. S. Hardy, the present Premier, who in the first sale of timber lands under his jurisdiction embodied the condition that all logs cut on these lands should be manufactured in Ontario, thus anticipating what Mr. Whitney claims as his policy by over half a dozen years. Hon. C. F. Fraser died after the last general election, and was succeeded by Hon. Mr. Harty, of Kingston, who has kept up the high standard of official integrity that distinguished Mr. Fraser's department, especially in relation to public works, and of whom somebody said the Ontario Parliament buildings in Queen's Park were the only monument he needed —as they were an embodiment in stone of unbending integrity and undeviating regard for the public interests, for costing over a million and a quarter of dollars, the most reckless opponent had

NEVER HAD A HINT

that a single dollar had been improperly or wrongfully expended. True Sir Oliver had retired from the premier's seat, but he had a worthy successor in Mr. Hardy, whom Sir Oliver named to follow him, who had imbibed Sir Oliver's spirit, and had had his training under Sir Oliver Mowat. Though the late premier was no longer a member of the Cabinet, he occupied the position he was well qualified to adorn, and that was a position in which he could watch the course of legislation, and had the authority to assent to or decline to assist the laws passed by the Legislature. Though there had been personal changes in the Cabinet, the ruling spirit of economy was still there. The genius of legislation still was in the cabinet councils, and directed the course of law making. The same honesty of purpose, the same progressive spirit prevailed. In the spirit of the old song that expressed the unperishable nature of great principles—

John Brown's body lies mouldering in the tomb,
But his soul goes marching on.

Though the bones of former members of the Cabinet were in the tomb, the undying spirit of nobler aims inspired the councils of the present Cabinet.

On the same occasion Mr. Dennistoun said that "Mr. Hardy had always been known as the wicked partner, and his conduct as a politician amply justified the expression." Did Mr. Dennistoun give you any instances where Mr. Hardy's conduct justified the statement he made? He did not, for he could not and speak truthfully. It is a

VERY BASE THING TO DO

to make assertions that robbed the first statesman of the first Province of the Dominion of his political character without submitting a word of proof. No one knew better than Mr. Dennistoun, a lawyer, that assertions without proof are utterly worthless in a court of law and are as worthless and more defenceless in the court of public trial when the trial of a government is taking place, and where the largest interests of a great province are at stake. They should always distrust public men who would make such sweeping statements. Mr. Dennistoun said that "in the last Dominion elections the Conservative party was in the same unfortunate position as the Liberal party was to-day." "In the same position?" asked Mr. Stratton, and he went on to point out that the Liberal party of Ontario was a unit to day, all working energetically, harmoniously and with splendid augury for success in the support of the Government in which they had implicit confidence. He recalled the condition of the Conservative party in the last Dominion election, for a period of a month or two preceding, when the Conservative ministers went on strike and the revolting ministers knifed their venerable leader, railing on him as an imbecile—a political fool—and provoking the retort on the part of the leader that his rebel colleagues, the mutineers that had conspired to maroon him were a "nest of traitors." The "Liberals are in the same position" are they? Are any of the Liberal cabinet ministers on strike? Are they

KNIFING THE PREMIER

under the fifth rib? Is there any "nest of traitors" in the Ontario Liberal cabinet? Mr. Dennistoun, in order to have a fling at the Liberals, asperses his own party. He says, as reported in the Review, there was "no predominant intellect among the leaders of the (Conservative) party." What about Sir Charles Tupper? Was Mr. Dennistoun's statement a voice from another "nest of traitors?" Is Sir Charles an "imbecile." No, Sir Charles is "on deck" still and aiding Mr. Whitney, so it is stated, to carry the provincial election. Mr. Dennistoun also said at Bailliebore that it "was the duty of all good citizens to place country before party." That was something that could be heartily endorsed. That was all we asked or wanted in the provincial campaign. That was all we asked or wanted in the West Peterborough campaign. He (Mr. Stratton) asked the people to judge the present Ontario Government on its record. He asked the electors to judge their representative for twelve years and the candidate supporting the Government in this campaign by his record. If the people do that, looking to the interests of the country and to the interests of the riding without reference to party, but with a single eye to the interests of the province and the riding, he (Mr. Stratton) would have no fear of the result.

Mr. Stratton then said he would turn his attention to another of Mr. Garvin's political advocates, who had particularly distinguished himself in the way of making statements that were not on speaking terms with the truth, and who displayed not only a bold disregard for truth, or an ignorance of what he was talking about that was equally inexcusable and wrong whether it arose from ignorance or intent. Mr. Poussette, a Peterborough lawyer, said at Bailliebore that "farmers had often good cause to complain of the men selected to be candidates." This was one of the few statements made by this gentleman on a platform that the speaker or the facts could agree with. This was the time they had really reason to complain of the Conservative candidate. For, apart from intrinsic objections, the farmers had no hand in selecting the candidate. It was well known that no local Conservative of standing, or indeed any other, would take the risk of a contest. The farmers of South Monaghan or any other township were not asked to help select a candidate. A couple of town Conservatives, for purposes of their own, and doubtless with spoils in view, engineered a convention of sympathisers in the desire to have a contest at any cost, and a convention of town people was convened, and as the meeting was held at night and in a secret society hall, there were at the outside not more than

TWO FARMERS PRESENT.

Really "the farmers," as Mr. Poussette said, "had good cause to complain of the men selected to be candidates," especially as a candidate had been thrust upon the farmers without their having a voice in the matter, at a so called convention which was nothing more than a town caucus. But if the farmers had "good cause to complain of the men selected as candidates, they had even better cause to complain of the men sent out to worry the farmers into endorsing a "hole and corner" candidate. Mr. Poussette was a lawyer, and a Q.C.—a Queen's Counsel, and the statements he made on the platform showed that he was either wilfully misrepresenting facts or that he was wofully ignorant. Speaking in that very hall a night or two ago, Mr. Poussette said, as reported in the Review:

"At Ottawa was an Auditor General who was independent of the Government, who carefully scrutinized all accounts and expenditures. This watch-dog of the Dominion treasury had been appointed and protected for governmental control by the late Hon. Alex. MacKenzie who, as an honest man, had adopted such a method of safe-guarding the treasury from the numerous of his hungry followers. The Liberal Government of Ontario claimed to have an Auditor-General and wilfully tried to deceive the electorate, for the Ontario Auditor-General was subject to dismissal by the Government in power and therefore dare not take independent action as was done by the Auditor-General at Ottawa. Among many reforms Mr. Whitney proposed to imitiate the Hon. Alex. MacKenzie in the respect referred to in order to adequately protect the public."

It could be hardly possible that Mr. Poussette could be ignorant of the truth, which was exactly

OPPOSITE TO WHAT HE HAD STATED.

Mr. Stratton held in his hands a copy of the statutes of 1896 containing the Act appointing the Ontario Auditor-General and defining his duties, which meant that every item was scrutinized by him and passed through half a dozen hands before its expenditure was authorized and unless the money to cover the expenditure had passed Parliament it "did not go." The Ontario Auditor General was not the servant, but in his official capacity was the master of the Government and was only responsible to Parliament. His appointment was confirmed by Act of Parliament and he could only be dismissed by Parliament. The Government had no more power to dimiss the Ontario auditor-general without consent of the Legislative Assembly, than they had to dethrone the Queen. They could no more do away with the Act of Parliament appointing him than they could repeal the Confederation Act by an Order-in-Council. Mr. Stratton urged the farmers to beware of such men who came to them with wilful perversion of the truth. Language could not be used on a public platform strong enough to condemn such conduct. Such an attempt to deceive the electors was on a par with the tactics of the hay-fork swindler, in his attempt to swindle the farmers. The only true thing said by Mr. Poussette at Bailliebore, as reported in the Review, was that the farmers had cause to complain of the candidates selected, but he would have spoken a greater truth if he had said the farmers had greater cause to complain of the men sent out to bolster up, by false, statements, the cause of a candidate selected at a caucus without consulting the farmers.

Mr. Garvin, the candidate the farmers were asked to accept at Bailliebore, asserted that the government was guilty of squandering the public funds. But he didn't give an example because he couldn't do so, nor could any other man. There were two ways of looking at things, and the supporters of the Government and the Opposition differed as to means of doing things, but the Opposition had failed to furnish a single example of squandering the public funds. Mr. Whitney had made wild charges in this direction on the stump but in the House, where he was

CHALLENGED TO FURNISH PROOF

he didn't open his mouth on the subject with any proof of any kind whatever. Another of Mr. Garvin's charges was that the government had seized every official position to keep themselves in power, but he didn't mention an instance, and the only one mentioned by the Opposition that had any force was the government's taking into their hands the appointment of Division Court clerks and bailiffs, and they were justified in so doing, for the change had resulted in the removal of conditions that were created under the system that had previously prevailed that permitted great possibilities of laxity of attention by officials to their duties without proper check. Such a state of things was wrong, and the legal profession and all concerned were glad that the appointments were taken out of the judge's hands. Another matter complained of was the "seisure" by the government of the power to issue licenses. Mr. Stratton justified such action as having been done to meet the wishes of ministers, temperance advocates and the municipalities themselves and no municipality desired to return to the old system, for the new way had worked admirably, and had resulted in a great reduction of the evils of the drink traffic. Mr. Garvin insinuated that the Patrons had forced the Government to take action in the matter of Government House. Mr. Stratton showed how he had favoured a reduction of expenditure in this connection, explaining the course the Government was taking to realize on the expensive residence and grounds, which was erected prior to Mr. Mowat taking office, with the result that enough will be realized to build a smaller residence for the Lieut-Governor, and provide a fund for meeting the expenses of its maintenance. Mr. Garvin's rash statement regarding the treatment of timber by the Government was referred to and it was pointed out that, though the timber might not be so abundant as it was a few years ago, yet that deficiency was to a large extent made up by the great increase in value, a fair estimate gave reason to say that at the past average rate of cutting there was enough timber

TO LAST A HUNDRED YEARS,

and the recent practical action taken by the Government to protect timber from fire and for reforestering large areas, would result in extending the time greatly In regard to Mr. Garvin's complaints in reference to the Normal School and Penetanguishine Reformatory, there were many in West Peterborough, as well as all over the province, that wanted their sons to enter the Normal school. There was no room for them in the existing institutions, and the Government had decided to build a new Normal School building in London. There was one in the east, in Ottawa, another in the centre at Toronto, and the Government though it was fair to intending pupils to put one in the west at London. As to the Reformatory, there was need for increased asylum accommodation to take away the stain of keeping these unfortunates in our jails, and it was decided to convert the Reformatory into an asylum, and establish the Reformatory in Oxford County, where the boys could be taught farming, which could not be done at Penetanguishene as the land was unsuitable. Incidentally referring to the timber question, Mr. Stratton pointed out that the Government had been economical and prudent in their treatment of it with the view of securing the greatest possible amount of revenue for it.

The Eagledue mining arrangement, or "deal," as it was called by the Opposition, was fully explained. It was necessary to divert the stream of British capital that was finding its way to South Africa and Australian gold fields to Canada, whose untold wealth of minerals required capital for its development. Col. Eagledue, representing a wealthy British syndicate, was given the right to prospect on an area about equal to the size of an ordinary township, on the condition that the large sum of $120,000, be expended in exploration in three years, and if they discovered gold in paying quantities it did not become theirs and they had only the same as other prospectors to locate a claim and secure it in the regular way. The arrangement was a business one which was approved of by all reasonable men and the

ONLY OBJECTION OF MR. HAYCOCK,

leader of the Patrons, was that it was the only such bargain made and that it would be a good thing if other syndicates could be induced to invest capital on similar terms.

Mr. Stratton then went on to deal with the increased expenditure showing how it was justified by the demands of the public, and how it was distributed to lessen the burden of direct taxation. The Ontario Government levied no taxes, and of the large amount it was necessary to spend the government did not spend a large part of it, it was

RETURNED TO THE PEOPLE

and the people themselves spent it. A large amount was spent upon education and this the people demanded and deserved, and neither the people nor politicians could complain. Another large amount, the largest in the list of classified expenditures, was that for providing for and maintaining unfortunates in our asylums, and there was not a province nor state that maintained these persons so well and so cheaply as Ontario. After going through all the departments, by which the people directly benefitted, and pointing out the immense expenditure that had been made to decrease local taxation, Mr. Stratton pointed out that all this had been done, and the past year the government had a surplus or current account on the past year's operations of over $300,000 in the treasury, and there was a surplus of assets of over five and a half million dollars, drawing interest from the Dominion Government at the rate of five per cent., and if it were converted at the current rate of interest in England, that was, 3½ per cent., this five and a half millions of surplus would represent the magnificent total of nearly seven millions. Was the Province, then, in a bad shape, and was there the least prospect of direct taxation? It might be asked why, if the Government had a surplus, the railway liabilities to accrue, amounting to $3,060,000, were not paid off? Would it be good policy to withdraw money drawing five per cent. interest to pay liabilities that were being gradually extinguished by payments from current revenue, and that were bearing a much lower rate of interest, and lose $62,000 a year in the process? It would not pay. The Government were acting in these matters like business men anxious to discharge their trust to the best advantage of the people. After all had been done—after thirty years of practically Liberal administration in Ontario (for Sandfield Macdonald was a Liberal), after expending in that time about ninety-three millions of dollars without one tenable charge of crookedness, the province could look the world in the face and say that it owed no man a cent. (Cheers.)

THE PIGGERY CASE.

One of the matters that wasted the whole of the time of the Public Accounts Committee during the past session was that "squealing farce," the notorious St. John "piggery issue," which Mr. Garvin and his friends, Mr. Stratton supposed, had referred to at Bailliebore and—

A voice—"They never mentioned it!"

Mr. Stratton—"They are getting ashamed of it, as they are of many of the other false and petty cries they raise. (Laughter.)

A voice—"They are keeping it for Centreville!"

Mr. Stratton said Centreville was to be pitied if the people there would suffer from such a surfeit of diseased pork and diseased political malice as the Public Accounts Committee had suffered. He then briefly explained the piggery matter. Many were under the mistaken impression that the piggery matter was something new, something recent, but it happened nearly two years ago, and was conveniently resurrected on the eve of an election. For the purpose of using up the refuse of the public institutions the Government maintained piggeries at them, and the hogs fattened by this refuse yielded a considerable sum. The Toronto City Council declared that all piggeries must be removed from the city limits. Accordingly an acre of land was purchased at the Humber and a piggery built and equipped with the best appliances, and stocked with pigs, and the profit of their sale at the time cholera attacked the herd was at the rate of $2,000 a year. In 1895 the hogs took sick; the caretaker as any farmer would do, called in a veterinary surgeon. He said the hogs were overfed; they were fed less and still continued to die. Dr. Smith, the president of the Veterinary College, Toronto, and Dominion Inspector, appointed by the Conservative Government, was sent for and

PRONOUNCED THE DISEASE CHOLERA,

in which Mr. Sweetapple, another professor in the College, agreed. Dr. Smith in the name of the Dominion Government, took charge of the piggery, took it entirely out of the hands of the Ontario Government, who had nothing to say in the matter. He ordered the caretaker to kill and burn the diseased hogs, to slaughter the sound ones and put them in cold storage for sale, and out of 300 odd pigs all were burned but 97, and these were stored in the Central Prison refrigerator and sold after the most careful inspection by Dr. Sweetapple, to Mr. Harris, one of the largest buyers of pork in the province, and by him resold, and there never has been a word of complaint that the meat was not of the best quality, and it was only after the lapse of two years, when the men employed to kill the pigs found that they could not force the Government to give them more than ordinary pay for their work they made a scandal of the matter to Mr. St. John, who after nearly two years, brought the matter up in Parliament for the sole purpose of making political capital; and his name would go down to posterity linked with pigs. If he had taken action at the time the cholaraic pigs were killed, he might have got credit for instituting a "fresh" pork crusade, but after waiting for nearly two years, he had become the author of a pickled pork propaganda, and instead of getting the Government into a pickle, had dropped into it himself, and would be embalmed in the history of political pigs as St. John, the apostle of measly pork. (Applause.)

Mr. Stratton concluded a capital address, fair, moderate and convincing, which was listened to with the closest attention, by summarizing the claims that the Government and the representative of West Peterborough for the last twelve years had upon the support of the electors.

After votes of thanks to the chairman and the usual cheers, the meeting closed.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Cigars and Tobaccos

Of the Estate of W. B. RICKEY will be sold by Auction on

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With a thin shabby old Suit. Now you need a new one; it's late; so you wont have to pay so much.

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I have been troubled with Rheumatism for several months. I could scarcely get around. I had tried several remedies, but of no use. I read of the wonderful cures Dodd's Kidney Pills had done, and purchased one box. From the first box I began to get relief. I have used 4 boxes and I am cured.

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TWO INKY WAYS.

There was a man who advertised
But once—a single time.
In spot obscure placed he his ad.
And paid for it a dime.

And just because it didn't bring
Him customers by score,
"All advertising is a fake,"
He said, or rather swore.

He seemed to think one hammer tap
Would drive a nail clear in;
That from a bit of tiny thread
A weaver tents could spin.

If he this reasoning bright applied
To eating, doubtless he
Would claim one little bite would feed
Ten men a century.

Some day, though, he will learn that to
Make advertising pay
He'll have to add ads. to his ad.
And advertise each day.
—E. G. Townsend in New York Sun.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any *difference* if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery make rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive organs. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

An Ontario Klondiker Home.

Midland, Ont., Jan. 20.—James H. Brown, formerly of Byng Inlet, and who went to the Klondike last spring, is here on a visit to his brother-in-law, P. Potvin. He left Dawson City Nov. 29. His brother is there looking after their claims on the Indian River. He says that there is no actual starvation at Dawson and but slight prospects for serious suffering from hunger until supplies go in next spring. Before leaving he heard nothing of the discovery of the mother lode, which has since been reported in the papers. He intends returning to the Klondike next month.

The Boy Was Killed.

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 20.—Yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock a span of horses belonging to Mr. Sipie, a dairyman of Yarmouth Township, was being driven down the Blackwood Hill attached to a cutter, when they ran away, throwing the rig over and tossing the occupants into the road. One child, 8 years of age, a son of Mr. Sipie, was instantly killed and a young lady had her leg broken. The other two occupants of the rig received a bad shaking up, but no bones were broken. One of the horses was badly hurt and will likely have to be killed.

Yukon Relief Expedition.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 20.—It is now proposed to start the Government Yukon expedition from here on the steamer George W. Elder, which sails for Skaguay on Feb. 1. Major Jacobs of Vancouver barracks has engaged transportation on the Elder for 86 men, 200 tons of supplies and 80 mules.

John Martin of Lyndhurst Drowned.

Athens, Jan. 20.—John Martin of Lyndhurst was drowned last night. He attempted to cross the creek above that place and went down.

Tired, Nervous, Sleepless

Men and women—how gratefully they write about Hood's Sarsaparilla. Once helpless and discouraged, having lost all faith in medicines, now in good health and "able to do my work," because Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to enrich and purify the blood and make weak strong—this is the experience of a host of people.

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Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. LYMAN SONS & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup removes worms of all kinds from children or adults

SEAL SEIZURE CLAIMS.

Particulars of the Award Made by the International Arbitration—Farmers for Free Binder Twine.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Particulars of the award by the International Arbitrators on the Behring Sea seizure claims are published. They show that the award has been based on the actual damages established, with interest added, and without taking into calculation the "prospective damages" or the loss of the sealers through being deprived by the seizures of the opportunity of completing the season's hunting, for which they had outfitted. The total is thus made up:

	Damages.	Interest.	Award.
General claims	$2,641,888	$149,790	$413,979
Personal claims	30,000	19,475	49,475
Totals	$294,188	$169,265	$463,454

The Free Press says the proposition of the cordage manufacturers to restore the duty upon binder twine has raised a storm among the farming classes, the effects of which have not been slow in reaching Ottawa. Representations have been made in the very strongest way to have binder twine retained upon the free list. Probably a farmers' deputation may follow.

Mr. Bertram, M.P. of Toronto Centre, is mentioned as likely to either move or second the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne.

About a dozen models of the statues of Her Majesty and of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie by Canadian artists, have been submitted and will likely be placed on public exhibition.

Among Torontonians here yesterday were Robert Jaffray, A. B. Aylesworth, S. F. McKinnon and S. R. Wickett.

George Taylor, M.P., was in town yesterday.

The Cabinet was busy yesterday afternoon with the estimates.

Major Sutherland, M.P., is here.

Yukon Mining Certificates.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The "free miners'" certificates, which every man who intends mining in the Yukon must take out at the price of $10 per head, will be ready for the public in a day or two. Personal application will be required on the part of those desiring them, as the certificates must be countersigned in the presence of the Government officers in Toronto, Montreal, Victoria and Vancouver. These licenses will be issued by the Collector of Customs in Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Prince Albert and Kamloops, and the agent of the Dominion Lands will be the authorized person. Inspectors of Mounted Police in the Yukon, as well as the gold commissioners of the country, will also be clothed with authority to issue these licenses.

Owing to the great interest which is being manifested in Klondike matters in England similar provision will be made for acquiring licenses at the offices of the High Commissioner in London and the agents for Canada at Liverpool, Dublin and Glasgow. These licenses entitle the holders not only to mine and prospect, but also to free fishing and shooting and whatever timber they may require for their own use, either in the construction of dwellings or boats, or what may be necessary in mining operations.

The Hudson Bay Company realizes the great possibilities for trade which will be afforded by the Yukon rush, and will endeavor to capture a big share of the business. The company has just issued a beautiful folder, with an excellent map showing the different routes to the Klondike, giving the kind of outfit required, and above all emphasizing the point that, to avoid difficulty with the customs, such outfit should be purchased in Canada.

Enlisting for Mounted Police.

As foreshadowed the other day, enlisting for the Northwest Mounted Police force has commenced. The department will not send any men from Eastern Canada to Regina, but any man presenting the necessary physique and conditions, presenting himself at headquarters at Regina, will be engaged. Applicants must be between the age of 22 and 40, active, able-bodied men of thoroughly sound constitution, and must produce certificates of exemplary character. They must be able to write and read either English or French, understand the care and management of horses and be able to ride well. The term of engagement is five years. The minimum height is 5 feet 8 inches; minimum chest measurement 35, and maximum weight 175 pounds. The rate of pay for the first year is 50 cents per day, increasing to the last year, conditional upon good conduct, up to 70 cents per day.

Stage Line to the Yukon.

A deputation, representing the Commonwealth Mining Company, consisting of S. O. Shorey, J. C. Holden, Senator Thibaudeau, Mr. Bolque, Montreal; J. R. Barber, Georgetown; C. Riordan, Toronto; J. B. Powell of Nelson, B.C., and others, waited on the Government yesterday. The company has a scheme for a stage line between Edmonton and Dawson City, in the Yukon, which they say can be traveled in about 12 days. The distance is about 1,500 miles. They ask the Government to guarantee interest on bonds to the extent of $2,000 per mile for 1,500 miles. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Messrs. Blair, Tarte and Sifton saw the deputation.

Unorganized Territory.

Legislation will be introduced next session defining the position of the unorganized territories in the Northwest under the jurisdiction of the Federal authority. The claim of the Executive at Regina that they have control over the Yukon will not be recognized.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

Verdict for Lady Sykes.

London, Jan. 18.—A verdict in favor of Lady Tatton Sykes was rendered today in the suit brought by Mr. Daniel Jay, a money-lender, to recover £15,870, loaned to the defendant on promissory notes, signed apparently by her husband, Sir Tatton Sykes, but which the latter repudiated on the ground that the signatures were forged.

The foreman said the jury found that the signatures on the promissory notes, letters of authority, and letter dated Jan. 2, 1897, were not in the handwriting of Sir Tatton Sykes. The jury, therefore, non-suited the money-lender, Mr. Daniel Jay.

Another Missionary Attacked.

Berlin, Jan. 19.—A telegram received here from Canton says that a German missionary named Homeyer, belonging to the Namjung Station, has been robbed and wounded near a place called Lang then. The despatch adds that the Chinese Governor, on the intervention of the German Consul at Canton, telegraphed orders to take the measures necessary to deal with the matter.

Britishers Are Safe.

Bombay, Jan. 19.—Messrs. Hickie and Prunty, who escaped the massacre of the British survey party, which was attacked by natives at Mekran on Jan. 12, have reached Ormara, on the Arabian Sea.

Another Dervish Outpost Captured.

Cairo, Jan. 19.—The native troops from Kassala have captured another Dervish outpost, Mugulla, west of Kassala.

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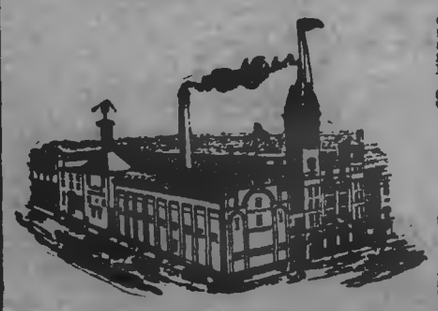

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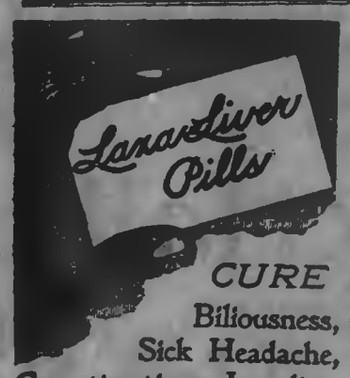

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A RAJAH'S TREASURE

BY C. B. LEWIS.

Six or seven years previous to the outbreak of the Indian mutiny the rajah of the province of Gwalior was dethroned for treason to the English. He had long been a ruler over one of the largest provinces in India and was known to be one of the wealthiest in the empire. He had an army of 2,000 men, a herd of 200 elephants and lived in a style no European monarch could approach. While professing to be friendly to the English he plotted against them, and when this was discovered steps were taken to curtail his powers. His army was reduced to a bodyguard of 100 men. His right to issue edicts and make local laws was abrogated. English civil officers were stationed here and there to collect the taxes, and the proud and powerful rajah held only his empty title. He bowed to the terms imposed by a superior force, but became one of the bitterest foes the English had to deal with and was first and foremost in bringing about the mutiny. The date of the outbreak was known by the deposed rajah weeks in advance. It was afterward charged that he set the date himself. At any rate he was so well prepared that his troops were almost the first in the field against the English. Although his army had been disbanded for three or four years, he had secretly purchased and stored away large amounts of equipment, and for two months previous to the outbreak he was secretly enlisting and arming his subjects.

Two weeks before the uprising the rajah made preparations to secure the safety of the great treasure. In his palace, 80 miles from Gwalior, he had a secret chamber, in which the wealth had been stored for three generations. No European had ever set foot in the palace, but it was currently reported that the value of the gems and jewels, many of which had been handed down from his great-grandfather, aggregated $10,000,000. It was afterward believed that this sum was too small by half. One day the rajah left his palace with an escort of ten of his oldest and most trusted soldiers, and each soldier had charge of a packhorse carrying a share of the treasure. His band traveled to the northwest for two days and then halted amid the ruins of an ancient city between the town of Jeypore and the river Ganges. So much was learned years after. At the end of five days the rajah returned to his palace, accompanied only by a servant who had acted as cook. This servant was locked in a dungeon and never seen again. No one dared to ask what had become of him or the soldiers, and if any one suspected that the rajah had removed his treasure from the palace he wisely kept his thoughts to himself, well knowing what would follow a word of gossip.

Two months after the rajah had taken the field against the English at the head of a thousand men he was killed in battle. A month later his palace was captured, looted of such treasure as the soldiers fancied and then destroyed by fire and explosion. The treasure room was found by the soldiers, but it was empty. From some of the servants it was learned how and when the wealth had been removed, but it could not be searched for until the rebellion had been put down. During the mutiny the soldiers were permitted to loot right and left, but when peace came the government reserved the right to search for all treasure hidden away. But little has ever been written on this subject, though it is a fact beyond cavil that money, gems and other things, valued at tens of millions of dollars, were recovered and turned into the government treasury.

No sooner was the civil government at Gwalior in working order than a party in charge of an official was started out to search for the rajah's treasure. By this time not a soldier or servant who knew anything of the matter could be found. It was simply known that the party had gone away to the northwest. After several days' search the treasure hunters came upon the ruins, and thinking the spot to be a likely place they began work. Here was a space of half a mile square of standing and fallen walls, with trees and bushes and vines growing in the greatest profusion, and a thousand safe spots in which to hide the treasure. The party, which numbered 4 Englishmen and 60 natives, went to work, however, and it was five months before they quit in despair. They reported to the government that it would take a thousand men fully two years to clear away the debris.

Soon after it had become generally known that the party had given up the search a native was arrested at Delhi charged with the murder of two European women at the outbreak of the mutiny. When he was put on trial, an English ensign testified in his behalf and proved that it was a case of mistaken identity. As soon as the native was released from custody he went to his preserver and declared that he was one of the rajah's soldiers who took away the treasure. It was buried in the ruins, he said, and when the work had been finished the rajah gave the party several bottles of wine to drink to his health. This wine was poisoned. Every man who partook of it except this one died within two hours. He was made very ill and simulated death to escape the rajah's dagger.

When the cold blooded ruler departed, leaving the dead to be devoured by beasts of prey, the sole survivor crawled away, and after a time recovered and made good his escape. He fought against the English to the last, but was ready to divide the hidden treasure with the man who had saved his life. Just at this time the government offered 25 per cent to finders of treasure, and the officer and native proceeded to Jeypore and made up a party. In due time they reached the ruins, but only to find the treasure gone. The native pointed out the spot where it had been concealed, and there was no doubt of his veracity, but some one had removed the wealth. As it had been taken away during the war it was almost useless to hope for a clew, but the native declared he would devote the remainder of his days to following the matter up.

It was three years before anything more was learned of the rajah's treasure. Then a native who was confined in prison at Lucknow for theft told a story which later on reached the ears of government officials. During the last six months of the war the regiment to which he belonged was encamped for some days near the old ruins. Nearly all the natives had come to realize that the English rule would soon be restored, and this man and five comrades decided to desert their colors and make their way to the east. Believing they would be pursued if they started off across the country, they secreted themselves among the ruins until their comrades marched away. They clambered over walls and stone heaps and crept amid vines and bushes until reaching the center of the ruins and finding a hiding place. In removing some of the debris for their own convenience they came across the treasure, which was in teak wood and iron boxes.

Here was the ransom of the greatest king in the world to be divided among six soldiers, not one of whom had ever been possessed of $25 at once in his life, but yet the devil of avarice soon entered into all hearts. In making a division of the spoils they quarreled, and within five minutes of the first hot words three of them lay dead. The three survivors were content that their shares had doubled, but the question was what to do with the treasure. They could carry only a few handfuls of it away on their persons, even if they could find purchasers in those turbulent times. After remaining in seclusion for two weeks and at a time when the neighborhood was clear of troops the treasure was carried a distance of nine miles toward the Ganges and reburied in a thicket. The three men then started for Delhi, each having a few of the gems with him, but within a week they were captured by mutineers and two of them shot down. The third was saved by influence and joined the troops and served to the end of the war. He was at Lucknow enlisting a party to go after the treasure when he committed a robbery and was sentenced to jail for a year.

The government lost no time in investigating this story. The prisoner retold it to officials and added such detail as made it plain that he was telling the truth. He was promised a pardon and 10 per cent of the value of the treasure for acting as guide, and he led a party straight to the spot. The hole where the treasure had been buried was speedily found, but of the gems and jewels not one remained. The despoilers had in turn been despoiled.

It was a year before another clew was found, and then it came through a woman. She was the wife of a ryot, or farmer, and from a hiding place in the thicket had seen the three soldiers bury the boxes and caskets. Her husband was in the rebel army, and after a few weeks, finding the soldiers did not return for their booty, she dug it up and reburied it in one of the cultivated fields. Her husband was killed in battle, and at the close of the war, when bands of natives were riding about and plundering right and left, her hut was one day visited by a band of six scoundrels who threatened her life. Being greatly terrified by their actions, she told them of the treasure, and they were speedily in possession of it. They decided to convey it down the Ganges by boat. It was taken to the river on horses by night, but instead of purchasing a craft they seized one by force and murdered the crew of three men. This craft, with the six robbers on board, was seen by various parties during the next four days, but it was a month later before the government got track of it. Every effort was then made to discover what had become of the men and their plunder.

It was found that the boat had reached Allahabad, where two men went ashore to purchase supplies, and she was again seen by various parties 80 miles below the city. Then all traces of her were lost. Every seaport was watched and every dealer in gems notified, but it was months before any new developments took place. Then a villainous looking native offered some diamonds and rubies for sale in Bombay and was arrested. He had on his person about $50,000 worth of unset gems. For several weeks he refused any explanations, but at length confessed that he was the leader of the gang who got the treasure from the woman.

After passing Allahabad they started to divide the treasure. As all were grasping and avaricious a quarrel arose, and in the height of this quarrel the boat ran upon a snag and received such damages that she soon filled and went down. Five of the men and all the treasure except that found on this man went to the bottom in 40 feet of water. The fellow stubbornly refused to name the locality or to go with a party, and after a few weeks died in prison of fever. A dozen different parties searched for the wreck at much trouble and expense, but it had been covered by mud or sand and could not be found. Of the vast treasures of the rebel rajah, computed on good authority at from $17,000,000 to $20,000,000, the trifling amount found on the robber was alone recovered. Only last year a party under orders of the government made a new attempt to discover the wreck, but after a search of four months gave it up in despair.

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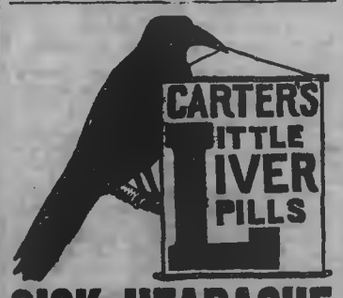

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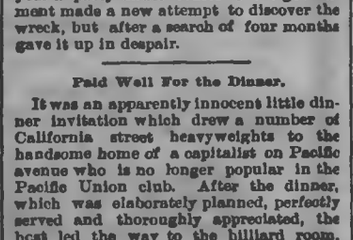

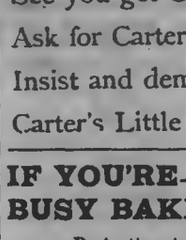

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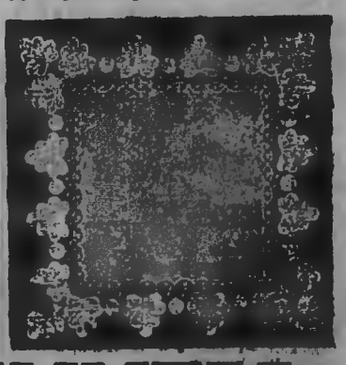

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The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

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They will send their costly and magically effective appliances and a whole month's course of restorative remedies, positively on trial without expense to any honest and reliable man!

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Is our month for selling off everything made in Furs for the season, left over from the holiday trade. The stock is well assorted and what we offer is most seasonable and stylish.

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CLASS 16—LEGHORNS. ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cock—1 and 2 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Cockerel—1 W Stewart & Son, 2 J R Hand, Fenelon Falls.
Hen—1 J R Hand, 2 and 3 Stewart & Son
Pullet—1 W Stewart & Son, 2 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 3 W Stewart & Son.

CLASS 17—MINORCAS, BLACK.

Cock—1 H C Winch, town.
Cockrel—1 J Tapley, Port Hope; 2 and 3, H C Winch.
Hen—1 and 2 H C Winch.
Pullet—1 Jas Tapley, Port Hope; 2 R J McGillevray, Kingston; 3 W T Junkin, Fenelon Falls.

CLASS 18—MINORCAS, WHITE.

Cockerel—1 J S Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 T M Haig, Hoards.
Hen—1 J F Osborne.

CLASS 19—HOUDANS.

Cock—1 and 2 True & Williamson, Lindsay; 3 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Cockrel—1 and 2 True & Williamson, 3 W R Knight.
Hen—1 and 2 True & Williamson, 3 W R Knight.
Pullet—1 and 2, True & Williamson; 3 W Stewart & Son.

CLASS 20—ANDALUSIANS.

Cock—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville.
Cockerel—1 W R Knight; 2 E R Tate, Lakefield; 3 W F Junkin.
Hen—1 W R Knight, 2 F M Haig, Hoards; 3 W H Reid, Kingston.
Pullet—1 W R Knight, 2 E R Tate, 3 W F Junkin, Fenelon Falls.

CLASS 21—WYANDOTTES, GOLDEN.

Cock—1 and 2, J H McGill, Port Hope.
Cockerel—1 and 2 J H McGill.
Hen—1 and 2, J H McGill.
Pullet—1 and 2 J H McGill.

CLASS 22—WYANDOTTES, SILVER.

Cock—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 J R Hand, Fenelon Falls; 3 E M Atwood, Lakefield.
Cockerel—1 and 2 J R Hand, 3 C H Curtis, Warkworth.
Hen—J R Hand, 2 W R Knight.
Pullet—1 J R Hand, 2 W R Knight, 3 C H Curtis.

CLASS 23—WYANDOTTES, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cockerel—1 W F Junkin, Fenelon Falls; 2 Brown & Morrow, Colborne; 3 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Pullet—1 Brown & Morrow, 2 W Stewart & Son, 3 W F Junkin.

CLASS 25—GAME, INDIAN.

Cock—1 and 2 J H Parsons, Port Hope; 2 J R Hand, Fenelon Falls.
Cockerel—1 J H Parsons, 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth.
Hen—1 and 2 J H Parsons, 3 W Stewart & Son.
Pullet—1 and 2 J H Parsons, 3 W Stewart & Son.

CLASS 26—GAME, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cockerel—1 John Robson, Peterborough; 2 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Hen—John Robson.
Pullet—1 J H Parson, Port Hope.

CLASS 27—RED CAPS.

Cock—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie; 2 Hayward & Co., Lakefield.
Hen—1 W Stewart & Son, 2 Hayward & Co.

CLASS 28—HAMBURGS, GOLDEN SPANGLED.

Hen—1, 2 and 3 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Pullet—1 W H Reid, Kingston.

CLASS 29—HAMBURGS, SILVER SPANGLED.

Cock—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 Hayward & Co., Lakefield.
Cockerel—1 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Hen—1 T Learmouth, Hastings; 2 W R Knight, 3 T Learmouth.
Pullet—1 C H Curtis.

CLASS 30—HAMBURGS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cock—1, J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 R Sinclair, Kingston.
Cockerel—1 and 2 Wm Elliott & Son, Oshawa; 3 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Hen—J F Osborne, 2 Wm Elliott & Son, 3 R Sinclair.
Pullett—1 Wm Elliott & Son, 2 W H Reid, Kingston; 3 Wm Elliott & Son.

CLASS 31—POLANDS, GOLDEN SPANGLED.

Cockerel—W Stewart & Son, Menie, 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth.
Hen—1 W Stewart & Son.
Pullet—1 C H Curtis.

CLASS 32—POLANDS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cock—1 C H Curtis, Warkworth.
Cockerel—2 W Stewart & Son, Menie.
Hen—1 C H Curtis, 2 C H Curtis.
Pullet—1 W Stewart & Son, 2 C H Curtis.

CLASS 33—JAVAS, ANY VARIETY.

Cock—W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 F E Milne, Kingston.
Cockerel—1 W H Reid, Kingston.
Hen—1 W R Knight, 1 W H Reid, 3 F E Milne, Kingston.
Pullet—1 W R Knight, 2 F E Milne, 3 W R Reid.

CLASS 34—BANTAMS, GOLDEN SEABRIGHT.

Cock—1 F E Milne, Kingston.
Cockerel—1 W H Reid, Kingstos; 2 F E Milne.
Hen—1 F E Milne.
Pullet—1 F E Milne, 2 W R Reid, 3 F E Milne.

CLASS 35—BANTAMS, SILVER SEABRIGHT.

Cock—W H Reid, Kingston.
Pullet—1 and 2 F E Milne, Kingston.

CLASS 36—BANTAMS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Cock—1 and 2 WH Reid, Kingston; 3 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Cockerel—1 and 2 W H Reid, 3 F G Lund, Peterborough.
Hen—1 and 2 W R Heid, 3 F G Lund.
Pullet—1 and 2 W H Reid.

CLASS 37—GEESE, WHITE.

Gander—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 W H Reid, Kingston.
Goose—1 J F Osborne, 2 W H Reid.

CLASS 38—GEESE, GREY.

Gander—1 C H Curtis, Warkworth; 2 Stewart & Son, Menie.
Goose—1 C H Curtis, 2 Stewart & Son.

CLASS 39—GEESE, TOULOUSE.

Gander—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 Stewart & Son, Menie.
Goose—1 W R Knight.

CLASS 40—GEESE, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Gander—1 Stewart & Son, Menie.
Goose—1 Stewart & Son.

CLASS 41—DUCKS, AYLESBURY.

Drake—1 J F Osborne, Bowmanville; 2 J F Osborne, 3 W H Reid, Kingston.
Duck—1 and 2 J F Osborne, 3 W H Reid.

CLASS 42—DUCKS, ROUEN.

Drake—1 W R Knight, Bowmanville; 2 Stewart & Sons, Menie.
Duck—1 Stewart & Son, 2 W R Knight.

CLASS 43—DUCKS, PEKIN.

Drake—1 W R Knight, 2 F E Milne, Kingston; 3 W R Knight.
Duck—1 W R Knight.

CLASS 45—TURKEYS, BRONZED.

Gobler—1 and 2 Wm Stewart & Son, Menie; J S Brummell, Peterborough.
Hen—1 and 2 Stewart & Son, 3 J S Brummell.

CLASS 46—TURKEYS, ANY OTHER VARIETY.

Gobler—1 T Learmouth, Hastings.
Hen—1 T Learmouth, Hastings.

CLASS 47—GUINEA FOWL.

Cock—1 F E Milne, Kingston.
Hen—1 F E Milne.

CLASS 48—BREEDING HENS.

Asiastic—1 I F Dormer, Peterborough; 2 Stewart & Son.
Mediterranean—1 McLaughlin & Sheridan, Oshawa; 2 W Stewart & Son.
American—1 and 2 Trew & Williamson, Lindsay; 3 B R Poole, town.
French—1 and 2 Trew & Williamson, Lindsay.
Any other variety—1 W Elliott & Son, Oshawa; 2 C H Curtis, Warkworth.

CLASS 49—RABBITS.

Pair Rabbits, Lop Ear—1 W Vicars, Peterborough.
Pair Rabbits, any other variety—1 Jas Head, Peterborough; 2 H T Luah.

CLASS 51—PIGEONS.

Pair Jacobins—1 W H Reid, Kingston; 2 J H McGill, Port Hope.
Pair Pouters—1 and 2 J H McGill, Port Hope.
Pair Fantails—1 and 2 J H McGill.
Pair Tumblers—1 J H McGill, 2 W H Reid.
Pair Antwerps—1 and 2 F G Lund, Peterborough.
Pair any other variety—1 J H McGill, 2 F G Lund.

CLASS 53—DRESSED POULTRY.

Best goose—1 Hugh Mackey, town.
Best turkey—Hugh Mackey, town.
Best pair of fowls—1 and 2 J H Parsons, Port Hope; 3 Hugh Mackey, town.

CLASS 54—SPECIAL PRIZES.

Entry fee, ten per cent. of amount offered.

Section 1. Oak Hall, clothiers, offers a silver butter dish, value $3 50, for largest number of entries in poultry by one exhibitor—Stewart & Son, Menie.

Section 2. W A Sanderson, jeweler, offers a clock, value $2 50, for the bird obtaining highest score card—Stewart & Son, Menie.

Section 3. Grafton & Co., offers a pair of pants, value $2, for best pen of Leghorns—Stewart & Son, Menie.

Section 4. F Schneider, jeweller, offers a pair of silver cuff links, value $3, for best pair of Asiatic fowl—Isaac Dormer, Peterborough.

Section 5. J C Turnbull offers a Black Java Cockerel, value $3, for best pair Plymouth Rocks—Trew & Williamson, Lindsay.

Section 6. Wm Madill, druggist, offers a bottle of perfume, value $1, for best Canary—Hugh Mackey, town.

NOTES.

Mr. H. C. Winch's fine black Minorcas were greatly admired, as was Mr. W. C. Rightmyer's exhibit of dark Brahmas.

Mr. Wm. Stockdale's grand St. Bernard "Lord Bute," was awarded first prize for being the best dog of his class owned in Peterborough. He was greatly admired by all visitors.

Another dog which was a great favourite with all was Ven. Archdeacon Casey's St. Bernard. He made great friends with the lady visitors especially.

Remember the Curling and Hockey excursion to Toronto and Hamilton. Good going on the 25th and on the p m. trains on the 24th. Toronto $2.00. Hamilton $2 50.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

The best Coffees and Teas at popular low prices. Spot Cash Grocery Co.

—H. P. Kennedy shipped a car of stockers to Buffalo yesterday.

—Complimentary benefit at C.L.A. rooms Friday evening, 21st January. Admission 15 cents.

—The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held on Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, in the town council chamber.

—Try E. Welsh's oyster patties, 25c per doz.; sausage rolls, 25c per doz.; shell oysters, No., 1, 35c per doz., and the best standard oysters in town 25c, per quart. Telephone No. 26a.

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—With genuine regret will it be learned by the obeesemen of the district that E. J. Madden, of Newburg, has passed away. He was a regular buyer on the local board and was a great favourite.

Catarrh Cure for 25c.

I suffered from Catarrh for years, and found Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure the best that I have ever used, and gladly recommend it to sufferers Yours truly,
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Gents,—I have used Hagyard's Yellow Oil in my family for croup and bronchitis during the past 12 years and never found it to fail. It cures every time. I have recommended it to my neighbours and they keep it on hand. I would not be without it for any price.

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing Sale.

GOUGH'S Greater Oak Hall

SPLITTING THE ACORNS IN TWO!

LIKE A BOMB-SHELL

Came the announcement a few days ago of the purchase by GOUGH BROS. of the Oak Hall Stock. Day and night, ever since, the thunder of Gough's Fusilade of Bargains has been both heard and felt all over the country. But yesterday, what were Bargains at Oak Hall, the lesser, did'nt GO. To-day they DO GO—at GOUGH'S GREATER OAK HALL—because they've GOT TO GO.

Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16,430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

62½ CENTS

On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum. Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's male population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

Look at the Inducements!

Workingmen's Suits
Gentlemen's Suits
Young Men's Suits
Boys' Suits
Gentlemen's Overcoats
Men's Heavy Ulsters
Boys' Overcoats
Boys' Reefers
Gentlemen's Trousers
Workingmen's Trousers
Corduroy Vests
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The pick of the Sanford Manufacturing Company—every Garment fresh from a High-Grade Clothing House—the perfection of Clothing—cut by the best skilled artists of the cutting table—designed and finished by the hands of experts. A tip-top article of Clothing worth 100 cents on the dollar every day in the year. But see how the acorns have dropped from their perch:—

Splitting the Acorns in Two!

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that bore the Acorn mark of $9.00, $10, $11 and $13. We cut the heart out of them and drop them to $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

LOWER-PRICED LINES in all sizes, at $2.95, $3.35, $3.75, $4.45 and $5.45.

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS—that hung on a slender Oak Hall profit at $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.25, $6.00 we have whittled down to $1.90, $2.68, $3.00, $3.58, $4.00.

CHILDREN'S SUITS $1.49, $1.78 and $2.00.

The Relentless Boom will sweep through the entire establishment, from end to end. We bought the stock to sell at at a sacrifice, and when we say the goods must GO, —that settles it!

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"The Dr. Livingstone Cough Pills you sent me came in good time, as our children have all had colds. The Pills gave INSTANT RELIEF. They break the cough AT ONCE. They are the best remedy we have ever used for a cough." GEORGE A. BAPTIE, Lakefield.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

Meeting of St. Andrew's Branch of the Young People's Society.

Last Monday evening St. Andrew's Y.P.S.C.E. was left in the hands of the Missionary Committee, Miss Anderson introducing the topic: "Fishers of Men—How to Win Souls." She urgently pressed the necessity of soul winning—first we must have a personal knowledge of Christ as our Saviour, St. Paul could point others to Christ because he had a personal knowledge of Him. The Bible is full of example teaching the promise of power and blessing in individual witnessing, and such work must be done by faith—faith working through love—faith that the Lord desires in order to be successful instruments in His hands. We are not to be afraid on account of our weakness. We learn from Scripture what glorious promises God from time to time gave those who had to speak for Him. Let us surrender ourselves, knowing He who redeemed us for this end will to this end bless us. Christian Endeavourers be witnesses for Jesus, live as those who are wholly given up to Him, and watch and work for His honour. Through the entire meeting a missionary spirit prevailed. Many helpful suggestions were given, showing the right sort of equipment to be used in soul winning. We do not need to preach in public in order to carry Christ to others. The workshops, the store, the college, the home, will yield us hearers if our hearts are set on winning for Christ. After the secretary had read his annual report and the moving of its adoption, the meeting closed with prayer for the deepening of spiritual life. The benediction was then pronounced.

Cure Yourself of Rheumatism.

The application of Nerviline — nerve-pain cure—which possesses such marvellous power over all nerve pain, has proved a remarkable success in rheumatism and neuralgia. Nerviline acts on the nerves, soothes, then drives pain out and so gives relief. Try it and be convinced.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures all pain in man or beast; for sprains, cuts, bruises, callous lumps, swellings, inflammation rheumatism and neuralgia it is a specific.

TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto	Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 11.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 8 40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

EAST	ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.58 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.

WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.22 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

Baltimore Oysters at "Spot Cash Grocery Co.' Alex. Elliott's Old Stand.

Napoleon's Loss.

It is said that but for an attack of indigestion, brought on by over eating, Napoleon would have won Waterloo. Great issues depend on good digestion—good digestion depends upon Burdock Blood Bitters. "Two years ago my wife was very ill with dyspepsia. Six bottles of B.B.B. cured her, and she has no return of the malady." Wm. Day, Fort William, Ont.

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This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

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10 a.m. Probabilities.

Winds increasing to strong from the eastward; cloudy, with rain or sleet before evening; colder to-morrow with westerly winds.

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The very cheapest article is, so far as fit and finish are concerned, as good as the best. Just fancy paying only 20c, 25c and 30c for such beautiful material!—and how some of the more expensive articles appeals to the ladies at 35c, 50c and 75c! "It's Fair's Way."

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Hamilton Liberals Nominate Gibson and Middleton

AMID VERY GREAT ENTHUSIASM.

No Thought of Nominating Any Other Persons in the Convention—The Minister Vindicates the Hardy Government—Music in the Campaign—Progress of the Fight Elsewhere.

Hamilton, Jan. 22.—The Liberals of Hamilton last night, in monster joint convention assembled, renominated their present able representatives, Hon. J. M. Gibson and Mr. J. T. Middleton. The meeting was held in Association Hall, a very large room, which was completely filled with enthusiastic Liberals, who throughout the proceedings displayed the most hearty approval of the conduct of their representatives and the most complete harmony. There was no thought of nominating any other person than Messrs. Gibson and Middleton, so that the large attendance was remarkable, as there were no outside speakers and the candidates are so well known as to be anything but novelties here. The meeting was a gratifying tribute to the worth of the candidates and the pure administration of the Hardy Government. The presence of the Laurier Quartette of London added to the success of the convention.

After Mr. Middleton had closed a stirring address with the three watchwords employed in the last campaign, "Work and Win," Hon. J. M. Gibson rose to speak. He was cheered with a lustiness quite unusual in such gatherings, and when he could be heard he earnestly thanked his supporters for their kindness to him since he first entered Parliament nineteen years ago. He reminded them that this was the first time that Mr. Hardy had asked the people "Have you confidence in me as leader of a Government? Are you willing to renew for five years to come the confidence I and my colleagues have enjoyed at your hands?" (Cheers.) Much of the success of Sir Oliver Mowat's phenomenal record of long-continued Parliamentary control was due to the present Premier, Hon. A. S. Hardy—(cheers)—who always was the most active, most reliable and most generally useful colleague; a man of brilliant ability, who had sacrificed his financial interests by being in politics; a man without one dishonest streak in his make-up. (Cheers.) The affairs of the province were as safe in his hands as they ever were in the hands of Sir Oliver Mowat. Mr. Gibson then devoted himself to the present campaign. The Opposition speakers had gone up and down the country criticizing the Government for having spent the surplus left by the John Sandfield Macdonald Government. They seemed to think that the Government was living a riotous life on the Macdonald surplus. The surplus left by John Sandfield Macdonald was $3,820,000, and the Governments that had succeeded them would be little better than an aggregation of imbeciles if they had not spent that surplus over and over again, and they had done that. (Applause.) Mr. Gibson detailed the grants made but not paid by the John Sandfield Macdonald Government before their retirement, showing that only $14,000 of the surplus was not already pledged. He mentioned the increased expenditure of the Government for improved public services and institutions since the time of the John Sandfield Macdonald Government. They might easily have had an enormous surplus by this time if they had chosen not to give improved services. If they had kept the expenditure for public services at the same figures as the John Sandfield Macdonald Government they could easily have had a surplus of $28,000,000. It was perfect nonsense, perfect silliness, perfect trash, for people to travel up and down the country and accuse the Mowat Government of squandering the surplus. They accused the Government of living on capital, but he pointed out that the revenue from the Crown Lands Department, from ground rents, timber dues, etc., had amounted to $21,905,000. From that he deducted $2,468,317 for fire ranging, inspecting, etc.; $750,000, the proportion of departmental expenses fairly attributable to the woods and forests; $2,967,994 for colonization roads, a total deduction of $6,181,311, leaving a surplus of $15,724,000. There was spent in this time on capital account $6,500,000 in aid to railways, $3,500,000 on public buildings and works, and $1,300,000 on the new Parliament buildings; in all $16,300,000, so that the money was simply reinvested and not spent in current expenditure. He scored Mr. Whitney for his exaggerations while speaking throughout the province, and his repudiation of the reports in the newspapers when challenged in the House. The case of the man Wickett, foreman in the Colonization Roads Department, who was stated by Mr. Whitney to have received more for overseeing a job than the men who built the bridge, was instanced, and shown to be an entirely different transaction, and one in which the most rigid economy was exercised. Mr. Gibson dealt with the timber question very briefly, summarizing the able address on this subject which he delivered in the House. He appealed to the Liberals to be active in the campaign, as earnest and persistent work was being done by the Opposition to win the Hamiltons. He was confident of the result in East Hamilton; he liked Mr. Middleton as a candidate, and had confidence in him. He had not the same confidence in his opponents. (Laughter and applause.) As to his own opponent, while he esteemed him personally, he did not think his Worship would have any influence in the House, either with the Government or with the Opposition. (Cheers.)

Mr. Harty Will Probably Run Again.

Kingston, Jan. 22.—The Executive of the Conservative Association met last night, and arranged for a nomination convention next week. It is generally agreed that Hon. William Harty will be the Liberal nominee.

Patron in South Wellington.

Guelph, Jan. 22.—The Patrons and Independents in the South Riding of Wellington met in the City Hall yesterday afternoon for the purpose of ratifying their platform and nominating a candidate to contest this riding in their interests in the forthcoming Provincial elections. A large number of delegates from the country and the city were present. Mr. William McCrae presided over the meeting. Another plank was added to their platform, that of a secret ballot.

The result of the ballot was: James Anderson, Springfield, 34; Allen Stewart, Puslinch, 19. It was on motion decided to tender Mr. Anderson a unanimous nomination. Mr. Anderson has decided to stand.

Addington Liberals' Choice.

Enterprise, Ont., Jan. 22.—A very large and enthusiastic meeting of the Liberal Association met here, when Mr. Frank Wartman of Colebrook was chosen as the Liberal candidate for the coming Provincial election.

TOM NULTY'S TRIAL.

Detective McCaskill Said the Prisoner Was a "Jumper" and the Confession Was Thrown Out.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 22.—In the Nulty murder trial yesterday afternoon Detective McCaskill was put on the stand. In answer to a question by the defence, the witness stated that the prisoner was a "jumper," or one who would yell out and jump when shouted at or nudged, when taken off his guard. The defence thereupon claimed that the confession, as given to the detective, should be thrown out, as it was probable that the officer had taken advantage of Tom's highly nervous temperament to secure an admission of his guilt. The judge decided that the defence should be given the benefit of the doubt and ruled out the confession.

High Constable Le Vesque was examined. He was driving towards Joliette with Detective McCaskill and the prisoner, when the latter confessed to having committed the crime. Witness did not think any undue influence had been used to obtain the confession.

Detective McCaskill was recalled. He had found the white shirt which Tom wore on the morning of the murders rolled up and laid across a rafter in the garret of his home, while his pants and vest were found in a tin trunk.

The deposition of Mrs. Boudrier, the prisoner's sister, taken by royal commission, was read. In it she told of her brother's visit on the same morning as the murders, when he had coolly informed her of the death of the sister Elizabeth, saying her throat had been cut. He made no mention of the fate of the others. The case is still in progress.

Bravery Rewarded.

Hamilton, Jan. 21.—Albert J. Cummer of this city has been awarded the Billings silver medal of the Royal Canadian Humane Society for his conspicuous bravery in saving the life of Miss Amelia Hall from drowning, in the iceboat accident on the bay on Jan. 4. The presentation will be made by Mayor Colquhoun in the Council chamber on the 31st inst.

The wholesale butchers of the city, led by Ald. Hill and Messrs. W. Kearns and W. Springer, waited upon J. I. Flatt, M.P.P., yesterday, and after thanking him for his market legislation, presented him with a handsome ring.

Wants High Prices for Toll Roads.

Hamilton, Jan. 22.—J. A. Carpenter, secretary of the three toll roads lying to the east and south of Hamilton, has notified the County Roads and Bridges Committee that the companies will sell out at the following figures: Hamilton and Saltfleet Road Co., $16,466; Barton and Stoney Creek Road Co., $37,333; Barton and Glanford Road Co, $36,607. The figures are regarded as outside the range of consideration.

Fishermen in Peril.

Sandusky, Ohio, Jan. 22.—One hundred fishermen's huts on the ice in Lake Erie, off Put-in Bay, were swept away in last night's gale. Two hundred men, women and children narrowly escaped drowning by the ice breaking up and carrying them out into the lake, and by the huts catching fire. They were rescued after a long and terrible fight with the elements.

MURDER OF ISIDORE POIRIER.

The Jury Visited the Scene of the Murder Yesterday.

Ste. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 22.—A little past ten yesterday the court opened. There was a large crowd.

Mr. A. E. Poirier, counsel for the defence, asked to have produced the applications for insurance in the Standard, made by the late Isidore Poirier, on his life, in the years 1894 and 1897. This demand was granted by the court.

Noe Bouverette, the last witness heard Wednesday, continued his evidence: "On Sunday, Nov. 21, I was with my wife, in the kitchen, and I saw Sam Paralow in the yard of Poirier's house, harnessing Poirier's horse. A few minutes after he unharnessed it and went into the house with Mrs. Poirier. Ten minutes after he came out and harnessed the horse again, and Mrs. Poirier started for her father's house. I don't remember if Sam went into the house or not."

All the forenoon was taken up with this witness.

At 2 o'clock the court opened, and Mr. A. E. Poirier, counsel for the defence, asked that the jury be sent to St. Canute to visit the scenes where the murder was committed. With the consent of Mr. F. X. Mathieu, the Crown prosecutor, this demand was granted.

Two special constables were appointed, and under the direction of High Constable Brazeau, they started for St. Canute at 2.30 and the large crowd which had assembled dispersed. At 4.30 the jury returned and were locked up for the night, the court having adjourned until to-day at 10 a.m.

It is probable Detective McCaskill will be the first witness called by the Crown at the opening of the court this morning.

BUTTER FLAVOR.

According to Prof. Ruddick This Is the Most Important Thing to Be Considered—Dairymen Officers.

London, Ont., Jan. 22.—At the opening session of the Cheese and Butter Association yesterday morning Mr. J. A. Ruddick, principal of the Kingston Dairy School, discussed butter. He said that the quality of butter was decided on flavor, body or grain and salt finish. Flavor was the most important, and was influenced by food, period of lactation and bacteria. Even good food, if not wisely fed, would make inferior flavor. Milk exposed in the stables or to the odor of foods of strong flavor, such as ensilage, would absorb bad odors. Butter from cows long in milk was inclined to be tallow. He reviewed exhaustively the subjects of washing, salting and packing, which led to a useful discussion among the members.

Professor Robertson introduced the question of how to obtain the proper body of butter for the export trade. He strongly contended that to obtain the right quality the butter should be worked twice. Without this the proper waxiness would not be found when the butter was a month old.

Warden Leitch raised a storm of applause by vigorously stating that it was the farmers whom the dairymen should get after. They were the first producers yet, and should know how to care for their cows, what grasses to grow for feed, and how they should be fed. The cheesemen were one of the most intelligent classes in the country, and came out in large numbers to learn more. But the farmers could not be dragged out. Means should be taken to get them out. The cow and the feeding was the first point in making a success of the industry.

Resolutions were adopted thanking the Mayor and corporation of London for the handsome donation of $150 towards the expenses of holding this convention; also that in the opinion of this meeting no law should be enacted to prevent the sale of cheese for future delivery until such time as the Dairymen's Boards of Trade in Canada have had ample opportunity for considering and expressing their views on the same.

The report of the Nominating Committee was agreed upon as follows: Hon. President, Hon. Thomas Ballantyne; President, Harold Eagle, Attercliffe Station; 1st Vice-President, R. M. Ballantyne, Stratford; 2nd Vice-President, Aaron Winger, Ayton; 3rd Vice-President, James Connolly, Porter's Hill.

Retiring President McLaren was chosen to represent the Association at the Industrial Fair.

After luncheon, A. H. Curler read a very interesting paper on "Unimproved Opportunities in Dairying."

The convention finally adjourned in the afternoon.

At a special meeting of the association held yesterday afternoon an organization for mutual protection was formed and officers elected as follows: President, J. T. Henderson, Pine River; Secretary, F. Brooks; Treasurer, William Edgar, Culloden. The Executive will meet at Woodstock on [illegible].

Blaze at Alvinston.

Alvinston, Jan. 22.—A disastrous fire damaged Richard Cole's building $3,500, insured for $1,500; Mrs. Speckman's stock and household goods, loss $7,500, insured for $3,200; Scandrett Bros., loss $1,200, insurance not known; James Morrison, loss $1,500, insured for $750; John Cummings, loss $1,500, no insurance; Oddfellows' loss on furniture, $150, no insurance.

Drowned at Sault Ste. Marie.

Galt, Jan. 22.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. A. J. Oliver, a member of the firm of R. McDougall Company, Limited, here, received a telegram telling him of the death of his father, who had just been drowned at Sault Ste. Marie by falling into the American canal. Deceased leaves a wife and family.

A Little Girl Fatally Burned.

London, Jan. 22.—Mr. George Wyatt's little daughter Stella, aged three years, has died from the effects of burns received while playing about the house on Monday afternoon.

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FRANCE TO THE FORE.

She Has Bought Three Chinese Steamers and Wants More.

MENACING ASPECT OF AFFAIRS.

A Fleet of Nine Japanese Warships Leave for Chinese Waters in a Week—Do These Moves Mean War?—China Still Trying to Go It Alone—General News by Cable.

London, Jan. 22.—A special despatch from Shanghai, dated Friday, says that France has purchased three Chinese steamers and is trying to acquire others for conversion into transports.

French Ships of War to Sail.

Paris, Jan. 22.—The French warships Bruix and Vauban will sail for China on Jan. 24 (Monday next). Admiral De Beaumont has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the French squadron in the far East. He will hoist his flag on board the Vauban.

The Bruix is a steel vessel of 4,754 tons displacement and 9,049 indicated horse power. Her speed is estimated at over 18 knots, and she carries a crew of nearly 400 men.

The Vauban is a steel vessel of 6,208 tons and 4,560 indicated horse power. Her nominal speed is about 14½ knots, and she carries a crew of 440 men.

Menacing Aspect of Affairs.

London, Jan. 22.—The morning papers comment editorially upon the menacing aspect of affairs in China. Despatches from Paris say that the report is current there that China is trying, by the offer of high interest, to obtain a loan without assistance and without the guarantee that Russia and England demand.

JAPS BUYING WARSHIPS.

The Eastern "Mistress of the Seas" Is Sending Nine Battleships Into Chinese Waters.

London, Jan. 22.—It is reported that Japan has purchased the Brasilian cruiser Ateen, now building on the Tyne, for £370,000, and has also bought the Brasilian ironclads Deodora and Floriano, which are constructing in France. Agents of the Spanish Government have been in London trying to arrange for the purchase of these vessels, but it is understood they were unable to raise the necessary money.

Nine Japanese Warships.

Yokohama, Jan. 22.—A fleet of nine warships will leave in the course of a week for Chinese waters, the Mikado inspecting the Yashima and the Fuji, steel battleships of 12,450 tons displacement.

Decrees have been issued appointing Lieut.-Gen. Viscount Kawakami chief of staff, and creating a supreme military advisory council, consisting of the Marquis Yamagata, Marquis Oyama, Marquis Saigon and Prince Komatsu.

Japan Prepared for War.

London, Jan. 22.—The St. James Gazette yesterday afternoon, commenting upon the despatch from Yokahama saying that a fleet of nine Japanese warships will leave Japan in the course of a week for Chinese waters, says: "Japan is prepared for war. That, in a nutshell, is the news from Yokahama, and it is really the first news from Japan since the beginning of the Chinese crisis. It is obvious that the Japanese Government has stopped telegraphic communication, which it never does except when mobilizing the army or navy. That is precisely what it has been doing. It is almost certain that the destination of the fleet is Wei-Hei-Wei, and there is no doubt the movement means that the status quo in China, so far as Manchuria and Corea are concerned, shall not be altered by Russia or any combination of Russia's allies, in defiance of Great Britain and Japan."

THE UNIONIST WON

The Parliamentary Seat Vacant in a Division in Dublin.

Dublin, Jan. 22.—A Parliamentary bye-election was held here yesterday to fill the vacancy in the St. Stephen's Green Division, caused by the appointment of Mr. William Kenney, Q.C., Solicitor-General for Ireland, to a judgeship of the High Court. It resulted in the election of the Unionist candidate, Mr. J. M. Campbell, by a majority of 188 over his Nationalist opponent, Mr. George Noble Plunket. The voting was as follows: Campbell, Unionist, 3,595; Plunkett, Nationalist, 3,387. Unionist majority, 188. At the special bye-election in August, 1895, after Mr. Kenney was appointed Solicitor-General for Ireland, he carried the St. Stephen's Green Division against Pierce Mahoney, Parnellite, by a majority of 482.

Germany Will Make No Kick.

London, Jan. 22.—According to a special despatch received yesterday from Berlin, it is semi-officially announced in that city that Germany will not object to the appointment of Prince George of Greece as Governor of the Island of Crete, "provided the other powers unanimously consent."

Walk-Over for Mr. Plunkett Barton.

Dublin, Jan. 22.—Mr. Dunbar Plunkett Barton, Q.C., member of Parliament for the Middle Division of Armagh, has been returned to the House of Commons without opposition, on his appointment as Solicitor-General for Ireland.

Four Dead, Six Missing.

London, Jan. 22.—The British steamer Marcea, Captain Land, which arrived at Cork Jan. 8, from Baltimore, and was bound for Newport, is ashore west of St. Govon's Head, on the southwest coast of Wales. Thirteen of the crew have been safely landed, but four were killed on board the steamer for some cause, and six who left in a boat are missing.

Engineering Dispute About Settled.

London, Jan. 22.—The engineering dispute is regarded as almost settled. The employers have granted a delay of a week, when it is fully believed a satisfactory agreement will be reached.

No Truth in It.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 22.—There is no truth in the report sent out from here yesterday that the flagship Imperieuse or other vessels on this station had been ordered to China. The ships had been provisioning for a cruise to South America, but the orders have been countermanded.

Belgian Miners Dashed to Pieces.

Brussels, Jan. 22.—While a cage containing 15 miners was being hoisted in the shaft of Bonne Esperance mine at Wasmes, in Hainault, the cable broke and the occupants of the cage were dashed to pieces.

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Helped Her Husband.

New York, Jan. 21.—Henry Straight, the alleged swindler, who escaped from the Jersey City Prison yesterday morning by sawing bars in the window of a toilet room, has not yet been caught. Mrs. Blanche Straight, wife of the swindler, who admitted that she furnished the saws with which the bars were cut, taking them to her husband in the false bottom of a basket containing food, is still in his cell in jail and will remain a prisoner to await the action of the grand jury for aiding the escape of her husband. Mrs. Straight did not sleep much, but was cheerful in the morning, when she learned that no trace of the fugitive had been discovered.

Death of Sister McDougall.

Kingston, Jan. 21.—Last night Sister McDougall, the eldest nun in L'Hotel Dieu, died, aged 78 years. For four years she has been declining, her energetic life in aid of the distressed having left its mark upon her constitution. She was a Kingstonian by birth, and had been in the institution here and in Montreal for 58 years.

Bogus Canadian Bills.

New York, Jan. 21.—In a two story frame house on Ann street, West Hoboken, Police Officer Walter Nash last night found $65,000 in counterfeit $100 Canadian bills. The money was only printed on one side.

MANACLED

By Acute Indigestion Wealth Would Not Buy Freedom—South American Nervine Broke the Shackles.

Reuben E. Truax, M. P. P., millowner and manufacturer, of Walkerton, Ont., writes of the great South American Nervine:—"I had been for over ten years very much troubled with acute indigestion, tried many remedies and treatments and got little or no benefit. Your remedy was recommended to me. I obtained great relief from a few doses, and when I had taken only two bottles I felt entirely free from my ailment. I strongly recommend it and believe it will cure any who may be suffering as I did." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

Alleged Murderer Nabbed.

Buffalo, Jan. 21.—Assistant Superintendent Police Cusack received a telegram from Niagara Falls, Ont., yesterday morning, stating that a man answering the description of Ed. Clark, the man who brutally murdered his wife in the Canal street district, was being held there by the Canadian authorities for identification. Two officers were sent to Niagara Falls and positively identified the prisoner.

Raymond Prefontaine, M.P., Elected.

Montreal, Jan. 21. — Mr. Raymond Prefontaine, M.P., is the Mayor-elect of this city.

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Richard J. Wall, who has a large prescription drug store in Brooklyn, says: "I have many recommendations for your "77" for Grips and Colds."

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My wife bought a bottle of SLOAN'S INDIAN TONIC from your agent when he was here. She has been in very bad health for several years and has been treated by three different doctors, and has taken a number of different patent medicines, but she thinks one bottle of your medicine has done her more good than all the other medicines she has ever taken, and she wants you to send her another bottle of your medicine.

Mrs. R. W. Wilson, of Fergus, says:

Having used one bottle of your Tonic, I would like another, as I find they give great results. Would you kindly send one bottle of Sloan's Indian Tonic, for which you will find inclosed $1.00 and oblige.

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INFORMATION of any infraction of the Liquor License Act, within the West Riding of Peterborough, forwarded to me at Peterborough, with the bona fide name and address of the sender will be treated with confidence and acted upon promptly.

GEO. COCHRANE,
License Inspector, West Peterborough

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In all these years of its existence B.B.B. has yet no rival for diseases of the stomach, liver, blood and bowels,—never fails in the worst cases of constipation. Here's a remarkable instance·

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NEWS FROM OTTAWA.

Authorized to Issue Yukon Miners' Certificates.

RETURN OF THE HON. DR. BORDEN

What the Miners' Certificates Entitles the Holder to Do in the Gold Land—The Fees Small in Proportion to the Benefits—Latest News From Dawson City.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The names of persons who have been authorized to issue free miners' certificates for the Yukon are as follows: The collectors of customs at Victoria, Vancouver, Nanaimo, B.C., Toronto and Montreal. The agents of Dominion lands at Edmonton, Winnipeg, Prince Albert and Calgary. Others may be added. The High Commissioner, London; A. F. Jury, 15 Water street, Liverpool; H. M. Murray, 52 St. Enoch Square, Glasgow; C. R. Devlin, 2 Lower Abbey street, Dublin; the agents of Dominion lands at Kamloops, and at New Westminster, B.C. Only persons holding free miners' certificates are entitled to record a claim or obtain a mining lease. The certificate is good for one year from its issue. The fee for a certificate is $10, but for a company having a nominal capital up to $100,000 the fee is $50, and for a company having a capital of over $100,000 the fee is $100. Certificates will only be issued to the applicants in person and are not transferable.

News From Dawson City.

Advices received at the Mounted Police Department indicate that not only have the stories of shortage of food at Dawson City been greatly exaggerated, but as a matter of fact the supply is considerably better than for several seasons past. One letter mentions that a short time ago a herd of caribou crossed the Yukon River within a few miles of Dawson City. The population turned out in pursuit, and at the time the letter some 50 head had been secured.

Weights and Measures Conference.

The conference of leading inspectors of weights and measures, which has been in progress in the Inland Revenue Department for the last 10 days, has terminated. The inspectors will suggest some important changes, to which Parliament will be asked to give effect.

Personal and General Notes.

The annual report of the Inland Revenue Department has been issued.

Mr. Sifton says there will not be a United States soldier going through with the Yukon relief expedition. "When in Washington I offered them the services of a mounted police escort, and this was accepted. The overseers and packers will therefore be the only Americans in the company."

Seven inches of snow fell here yesterday. This winter the Electric Railway Company has spent $2,000 in removing snow from the streets.

Hon. Dr. Borden returned to the city yesterday afternoon from a trip to England. He went to the Cabinet meeting upon his arrival here. The Minister says the trip was a pleasant one.

The Order-in-Council appointing Judge Jette Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Quebec was approved by Lord Aberdeen yesterday.

A Storm is Brewing.

Your rheumatism tells you so. Better get rid of it and trust to the weather reports. Scott's Emulsion is the best remedy for chronic rheumatism. It often makes a complete cure.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

Worms cannot exist either in children or adults when Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is used. 25c. All dealers.

ALLISON INDIFFERENT.

Many Clergymen Desire to Speak With the Condemned Man.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 22.—Twenty-five or more ministers have applied to Sheriff Springer for admission to the condemned murderer Allison. They have been refused, however. The Salvation Army also wanted to take him up and get him converted, but their request was also refused.

Allison has two weeks more to live, and as the day of doom, February 4th, draws near, he remains as indifferent and stoical as ever. The death warrant has not yet arrived. Radcliffe, the executioner, will arrive here on the Monday before the execution. Sheriff Springer will probably not attend the execution, but will have a representative in the person of Governor Cook.

The sheriff has given notification that only magistrates, medical men and one accredited representative of each newspaper will be admitted. Allison's father has only visited his son once since he was condemned.

UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

William J. Hallam, a Detroit lineman, was instantly killed on Thursday by touching a live wire while at work.

Joseph Folk of Kelly's Island, Ill., sold his two daughters for $100 to satisfy a debt which he had not the cash to pay.

The Surgeon-General of the United States believes there are many more cases of leprosy in the great republic than the people know of.

Mrs. Ballington Booth has been removed from the Presbyterian Hospital in New York to her home at Mount Clare, N.J. Her condition is much improved.

The strike in the New England cotton mills continues with little change in the situation. There is a feeling, however, that at Fall River a general strike is impending.

John M. Scott, ex-Justice of the Supreme Court of Illinois, died at Bloomington. He was 75 years old. He was an intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln and David Davis.

Ex-President Cleveland has bought 85 acres of land between Trenton and Princeton, N.J., which he intends converting into a game preserve and sportsman's paradise.

The Atlantic Coast Line train from New York to Florida, and a local from Charleston collided 80 miles west of Charleston. Two men were killed and a number injured.

It is officially announced on Wall street, N.Y., that Chauncey M. Depew will enter the directorate of the Ontario & Western Railroad Company at next week's meeting of that board.

The issue of the New York World and the New York Journal and Advertiser of Jan. 16, and several issues of the Madrid Heraldo and Imparcial, have been seized by the Government officials at Havana.

August Mickerson, a sailor, died at Port Townsend, Wash., after living 11 days with a broken neck. Mickerson had fallen from the main yard through a hatch into the hold, a distance of 48 feet.

NOW A VERY HAPPY MAN.

Mr. T. R. Baxter says:

"After the use of Seven Bottles of Paine's Celery Compound I was Perfectly Cured and Feel Young Again.

The Great Medicine is Triumphantly Victorious After Medical Men Fail.

This Almost Miraculous Cure Has Vastly Increased the Fame of Paine's Celery Compound In the Maritime Provinces.

Assurance and Hope for the Most Desperate Cases.

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Dear Sirs:—I desire to let you know about my wonderful cure by your precious medicine, Paine's Celery Compound.

I was afflicted by three complaints that made my life a misery and a burden. I had erysipelas for forty years, bleeding piles for fifteen years, and sciatica rheumatism for over a year.

I tried the doctors and all kinds of medicines, but no help or relief was afforded me, and I could not eat or sleep. I was then advised to use Paine's Celery Compound, and, oh, what a mighty change! The use of the first bottle enabled me to eat and sleep, and after using seven bottles I was quite another man—was perfectly cured, and felt quite young again. All that I have written can be proven by merchants, doctors, magistrates and three ministers of the Gospel, and by scores of other people. I shall always thank you and your wonderful medicine, Paine's Celery Compound.

Thos. R. Baxter,
Karsdale, N.S.

I hereby certify that Paine's Celery Compound has made a well man of Thomas R. Baxter.

James H. Thorne,
Justice of the Peace.

Napoleon's Loss.

It is said that but for an attack of indigestion, brought on by over eating, Napoleon would have won Waterloo. Great issues depend on good digestion—good digestion depends upon Burdock Blood Bitters. "Two years ago my wife was very ill with dyspepsia. Six bottles of B.B.B. cured her, and she has no return of the malady." Wm. Day, Fort William, Ont.

A LUMBERMAN'S LIFE.

CONSTANTLY EXPOSED TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

He Falls an Easy Victim to Rheumatism and Kindred Troubles—A Twenty Years' Sufferer Tells How he Found Relief.

From the Richibucto, N.B., Review.

Mr. Wm. Murray, of Cormiersville, N.B. is an old and respected farmer, and a pioneer settler of the thriving little village he now makes his home. While Mr. Murray was yet a young man, he, together with his father and brother, founded one of the best mill properties to be seen in those early days. The mill consisted of a sawmill and gristmill, and were operated and managed by the two brothers. Labour saving appliances being then comparatively unknown, the young men were exposed to dangers and difficulties almost unknown to the present generation. One of the greatest evils in connection with the business was exposure to wet and cold, which, though unheeded at the time, have crippled it victim with rheumatism. In a late conversation regarding his disease, Mr. Murray told the following story of his long misery and final cure by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills: "For over twenty years I have been a sufferer from rheumatism. I attribute the cause of the disease to the time when as a young man I worked at our mills. In the winter we would haul logs on the pond where the alternate thaws and frosts of early spring would imbed them in the ice and slush. When the time came for starting up the mill I would go out on the pond sometimes in water up to my knees and work away from morning till night chopping logs out of the slush and ice. I was generally wet from head to foot, and every second night of the week I would, without changing my clothes, stay up and run the mill till daybreak. So you see I was for two days at a time in a suit of partially wet clothes, and this would last till the ice had melted in the pond. After a few years' rheumatism fastened itself upon me as a reward for this indiscretion, and ever increasing in its malignity it last became so bad that for weeks in succession I could only go about with the aid of crutches. At other times I was able to hobble about the house by the aid of two canes, and again at other times it would ease off a little and I was able to do a little work, but could never stand it for more than a couple of hours at a time. The least bit of walking in damp weather would overcome me and I remember one stormy night when I tried to walk from Cocagne Bridge to my home, a distance of five miles, that I had to sit down by the roadside six times to ease the terrible pain that had seized my legs. During all these years of agony I think I tried all the patent medicines I could get a hold of, but they did me no good at all. I consulted doctors, but my sufferings remained undiminished. In the fall of 1895 I went to see a doctor in Buctouche to see if there were any means by which I might at least be eased of my suffering. The doctor said frankly, "Mr. Murray you cannot be cured, nothing can cure you." I was not satisfied and then I determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I procured half a dozen boxes and began taking them at once. I soon felt a change for the better, and after my supply had been finished I got another half dozen boxes and continued taking them according to directions. That dozen boxes was all I took, and you see me now. I am alive and smart and can do any kind of work. I did my farming this spring, and could follow the plough for days without feeling my rheumatic pains. Yes, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did me a world of good, and I strongly recommend them for the cure of rheumatism.

Mr. Williams' Pink Pills create new blood, build up the nerves, and thus drive disease from the system. In hundreds of cases they have cured after all other medicines had failed, thus establishing the claim that they are a marvel among the triumphs of modern medical science. The genuine Pink Pills are sold only in boxes, bearing the full trade mark, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." Protect yourself from imposition by refusing any pill that does not bear the registered trade mark around the box.

A Successful Grit Banquet.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Very successful proved the annual banquet of the Toronto Young Men's Liberal Club, held at the Rossin House last night. Over a hundred sat at table, with President R. J. Gibson in the chair and Vice-President Ramsden in the vice chair. The honored guests of the evening were: Sir Richard Cartwright, Premier Hardy, Premier Warburton of Prince Edward Island, Geo. E. Casey, M.P., J. S. Willison, James Innes, ex-M.P. (Guelph), Alex. Wheeler, Hugh Blain and J. H. McKenzie.

Mr. Charles Brown, Norwich, Killed.

Norwich, Jan. 20.—The body of Charles Brown, formerly of Norwich, was found under the railroad bridge at Burgessville yesterday. He was on his way from Embro to his home here, and it is thought he must have fallen off the train. His wife and family were expecting him to look after moving their household goods to Embro, where the deceased has been carrying on a butcher shop for some time. The body has been brought to Norwich, where a coroner's inquest was held.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF AGO

Suffering Ended in a Few Weeks by the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Petrolea, Jan. 10.—From Ingersoll to Petrolea the way is marked at short intervals by houses which are pointed to as those in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have cured cases of Kidney Disease, Bright's Disease, Diabetes or other kidney or blood disorder.

John Russell, a farmer living near here, tells of his cure, after suffering fifteen years with Bright's Disease.

Three doctors treated him; many remedies were tried. All failed.

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended. He tried them. The invariable result followed. A few boxes cured him.

This story, with variations as to the disease, is told by hundreds in Petrolea. Dodd's Kidney Pills have not been known to fail one yet. Every case has been a cure.

Don't Go On.

Don't go on suffering from nervous troubles that make strong men weak, impotent, and unable to do the right thing at the right time, all because the system is tobacco poisoned. We urge you to test Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they make the blood pure and rich, tingling with life and energy, and the man who feels old they make young and happy again.

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GOUGH'S Greater Oak Hall

SPLITTING THE ACORNS IN TWO!

LIKE A BOMB-SHELL

Came the announcement a few days ago of the purchase by GOUGH BROS of the Oak Hall Stock. Day and night, ever since, the thunder of Gough's Fusilade of Bargains has been both heard and felt all over the country. But yesterday, what were Bargains at Oak Hall, the lesser, did'nt GO. To-day they DO GO—at GOUGH'S GREATER OAK HALL—because they've GOT TO GO.

Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16 430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

62½ CENTS

On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's male population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

Look at the Inducements!

Workingmen's Suits
Gentlemen's Suits
Young Men's Suits
Boys' Suits
Gentlemen's Overcoats
Men's Heavy Ulsters
Boys' Overcoats
Boys' Reefers
Gentlemen's Trousers
Workingmen's Trousers
Corduroy Vests
Odd Single Garments

The pick of the Sanford Manufacturing Company—every Garment fresh from a High-Grade Clothing House—the perfection of Clothing—cut by the best skilled artists of the cutting table—designed and finished by the hands of experts. A tip-top article of Clothing worth 100 cents on the dollar every day in the year. But see how the acorns have dropped from their perch:—

Splitting the Acorns in Two!

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that bore the Acorn mark of $9.00, $10, $11 and $13. We cut the heart out of them and drop them to $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

LOWER-PRICED LINES in all sizes, at $2.95, $3.35, $3.75, $4.45 and $5.45.

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS—that hung on a slender Oak Hall profit at $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.25, $6.00 we have whittled down to $1.90, $2.68, $3.00, $3.58, $4.00.

CHILDREN'S SUITS $1.49, $1.78 and $2.00.

The Relentless Boom will sweep through the entire establishment, from end to end. We bought the stock to sell at at a sacrifice, and when we say the goods must GO, —that settles it!

That reminds us too that we have been learning our customers to pay SPOT CASH, because of the immense advantage it brings to their pockets—your money back if not satisfactory."

GOUGH BROS.

Buyers of the Great Oak Hall Stock.

It Is a Good Time to Consider

(1) The advisability of insuring your earning power or
(2) Increasing that Insurance and
(3) The Company which issues the best policy for that purpose.

Write for "Our Plans."

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LOCAL NEWS.

The Cricket Club Meets.

The annual general meeting of the Cricket Club will be held at the Oriental Hotel to-night at 7 30.

Oyster Supper.

Reserve Tuesday evening, February 1st, for the oyster supper given by the Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street Methodist church. Particulars later. 2d

McCallum—Zeigler.

The Globe says of Miss Tessa McCallum: "The charm of her naturalness and dramatic power will place her among the best public readers."

See the Bargains at Grafton & Co's big clearing sale.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

The Petrified Man.

This great scientific curiosity will be on exhibition for a few days in the premises lately occupied by the Sun Life Assurance Company, opposite the post office. Positively last chance to see this wonder, as it is to be shipped to Montreal and thence across the lines in a few days. Admission 10 and 15 cents. 5d

Will go to the Central.

Wm. Booth, of Silver Lake, Somerville township, who was mixed up in what is known as the Wilson assault case, was sentenced Friday morning by County Magistrate Deacon, of Lindsay, to one year and six months in the Central Prison. The charge of assault was not pressed, he being convicted of house breaking and robbery.

Three Timely Tips.

1. If you can make use of books at cost price, you can buy what you want during this week at the Peterborough Bookstore. 2. The great stock-taking sale at the Peterborough Bookstore is an occasion you should not miss. Every day bargains. 3. Thoughtful people will remember to come in the Peterborough Bookstore to-night and get their supply of Sunday reading. We are selling the Chicago Ledger and Chicago Blade for 5c a copy this week.

Foresters' Carnival.

A fancy dress carnival under the auspices of Court Peterborough No. 29 Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held in the Charlotte street rink, Peterborough, on Friday evening, Feb. 4th, when the following prizes will be offered for competition:

Best dressed lady, in fancy costume—A handsome dinner set, 97 pieces, brown and gold, value $13.

Best dressed gent, in fancy costume—A secretary and bookcase, value $10.

Best representation (lady) of Shakesperian character in costume—Bronze statuary, Candelabra, value $3.

Best representation (gentleman) of Shakesperian character in costume—1 vol Shakspere, handsomely bound in French Morocco, gilt edges, value $4.

Best dressed lady, in comic costume—A beautiful banquet lamp and shade, value $5.

Best dressed girl, in comic costume—A dining room clock, value $4 50.

Best dressed girl, in fancy costume—A fancy oak combre table, value $4.

Best dressed boy, in fancy costume—A pair of Carey's custom boots, value $3.50.

Best dressed girl, in comic costume—A ladies' work basket on stand, value $3.75.

Best dressed boy, in comic costume—Latest popular game, "Carum," value $2.

One mile championship race (16 laps) boys bagpipe—Silver cup, value $10.

Boys' race, half mile (8 laps)—A picture and frame, value $3.

Partner's race (8 laps)—Fancy mirror with bronze frame and stand, value $2.

Partner's wheelbarrow race (2 laps) one partner on skates wheels the other round the rink once, then changes places with his partner who will wheel him to finish, on skates—Prize, two bicycle albums, value $4.

Curling for the brooms, between three rinks of C O F and all comers, value $8.

Prizes will be on exhibition in the window of Messrs. P. Conmal & Co., George street. The Fire Brigade Band will furnish music. For particulars see posters and programmes.

WE WANT IT HERE.

According to a despatch which appeared in the Montreal papers a few days ago and which was subsequently published in the EXAMINER, the Toronto Rubber and Shoe Company has apparently reconsidered its intention of not removing its factory from Port Dalhousie and is being pressed by the Montrealers to locate in that city. Is not this a matter for the Manufacturers' Committee of the Town Council and the Board of Trade to take up at once and bring the strongest pressure possible to bear to influence the Company to again take into its consideration the advantages which Peterborough has to offer to manufacturers? Such an establishment, paying out annually $30,000 in wages alone, would mean a great deal to the town, as the money would all be spent with the local merchants. Peterborough wants such a manufacturing industry, which will give employment to labour, as does the Canadian General Electric Company, and the citizens will endorse any effort which the Manufacturers' Committee in its wisdom may see fit to take in the matter. Time, however, must be taken by the forelock, and the Committee is urged to take immediate action in the interests of the town at large and the labouring classes and mechanics in particular

MARK STREET CHURCH CHOIR.

A Concert Held in Ashburnham Last Evening—Large Attendance and a Good Programme.

The concert of Mark street church choir last night was a decided success in every sense. All taking part did themselves credit and the attendance was large. Rev. J. E. Moore occupied the chair. The programme was as follows:—

PART I.

Prayer	Chairman
Cornet solo	Mr J Miller
Quartette	Misses Sherlock and Metheral and Messrs Skitch and Squires
Recitation	Miss M Sherlock
Chorus	St Paul's Choir
Violin duet	Misses Maud and Fox
Vocal solo	Major Davis
Chorus	St Paul's Choir

PART II.

Chorus	St Paul's Choir
Cornet solo	Mr J Miller
Duet	Misses Bolgheem
Quartette	Messrs Morphet, Skitch, Squires and Harvey
Chorus	St Paul's Choir

"God Save the Queen."

A BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT

Held in the Catholic Literary Association Rooms Last Evening.

A complimentary benefit entertainment under the auspices of a committee of ladies of the congregation of St. Peter's Cathedral, was held in the C. L. A. rooms Friday evening, and was attended by a very large audience. The programme arranged was an excellent one in every respect, every number being well received. The President of the C. L. A. presided, and the programme consisted of the following numbers:

PART I.

Piano duet	Misses Laplante and Kelly
Chorus	Glee Club
Solo	Miss Lewis
Chorus	Children
Recitation	Miss Vivian Donoghue
Diamond drill	Children

PART II.

Piano duet	Misses May Donoghue and Maud Cahill
Solo	Miss Hallihan
Chorus	Children
Solo	Miss Hurley
Vocal duet	Mr and Mrs Geo Ball
Piano solo	Miss M Butler
Tableau. "The Sculptor's Dream"	

PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Grant, Downie street, is seriously ill.

Mrs. Ben. McNeely is visiting Mrs. T. J. Parsons, Omemee.

Miss Armstrong is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bottum, at Bobcaygeon.

Mr. Percy Wilgar, of Fraserville, is spending a few days in town.

Messrs. Pendry and Johnston of Millbrook, were up in town last night.

Miss Edith McKee returned yesterday from Campbellford, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mrs. Benj. Carey, of Regina, is visiting with her brother-in-law, Mr. J. W. Carey, town.

Miss Eva Carey, school teacher, Otonabee, is at home until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carey.

Mr. and John Hart have been over in Lindsay for the last few days visiting their son, Dr. H. Hart, who is very ill.

Miss Lucy McClelland, who has been nursing in one of the large New York hospitals has returned home on account of illness.

Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor of the Charlotte street Methodist church has gone to Preston Springs to recuperate for a week or so.

Mr. Jas. Anderson, Grand Organizer for the Sons of Scotland, leaves town on Monday for Havelock, where he will be for a few days and will return to Peterborough again on Friday next.

With genuine regret it is learned that Mr. Joe Cahill is leaving town, having accepted a position with McArthur & Co., wholesale hardware dealers of Montreal. Mr. Cahill has been head salesman for Mr. R. H. Fortye since he went into business, and proved himself to be deserving of the confidence reposed in him. He leaves on Monday for Montreal, and will be greatly missed amongst his immediate circle of friends, as well as by those with whom he came in contact in a business way.

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Fine Oak Sideboards.

This is a line you can save money on during Clegg's January sale. Large polished oak sideboards, handsomely carved, with shaped British plate mirror, worth $24, for $19.75. Quarter sawed oak sideboards, highly polished, latest and most artistic designs, for $24.50, worth $30. A $33 sideboard for $26.50 and so on. Make it a point to see these goods at Clegg's Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 417 George street.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Little Bert Gillespie Kicked in the Forehead by a Horse.

At noon to day a large number of children were sleighriding down Armour's Hill, on Elizabeth street, Ashburnham. As the hill is a steep one the velocity attained is great and the sleighs sometimes get quite beyond the control of their owners. This was evidently the case today when little Bert Gillespie, son of Mr. Jas. Gillespie, of Ashburnham, went crashing into a team of horses and was kicked on the head by one of them. The lad was rendered unconscious by the blow and was removed to his father's residence. Fortunately only a deep scalp wound was inflicted.

SONS OF SCOTLAND BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION.

Re-organization of Clan Alpine Camp—Visit of Grand Lodge Officers—A Rousing Time.

There was a grand rally of the Sons of Scotland on Friday evening on the occasion of the re-organization and rejuvenation of Clan Alpine Camp. The meeting was held in the Sons of England's handsome hall on Hunter street, and the new enthusiasm which has been infused in both old and new members promises well for the future of the Camp. Mr. Anderson, the special organizer, who has been instrumental in increasing the membership and in bringing about so healthy an interest in the affairs of the local camp is specially deserving of credit for the good work he has done.

The objects of the Sons of Scotland is to encourage a love of all that has made Scotland great and honoured among the nations and to cultivate a taste for Scottish characteristics. It also provides a scheme of insurance and other benefits, founded on the principles of mutual benefit associations. Membership is confined to Scotchmen and their descendants and is divided into two classes, "Active" and "Honourary." The schedule of rates is limited to ages from 18 to 50. During the past year the progress of the order has been marvellous. The reserve fund in 1896 was only $1,090, to-day it is $52,638. No other society, it is claimed, has had a like record.

Interest in the meeting on Friday night was increased by the presence of Grand Secretary Capt. D. M. Robertson, B. A., of Toronto, and Mr. Dickson, District Deputy, from Campbellford, who had paid an official visit to Peterborough to assist in the ceremony of initiating the new members as well as in presenting the objects of the Order, and in rallying its members.

Grand Secretary Robertson expressed the pleasure it afforded him to see so many Scotchmen present. He gave a clear and concise history of the organization of the Grand Camp, and explained the provisions of their incorporation under the Insurance Corporation Act, and the various improvements of their constitution and laws up to date. He urged individual effort on the part of the members, and was confidence if that was done, that Peterborough would soon have a prosperous Camp. No man was right without some patriotism, and that virtue was one which Scotchmen were never deficient in.

Mr. Dickson, D D., spoke very encouraging words relative to the remarkable progress of the Order. He believed that there were between 1,500 and 2,000 Scotchmen in Peterborough, and it would be a reflection on the Sons of Auld Scotia if they could not maintain one of the biggest Camp of the Order. The association was the most economically managed Order of the kind, and now that the good work was booming all over he had little doubt that the important town of Peterborough would soon be a great camp town.

Speeches were made by some of the old officers and members of the camp, including Bros. Alex. Campbell, Thos. Gemmell, Dr. Carmichael, John Mathieson and Arch. Morton. Mr. G. W. Mulligan gave a rousing song during the evening.

The new members were then initiated, and it was decided to hold another special meeting next Friday evening to initiate a larger number of new members who were not quite ready for this meeting. A new charter is to be issued for the Camp.

The following is a list of the old officers of the camp, who will hold their positions for the present:—

Alex Campbell	Chief
John Mathieson	Chieftain
Thos Gemmell	Past Chief
J E Noble	Chaplain
Arch Morton	Rec Sec
Dr Caldwell	Treasurer
W Henry	Fin Sec
Jno Cunningham	Marshal
G W Moncrief	S Bearer
Jas Levell	S Guard

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Will the Board of Management of the Y. W.C.A. kindly meet at 3 o'clock, instead of 3.30, on Monday afternoon, Jan. 24th, as the Board of Management of the Children's Aid Society is to meet at four o'clock the same afternoon.

Obituary.

The death occurred at Springville Thursday of Mrs. Jane Webb, aged 84 years, one of the oldest settlers in that section. She was a native of the County Cavan, Ireland, and coming to Canada at the age of seventeen, has resided since in Peterborough County.

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MR. STRATTON AT COMMITTEE ROOMS TO-NIGHT

Mr. Stratton will be at the Committee Rooms this Saturday evening at eight o'clock, and will be glad to meet with his friends for a half hour's consultation together.

It is expected that all friends of good government, in a position to do active work, will appreciate the necessity of prompt action.

MANY MEETINGS.

Rev. W. Clarke, of Belleville, will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday at 4.15. Subject, "An Age of Crutches."

The topic for study at the Bible class at 3 p. m. is "The nine men who did not say 'Thank you.'" All men interested in Bible study are welcome.

To-night at eight o'clock Mr. W. J. Simpson will lead the conference on the Sunday school lesson for to-morrow.

Mr. B. Anderson's Bible training class for boys meets at 7.30 to-night in room No. 3.

Representatives from the Association will speak at the gaol to-morrow at 9.30 a. m.

OBITUARY.

Death of Michael Eano, of Ashburnham, on Friday Last.

Michael Eano, son of the late Francis Eano, of Ashburnham, died at the family residence, 51 Elm street, on Friday, 21st inst., aged 36 years.

The deceased had been ill with a complication of diseases during the last six weeks.

He was married about 8 years ago to Mary Cronin, daughter of Mr. John Cronin, and leaves three children—two boys and a girl. He was a lumberman by occupation. The funeral will take place on Sunday at 3 o'clock, to the Roman Catholic cemetery.

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THE SANDERSON FIRE.

A Tramp Arrested on Suspicion of of Having Been the Cause of it.

Suspicious developments are being unearthed in connection with the recent fire at Mr. Jas. Sanderson's farm in Smith.

On Tuesday morning Constable Doig, of Lakefield, arrested a tramp on suspicion of having something to do with it. On being examined it was found that the back of his coat and his trousers were freshly burned. The tramp, who was about as tough a looking specimen of humanity as one could wish to see, was an Italian, and as he apparently could not understand English, nothing could be obtained out of him.

In the afternoon court was held in the town hall, before Police Magistrate Edmison. Tony Sabatino, a local Italian, was engaged as interpreter, but nothing satisfactory could be obtained out of the prisoner, with regard to his movements during the past day or so.

Mr. Geo. Garbutt was called and stated that on Monday night on coming home he had found the tramp in his barn. He tried to make him understand English, but did not succeed. It appears that the tramp had been around the house in the day time, and the boy staying there had ordered him off, but without success, when he got a gun and fired a shot at him, which was successful in sending the tramp off. But it seems he returned in the evening. Mr. Garbutt allowed him to remain in the stable all night and in the morning gave him his breakfast and then sent him to Lakefield.

Constable Doidge secured the tramp's boots and took them out to Mr Sanderson's and found that they fitted the marks exactly.

Magistrate Edmison remanded the tramp to the Peterborough goal.

Remember the Curling and Hockey excursion to Toronto and Hamilton. Good going on the 26th and on the p.m. trains on the 24th. Toronto $2.00. Hamilton $2.50.

SOUTH MONAGHAN STILL SOLID FOR STRATTON.

Fraserville Falls Crandly Into Line.

LARGE ATTENDANCE OF ELECTORS

A Splendid Meeting Last Night—The Largest Political Gathering Ever Held in that Place—Public Questions Lucididly Presented—Enthusiastic Reception of the Liberal Candidate.

Last night Mr. Stratton held the third meeting of his campaign series and the third in South Monaghan, at Fraserville. The new Orange Hall was filled with a solid representation of the thrifty farmers of the vicinity, and it was said by residents to have been the largest and most successful political meeting ever held in that part of the township.

The meeting was overwhelmingly, if not unanimously, in favour of Mr. Stratton's candidature, and the manner in which he put forward the claims of the Government to a renewal of their trust and the appeals he made on his own behalf were received with demonstrations of approval, which indicate that this part of West Peterborough will join with the others in splendidly endorsing the Government and splendidly returning the candidate who has given it such

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for the past twelve years. Mr. Stratton's meetings in South Monaghan have been the largest he has ever held in that township and they furnished warm indications of the high place he holds in the confidence of the people.

Mr. Wm. Lang was voted to the chair and invited any representative of Mr. Garvin who might be present to take a seat on the platform and he would be allowed the usual time to address the meeting.

THE FIRST SPEAKER

was Dr. Bell, who briefly addressed the gathering. He referred to the cry for a change that was being raised. There was a time for all things, and the time for a change was ripe at the last general Dominion elections, and the cry was most loudly heard, or at any rate most effectually applied by the members of the Conservative party, who recognized that when cabinet ministers were at each other's throat it was time for a change. Dr. Bell said that that cry had no force in the face of the Ontario Liberal ranks, nor in face of the unbroken harmony that prevailed in the splendid administration the province has received at the hands of the Ontario Government, which was the same as of yore, though under a changed leader who had a good training under Sir Oliver Mowat and was well qualified for the duties to which he has been worthily promoted. Nor did the cry for a change apply to their present representative, who had served them faithfully for the past twelve years. (Cheers.) He had represented the riding well and had taken a prominent place in the Parliament of the Province, where he had done credit to himself and to West Peterborough. Through the prominent position he had gained, and his loyalty to West Peterborough, he had given the town and county a name in the Province, which could not but have a beneficial effect in advancing its material interests. A representative who was well known abroad as well as at home, a representative who never lost an opportunity of advancing the interests of his riding, who had the experience, who had the ability and business shrewdness to effectively serve the interests of West Peterborough, was the man whose services should be retained. And Mr. Stratton had won so prominent a place in the arena of debate, and was recognized as so excellent a worker on the Parliamentary committees he was at the head of that he was marked as the choice for a Cabinet position at the first vacancy that might occur. (Cheers.) Dr. Bell spoke of Mr. Garvin as an almost total stranger, who had no claims by what he had done or promised to be able to do, upon the suffrages of the electors of West Peterborough, and Dr. Bell asked if they were going to replace a

TRIED AND TRUSTY REPRESENTATIVE

who had served every interest of the riding faithfully and willingly and had cheerfully done all he could, and that has been a great deal, by a comparative stranger to the riding and its needs, who, if elected, would aspire to the position of the Minister of Education, when, as a matter of fact, he had not been able to perform the simple duties of a school inspector! Dr. Bell said that the Hardy Government should be sustained for the practical demonstration they had given of the benefit of Liberal principles. He remarked that Liberal principles of government applied to the Dominion, for the past eighteen months had given better accomplishment of good results than had attended eighteen years of Conservative rule. In the first year of the Liberal government at Ottawa, the exports of the country, which meant so much money in the pockets of the people, had increased to the enormous sum of fourteen millions, and the indications were that the second year would yield as good, if not better, results in this respect. The advent of the Liberal leader to power had given confidence at home and abroad, and the natural conditions were made ripe for the best results. It was pointed out that the present Ontario Government had given the province a splendid system of laws, touching upon every popular interest and in favour of the people as against class interests. They had protected our rights and saved our territory, rich in timber and minerals, to the province to be an almost exhaustless source of revenue and an impregnable barrier between the people and direct taxation. Reference was made to the course the Opposition took in aiding the Dominion Government to despoil us of these sources of wealth. Dr. Bell spoke of the liberal treatment the Government had extended to the Province in the shape of well maintained services, which were of direct benefit to the great mass of the people. And they had a magnificent surplus of assets over liabilities; they had a record that for the long course of 25 years had not been stained with a dishonourable act. Would they exchange a government that they had tried and found true to their trust, for a party of men who had been an utter failure as oppositionists, therefore could not be expected to be successful as administrators? Dr. Bell closed with an appeal to the electors to rally around the member who had served them so faithfully, and who deserved such a recognition at their hands. He urged united action to give a decisive expression of the approval they must feel.

The chairman extended an invitation to any friends of Mr. Garvin to address the meeting, but no one responded, though representatives of Mr. Garvin from town were present.

MR. STRATTON'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Stratton began by saying that he was very glad to be present and referred to his happy school days in the old log school across the corner and he supposed he had been in old Mr. Smith's orchard as often as any of the boys (cheers and laughter). He was very glad to be present for he felt that he was among friends. They had known him from boyhood and he appealed to them and asked if they could say that he had ever betrayed any trust that had been reposed in him—in either his personal or representative capacity. In the latter respect he had tried to do the best he could for all parts of the riding and there was not a friend or opponent that could say that he had failed or neglected to respond to any appeal for any good services that could be expected at the hands of a representative. He felt that he represented the whole riding, Conservatives and Liberals alike and he had tried faithfully to impartially discharge his trust. After referring to the record of the Government and its claim to support and his own claims, he referred to Mr. Garvin's candidature, and to the misstatements made by him to the effect that it was to Mr. Stratton's influence that he (Mr. Garvin) was dismissed from the position of inspector of the Peterborough Schools. This was a direct misstatement, as the members of the Board of Education of Peterborough, all honourable gentlemen and nearly all Conservatives, who had unanimously agreed to his dismissal, could testify. Mr. Garvin did this to gain sympathy, and Mr. Stratton was sure the fair, thinking electors of South Monaghan would judge such a man by the place he occupies in the country as a mere stranger and with few, if any, material interests in West Peterborough.

Mr. Stratton, after again expressing his pleasure at being present, and at the large attendance of the electors at the third meeting in good old South Monaghan of this campaign, dealt jocularly with the varied medley of "cries" that had served the Opposition as ammunition at the past three or four general election campaigns. Since he had last met the electors there had been a change of Premiers. Sir Oliver Mowat had become L.-Governor of the Province, but great and able a statesman as he was, he had a worthy successor in Hon. A. S. Hardy, the present Premier, who was equipped in the highest degree with the qualities that go to constitute an ideal statesman and premier—with firmness, with a deep sense of his trust—with executive and administrative ability, in which nature's liberal endowment has been developed by twenty-four years representation in Parliament, of which 20 years has been passed as Cabinet Minister under that most capable tator, Sir Oliver Mowat. He referred to Hon. Mr. Ross, Minister of Education, whom the electors would have the pleasure of hearing in the Opera House on Jan. 27th, who had twenty-seven years experience as an educator and minister, fourteen years of which had been passed as Minister of Education. He was a man of broad culture, ripe experience, and regarded as one of the foremost public men of the Dominion. With these there were associated in the Cabinet the heads of the other departments, who had by several years of capable service demonstrated their fitness for the positions they occupy.

Referring to the Opposition candidate, Mr. Garvin, it was pointed out, that in the ranks of the great Conservative party there were

MANY CAPABLE MEN

who would creditably represent the party, which some thought was to a certain degree humiliated by having to fall in line with a comparative stranger to the riding and one whom the vast majority of the electors never heard of before. He had nothing to say in personal disparagement of Mr. Garvin, and Mr. Garvin needed no praise from any one—he had a sufficiently high estimate of himself to answer all practical purposes. If the people preferred a stranger to a representative that had used every effort to serve them successfully, they were the masters and it was the duty of every candidate to bow to the will of the electors. The complaint of the Opposition respecting the audit of the public accounts was met by the statement that it was the same as that practised in the Dominion Parliament, whose auditor-general, like the auditor-general of Ontario, was appointed under authority of Act of Parliament and could only be removed by Parliament. The Ontario auditor-general had a controlling oversight over all the expenditure authorised by Parliament. In dealing with the timber question Mr. Stratton brought out the fact that at the first sale of timber lands in 1900 the condition was attached that all logs cut on those lands should be manufactured into lumber in Ontario. Nearly all logs cut for export were cut off limits solds prior to 1872 or before Sir Oliver Mowat or Mr. Hardy came into power. The entire manner of dealing with timber interests by the immediately previous and present Government was characterised by the guiding principle of securing the largest possible amount of revenue from

A SOURCE OF INCOME

that yielded the Province nearly a million dollars a year. The Eagledue mining deal was explained, as reported previously, and it was demonstrated that the Government in a laudable and earnest desire to promote the development of the best resources of Ontario, had taken this one step in a direction that promised to make the $120,000 to be spent in mining prospecting, according to the conditions of the agreement, the advance guard of a great influx of British capital waiting for the profitable investment which our immense deposits of minerals provided. In their general mining policy the Government had kept in touch with the revived interest created by recent discoveries in our own Province and other places, and the aim of the Government has been to proceed in two principal directions—the compulsory development of mining lands, and the lightening of the hardens to be borne by the actual operator. In the sale or lease of mining lands working conditions are imposed, so that mines cannot be held for speculative purposes. The public interests in mining lands are protected by royalties on the output of from two to three per cent. of its value, and the royalty goes into the Government coffers, and special provision is made that this royalty shall not in the start be made burdensome to miners. Under the Government's policy a mining bureau has been established and summer mining schools provided for. There could be little doubt that the gratifying development that the mining industry of this province had witnessed was due to the liberality of the Ontario mining laws, and this policy as administered will doubtless convert a hitherto dormant source of revenue into magnificent productiveness.

"In regard to the Eagledue matter there had been a great cry raised by the Opposition against it at one time as a robbery of the province, but we hear no more of it now. Public opinion had compelled the Opposition to agree to the wisdom of the agreement, and they had nothing to say about it now. It was laid at rest in the silent tomb along with other dead issues, such as the "Rose" Bible, the "lone pig" and half a dozen other still born political fads. Referring to the cries of the past that were silent now, Mr. Stratton pointed out that if they had had any reason for existence these reasons were as effective now as then. We heard nothing of them now, therefore they were to be condemned as spurious and hollow cries raised at the time to create political capital and had no more basis of merit than other appeals that were being heard in this contest. With the twenty-five years record of a great and good Government presented for the consideration of the people, with the duty of deciding whether the trustees of the provincial interests had faithfully fulfilled that trust and whether (as they were) they were entitled to a renewal of confidence, it was the height of absurdity to have such petty matters as an exploded piggery scandal thrust upon the people as the main reason why the Opposition should be placed in charge of the interests of this great province.

Mr. Whitney and his associates were fond of making rather sweeping charges respecting our finances. Mr. Whitney had charged that we were on the verge of direct taxation, the same old text from which "Charlie" Rykert was

PREACHING BLUE RUIN

sermons 24 years ago; that our resources were being ruinously squandered, and that incapacity and extravagance characterized the management of our financial affairs. Mr. Stratton pointed out that these gentlemen never came down to particulars—they only made general charges, which could be more speedily refuted and disproved. Mr. Stratton then dealt in rapid review with our financial history since we started provincial housekeeping 1867. He showed how the alleged surplus of $3,800 00 had been spent to meet obligations which Sandfield Macdonald had created, and which had to be met by his successors. In addition to that it was shown that the Mowat Government had spent over six millions in aid to railways and to secure an effective service for every department of public requirement. In this manner a grand total of over eighty-nine millions has been spent for the people, and, in proof that the provincial funds had been economically expended, it was shown that out of a grand total of over forty-seven million dollars asked to be voted by the House in the fourteen years, from 1884 to 1897, the Opposition had taken exception to only $233,146, equal to about half a cent on the dollar. In other words, of the expenditure proposed by the Government in fourteen years, every dollar was approved of by the Opposition, with the exception of half a cent and one feature of the expenditure of the Government was that nearly half of it was a direct gift of money to the people to lighten local taxation. For the several services—Education, Agriculture and Arts, Hospitals and Charities, Administration of Justice, Public Asylums and Colonization Roads, the vast total of over forty-three million had been returned to the people. Do the people complain of these expenditures? The Opposition do so by generally condemning the Government's financial management. But they take precious good care not to say

WHAT THEY WANT CUT OFF.

Would they desire the grants to education to be curtailed, would they wish the grants to Public and Separate Schools withdrawn, which save the people nearly half of the cost of schools on the whole, for which they would have to tax themselves were it not for the liberal share the Government provides? Would they want the grants withdrawn from the institutions for the insane, the deaf and dumb and the blind and leave these afflicted unfortunates without the care they now receive? Would they by reducing or withdrawing the grants to these institutions throw the care of the inmates on the municipality or the homes, generally of the poor, where they cannot from lack of means or conveniences get the care they should receive? Let them state what expense in the items named they would cut off. If the Opposition cannot come to particulars they practically confess that these services are necessary, and if necessary they should be maintained, and how shall they be maintained without money. They must be maintained and the policy of the government is to deal with the utmost liberality with institutions and services that are maintained in the direct interests of the people. The government are the trustees of the people and responsible to the people for the resources intrusted to them, and if they consult the best

INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE

in the discharge of that trust shall the people dispense with their services when they appeal to the people for an expression of opinion as to the manner in which they have performed their duty towards the people.

Mr. Stratton again referred to the false statement made by Mr. Poussette, that there was no provincial auditor independent of the government, and proved that Mr. Poussette was wrong, that he either wilfully or ignorantly stated what was absolutely false. But such were the tactics which were being pursued—a policy of false statements, and no definite statement was made by any of the speakers on Mr. Garvin's behalf, but was capable of flat contradiction. He then referred to the

EDUCATIONAL POLICY

of the government, which was to give the people of the province the best education possible, and refuted the charge that the Government favoured the High School at the expense of the Public School. The grants to Public Schools were made in proportion to the attendance of pupils—the greater the number of the pupils the greater the grant. A lump sum was voted for High Schools and divided amongst them, and the result justified the expenditure on High Schools. Through them teachers were educated and to the poorest parent they presented the privilege of giving a clever son or daughter an education that was the next best to a university education. But for the High Schools the higher walks of educational advantage would be closed to the average farmer and citizen and only the children of the wealthy could receive a college education. In all parts of the world, men trained in our excellent schools were to be found. Were they hewers of wood and drawers of water? By no means. Canadian graduates of our High Schools and colleges were holding down the chairs of principals and professors in many of the universities in the United States, and all over that country Canadians were found in the highest positions of trust, in manufacturing establishments, and also in important positions where level heads, educated intellect and trustworthy qualities commanded recognition. Results, the speaker said, were the

TRUE TEST OF VALUE,

and such results, added to the evidence we had in possessing a population in Ontario unsurpassed in intelligence and in the widest general diffusion of educational culture of any country in the world—yes, in the world—such results demonstrated that our educational system was sound and efficiently administered; and that the policy of the present Government in spending money liberally to maintain schools was in the interests of the province. The expenditure upon education in Ontario was nearly two hundred dollars a day, but it was not the Government that spent it, it was the people. The more pupils they sent to our schools the more money was granted. The same principle was applied to the maintenance of our public institutions, in which over five thousand persons were comfortably maintained and cared for, with a result of not only direct saving to the municipalities from which these persons came, but with the more important result of giving to lives that had no other hope of comfort, the relief which their necessities made imperative, and which the Government of a Christian country was bound to extend. In connection with the maintenance of these institutions, the Opposition charged that we do not buy supplies by tender and that the Government favoured their friends. Such accusations had no force, either in point of fact or policy. The general tender system was found to be impractible by Sandfield Macdonald and abolished. What articles it was wise to tender for were now obtained by public tender, such as flour, coal, wood and butter; and meat was bought by an expert buyer by special arrangement. But there were many other articles needed which, in the nature of things, could not be bought by tender. If a patient became ill, would it be practicable to tender for a barrel of pills or a barrel of castor oil? It was impracticable to tender for water, tea, furniture and crockery broken by patients, cutlery, railway tickets for conveying patients, postage stamps and telegrams; and a countless number of miscellaneous articles that could not be practically purchased by tender. Mr. Stratton pointed out that the expenditure on the several institutions and services in which the money was returned for

THE BENEFIT OF THE PEOPLE,

was regulated by the demands of the people themselves—the educational grants depended upon the number of pupils sent to the schools, and the grants for administration of justice to municipalities, depended upon the amount of crime that prevailed—so that in this sense it did not seem that though justice was at the bottom of the expenditure, that it was hardly the fair thing — for the better the people behaved themselves, the less money they got on account of administration of justice. Reference was also made to to the great "piggery" issue, which had run its short course in the House, had caused a very large expenditure for a fruitless investigation, for when the report of the investigation into the subject was laid on the table no one—not even St. John, the father of the pig-stye policy of the Opposition—was found to move its adoption except the chairman as a matter of routine. The School Book question was also dealt with, and it was plainly shown that according to the report of a Royal Commission, based on sworn evidence, the prices charged for school books was not excessive according to their literary and educational value, and that the people had nothing to complain of, in regard to the price of books. If the people bought school books by the million, instead of the hundred thousand, school books, like other books, could be greatly lessened in price. But the demand was limited. No one who honestly considered the facts would hold the Government responsible for the high price of Ontario school books, which were better and 100 per cent. cheaper than the same kind of school books in the United States.

Mr. Stratton closed a most effective address, which was listened to with sympathetic attention, by appealing to the electors to exercise their franchise with a view of selecting a representative best qualified to serve the interests of the riding and the province.

The meeting closed with enthusiastic cheers for the Queen, the candidate and the Hardy-Ross Government.

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Has Reappeared at Calgary.

Calgary, Jan. 21.—Mr. W. A. Myers, who disappeared from Rossland, B.C., Christmas day, has arrived at Calgary, having walked the entire distance of the Crow's Nest Pass Railroad. The rival newspapers in Rossland exulted over his failure and published misleading reports concerning him, and this, together with financial reverses, seem to have unbalanced his mind, as he left honorably, and of his own accord.

Excursion Rates Unchanged.

New York, Jan. 21. — The General Passenger Agents' Association met yesterday in this city. The excursion rates of last summer will be maintained this year. W. E. Davis, general passenger ticket agent of the Grand Trunk Railway system, was elected president of the Association, and George C. Wells of Montreal, chief clerk of the Canadian Pacific, was re-elected secretary. Syracuse was decided upon as the next place of meeting.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any differences if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery make rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning — begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive organs. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Want the Lumber Duty Reduced.

Buffalo, Jan. 20.—At a regular meeting of the Black Rock Businessmen's Association last night, a report on lumber tariff was submitted by a committee. The association adopted a resolution requesting Representatives Alexander and Mahaney to support any measure providing for the reduction of the present duty on Canadian lumber. The duty is $2 per thousand feet.

Highway Robbery in Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Last night Joseph Moran, a young railroad man, was relieved of $50, a gold watch and chain, and given in exchange a black eye and cut face. He had taken a drink and thinks he was drugged.

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Personal and General Notes.

The Cabinet was in session again all day considering the sessional programme.

Isaac Laframbois, his wife, daughter and son, were severely burned at their home last evening by the explosion of a lamp.

Yesterday Messrs. B. Tooke and F. C. Shelton of Montreal and W. A. Green of Berlin saw the Minister of Finance about the duty on cotton which comprises the raw material for collars and shirts. In view of the fierce competition of German and British manufacturers they claim that a continuation of the existing circumstances will certainly drive them to the wall. They ask for a reduction of duty on cotton used in shirt making, or else an increase in duty on the manufactured article.

Allan Line Will Call at Halifax.

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OUR FOREIGN TRADE.

An Increase in the Total Trade of $26,000,000.

THE EXPORTS OF FARM PRODUCE.

Inland Revenue Also Greatly Increased—A Gratifying Official Statement—The Figures in Detail Which Show How Canada's Trade is Expanding Abroad—Other Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The Customs Department has made up the returns of Canada's foreign trade for the six months ending December 31, 1897, and the statement is one that will be most gratifying to every Canadian, showing as it does an increase in the total trade of $26,000,000. The following is a statement of the imports for the six months:

	1897.	1896.
Imports	$62,701,000	$58,102,000
Dutiable	84,350,000	81,989,000
Duty collected	10,341,000	9,633,000
Free goods	25,618,000	21,634,000
Coin and Bullion	2,782,000	4,478,000

Returns from the port of Vancouver not being complete, the estimated amount short in the imports is $847,000, which, added to the totals, would make the increase for the six months over the corresponding six months in 1896 about $26,000,000. The increases in the imports are very heavy in the iron and steel schedules, and the importation of provisions is more than doubled, largely accounted for no doubt by the Klondike trade. There is a large decrease in the importation of sugar, and there is a slight decrease in the woollen schedule The exports, classified and compared with 1896, were as follows:

	1897.	1896.
Minerals	$ 7,656,000	$ 5,314,000
Fish	7,100,000	7,230,000
Animals and produce	32,467,000	25,950,000
Forest	19,767,000	18,768,000
Agriculture	26,771,000	14,247,000
Manufactures	5,736,000	5,182,000
Miscellaneous	174,000	248,000
	$99,673,000	$76,886,000
Produce of Canada	$89,779,000	$69,911,000
Coin and bullion	987,000	3,212,000

It will be seen that there is a very heavy increase in the exports of farm produce and of meat, cheese and butter and a slight increase in manufactures. The rapid mineral development of Canada is indicated in the increase in exports for the half year of $2,800,000. The only decrease in the list is in the fisheries, and that only amounts to $130,000. The returns for December alone show that exports increased nearly $6,000,000 in the one month, and the imports increased by $1,736,000. The duty collected during December on dutiable imports increased by $954,000.

Inland Revenue.

The annual report of the Department of Inland Revenue for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1897, has been printed. It shows that the quantity of spirits produced during the year was 2,979,958 proof gallons, as compared with 4,883,210 the previous year. Indian corn constituted the bulk of the raw material used in the production. There was taken for consumption during the year 2,907,809 gallons of spirits, as compared with 2,468,000 in 1896. The consumption of malt liquor was 17,888,000, as compared with 18,044,000 in 1896. The number of cigars consumed was 113,276,000, as compared with 108,290,000 in 1896. There was an increase of 350,000 pounds of tobacco from foreign leaf used and the consumption of tobacco from Canadian leaf very largely increased, the figures being 726,000 pounds in 1897 and 463,000 pounds in 1896. The duty collected on spirits was $4,770,000, an increase of $760,000 over 1896. The duty on malt was $1,036,000, an increase of $250,000 over 1896. The duty on cigars shows a slight increase, and on cigarettes an increase of $36,000. The number of cigarettes taken out for consumption was: Of Canadian manufacture, 92,134,000, and of foreign manufacture, 1,664,000, a total of 93,800,000 cigarettes smoked in Canada during 1897, as against 80,461,000 in 1896. Cigarettes of Canadian manufacture in 1896 numbered 77,664,000, so that there was an increase in 1897 of about 15,000,000 native-made cigarettes consumed. The total revenue for the year of the whole department was $9,182,000, as against $7,956,000 in 1896. It is explained that the great increase of revenue—nearly a million and a quarter as compared with 1896—must be held to be almost wholly in anticipation of the current year's receipts. The consumption of snuff was about the same as the previous year. The consumption per head of the various articles paying excise duties, compared with 1896, was as follows:

	1897.	1896.
Spirits	.723	.693
Beer	8.469	8.598
Wine	.084	.070
Tobacco	2 24	2.12

The average consumption of spirits since Confederation per annum has been 1.03, and while the consumption in 1897 was more than in 1896 it was less than in 1894 and 1893. The consumption of beer averaged since Confederation 2.92 and of tobacco 2.17.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

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Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

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Lee's Well-Advised Caution.

New York, Jan. 21.—A special cablegram from Havana says: General Lee probably averted war between Spain and the United States by refusing to summon a warship during the recent riots here when beseeched to do so. He expects to ask for a war vessel quick enough to be present in case a future riot should take an anti-American turn. He is watching the situation closely, and is better informed of what is going on than is General Blanco himself.

The annexationist feeling is growing among the Spanish merchants. They themselves may soon ask General Lee for protection.

The U. S. to Pay in Silver.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 21.—By the decisive vote of 41 to 25, the Senate yesterday decided to proceed at once to the consideration of the resolution introduced a few days ago by Mr. Teller of Colorado, providing for the payment of bonds of the United States in silver at the option of the Government.

Suicide With a Razor.

Delhi, Ont., Jan. 21.—Mr. John Manary, about 60 years of age and a farmer, living about six miles from here, committed suicide yesterday noon by cutting his throat with a razor. He only lived about an hour. He has been poorly for eight or ten years, and became despondent.

Missionaries for the Klondike.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—The Executive Committee of the General Mission Board of the Methodist Church has decided on sending two missionaries to the Klondike.

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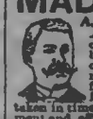

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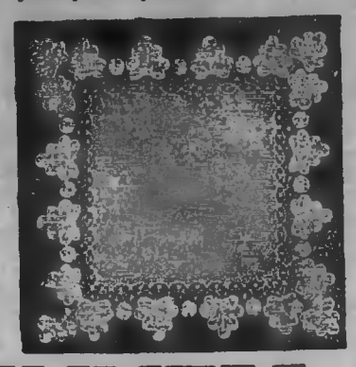

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Fortunate islands, the ancients called them. What measure of good fortune they associated with cleanliness is indeed uncertain. From the duration and elaboration of their baths one might presume that the Romans—not the holy, but the pagan Romans—placed it at least a degree above godliness. Yet some influence surely must have traversed the law of heredity, for they scarcely seem to have transmitted this disposition to their posterity.

Whether, however, the title of Fortunate, given to these islands, had or had not a reference to this quality, which we place proverbially only next to godliness, the quality itself is strikingly conspicuous. The islands had other names. The Hesperides is the most familiar of them, and in Tenerife the original "dragon" tree may be seen beneath which that sleepless dragon coiled himself who acted as watchdog for the maidens guarding the golden apples. Today we call "golden apples" oranges—in the language of the country, narangas. We have changed the name of the islands, too, and call them the Canaries. No canary birds seem to live in them, however, and there is a notion that the name is derived ultimately from "canis," the dogs, especially those of the island of Lanzerote, the most easterly, being famous. The flora of the islands are subtropical, with palms (is not the chief town of the Grand Canary Las Palmas?), bananas, eucalyptus, cactus and the aforesaid "golden apples." Luxuriant vegetation is the glory of Tenerife; a climate wonderfully equable is common to them all, but Grand Canary is especially blessed in its dryness and freshness.

At Orotava are more grandeur of gardens and spacious hotels. At Las Palmas, facing the northeast trade winds, are the constant fresh breeze off the sea, accommodation as comfortable as could be desired and the quality of cleanliness in its superlative degree. Where all is so dry it is difficult to be dirty and a positive triumph of innate instincts over circumstances on the part of the proletariat that so many of them continue to be filthy. The Englishman may even be astonished at the dirt, as he will be astonished at his own cleanliness. The astonishment is the greater because the place is pervaded by a fine dust, but the very dust is of a cleanly, almost of a cleansing, nature.

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In all the world to-day—in all the history of the world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. Y.

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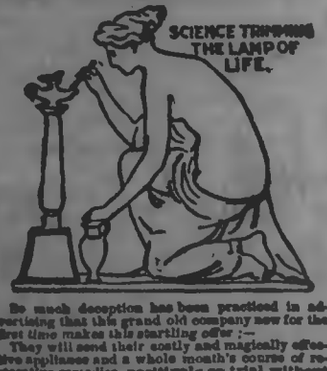

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Not a dollar need be advanced—not a penny paid—till results are known to and acknowledged by the patient.

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They restore or create strength, vigor, healthy vigor and new life.

They quickly stop drains on the system that sap the energy.

They cure nervousness, despondency and all the effects of evil habits, excesses, overwork, etc.

They give full strength, development and tone to every portion and organ of the body.

Failure is impossible and age is no barrier.

This "Trial without Expense" offer is limited by the company to a short time, and application must be made at once.

No C. O. D. scheme, no begging philanthropy nor deception, no exposure—a clean business proposition by a company of high financial and professional standing.

Write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY, BUFFALO, N.Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper.

It lies in power on the banana leaves and palm trees. After a country drive it may make a dark coat look as if its wearer's profession had to do with a flour mill, but a shower of rain sweeps it off the foliage, and a shake and a brush of the garment, and they are all more spotless than they were before.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Footgear and Gloves.

Woman is largely judged by her extremities, by the way she dresses her feet and hands, and so she should have a care in selecting footgear and gloves, says a New York fashion writer. At no time are her feet so conspicuous as when in evening attire, unless she happens to be a member of the Rainy Day club. Evening slippers are very smart at present. Two general styles prevail for house and full dress wear—the single strap or the double strap crossed and the laced low shoes. Black satin slippers elaborately embroidered in cut jet are very swell and make even the clumsiest foot look slim and dainty. Possessors of feet broader than or longer than four should, when possible, stick to a black evening slipper, for the light colors make large feet look larger. Silver and gold buckles, jeweled butterflies and bugs, gold and silver embroideries, fluffy bows and rosettes all look too beautiful for anything in the shoe man's window, but they are intended for little feet. Women with big feet can apply philosophy to evening slippers as well as to everything else in life. For everything you miss you gain something else, and the gain in this case is immediate, for it is in dollars and cents. All of these gimcracks on slippers make them just that much more expensive.

The proper thing to wear with ball gowns and other elaborate frocks is a slipper made from the piece of the gown worn unless it happens to be a striped or flowered brocade. Then a slipper made of the prevailing tint should be worn. Bronze slippers are much used for house wear again, and they are pretty and inexpensive too. What woman does not remember her childish joy over her first pair of bronze slippers?

Short on Fingers; Long on Sense.

We are becoming an optimist more and more all the time. We have come to the conclusion that nearly everything that happens, though it cannot be seen at the time, is for the best. About 20 years ago when we were stealing a ride on a binder we got to poking wheat straws in the cogwheels to see them cut the heads off. Somehow the machine caught one of our index fingers and cut it off at the first joint. All these years have passed and we have just found out what that stub of a finger is good for. It comes handy to a teething baby, there being no nail on it to cut the baby's mouth.—Norwich (Kan.) Courant.

Eternal Vigilance

Is the price of perfect health. Watch carefully the first symptoms of impure blood. Cure boils, pimples, humors and scrofula by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Drive away the pains and aches of rheumatism, malaria and stomach troubles, steady your nerves and overcome that tired feeling by taking the same great medicine.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

A Delightful Picture.

A homelike picture of Mrs. Washington and her favorite granddaughter is given by Mrs. James Gibson, who frequently visited her when, as the president's wife, she resided in Philadelphia, then the capital of the United States. Mrs. Gibson's language is quoted by Miss Wharton in her "Martha Washington."

Mrs. Washington was in the habit of retiring at an early hour to her own room, unless detained by company, and there, no matter what the hour, Nellie (Miss Custis) attended her.

One evening my father's carriage being late in coming for me, my dear young friend invited me to accompany her to grandmamma's room. There, after some little chat, Mrs. Washington apologized to me for pursuing her usual preparations for the night, and Nellie entered upon her accustomed duty by reading a chapter and a psalm from the old family Bible, after which all present knelt in evening prayer.

Mrs. Washington's faithful maid then assisted her to disrobe and lay her head upon the pillow. Nellie then sang a verse of some sweetly soothing hymn, and then leaning down received the parting blessing for the night, with some emphatic remarks on her duties, improvements, etc. The effect of these judicious habits and teachings appeared in the granddaughter's character through life.

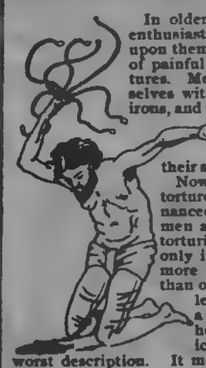
A Well Used Cradle.

The Chicago Inter Ocean says: "Mordecai Hardesty, the first white child born in Indianapolis, was rocked through infancy in a cradle in the possession of Mrs. Brandt, wife of the Rev. J. L. Brandt, pastor of the Christian tabernacle of Valparaiso, Ind. The cradle is known to be 106 years old. It was brought from Virginia to Indiana at an early day. Altogether 40 sons of Indiana have been rocked in this same relic, which is still doing service in the home of the Rev. Mr. Brandt. The cradle was hewed from the log, is 3 feet 3 inches long and from its long continued use closely resembles ebony."

Sad Misunderstanding.

"It was all I could do to keep from laying violent hands on him," said the keeper of the high class cafe as the pale young man departed. "The idea of his calling this place a beanery!"

"He meant to give you a compliment," said the listener. "Are you not aware that he is a Bostonian?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.



In olden times mistaken enthusiasts used to inflict upon themselves all manner of painful and horrible tortures. Men scourged themselves with whips and hot irons, and rubbed vinegar into the wounds and wore haircloth next to their skin day and night.

Nowadays such cruel torture is discountenanced. Nevertheless, men and women go on torturing themselves, only in a different and more serious manner than of old. They neglect their health, and neglected health means physical torture of the worst description. It means slow starvation. Because a man forces food into a weak and impaired stomach, it does not follow that he feeds his body. The life-giving elements of the food taken into an impaired stomach are not assimilated into the blood. Instead, the impurities of the sluggish liver and bowels are taken up and carried to all parts of the body. The consequence is that the body is not only starved but poisoned. The immediate result is physical suffering from which the old time zealot would have drawn back in horror. The final result is disease and death. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a scientific remedy that acts according to natural laws. It is not a violent spur to nature or a mere artificial appetiser. It gently, but surely and permanently, promotes the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It creates appetite, makes the assimilation of the food perfect, invigorates the liver and purifies and enriches the blood. It builds up firm, muscular flesh. It cures nervous exhaustion, debility, sleeplessness and all the evils that follow in their train. Found at all medicine stores. Accept no substitute that may be represented as "just as good."

"I can heartily recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and 'Pleasant Pellets' to anyone troubled with indigestion and torpid liver," writes M. G. Crider, Esq., of Leonard, Harlan Co., Ky. "My disease was chronic. Our family physician could do nothing for me. I could not walk nor help myself. I could not eat anything but it caused a horrible distress and gnawing in my stomach. I have taken four bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and one vial of your 'Pellets' and can work all day."

WHEAT HIGHER.

It Now Looks as if There Would Be Some Movement in July—The Local Prices.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 20.

Cheese is 6d lower in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures ¾d to ⅞d higher.

Liverpool corn futures ½d to ⅝d higher.

Cash wheat 2c higher in Chicago, at 93⅞c.

Dun & Co. report 53 business failures in Canada this week, as against 45 last week and 65 the corresponding week of last year.

It begins to look as though July wheat in Chicago would be the active month in the near future. There is a heavy short interest. Nobody has been selling it to any extent except the shorts. The St. Louis speculators who have been on the bear side of late have sold the July at 1oc to 10½c under May. The Leiter interest have been looking for a movement in July for some time. They bought about 500,000 bushels yesterday and sold an equal quantity of May.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 93¾	$0 91⅞
New York	1 08	0 98¾
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 93¾	0 91⅞
St. Louis	0 94	0 94¾
Toledo	0 92½	0 93¾
Detroit	0 92¾	0 92¾
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 92	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 92	0 91¾
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The feeling is better, in sympathy with higher prices of wheat. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.80 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market was firmer to-day, with sales of red winter at 82c to 82½c, high freights, and white quoted at 81c west. Spring held at 83c on Midland, and goose at 77c to 77½c, Midland. Manitoba wheat is quoted at $1.02, North Bay and Toronto freights, and at 98c, Midland and Owen Sound.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted west at 32c to 33c. No. 3 extra quoted at 28c to 29c and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 25½c to 26c for white and on Midland at 26½c; mixed 25c west.

PEAS—The market continues firm, with prices ruling at 52c to 53c, north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules dull, with cars quoted at 30c west and 31c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 44½c west and at 45½c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm. Car lots sold at 28c west.

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Dodd's Kidney Pills is the only remedy that has ever cured Bright's Disease.

Cattle—Choice steers, $4.25 to $4.40; good, $3.90 to $4.10; medium, $3.50 to $3.75; common, $3 to $3.25; choice cows, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice bulls, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice oxen, $3.75 to $4; good, $3.50 to $3.75; medium, $3.25 to $3.50; common, $3 to $3.25; choice stockers, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice feeders, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice milkers, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice calves, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice sheep, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice lambs, $3.25 to $3.50; good, $2.90 to $3.10; medium, $2.50 to $2.75; common, $2 to $2.25; choice hogs, $3.25 to $3.50; 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Which Occurred at About Three O'clock this Morning on George Street.

A terrific runaway took place at an early hour this morning when a livery horse got away from two young men who were returning from the Keene carnival.

The animal took fright at the C. P. R. station and bolting, upset the cutter and threw both occupants out. It ran up George street, and turning west at the corner of Hunter, passed between Mr. J. D. Tully's drug store and the billboard on the telegraph post. It was stopped by being caught in the pile of lumber in front of Mr. F. E. Jones' new livery stable, which is in course of erection. All the damage occasioned was the breaking of the shafts.

Remember the Curling and Hockey excursion to Toronto and Hamilton. Good going on the 25th and on the p.m. trains on the 24th. Toronto $2.00. Hamilton $2 50.

THE Y. M. C. A. DEBATING CLUB.

Sheriff Hall's Paper on "How to Read and What to Read."

The interest in the Y. M. C. A. Debating Club has steadily increased since the organization meeting in November. The seventh session last night took the form of an open meeting, which was attended by a goodly number—not members of the club alone—but also including a fair delegation of ladies.

Mr. C. H. Bradburn, 1st Vice-President of the club occupied the chair.

Sheriff Hall's paper on "How to Read and What to Read," was the feature of the evening and the speaker presented his subject in a masterly and interesting way. The vein of humour running through the paper added much to the interest.

The paper was followed by an animated discussion, in which a large number of the members joined.

The Sheriff was tendered the thanks of the audience for his kindness.

Mr. E. W. Maybee sang "The Way of Peace," which was heartily applauded, as also was Mr. Mulligan's selection.

The programme for the meeting next Friday evening will be—"Resolved, that the influence of the platform is greater than the pew."

The club's executive committee will meet on Monday evening at 7.30 to arrange the programme for the balance of the season.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

TO BE HELD IN TOWN.

Bay of Quinte Conference Convention of Epworth League.

It is officially announced that the annual convention of the Bay of Quinte Conference, Epworth League, will be held in Peterborough on Feb. 23rd and 24th. The Epworth League is in hearty sympathy and co-operation with Young People's Society work of other denominations, and a cordial invitation is extended to all Young People's Societies in Peterborough to co-operate as far as possible in promoting the success of this first visit of the Conference League to our town. A meeting of the executive of the George street, Mark street and Charlotte street Leagues is called to meet at the George street church on Monday evening next, Jan. 24th, at 9.15, to complete arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the convention. Rev. Dr. Carman, General Superintendent of the Methodist church, Rev. Dr. Henderson, assistant missionary Secretary, and other leading orators will be present to address the convention.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The County Council meets on Tuesday.

—Belleville papers state that our Dog Show was a great success.

—The regular annual meeting of the shareholders in Fife's Cemetery, Otonabee, will be held on Monday, February 7th, in the basement of Bethel church, at 7.30 p.m.

—Try E. Welsh's oyster patties, 25c per doz.; sausage rolls, 25c per doz.; shell oysters, 35 cts. per doz., and the best standard oysters in town 25c, per quart. Telephone No 262.

—R. J. Stuart, of Norwood, has organised a total of 23 Courts of Canadian Foresters during the past year, the aggregate membership being over 500 and the amount of insurance carried over $600,000.

—The Detroit Tribune says of Miss Zeigler: "Her singing was one of the surprises of the evening—a treat of which the audience could not be surfeited." She excels at Scotch selections. In Association Hall, Tuesday evening, January 25th.

CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Jan 23rd, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 23rd. Services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m.; both services conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor. Jan. 23rd. services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. W. G. Clark of Belleville. Sunday school and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Third Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 23rd. Services—11 a.m., Morning prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. Service and Bible study on Book of Genesis on Thursday evening at 8. All seats free.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 23rd. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m. Morning subject "The Apocalyptic Vision," and evening subject "A Wicked People and a Broken-Hearted Preacher," Sunday school at 2.30. Rev. Mr. Moore's class of young people will meet at 10 a.m., also class No. 2 as the same. C. Noyes, leader. W. Wand's senior class will meet at 12.15, immediately after preaching. Seats free. Attentive ushers. All welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O. C. Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 23. Services a 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed. Y P S C E Monday evening.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Third Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 23rd. Services:—8.30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 6.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. [illegible], B.A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 23rd. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School and Bible class 2 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday at 8 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH (Murray Street)—Rev. A. T. Dykeman, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 23rd. Services at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m., conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Pastor's Bible Class, 3 p.m. Young People's Union every Monday evening at 8 p.m. Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Seats free; all welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 23rd. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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MONAGHAN

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TOWN HALL, NORTH MONAGHAN, Monday, Jan. 24th, at 7.30 p.m.

SMITH

MIDDLETON'S SCHOOL HOUSE Smith, Tuesday Evening, Jan. 25th, at 7.30.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, chapter 110, section 38, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Walsh, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, druggist, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of June, 1897, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the Solicitors for the Executors, Messrs. Roger & Bennet, 375 Water street, Peterborough, on or before the

19th day of February, 1898,

full particulars of their claims against the said William Walsh, and of the securities (if any) held by them, and after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

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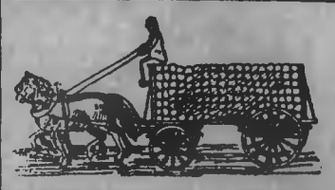

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YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONVENTION.

Of the Presbytery of Peterborough to be Held in Millbrook on Tuesday Next.

On Tuesday next the third annual convention of the Presbyterial Young People's Society of the Presbytery of Peterborough, will be held in the Millbrook Presbyterian church, and will be attended by a number of delegates from town.

The following programme has been prepared for the occasion:

PROGRAMME.

MORNING SESSION.

9.00—Praise and devotional service.
9.15—Roll call and appointment of business committee.
9 30—Our Mission and Missionary. Reports by Rev J G Potter, President, Miss Mary Forsythe, Treasurer, Rev Alex Laird, Cor. Secretary.
10.00—Discussion on report, and on methods of raising Mission money, led by Mr David Dayell.
10.45—Three minute reports from Societies.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1.30—Praise and devotional service.
1.45—Report of Business Committee and election of officers.
2.00—The plan of study and the shorter Catechism, Rev C S Lard, Rev J U Tanner.
2.40—Discussion, led by members of St Andrew's Society, Peterborough.
3.30—The aims of our Young People's Societies and how to realize them. Rev A C Reeves, Miss Edith Byers.
4.00—Discussion, led by members of St Paul's Society, Peterborough.
4.30—Reports from Societies.
5.00—Adjournment.

EVENING SESSION.

7.30—Praise and devotional service.
7.45—Unfinished business. Collection to defray expenses.
8.00—The Westminster Assembly, Rev J McD Duncan, Woodville, Rev J Hay, Cobourg.
9.00—Closing exercises.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

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Yesterday..... 30° 20°

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY

The axe has fallen, and, as was generally anticipated, Berlin's crack team was been declared professionals, and expelled from the Ontario Hockey Association.

This action was taken at a meeting of the Executive held on Thursday night in Toronto, with these members present; C. A. Brown, A. R. Martin, A. Creelman, J. D. McMurrich, A. H. Beaton, J. S. Robertson, A. A. Macdonald, F. J. McLennan, Lionel King and E. P. Brown.

The meeting lasted nearly four hours, and it was a lively one throughout, Berlin made a strong defence. Affidavits were submitted from each of the seven players; from Mayor Rumpel, whose generosity in giving the $10 to each member of the team after winning a match was the cause of the trouble; and from Dr. Cline and Carl Meinke, who asserted that the money was given as a souvenir, and it was so understood. In the players' affidavit the statement was also made that the money had been returned to Mayor Rumpel.

There was practically no opposition to the resolution professionalizing and expelling the team when the vote was taken, although up to this stage of the proceedings the proposal was made that the case be dealt with in some less drastic manner.

The players who are effected by the decision are "Jimmy" Macdonald, of Toronto; Farrell and Stephen, of Montreal; Robson, Boehmer, Gibson and Clark. They are all famous players, and well-known throughout Western Canada.

The regulations were amended so that when the conduct of any club or player is such as to incur suspicion, the Executive shall have the power to suspend the club or player.

The expelled players will have to seek reinstatement at the hands of the O.H.A. At least that is the statement a member of the Association, made last night. This means that the O. H. A. will resent any interference with its affairs on the part of the A.A.A. of C.

The names of the mover and seconder of the resolution was not given.

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CAUSE OF ITS RANCOR.

Mail-Empire Had to Drop False Charges Against Mr. Sifton.

INVASION OF CANADA BUGABOO.

The Yukon Relief Expedition Will Be Escorted by the Northwest Mounted Police—No American Troops Will Accompany the Expedition—More of the Regulations—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—When the American press announced that a beautiful American girl had been abducted and was in captivity in Cuba by the orders of Gen. Weyler, they proceeded to publish columns of stuff about the girl and threats of what the United States would do to the wicked Spaniards. In course of time the Captain-General was heard from. He merely remarked that there was no such captive. Some American newspapers announced that the Washington provisions destined for the northern gold fields by way of the Yukon River for purposes of relief would be accompanied by 100 soldiers of the United States army. Thereupon the Toronto Mail and Empire broke into denunciations of Mr. Sifton for granting permission to these troops to enter Canadian territory, albeit the American press, the source of the Mail and Empire's information, stated that such permission had been obtained from Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador. The Opposition organ has regaled its readers with one, two and three articles a day on the "insult to Canada." In fact that journal has displayed considerable rancor ever since it was forced to drop the false charges it brought against the Minister of the Interior last summer, i.e. that Maxime Lepine, the ex-rebel, had been appointed by Mr. Sifton to an office in the Northwest. When assured from Ottawa weeks ago that no escort of United States soldiers was to go into the Yukon with the relief train, it quoted a despatch from Portland, Oregon, in refutation and continued publishing articles based on the presumption that the most reliable information was to be obtained from Portland, Oregon, sources. The Canadian correspondent of the London Times cabled that paper, while Mr. Sifton was still at Washington, that public opinion was opposed to the course of the Government in admitting armed foreign troops to the Yukon, and now the London Globe is quoted as accepting this information and saying that it was not surprising that Canadian feeling was outraged and that the Ottawa Government had been tricked. Portland, Oregon, again. If the agitation over the Cuban outrage collapsed because there was no girl, then the Yukon outrage must collapse for want of soldiers, or, as the high-sounding phrase has it, "foreign armed troops." It is surprising that the Mail and Empire refuses to accept the statement that no escort of American troops is to accompany the relief through Canadian territory. The relief train is to consist, it is said, of 100 ponies and 36 packers. They will be assisted through the territory under United States jurisdiction by 50 of the United States infantry, detailed to see that the provisions are not stolen or diverted. At the summit of the White Pass, where Canadian territory begins, the United States infantry will return to Skaguay and 50 of the Canadian Mounted Police will escort the train into the Yukon. Will the Siftonphobes continue to beat the alarm drum?

FOR INTENDING KLONDIKERS.

Customs Regulations Which It Would Be Well to Study Up.

The Commissioner of Customs has been at work for some time collecting information with a view to dealing fairly with foreigners destined for Dawson. Regulations have been adopted governing the handling of foreign goods passing in transit through Canada from Juneau, Alaska, and Circle City or other points in Alaska, via the Chilkoot or White Passes. They are as follows:

1. Imported goods in transit as above described shall be reported at the Canadian custom house, Lake Tagish, and may be entered for exportation there on the usual form "in transitu" in duplicate.

2. The goods may then be delivered without payment of duty, to be carried to their destination out of Canada by any transportation company which has duly executed a bond in the form prescribed by the Minister of Customs for the due and faithful delivery of all packages carried by such company and for general compliance with the customs law and regulations governing such traffic. A duplicate of the entry in transitu, duly signed and marked with the proper customs stamp, shall accompany each shipment of goods conveyed by a bonded carrier, so that the same may be returned to the customs house at Fort Cudahy, with a certificate thereon as to the landing of the goods in the United States or of their being passed outwards from Canada within six months from date of entry.

3. If the goods when entered in transitu for exportation are not delivered to be forwarded by a bonded carrier, as provided in the last preceding section, the duty thereon is to be deposited with the customs officer at Lake Tagish subject to a refund at the port of Fort Cudahy when the goods pass outwards thereat, or upon the certificate of an officer of the United States or of the Canadian customs that the said goods have been landed in the United States within six months from the date of their in transitu entry. The duty deposited in such case is to be endorsed on the entry and certified by the customs officer in charge, and the duplicate of the entry duly certified and marked with the customs stamp is to be delivered to the person making their deposit of duty.

4. A report of such entry in transitu shall be forwarded by mail without delay by the customs officer at the sending port to the collector of customs at Fort Cudahy for the collection of duties entered in transitu and not duly reported.

5. The articles usually classed as traveler's baggage are to be passed free without entry.

Personal and General Notes.

Sir William Van Horne was in town Saturday.

A special meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association will be held here next Saturday.

Deposits in the Post-Office Savings Banks last month exceeded withdrawals by $210,000.

Quebec is considering the advisability of sending a special representative to the World's Fair in Paris in 1900.

New postoffices have been opened at Atkin and Middlesex. The following offices are closed: Gladstonbury, Addington, Marble Rock and Leeds.

Lieutenant H. Joly de Lotbiniere, Royal Engineers, a graduate of the Kingston Royal Military College, and now stationed at Nagpur, India, has been ordered to join the Tirah Field force.

The Halifax and Bermuda Cable Company is at present engaged in extending its cable line from Bermuda to Jamaica. The cable construction steamer has reached Turk's Island, and the following message has just been received by His Excellency the Governor-General: "The Governor-General of Canada, Ottawa: Cable from Turk's Island opened. May it tend to increase the commerce between the Dominion and these islands."

THE ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

Two More Candidates Placed in Nomination—One a Liberal and the Other a Patron Independent.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Two more candidates were placed in the field on Saturday, one a Liberal, the other an Independent Patron. Lincoln Liberals met at St. Catharines and nominated Mr. James Doran of Grimsby, who is conceded to be a strong man politically. Interest was added to the meeting by the presence of Hon. Richard Harcourt, who delivered an effective adddress upon the issues of the campaign.

Mr. John W. Davis was selected by the Patrons and Independents of Centre Grey to represent them in the contest, Mr. Gamey being obliged to retire because of the unsatisfactory state of his health.

Kingston Conservatives Divided.

Kingston, Jan. 24.—The local Conservatives are declaring with emphasis that Dr. Edward Ryan will be their nominee for the Legislature. They say Mr. Whitney favors him. The Young Conservatives want Ald. James Minnes, jr., as the candidate.

DEATH CAME SUDDENLY.

George S. Counsell, County Clerk of Wentworth, Passes Away.

Hamilton, Jan. 24.—People around the court house on Saturday morning were terribly shocked at the news of the sudden death of George S. Counsell, for the past 37 years clerk of the county of Wentworth. No one had imagined Mr. Counsell had been at all ill, and, in fact, his sudden taking off was as much a surprise to his family as to his many friends. He fell dead in the bathroom after taking his usual morning bath. In his office work he was most faithful and painstaking, and no man could have been more careful in the guarding of the interests of his employers. His character was one of which any man might be proud—sweet and honest, without any thought of evil, and in his dealings with men he treated every man as his friend. His habits were of the simplest, and outside his office work all his life was centered in his home and family. In his simplicity of habit and openness of character he was almost a unique figure in the position he occupied, and those who did not know him well might almost have imagined him to be eccentric. Many a friend will mourn when Mr. Counsell's death is announced; he left no enemies. Deceased leaves a widow and two estimable daughters to mourn the loss of a loving husband and kind father. C. M. Counsell is a brother of deceased, and Mrs. Edward Martin and Mrs. McGiverin are sisters.

Confessed to Murder.

Soda Creek, B.C., Jan. 24.—On December 30 Lewis G. Elkins, a young Englishman, was shot dead by an Indian at a trading post near Tatla Lake. His brother found the body, and, together with three companions, started in pursuit of the murderer and caught him near Chiloo Lake. They are now en route to One Hundred and Fifty Mile House with the prisoner. The Indian has confessed the crime.

THE INSANITY PLEA

Is Being Worked by the Defence for Tom Nulty.

FATHER'S EMPHATIC TESTIMONY

He Describes His Incarcerated Son's Actions, and Tells of His Near Ancestors' Mental Failings—Great Interest Manifested in the Poirier Murder Trial at St. Scholastique—To Resume To-day.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 24.—The Crown heard its last witness in direct examination in the Nulty murder trial Saturday afternoon. The prisoner's father was then called by the defence and was examined at length respecting Tom's history. The witness said his son had been dutiful and gentle in his early days. He had taught him the catechism, as Tom could not read, and he had in due time taken his first communion. When 13 years of age the prisoner had cut his leg badly and suffered intensely for a long time. Since that accident he had been a changed boy. He was subject to fits, in which he would weep and laugh almost at the same time, at other times he would run around the stove on all fours squeaking. He was an extremely nervous boy, and when spoken to suddenly would strike or throw something at his tormentor. He had even struck at him (the witness) when he unwittingly had startled him. He further said his son was troubled with severe headaches, which attacked him suddenly. Tom had three or four bad spells during the past four months; he could not say exactly when he had the last fit. Witness continuing, said Tom was an inveterate night prowler, and he was seldom in bed till very late hours. The parent's ancestry was also raked up. The witness testified that Tom's grandfather on the father's side was a drunkard, while his grandmother was quite crazy at times. Coming to the day of the crime, witness said his son had met him on the road and had loaned him two dollars. He did not see him again until midnight. Tom had joked and laughed with a companion that night, even while the father was placing the bodies in their coffins. The defence are making strong endeavors to support the plea of insanity.

THE POIRIER CASE.

One Witness Swore He Saw the Accused Woman Kiss Parslow on the Balcony—Jurymen's Exercise.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 24.—There was such a crowd in the Court House Saturday afternoon that several hundred people were unable to obtain admittance. Proceedings were commenced by the foreman of the jury asking Judge Taschereau to admit the gentlemen of the petty jury to take some exercise outside of the prison. The judge, however, was unable to grant the request, but he permitted the jurymen to go into the prison yard under the care of special constables.

Adelaine Le Claire, wife of Joseph Munier of St. Jerome; Damase Leonard, a notary of St. Monique; Pacifique Potvin of St. Jerome, and James A. Hill, a farmer of St. Columbin, and a former neighbor of the Poiriers, gave evidence. Hill saw Sam Parslow around the house at all hours day and night. One Sunday afternoon he passed in front of the house and saw on the balcony Sam kissing the prisoner. Three years ago he met them at his father's during a ball and they stayed all the time together, and Sam had his arm around the neck of Cordelia. On this occasion she drank too much for a woman. The witness corroborated the other evidence and the defence will have much to do with him.

The court was adjourned until 10 o'clock to-day for the hearing of Detective McCaskill's evidence.

CHINESE NEW YEAR'S DAY.

How the Celestials of the Queen City Celebrated the Event.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Saturday was a most interesting day to about 60 of Toronto's citizens. It was New Year's Day to the people of China, and all her sons, who are scattered wide over the face of the earth. The day was also important from the fact that it was "settling-up day." No Chinaman, if possible, will begin the New Year in debt. The Celestial thinks it bad luck to owe a man a "centee," on the sacred holiday.

The 22nd of January is not always New Year's Day. Sometimes the festival falls in February. The date depends on the moon, similarly to our Easter. In the homeland it is a period of great rejoicing and no work is done for a month. Outside of China, however, that is impossible, as the laundry has to go on. But the general festivities go along with the work just the same. On Saturday they called on each other, shook their own hands (not each other's) and then exchanged cards. In many of the shops sandal wood was burnt to give a sweet smelling odor to the atmosphere.

Large shipments of candy, nuts, cake and various sweets were received and were scattered among each other and friends with a lavish hand. But, mingled with their happiness on Saturday was a tinge of fear for the safety of the empire at home. Like all Orientals, the Chinese are very superstitious regarding any changes in the sun's phase. On Saturday, for the first time in centuries, there was a partial eclipse of the sun and this was looked on as a most disastrous omen.

Killed on the Track.

Barrie, Jan. 24.—Henry Croswick, aged 55, provincial land surveyor, was walking on the track between Allandale and this place when he was struck by a train going south and instantly killed. He was a bachelor.

A Working Man

Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

WALLACEBURG, ONT.—The following letter will prove of interest to working men and others who may be in a condition similar to that of the writer:

"For three years I was subject to poor spells. I always felt tired, could not sleep at night and the little I could eat did not do me any good. I have been working at the barber trade for about 20 years and for the last four years I have been very closely confined and have had my meals very irregularly. I was taken with a

Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1898.

THE OPPOSITION POLICY.

It is charged that the present Opposition has no policy in the present campaign. There is doubtless some ground for such a charge. The "Ross Bible" policy, the green Eye-opener policy seem for the present to be laid by, but carefully preserved for possible future use. The piggery policy—the policy of pork pie, has died a natural death—smothered in its own fat. But Mr. Whitney and his friends have a policy, and it has been promptly developed in the present contest, especially in West Peterborough. It is the policy of mistatement, the policy of perversion of facts, the policy of slander, and in a word, to use plain, down right Anglo Saxon, the policy of telling what is not true. At Benefort the ball was opened, and the policy continued atEnnismore. Deliberate mistatement, flat falsehood and perversion of the truth with a view of deceiving the electors has been employed by the Opposition stump-orators, and hardly one of them could make a definite statement with regard to the Government but what was capable of direct and easy disproof from statistics or from public documents. Men who resort to such tactics defeat their ends for the electors are not the fools such tactics assume them to be. This is an age of intelligence. The people read and are well informed on general matters, and know when they hear the truth. They may not be possessed of all the details, but they have enough general knowledge to check the wild assertions of the campaign falsifier. And when men begin a campaign of falsification it cannot be expected that their subsequent statements will be received without suspicion. The local politicians are not the only sinners in this respect. Their chief organ, the Mail and Empire, is a past master of falsification. The following is furnished by the Globe as a specimen brick:

"The Mail and Empire founds a column of abuse of the Ontario Government on a collection of "facts" such as the following:—

(1) Mr. Hope, a possible appointee to the Registrarship of Wentworth, is said to be a brother-in-law of the Hon. Mr. Gibson.

(2) Mr. A. M. Ross, a Provincial Treasurer, "bagged the valuable Clerkship of the County of York," and "his revenues cannot be less than $10,000 a year."

(3) "In a few days Mr. A. L. Gibson, the Registrar of Huron, will resign: He has been holding the place against all comers for his brother Thomas" etc.

Now what are the real *facts* in these cases? They are:

(1) Mr. Hope is not a relative of Hon. J. M. Gibson, nor of Mrs. Gibson. He is, it is believed, a faraway relative of a former wife of the Hon. J. M. Gibson's, who died some fifteen years ago.

(2) The County Court Clerkship "bagged" by Mr. A. M. Ross, does not not yield that gentleman a third of the sum charged. The net income therefrom during the last two years was $2,423 and $2,754 respectively. Under Conservative tenancy the revenue was $10,000 and over, and the Mail was silent under the outrage.

Hon. Mr. Hardy cut down the emoluments of the office in 1878.

(3) There is not a word of truth in the allegation. The Mail and Empire is the only paper throughout the Province that we have noticed which has had an ill-natured word to say on the retirement of Mr. Thomas Gibson, a man who is honoured throughout the Province and has the respect of every member of the Legislature.

This is pretty well for one article. Is it to be a campaign of nothing but slander?"

"THERE is no sectarian issue in this contest," says the Mail. Why not? The Opposition in the last half dozen contests went to the country on a sectarian cry. One after another of these "cries" was discarded when the people would have none of them. If these "cries" were justified, if they had any force then they have the same force now, for they same Government is practically in power with the same policy it has always had—the maintenance of the rights of every class and creed. If the Opposition was therefore insincere in their policy, if policy it could be called, in past campaigns, have they any reason to expect the people to trust them now. They are, perhaps, more sincere now than ever before in their policy—and that simply is, to get office. Let them be judged on their past policy. The Opposition have shown their incapacity to be critics. How can they expect to succeed as administrators?

LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

On Monday evening last a meeting of the town council was held, Reeve Lillicrap in the chair, with Councillors Braden, Burgis and Moore. After the regular business, Messrs. C. Quinn, J. C. Sherin, J. Griffin and others presented a petition to the council with 210 signatures, asking the council to memorialise the Government to place a swing bridge over the Trent Canal at this point, instead of a high level bridge, as at first proposed. A number of gentlemen present took part in the discussion, but the council declined to take action until the plans of the two bridges were laid before them, which was to take place on Tuesday afternoon. The council adjourned until Tuesday evening.

The adjourned meeting of the village council was held in the town hall on Tuesday evening, at which there was present Reeve Lillicrap, in the chair, and Councillors Burgis, Braden and Moore.

The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing the high level bridge. A number of ratepayers were present and evinced considerable interest. The plans were shown and explained by Mr. Morrow, of the engineering staff. A standing vote was taken which was unanimously in favour of a swing bridge.

It was moved by Councillors Moore and Burgis that this council again memorialise the Minister of Railways and Canals in favour of a swing bridge over the Trent Valley Canal in this village, and that the reeve and clerk sign and seal the same.—Carried.

Bylaw No. 296, entitled a bylaw to appoint an assessor, collector, constable, health inspector, etc., for the village of Lakefield for the year 1898. Mr. Hugh Morrison was appointed to the position at a salary of $325 per annum.

Moved by Councillors Braden and Burgis, that the standing committees for 1898 be as follows:—

Finance—Councillors Fraser and Burgis.

Roads and Sidewalks—Councillors Braden, Burgis and Fraser.

General—Councillors Moore and Burgis.

The council then adjourned to meet at the call of the reeve.

AN AURORA LETTER.

A Correspondent Approves Rev. F. Elliott, of Richmond Hill.

Dodd's Kidney Pills a Heaven-sent Medicine—Their Work in Aurora—Cure Every Case of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Heart Disease, Lumbago, Lame Back and all Other Kidney Diseases.

AURORA, Jan. 24.—Dear Sir—The article published a few days ago, relating to the recovery of Rev. F. Elliott, of Richmond Hill, has been discussed at length in this town. It states facts similar to those of many cases here, all of which are well known to our citizens.

It is refreshing to find such a prominent and respected clergyman as Rev. Mr. Elliott taking so pronounced a step as he has done, in publicly recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills. His experience with this wonderful medicine is exactly similar to that of Aurora people. There is no medicine to be procured that can approach Dodd's Kidney Pills, which never fail to cure.

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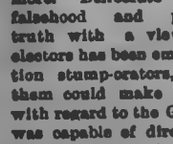

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THAT SEALSKIN ORDER.

A United States Special Agent Admits That It Cannot Be Enforced.

London, Jan. 24.—Major Williams, a special agent of the United States Treasury Department, has been in London for a week, looking for information to assist the Department in the enforcement of the sealskin exclusion. He said to a representative of the Associated Press: "I have come to the conclusion that it is impossible to enforce the law in its present form, and that it is necessary to amend it. It is impossible to identify many of the skins after they have passed through the hands of the wholesale dealers, as most of the retailers, for the sake of selling, would guarantee that the skins were not caught in prohibited waters. The important exporters with whom I have conferred are disposed to co-operate with the Government in carrying out the law; but the small dealers are likely to evade it."

Was He in the Valley of Dry Bones?

Orangeville, Jan. 24.—Rev. D McKenzie, who has publicly stated that he has voluntarily resigned his charge because he did not consider that the relations which should exist between pastor and congregation have prevailed between him and St. Andrew's, in his farewell sermon took his text from the 37th chapter of Ezekiel, in which the prophet records that he was transferred to a dark valley in which there was a pile of dry bones. The prophet was asked by the Lord whether the bones could be made to live again, and answered: "O Lord God, thou knowest."

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any differences if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery make rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning—begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive organs. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

An Aged Spinster Burned to Death.

Glen Robertson, Jan. 24.—Mary McCullough, a spinster, of this village, aged seventy-nine years, has died from frightful burns and shock. She lived with her niece, Mrs. D. J. McCulloch, and was left alone in the house. A few minutes later she was seen to rush from the house with her clothing in flames and throw herself in the snow. Friends arrived and threw snow over her, quenching the flames. Doctors were called, but she expired.

Found a Dead Child.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—On Saturday afternoon Fred Hustwitt, 904 Rusholme road, and Harry Huddard, 10 Sylvan avenue, found in a vacant lot the dead body of a fully developed newly-born male child. It was wrapped up in an old newspaper and a night shirt, and contained no marks that would lead to the identification of the parties who had abandened it. An investigation will be held.

Quebec's New Senator.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—The appointment of Mr. R. Dandurand to the seat in the Canadian Senate rendered vacant by the death of Senator Bechard gives general satisfaction here.

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FIGHTING DEPUTIES.

A Serious Outbreak in the French Chambers.

THE PROSPECTS OF A BIG WAR.

The Relations of England and Russia Are Now Such That One Power or the Other Must Give Way—Britain's Stand for Free Trade—What the Papers Say—Cable News.

Paris, Jan. 24.—Owing to a free fight in the Chamber of Deputies Saturday the session was suspended. The trouble resulted from the discussion of the interpellation of the Government of ex-Minister Cavignac, on the subject of the semi-official note issued on January 17, in which the Government declined to make public the confession made by ex-Captain Alfred Dreyfus to Captain Lebrun-Renaud, the officer who had charge of him when he was court-martialled.

The newspaper men and public, pouring into the lobbies of the House, found them occupied by armed troops, which had been summoned when the disturbance began in the Chamber. On learning this, many of the deputies protested. A majority feared a renewal of the disorders and M. Brisson assumed the responsibility of deciding not to resume the sitting.

The spectators, who had in the meanwhile assembled in excited groups outside the Palace Bourbon, or Chamber of Deputies, were calmed by the announcement of the decision.

BRITAIN AND RUSSIA.

Prospects of a Big War Over the Chinese Difficulty—One Power Must Give Way.

London, Jan. 24.—The Daily Standard in an editorial presents what is presumably the official conservative view of the China situation. It says: "A calm survey of the situation as it exists on the spot scarcely encourages the hope that by the mere lapse of time everything will arrange itself. Russia and Great Britain are now in a position in which it is clear that one or the other will have to give way. It ought not to be Great Britain. If our Foreign Office on this occasion permits the threats of the Czar's Charge d'Affaires to coerce the Tsung Li Yamen into a rejection of our terms, there will be an end to our influence at the Imperial court. It is not the first, but it is unquestionably the crucial trial of strength. St. Petersburg has chosen the ground and thrown down the challenge."

British Ships Leave Port Arthur.

A semi-official communication received at St. Petersburg, purporting to emanate from London, says that the British war vessels at Port Arthur have been ordered to leave there without delay. Regarding this communication, the following semi-official note has been published in London: "The British vessels which recently visited Port Arthur merely touched there in the course of their ordinary cruises, and would naturally leave after a short stay. The question of calling and departure is one at the discretion of the British admiral on the station."

A Coaling Experiment.

This week there will be combined coaling operations at Portsmouth, with the view of testing the facilities for coaling a fleet in case of an emergency.

Hicks-Beach the Lion.

Discussing the situation in China, the London correspondent of the New York Sun cables his paper:

"The most wholesome and refreshing feature of the situation is the eager and unanimous welcome which all Great Britain has given to the virile and vigorous policy to which the Salisbury Government has committed itself. No declaration of the Ministry has ever been received with such satisfaction and unanimity. Englishmen of all parties received Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's words with immense relief, and the country has witnessed in the past few days a wonderful revival of self-respect, which has acted like a tonic and an inspiration to public spirit. It is for this reason, perhaps, that the talk about war has excited little alarm or apprehension in the country at large, and the [illegible] headlines in to-day's journals [illegible] popular enthusiasm. The more serious weekly reviews published, while recognizing fully the grave issues of the Government's decision, join in the universal approval."

Weekly Reviews in Line.

The Spectator says: "The country as a whole has hardly yet fully awake to the situation, is resolutely with the Government, and the classes will follow the two front benches eagerly if America declares [illegible] but in any case with [illegible] The notion that this country has been of late too submissive to the Continent has gone deep into their minds. They are sure the cause of the freedom of commerce is a worthy cause, and they are convinced that as the war must be maritime, the chances for and against their country are at all events fairly equal. The whole Kingdom, therefore, though utterly disliking war, would consider this a war of self-defence, and will support its statesmen of both parties in most determined action."

Saturday Review Approves.

The Saturday Review says: "In this policy, England has the support of Japan and the United States, and the strength of either of these powers, added to England, in the Pacific, puts resistance on the part of Russia, Germany and France, singly or in combination, out of the question. Perhaps the enthusiasm with which the American newspapers have applauded the declaration of the Chancellor of the Exchequer arises from the fact that he has virtually proclaimed a Monroe doctrine for the far East. The Saturday Review remembers no occasion on which a Cabinet Minister, speaking of such a crisis, has used the actual word war in reference to a foreign power. It is a new departure, but it is calculated that the indiscretion has produced a good effect both at home and abroad."

Other Expressions.

The Radical Speaker, instead of opposing the Government policy, labors to make sure that Lord Salisbury will not back down when the test comes. It urges the Government to make it clear to the world that it is not bluffing, but is ready to follow words with action.

On the same subject, the London correspondent of the New York Evening Post says:

"England has spoken the one word which Lord Palmerston once said was forbidden in diplomatic intercourse.' Quite characteristically, she has spoken it through the mouth of a typical English country squire in the Cabinet, who rarely uses expletives, but who, when he does swear, comes out with a heartfelt 'Damn it.' It was Sir Michael Hicks-Beach who told France recently that England would not be worried out of Egypt. It is Sir Michael Hicks-Beach who, this week, declares with equal emphasis that England will not hesitate at war if any other power attempts to close the door on China. Commerce must be kept free for the whole world in China, even if England has to fight for it.

Matters Brought to a Head.

"Diplomatic purists at home and abroad declare themselves shocked by this calculated indiscretion, but, grave though the situation be, it so clearly represents the present mood of English opinion that necessarily it has brought matters to a head. How England receives this final word is shown by the fact that consols did not drop a single point after the speech.

"The leaders of the Opposition, M. H. H. Asquith and Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, hastened publicly to support the Government. The press of all shades of opinion did the same with practical unanimity. What almost everyone feels is that England must make a determined stand for free markets. If she should yield now, the battle would only have to be fought again on the completion of the Siberian Railway and other developments which are calculated seriously to weaken England's position."

DANGER LIES IN JAPAN.

If the Mikado Breaks From Restraint There Will Be War.

London, Jan. 24.—While events are moving with somewhat dramatic rapidity in the far East and complications may any day develop a situation fraught with momentous dangers, when the known facts and the position of affairs are analysed there is really not much reason at the present moment to suppose that a solution of the crisis will be found in a resort to war. There is reason to believe that diplomatic circles do not fear that it will be necessary to appeal to arms, unless (and this is the dangerous feature of the situation) Japan breaks from her moorings. So far as the European powers are concerned, the diplomats throughout are satisfied that the Chinese question will not break the peace of the world, but they have always feared that Japan will prove a firebrand. Japan is excited and does not know exactly what she wants, or what threatens her, but she has a general suspicion that unless she asserts herself she will be deprived of any portion of the plunder. Unless she can be restrained from impetuous action, the departure of her fleet from Yokohama for Chinese waters may prove to be the striking of the match which may lead to a dreadful conflagration.

Germany Called Upon to Act.

London, Jan. 24.—A special despatch from Berlin says that in view of the despatch of a Japanese fleet to Chinese waters the Neuste Nachrichten demands that Germany send two torpedo divisions to Kiao-Chou Bay.

Gladstone Longs for "Rest."

Cannes, Jan. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone drove out at noon Saturday. Mrs. Gladstone was helped from the steps into a carriage by a nurse and valet. Mr. Gladstone wore a thick overcoat, with the collar turned up and a soft hat, only exposing his cheeks and eyes. He descended the steps in the slowest manner, leaning heavily on a stick, and using the balustrade, and was lifted into the carriage. Then he was wrapped in furs.

The alarming rumors regarding Mr. Gladstone's health were further confirmed. He is extremely weak and so dejected as a result of neuralgic pains that he has expressed a desire that all were over.

Mr. Gladstone is Better.

Cannes, Jan. 24.—Mr. Gladstone is feeling better and attended service Sunday morning at the English Church.

A telegram of inquiry as to his health was received from the Queen.

Napoleon's Loss.

It is said that but for an attack of indigestion, brought on by over eating, Napoleon would have won Waterloo. Great issues depend on good digestion—good digestion depends upon Burdock Blood Bitters. "Two years ago my wife was very ill with dyspepsia. Six bottles of B.B.B. cured her, and she has no return of the malady." WM. DAY, Fort William, Ont.

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THE SUN'S ECLIPSE.

Prof. Sir Norman Lockyer Get a Favorable View in India.

Bombay, Jan. 23.—The eclipse was accompanied here by a rapid fall of temperature. An earthy smell pervaded the air, and the scene resembled a landscape under a wintry English sun.

The duration of totality was two minutes, with a marvelous corona of halo, silver and blue.

The conditions were favorable at both Prof. Sir Norman Lockyer's camp, near Visiadroog (on the Malabar coast) and at Prof. Campbell's camp, near Jeur. The native astrologers predicted terrible calamities. The natives swarmed to devotional exercises and there was general fasting, but no great alarm. The Nizam of Hiderabad liberated 50 prisoners, giving each a gift of money and clothes.

The Situation in Egypt.

London, Jan. 24.—As usual there is every explanation of the sudden rush of British troops to Egypt—except the right one. What really seems to have happened is that Col. Parsons, while en route to take over Kassala from the Italians, found King Menelik of Abyssinia in the greatest state of wrath at the surrender of the town (which His Majesty regarded as part of his domain), to the Egyptians, and he was mobilising an army with the intention of asserting his authority. If King Menelik should be acting, as suspected, in concert with the Mahdi, the danger of the situation is greatly enhanced.

Pay Up That Little £25,000,000.

Constantinople, Jan. 24.—Russia is about to present a note to Turkey demanding payment for the whole balance of the indemnity of the Russo-Turkish war, amounting to £23,000,000, with a view of making the Sultan more docile in the settlement of the Cretan question.

Patti is Prostrated.

London, Jan. 24.—Mme. Patti is quite prostrated by the death of her husband, M. Nicolini. For the moment she refuses to be comforted. She has cancelled her engagements, including one as far ahead as June 25.

King Humbert of Italy has signed a decree reducing the customs tariff on cereals from 7½ to 5 lire, until April 30. It will come into operation Tuesday next.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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Three Timely Tips.

1. If you can make use of books at cost price, you can buy what you want during this week at the Peterborough Bookstore. 2. The great stock-taking sale at the Peterborough Bookstore is an occasion you should not miss. Every day bargains. 3. Thoughtful people will remember to come in the Peterborough Bookstore tonight and get their supply of Sunday reading. We are selling the Chicago Ledger and Chicago Blade for 5c a copy this week.

St. Luke's Church Notes.

A special vestry meeting of St. Luke's church for the appointment of a churchwarden will be held on Wednesday evening next at the school house at 8 o'clock. All adult members of the congregation, men and women, are invited to be present.

The Rev. W. Leslie Armitage will preach in St. Luke's church next Sunday evening on the subject of "Gambling."

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EDWARD LECLAIRE.

STEWART WAS CAUGHT.

He Did not Get Far With Eugene Torpey's Horse Before He Sold It.

The arrest took place on Saturday of W. H. Stewart on the charge of stealing a horse and cutter from Mr. Eugene Torpey, of Otonabee.

As stated in the EXAMINER Stewart had been working for Mr. Torpey, and drove into town with the farmer's son on Thursday last. The boy left the horse at the Albion hotel, and before he had returned for it Stewart had called and taken it. The case was immediately put into the hands of High County Constable Cochrane, who sent a description of the man and turnout to the constables in the various towns and villages in the district, and to his promptitude must be credited the arrest.

On Saturday he got word to come to Port Hope for his man, and leaving on the noon train returned on the 5.25 p.m. express with the prisoner, who had been arrested by Chief Douglas.

It seems after taking the turnout Stewart drove to Millbrook and traded horses getting two dollars to boot. Later on he sold the whole outfit for ten dollars. The Millbrook constable got wind of the transaction and telegraphed the facts to Mr. Cochrane, who wired him to follow the man. Stewart went to Port Hope where search was made for him Friday night without success. On Saturday morning Chief Douglas nailed his man.

On the return journey to Peterborough Stewart stated that the theft was the result of a spree and that he did not remember anything of the circumstances. As he was met on the Millbrook road by a farmer and observed to be acting very strangely he was stopped and urged to drive more slowly, as the horse was all lather. At this time he was intoxicated to such an extent as to be irresponsible. Constable Cochrane therefore puts faith in the man's story to the effect that he did not take the horse with criminal intent.

The prisoner has been remanded until Friday by Magistrate Edmison. Mr. F. D. Kerr has been engaged to conduct the defence.

A SUSPECTED INCENDIARY.

He is Sent to the Central Prison for Six Months—Possibly a Refugee From Justice.

Saturday afternoon the Italian who was suspected of being implicated in the burning of Mr. James Sanderson's barns last week, was again brought before Magistrate Edmison.

Messrs. Frank Anthony, Tony Anthony and Tom Minnicola were all present to act as interpreters, but the prisoner could not be persuaded to say anything. He would not give his name or address or tell where he came from or whence he was going, and grew enraged when the inquiries were persisted in. It was ascertained that his name was Carlo—that was all.

Although the facts of his clothing being singed and his boots fitting to a nicety the tracks around Mr. Sanderson's barn were suspicious, yet the man could not be convicted on evidence of such a character. He was, however, sentenced to six months in the Central Prison on a charge of vagrancy.

The desire of the prisoner to maintain such secrecy concerning his doings, has led to the belief that he is a fugitive from justice, and neither the Magistrate or County Constable Cochrane would be surprised if it was ascertained that an important arrest had been made. A photo of him will be sent to Toronto.

FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Mrs. James McCarron Hears From Her Husband in the Gold Fields.

Mr. James McCarron, brother-in-law of Mr. Robt. Davis, the mail carrier between Peterborough and Hiawatha, left for the Klondike on August 2nd, and his wife, who is visiting her brother, Mr. Davis, at Hiawatha, has just received the first letter from him. The letter is dated Dec. 4th. He is located at the foot of Marsh Lake near Tagish station and as an acquaintance was going out into civilization Mr. McCarron took the opportunity to send word to his wife. He has established a claim and has excavated to the depth of twelve feet, but does not expect to strike it rich until he comes to the rock, where the nuggets are generally found if there are any. The thermometer, he states, ranges from 20 to 40 below zero.

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS.

Peterborough Boys who are Doing Well at Their Studies in Toronto.

Amongst the successful candidates in the recent second year Christmas examinations at Osgoode Hall Law School, Toronto, are Mr. R. F. McWilliams, son of Mr. J. B. McWilliams; Mr. Osias Leplante, son of Mr. N. T. Leplante, and Mr. T. A. White, son of Mr. James White, all of town. In the third year exams Mr. Walter S. Davidson, son of Mrs. Davidson, of Smith, was also successful. Mr. R. F. McWilliams was the only one taking honours, and he was successful in taking a high stand, although this year the examinations at Osgoode have been stiffened to such a degree as to make them more difficult than those of any other law school in Canada.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. D. Kelly, of town, was in Lindsay on Saturday.

Miss Bessie Hearle, of Bensmville, is visiting Mr. J. Jeffries, Aylmer street.

Mrs. Richard Shire, wife of Station Agent Shire at Sanderland, is in town on a visit, the guest of Mrs. John Fraser, Gilmour street.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—A big crowd went to Toronto on this afternoon's train with the curlers and hockeyists.

—Practice of the Banjo Club to-morrow (Tuesday) night at eight o'clock. All the members are requested to be present.

—Local undertakers received notice this morning that the price of coffins had advanced 25 per cent. As the raise was expected most of them have laid in a good supply.

—Try E. Welsh's oyster patties, 25c per doz.; sausage rolls, 25c per doz.; shell oysters, 25 cts. per doz., and the best standard oysters in town 35c, per quart. Telephone No. 262.

—We understand, says the Port Hope Times, that the statement of the assignee in the matter of the Midland Trust Company shows liabilities at $250,000 and assets at $220,000.

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AT MR. STRATTON'S COMMITTEE ROOMS.

LARGE AND ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF WORKERS.

Brief Addresses by Supporters—Most Encouraging Reports—Evidences of Certain Success.

There was a large attendance in Mr. Stratton's committee rooms on Saturday night in order to discuss arrangements for the election campaign. Speeches of a very encouraging character were made by a number of those present.

Mr. Wm. Eyres said that there never was a time in the history of the Province when it behooved the electors who desired to perpetuate good Government to use their best efforts for the success of the Government and the Government's candidate in West Peterborough. The man that had been nominated in opposition to Mr. Stratton was a surprise to the electors and even many members of their own party. Peterborough must elect men who are known to the people and in touch with the people. There are many men in all communities who are anxious to represent the people, but the difficulty of the people was to get some one who would represent them. As between the two candidate now in the field there should not be any difficulty in the people making a choice. One is well known and has been tried and found faithful and efficient; the other is a comparative stranger. From what he could gether the electors were perfectly satisfied to leave well enough alone.

Mr. W. H. Moldrum said he had voted on both sides of politics, because he had always voted for what he thought was in the best interests of the community. This time he had no doubt as to the course to pursue, and his presence in Mr. Stratton's committee room that night was to show what side he was on and for whom his vote would be cast. Peterborough had few public men who were known throughout the Province—probably for its size and importance Peterborough had too few, and the town could not afford at the present juncture to "swap horses while crossing the stream." Mr. Stratton was an enterprising citizen. He had an interest, and a large interest, in the town. He had faith in the town, and had invested his means in enterprises to assist the town, and was a considerable employer of labour himself, directly. Everybody in town knew that Mr. Garvin was a candidate, because he was anxious to be a candidate. Some men had greatness thrust upon them, but Mr. Garvin reversed the process and thrust himself upon greatness, and he would have had no earthly show to be a candidate if there had been any candidate of standing willing to accept the risk. As far as he was concerned Mr. Meldrum said he would do what little he could to secure the election of Mr. Stratton.

After speeches by others Mr. Stratton reminded the meeting of the gathering in the Opera House on Thursday evening, when he and Hon. Mr. Ross, Minister of Education, will address the electors.

MR. GARVIN AT BUCKHORN.

Publicly Called Down by the Audience for Reckless Misstatements—It took Two Chairmen to Run the Meeting.

Mr. Garvin, Mr. John Green and Mr. William Robinson, addressed a meeting of the electors at Buckhorn on Saturday evening. The usual reckless statements, regardless of the facts, were made by Mr. Garvin, and when he came to attack Mr. Stratton personally, as he did do, and stated that Mr. Stratton had been guilty of something the audience knew he was not guilty of, he was not allowed to proceed till he had taken back the statement and apologized, which he did. During the meeting the chairman who had been selected left the chair and after several others had been requested to take it and declined, a Conservative official came to the rescue and consented to preside at the meeting.

When Mr. Garvin's attention was called to the fact that he was misquoting Mr. Stratton as to what he had stated at Bailliboro, he was again compelled to drop his line of attack.

Mr. Garvin and Mr. J. Hampden Burnham will learn before long no doubt that a policy of personal attack, based on wilful falsehood, will "not go down" with the electors, who are just a trifle wiser and more wide awake than these self-sufficient gentlemen take them to be.

Mr. Garvin evidently felt that he was so far from home that he could cut loose and say what occurred to him. His experience at Buckhorn must have convinced him that the people are well acquainted with Mr. Stratton and with what he has done for the riding, and that it takes more than slander, unsupported by facts, to lift him (Mr. Garvin) into public favour. If Mr. Garvin would confine himself to the temperate discussion of public questions, he could generalize, and wouldn't have to swallow so much as he does when he makes specific statements devoid of truth.

CHURCH CHIMES.

Pastor Zimmerman began the first of a series of addresses on Christ's Second Coming, at Bethany Mission yesterday morning. A chart is need to elucidate the subject.

At St. John's last night the offertory anthem was Gounod's "Glory to Thee my God this night." Mrs. A. G. Parker took the solo very effectively.

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A SUDDEN DEATH.

A Most Respected Citizen Dies From the Effect of a Paralytic Stroke.

The death of Mr. Benjamin Armstrong, aged 56 years, took place Sunday morning at his residence, No. 3 Wescott street, after an illness of very short duration.

On Friday evening he complained of not feeling well and retired earlier than usual as did his wife. Shortly afterwards Mrs. Armstrong felt her husband leaning heavily on her and on speaking to him received no answer. This alarmed her and in failing to arouse him, after lighting a lamp, she called a neighbour and sent for a doctor.

It was ascertained that a paralytic stroke was the cause of the trouble. Mr. Armstrong lingered until Sunday when he passed away.

The deceased had been a resident of Peterborough for about 25 years, coming here from Brockville. Since living in town he has been connected with the pottery business, now owned by Mr. J. F. Allin. A widow and two daughters survive, the elder of the latter being Mrs. A. E. Bottom, of Bobcaygeon. The younger resides at home. His five brothers are: Samuel, of Castleton; George, of Orillia; John, of Berry Green; Moses, of town, and Deacon, of Bracebridge.

The funeral will take place from the family residence at half past two to-morrow afternoon.

DR. PARKIN TO SPEAK

At a Joint Meeting of the Church of England Congregations.

A joint missionary meeting is being arranged on behalf of the Church of England congregations of the town and Ashburnham.

The meeting will be of unusual interest on account of the presence of Dr. G. R. Parkin, Principal of Upper Canada College, who will be the speaker of the evening.

This will be the first visit to Peterborough of this well-known public speaker, who is one of the best known orators of the day in Canada.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY

The Peterborough II team has received orders from the O. H. A. Executive to play off in the Junior series with Millbrook on Wednesday at Millbrook. The game was ordered to be played there, it seems, as Millbrook has not had the use of their rink this season for any games, and in the interests of hockey it is felt that as the rink is now available, the residents of the village should be given a match.

Keene hockeyists have organized with the following officers:

Hon. President—H. Cruickshanks.
President—M. Weir.
Vice-President—H. Miller.
Committee—J. Quinn, F. Burnham, L. Brown, F. Quinn.
Secretary-Treasurer—J. McCarthy.
Captain—John McIntyre.

WINTER RACE MEETINGS.

Huntsville, Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 1st and 2nd.
Orillia, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 19th and 20th.
Barrie, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 25th and 26th.
Montreal, Jacques Cartier track, Feb. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th.

SKATING.

Mr. Harry Bell, of town, the clever young fast skater, easily succeeded in defeating Messrs. Quinn and Paudash and winning the silver medal in the mile race at Keene carnival Friday evening. At the conclusion of the race Paudash challenged Mr. Bell to skate a mile for the sum of ten dollars on straight ice. The challenge was accepted and the race will probably take place on Rice Lake at an early date. It is said that several local gentlemen will bring Alf. McGuire, the Havelock flyer, to town on the occasion of the Foresters' carnival, and will place him in the mile race against Harry Bell.

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BATTALION NOTES.

The new Mauser rapid-fire pistol is exciting much interest in European armies. This is a small weapon to which the automatic principle of the Maxim gun has been applied successfully. The magazine or chamber contains ten cartridges attached to a strip or clip placed in position all together in one motion, and can be discharged (the ten cartridges) automatically in less than a second, or fired singly at as rapid a rate as desired. The projectile is nickel jacketed after the style of the Lee-Enfield bullet, and by the use of smokeless powder the cartridges take up very little space indeed. The pistol is made to be fitted to a stock for long range shooting and appears altogether to be a most formidable weapon.

A new field glass, which also at the same time tells the range or distance approximately of objects looked at, has been perfected and is being now sold in Paris. The glass is not cumbersome, is very little, if any, larger than an ordinary field glass, and has no intricate mechanism or tables to bother one. It is said to work admirably for distances short of two miles and should prove a boon to military men and hunters. Our riflemen who purpose getting field glasses for the coming summer would do well to try and see if the "Clermont-Huet stadia telemeter" cannot be obtained at a reasonable figure through reliable opticians in London or Montreal. Its excellent advantages are obvious.

GODEY'S FOR FEBRUARY.

Godey's Magazine for February appears with a new make-up and various typographical embellishments, which give it a fine appearance.

Its contents-table contains nine illustrated articles, essays, etc., seven new stories, and two strong poems, besides the work of the various departments.

Among the articles of special value are: George C. Lay's "Preliminary Period of the Revolution," Part Second; the conclusion of Stanley Edwards Johnson's tale of "The Wimpled Maid of Nantucket;" the facts concerning the Chinese in San Francisco, by Gordon Poynter; the third paper on "Triumphs in Amateur Photography"; a superb article on rare "Old Blue and White Pottery," by Jane W. Guthrie; "The American Jewish Minister," by Charles S. Bernheimer; "Pansies and Violets," by Nancy Mann Waddle; two humourous stories of excellent quality, and a beautiful and majestic poem, "The Fallen Caryatid," by Aletta Waterbary Goss.

The Bookery, Editorial Notes and Scrap Book are full of Bright, up-to-date topics, and contain much that is worth reading from various points of view.

Fine Oak Sideboards.

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ARMENIA AND THE ARMENIANS.

Address by a Native in the George Street Methodist Church.

Last evening Mr. Gregory Baghdasarian, an Armenian lawyer, a native refugee from Armenia, told, as an eye-witness, the terrible story of the recent Turkish massacres in that country, in the George street Methodist church. He also gave his own personal experience at the hands of the cruel Turks.

Mr. Baghdasarian is the man for whose family's deliverance from the clutches of Turks, Lord Aberdeen intervened through the British Government. He was ably assisted by his son, M. Baghdasarian, who, owing to his ten years' residence in America, speaks English freely and fluently and acted as interpreter for his father. He also spoke on Armenia as an introduction to his father's life-story. He read the 74th Psalm, which, he said, pretty accurately described Armenia's condition to-day, after which he and his father sang "Nearer my God to Thee," in the Armenian language. He described the country, its people and their sufferings.

These Armenian gentlemen have testimonials from Principal Cavan, Knox College; Dr. Rand, of McMaster University; Chancellor Burwash, of Victoria, and many others in Canada.

Mr. Baghdasarian, sr., in telling the story of the massacre, said, in effect, the following:—"One day he looked from the roof of his house and saw a terrible sight—there, only a short distance away, were the Turks, armed with daggers, clubs and anything they could lay their hands on. He knew at once that they were advancing on his native town to give the people the choice of two things—either give up their Christian belief and follow the Mohammedian religion or else be killed. In the meantime a Turk, who was neighbour of his, came in and said, "My friend, I am sorry for you. Surely it is an easy thing to give up the belief of the Christian and take our belief in its stead." Mr. Baghdasarian turned to his two daughters and spoke to them alternately thus:—"My daughter you have heard what this Turk has said, what have you to say, will you give up the Christian belief or not?" She answered, "Father, Jesus has died for me, and I will not deny Him, and if I have to die, I will do so in the Christian faith." Both of the daughters answered thus, and the old gentleman told the Turk, in effect, to mind his own business; that they would all die Christians.

Then he went up to his room and prayed fervently for the salvation of all that town's inhabitants and the town.

While he was praying he saw a vision—Jesus sitting on his magnificent throne of gold and white. He said he saw this vision as plainly as possible. He then told his wife that he had had a vision and the whole town would be spared. His wife was incredulous and would scarcely believe it. About ten minutes later a telegram came saying that it had pleased the Sultan to spare that town. Thus by prayer that Armenian town was saved.

Mr. Baghdasarian said that the Turks were allowed to do as they wished with the Armenians. If a Turk wanted to he could take an Armenian man's wife, carry her from her home up to the mountains, cruelly outrage her, and return her to her own home in this shameful condition, and the law would protect him. Many of the maidens, rather than be thus treated, drowned themselves in the river.

The land is governed by the Turks—Turkish magistrates, governors. During the massacre 200,000 persons were murdered by the Turks.

The city of Egnin, where all the Armenian aristocracy lived, was burnt to ashes, as was also Oarfa, and thousands of other towns.

The story was well related and eagerly listened to by all present.

AMERICA'S BEST DOCTORS

Say Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Cure For Bright's Disease.

Ingersoll, Jan. 24—Only a couple of weeks ago the remarkable recovery of farmer G. J. Cooke from Kidney Disease, through the agency of Dodd's Kidney Pills, was reported.

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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.		15° above zero
	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	28°	20°

The Toronto World says: "Miss Tessa McCallum scored a triumph before 3000 people in Massey Hall." McCallum-Zeigler Recital, Y M C.A. Hall, Tuesday Evening, Jan. 25th.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSO. COUNTY CONVENTION.

IT WILL BE HELD AT LAKEFIELD THIS YEAR.

February 3rd and 4th are the Dates Set for the Sessions—The Provincial Secretary to be Present and Will Deliver an Address.

The twelfth annual convention of the County Sunday School Association will be held in the Lakefield Methodist church on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 3rd and 4th.

The following programme has been arranged:

THURSDAY MORNING.

10.30—Meeting of Executive Committee.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

2.00—Devotional exercises.
2.30—Reports from Township Associations. Discussions. Appointment of Committees.
4.45—Collection and adjournment.

THURSDAY EVENING.

7.15—Service of Praise.
7.45—Address, "The Three-fold Aim of the S S Teacher," Rev D A Thomson, Hastings.
8.30—Address by Rev J Campbell Tibb, Minute Secretary of the Provincial S S Association of Ontario.
9.15—Collection and closing.

FRIDAY MORNING.

9.30—Devotional exercises.
10.00—Report of Nominating Committee. Report of Treasurer. Report of Secretary.
11.00—Conference on Primary Work. Led by Mrs Garvin, of Peterborough. Collection and adjournment.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

2.00—Devotional exercise.
2.35—Home classes with conference, Led by Rev U E McLeod.
3.15—Normal Department. "A Survey of the Book o' Matthew." Rev Jas G Potter, Peterborough. Conference on above.
4.45—Collection and adjournment.

FRIDAY EVENING.

7.15—Praise and prayer service.
7.30—Introduction of President elect.
7.45—Address, Rev S J Shorey, Peterborough.
8.30—Address, Rev J Campbell Tibb, Minute Secretary of the Provincial Association.
9.15—Collection and Benediction.

OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION.

President—Rev A C Reeves, Lakefield.
1st Vice-President—Rev C E McLeod, Peterborough.
2nd Vice-President—All co-operating ministers in the County and Presidents of Township Associations.
Treasurer—Mr Geo Stewart, Peterborough.
Field Secretary—W T Harrison, Keene.
Minute Secretaries — Miss Laura Bennett and Miss Stratton, Peterborough.
Supt Primary Dept—Mrs Garvin, Peterborough.
Supt Normal Dept—Dr Harrison, Keene.
Representative on Provincial Executive
Members of Executive—Peterborough, Mr J Gilchrist, J Jeffries and Mrs Jas Kendry; Norwood, Mrs Nelson Bevis and W E Roxburgh; Lakefield, Miss White; Havelock, Miss Vance; Hastings, Miss Lon Fowlds, Miss J Wilson and Mr B F Doxsee; Ormonabee, Miss Bella Howson and J Lancaster; Asphodel, W Thistlewaite: Dummer, Alex Watts and E Hawthorne; Smith, Mrs. Manning and J M Roberts; Harvey, D Weir; Westwood, Mr Sargent; Belmont, Mr Porter Preston.

The Sessions of the Convention will be held in the Methodist church, whither delegates will proceed on arrival, and report themselves to the Reception Committee, which will be in attendance.

Christian workers of every name are all cordially invited to this convention. Each school in the country is requested to send two or more delegates. The people of Lakefield, through the Executive extend a loving invitation to all, and will welcome them to their Christian homes.

The Presidents of the townships are requested to bring or send a report of the spiritual side of the work in their fields, and the Secretaries will present the temporal side of the work and report progress.

The presence of every delegate promptly on time is urged.

The service of song will be in the hands of a Union Choir of Sunday schools in Lakefield.

The Executive request that earnest prayer be offered in all the Sunday schools and churches in the county for the Divine blessing upon the Convention the Sunday immediately preceding.

GALWAY.

Council Meeting.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Council met, present Charles Coben, reeve, in the chair, John Gilmour, James Allen, David Curtin and Michael Collins, councillors, all made and subscribed a declaration of office and took their seats.

Moved by James Allen, seconded by John Gilmour, that the minutes of last meeting be read and confirmed.

Moved by John Gilmour, seconded by James Allen, that Patrick Collins be re-appointed clerk for the ensuing year, and Henry Coben, treasurer, Daniel Sheehan, assessor, and John Doherty, auditor—Carried.

The reeve appoints Thomas White.

Bylaw 183, confirming the above appointments, was read the usual number of times and signed.

Moved by Michael Collins, seconded by David Curtin, that the arrears of taxes on lot 29, con. 12, be remitted to Thomas White—Carried.

Moved by John Gilmour, seconded by Michael Collins, that the collector's time to collect taxes be extended until the first day of March.—Carried.

Moved by John Gilmour, seconded by M. Collins, that the following accounts be paid: Poll No. 2, Wm. McConnell, D.R.O., $4 going for and returning ballot box $2; Thos. White, poll clerk, $2; use of school house No. 6, $2; poll No. 1, Mrs. Hartnett, use of house for nomination, $4 and election $4; M. Hartnett, constable, $2; G. Scarlett, poll clerk $2; P. Collins, half year's salary, $38; EXAMINER Printing Co., $24.

Moved by James Allen, seconded by David Curtin, that the council adjourn until the first day of March, to meet at the house of Mrs. Hartnett.—Carried.

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A PLEASANT EVENING.

Presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sucee of Bridgenorth, on Tuesday Evening Last.

On Jan. 18th a large number of villagers and residents from the county gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sucee, to spend a pleasant evening. Mr. and Mrs. Sucee were purposely invited out, and were sent for to come home shortly after tea. On arriving at the house they were surprised to find it stormed with friends, numbering between 85 and 100. Mr. Sucee was then ushered into the centre of the crowd to be addressed as follows:

To Mr Joseph Sucee, Superintendent of Bridgenorth Methodist Sunday School:

On hearing of your intended departure from our midst, we, the members of Bridgenorth Methodist Sabbath school, feel that we cannot let this opportunity pass of showing our appreciation of the services you have so efficiently and so unselfishly rendered in the church, and especially to the Sunday school.

Fourteen years ago through your efforts the school was organized, and since that time you have performed your duties as superintendent most faithfully and favourably. From Sunday to Sunday you have laboured earnestly to bring the truths of the Scriptures more vividly before us, and your work has been crowned with success, as is evident by the advancement of the school.

As a slight expression of our thanks we would ask you to accept this writing desk and as you are about to enter another field of labour we pray that the blessing of God may attend you, and that wherever you may be situated your services may be as freely given and as faithfully performed as they were here.

Wishing you and yours a happy and prosperous New Year.

Signed on behalf of the school.

PAULINE UDY, W. S. KELLY, Treas.,
E. J. GRANT, T. N. KELLY, Librarian,
LILY UDY: MRS. J. POPE,
M. H KELLY, WM. KELLY,
PERCY UDY.

Bridgenorth, Jan. 18th.

Mr. Sucee is to be congratulated on the high respect in which he is held in the community, as it will be remembered that this is the fourth time that he has been similarly treated in Bridgenorth. About thirteen years ago he received a pair of fur mitts; nine or ten years ago a beautiful 'coon coat, and two years ago a pair of polished birch chairs. Mr. Sucee is moving into Peterborough.

LINES

ON THE DEATH OF MRS. WILLIAM BOTHWELL, WHO DIED AT HER RESIDENCE IN CAVAN, ON DEC. 28TH, 1897, AGED 37 YEARS.

Mother, dear, thou hast left us,
Thy troubles and thy trials are o'er,
In heaven we hope at last to meet thee,
But on earth alas! no more.

Alone through life we now must wander,
Thy voice no more to hear,
Alas! our home is sad and lonely,
No mother's form now lingers near.

We would not call her back again,
For she is better far
From sin and sorrow she is safe
Within the gates ajar.

Restrain thy tears, dear children,
And learn this lesson still,—
That God who gives can take away,
Blest be His holy will.

Then dear friends, dry your tears,
Your burdens cast on God,
He but afflicts you for your good—
Now kiss the chastening rod.

This greatest trial is sent through love,
With meek submission say:
"Not ours, O Lord, Thy will be done,
Our mother take away."

—A FRIEND.

The Coming Literary Genius.

The question is whether the coming genius will be native to the east or to the west, says J. S. Tunison in The Atlantic. The case of Japan makes the student of literature and literary possibilities pause. Compare the situation of this empire with that of England in the time of the Tudor sovereigns. The likeness is noteworthy. All the influences of civilization from west and east are focused, so to speak, upon a political and social organism which is not only wonderfully receptive, but which also displays the capacity of reaction in its own original elements. Looking back at the history of genius and seeing how largely it belongs to the people as distinguished from what may somewhat irreverently be called the blooded stock of a nation, one feels like inquiring how deeply into the substrate of human life in Japan the alien influences have penetrated. When these reach the depths where folk tradition lurks and the popular imagination slumbers, then the world may well look for a reaction in which the nation will show all that it is capable of in literature.

Meanwhile observe, by way of presage, that two of the most striking literary phenomena of the present day are Rudyard Kipling, with his overlay of Hindooism on English human nature, and Lafcadio Hearn, with his varied experience, patiently inquisitive about everything Japanese. Finally, whether the successor of Dante and Goethe rises from Asia or from the west, all the light of the past shows that he will speak not the thoughts of a nation, but of a worldwide culture; that he will at last unite the divided thought of humanity and combine in one view two civilizations that have been in antagonism for thousands of years.

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LAKEFIELD, Town Hall, Monday Evening, January 31st.

SELWYN, Tuesday, February 1st

ENNISMORE

TOWN HALL, Thursday, February 3rd.

O'REILLY'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Friday, February 4th.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

R. W. BELL, M.B., G. M. ROGER,
President. *Sec. W.P.L.A.*

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In re Estate of WILLIAM WALSH, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, chapter 110, section 36, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Walsh, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, druggist, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of June, 1897, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the Solicitors for the Executors, Messrs. Roger & Bennet, 375 Water street, Peterborough, on or before the

19th day of February, 1898,

full particulars of their claims against the said William Walsh, and of the securities (if any) held by them, and after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

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THE MARKETS.

Wheat Was Irregular—Toronto Live Stock Was Characterized by Good Receipts —Peas Higher in Liverpool.

Friday Evening, Jan. 21.

Peas are ½d higher in Liverpool.

Cash wheat in Chicago ⅛c higher at 94c.

Wheat futures in Liverpool closed ¾d to 1d higher.

Beerbohm gives world's visible supply of wheat and average price Jan. 1 for a period of years, as follows:

	Total qrs.	English av. price.
1898	15,552,000	34s 6d
1897	19,123,000	30s 9d
1896	23,341,000	25s 2d
1895	25,040,000	29s 4d
1894	25,721,000	28s 6d
1893	24,405,000	25s 8d
1892	21,000,000	30s 4d
1891	15,750,000	32s 7d

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 94	$0 91⅞
New York	1 04⅛	0 93⅝
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 94	0 92
St. Louis	0 93⅝	0 94⅝
Toledo	0 92⅛	0 93½
Detroit	0 93	0 93
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91⅛	0 91⅛
Toronto, red	0 88	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 01	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is improving with prices firm. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market was firmer to-day, with sales of red winter at 82½c to 83c west, the latter on C.P.R. White is quoted at 81c to 81½c west, spring at 83c on Midland, and goose at 77c to 77½c on Midland. Manitoba wheat firm at $1.02, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, and at 98c, Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with sales of No. 2 west at 32c. No. 3 extra at 28c to 30c, the latter for heavy, and feed at 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 20c for white and on Midland at 27c; mixed 25c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 52c to 53c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules firmer, with cars quoted at 31c west and at 33c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 44½c to 45c west.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices firm. Car lots sold at 28c west.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $9, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

The run of live stock at the Cattle Market was fairly large, 53 car loads all told, composed of 710 cattle, 410 sheep, 10 calves and 1400 hogs. Fat cattle fairly active, with prices a trifle easier. No loads of export cattle came forward, but a few lots were picked from amongst the loads of butcher cattle at $3.75 to $4 per cwt. Choice picked lots of butchers' stuff sold at $3.60 to $3.85, good loads $3.40 to $3.65, medium $3.25 to $3.40, common $3 to $3.25, and inferior $2.75 per cwt.

There were offerings of 20 milk cows; prices firm at $25 to $44 each. Calves sold at $4 to $8 each for 10 head. Good veals wanted.

Sheep, 410 came in. Ewes sold at $3.25, bucks at $2.50 to $2.75, lambs at $4.00 to $4.90 per cwt., or $3 to $5 each.

Hogs steady, with receipts of 1400 head; they sold at $3.37½ for best selections, and $4 87½ for thick and light fats. Shipments per C.P.R., M. Vincent 3 cars to Montreal, R. Ironsides 1 car to St. John, N.B., for export.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain were larger to-day, 4800 bushels. Wheat steady, 1000 bushels selling as follows: White at 84c to 88c, red at 87c to 88½c and goose at 77c per bushel. Rye, 100 bushels brought 45c to 47c. Barley firm, 2000 bushels selling at 30½c to 34c.

Oats firmer, 1000 bushels sold at 28½c to 29c. Peas firmer, at 57c to 58c for 500 bushels.

Hay weaker, 20 loads selling at $7 to $8.50 per ton. Straw dull, 5 loads selling at $6.50 to $7.50 per ton.

Dressed hogs firmer, light sold at $6.40 to $6.50, heavy $6.25 to $6.35 per cwt.

Poultry firmer, turkeys 9c to 11c, geese 7c to 8c per lb., ducks 60c to 90c, Chickens 60c to 90c per pair. Potatoes 60c to 65c per bag. Apples plentiful at $1.50 to $2.50 per bbl.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures quiet at 7s 3½d for March, 7s 2⅝d for May and 7s for July. Maize quiet at 3s 3d for Feb., 3s 2½d for March and 3s 1⅝d for May and July. Flour 23s.

London—Close—Wheat off coast firm, on passage quiet and steady. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, Feb. and March, 33s. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat quiet at 27f 65c for June. Flour dull at 58f 95c for March.

The confidence of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla is due to its unequalled record of wonderful cures.

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Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

Mrs. T. B. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

PROSPEROUS FACTORIES.

The Factory Inspector Thinks There Is a Revival of Trade.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Mr. Robert Barber, Inspector of Factories under the Ontario Government, travels considerably and has every opportunity of viewing the industrial features of the province. He reports that there is an evident revival of trade, judged from the position of factories. Many factories which have been idle for some time are now working again and prices are much firmer. Those factories which have been in operation all along are also in a prosperous state. These things apply especially to those places where goods are made for home consumption.

ELECTRIC ENERGY FOR HAMILTON.

Works Now Building Near Decew Falls to Furnish 5,000 Horse Power.

Thorold, Ont., Jan. 23.—The south bank of the Twelve-Mile Creek, near Decew Falls, just west of Thorold, now presents a somewhat busy and stirring scene, for there is a gang of about 30 men, stone-cutters, masons and laborers busily employed in the construction of the new power-house being built for the Hamilton Cataract Power Company, to supply electrical power to the city of Hamilton. The building is to stand within a few feet of the edge of the stream, and above high water level, while the precipitous banks rise to a height of nearly 275 feet above the level of the stream. When completed the power-house will be 174 feet in length and 49 feet in width, and the walls 30 feet in height. It is to be constructed throughout of steel faced with brick, and having concrete floors, little or no wood being used in the building, so as to make it as nearly as possible fire-proof.

The ground for the site was broken and the foundation commenced on Tuesday, Jan 8, and already the foundations are laid. In this power-house, it is proposed to develop electricity to the extent of 5,000 horse power, all of which, it is stated, the company has already disposed of to manufacturers in Hamilton. The whole work will cost in the neighborhood of $600,000.

The Y.M.C.A. Convention.

Brantford, Jan. 23.—At the Y.M.C.A. convention yesterday morning Mr. Shanks of Kingston delivered an address on the "Ideal Meeting." He suggested that there should be good singing and lively, with brief addresses and punctuality in opening and closing. Mr. Penman of Paris took up the subject "The Ideal Provincial Committee." At the afternoon session addresses were made by Mr. T. Fraser on "Ideal Relationship;" Mr. Ober of Chicago, "The Science of Manipulation;" Rev. E. Harris, Toronto, "Bible Study." In the evening there was a service of singing.

Mutinous Sailors.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 23.—The British steamer Ursula Bright, 30 days from Havre, arrived here yesterday. Thirteen members of her crew, charged with mutinous conduct, were taken aboard the police boat Lannan and conveyed to the office of the British Consul. Captain Whitson laid charges against them and to-day a naval court, consisting of two British ship masters and Consul Frazer, will try their cases. The crew were shipped at Sunderland, Eng.

Hon. E. J. Davis Not Vice-President.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—George Dunstan, manager of the Toronto Financial Corporation, denies that Hon. E. J. Davis is vice-president of the institution. In the reports of the corporation's failure sent out it was so stated, the mistake arising from the fact that Mr. Davis was vice-president in 1896, it having been overlooked that he resigned the position on becoming a member of the Ontario Government.

Nominated as Moderator.

Guelph, Jan. 23.—The Guelph Presbytery at its last session unanimously nominated Rev. Dr. Torrance, D.D., as the next Moderator of the General Assembly. The Presbytery of Paris has also nominated Dr. Torrance. The rev. gentleman is one of the pioneer ministers in Canada, and has been 52 years in the ministry, and for many years statistician of the General Assembly.

At St. Justine de Newton, Quebec, a few days ago some choir boys were playing in the sacristy of the church when several of them set upon one of the number, struck him on the head, pushed him into a box and shut him up. The boy took sick and died and the case is being investigated.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

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CURRENT CABLES.

The French in Somaliland, Africa, have begun the construction of a railway to connect their possessions with Abyssinia.

In accordance with their original plans, Mrs. Henry Gladstone and Mr. George Armistead started from London for Cannes, where Mr. Gladstone is.

The bread riots in Italy have been suppressed. Distress and hunger drove the people to violence, and now the Government will do something to relieve them.

M. Vervoort, editor of the Le Jour, and M. Adjalbert, a writer for the Les Droits de l'Homme, fought a duel with swords in Paris, on account of a dispute arising out of the Dreyfus case. M. Vervoort sustained three flesh wounds and M. Adjalbert was wounded in the forearm. The seconds stopped the fighting.

Two Quebec Men Found Dead.

Derby, Vt., Jan. 23.—The bodies of Fred. Bodelt and Tom Burneau of North Mills, Que., were found on the bank of a brook here yesterday, where they had evidently fallen from the highway.

Though Rome is called the Eternal City, the name by right belongs to the city of Damascus, in Syria, which is the oldest city in the world. As long as man has written records the city of Damascus has been known.

Of the foreign born population of the United States the Irish are now only about 20 per cent, whereas in 1850 they were over 40 per cent.

ITCHING PILES.

Some time ago I was completely incapacitated for business by Itching Piles. I bought a box of Chase's Ointment at Roper's Drug Store, and on applying it was relieved at once. I have given it to others and all have been relieved. It has cured some that had undergone an operation. WM. LEITH, Caledonia, Ont.

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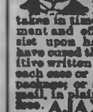

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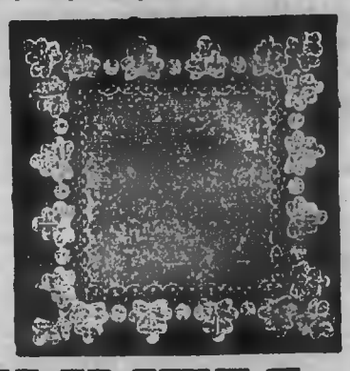
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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The common belief that horses in a burning building are always panic stricken and refractory, not recognizing their friends and refusing obedience to those who would rescue them, is not strictly true, as is proved by an incident related by a Companion contributor.

The governor had a fine black driving horse called Dexter. Although strong and spirited, Dexter was docile and obedient and was petted and made much of by his master. As the governor kept no other horse, Dexter had the stable all to himself, with a clean stall and a full manger.

The stable was near the house, and in addition to Dexter's stall and harness room contained a large carriage room, an oat bin and a haymow over the stall.

One night, when the family and the servants were away from home and the governor was in the house alone, he was awakened by an ominous crackling and a bright glare on his chamber window, and before he could collect his sleepy wits he was startled by a cry unlike any sound he had ever heard. As he sprang out of bed the cry came again, and hastening to the window he learned the cause. The stable was all ablaze, and out of the smoke and flames Dexter was calling his master to his rescue.

Pausing only to don coat and slippers, the governor rushed out. The outside door of the stable leading into the stall was already blocked by the flames, and the only entrance to be had was through the carriage room, the harness room and a narrow entry leading past the oat bin. These rooms were on fire overhead, and burning wisps of hay and shingles were raining down in showers.

Blinded by smoke, the governor stumbled along the roundabout way and, reaching the stall sooner than he expected, fell headlong down the steps against the excited animal, who was vainly tugging at his halter. Thinking some new danger threatened him, Dexter gave a mighty kick that sent his master sprawling and lamed him for a month.

"Whoa, Dexter!" shouted the governor. "Don't you know me, sir? Steady now, old fellow, and we'll get out of this."

Recognizing his master's voice, Dexter turned his head toward the prostrate man and uttered a coaxing whinny quite unlike his previous loud cries of alarm. Knowing he need fear no more kicks, the governor crept up and cut the halter and, calling Dexter to follow him, limped blindly through the smoke filled entry and the two blazing rooms beyond, and close after him went Dexter, his nose pressed against his master's shoulder, man and horse reaching the safe outer air together.

"It was Dexter's obedience that saved him," said the governor. "I could not lead him, and had he shown the least obstinacy or any less readiness to follow at a word through all that roundabout, unaccustomed way I must have left him to perish in the flames, but he followed like a well trained soldier, and we escaped from our burning, fiery furnace almost as safely as Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego did from theirs."—Youth's Companion.

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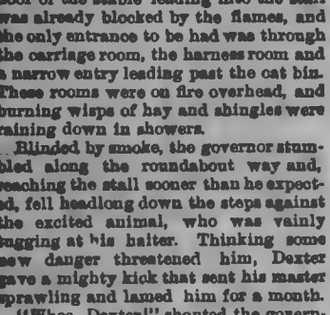

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FERRYBOATS IN THE WAR.

A Veteran's Recollections of One He Saw at Fortress Monroe In 1861.

"It is curious," said a veteran soldier, "how some incident or circumstance may impart to a long familiar object to which we have never given any special thought a significance that makes it always thereafter an object of particular interest. The East river ferryboats impress me in that way now whenever I see one, and this was brought about simply by seeing one of them out of its accustomed waters amid strange scenes and put to strange uses.

"This was in the fall of 1861, in Hampton Roads. The regiment that I served in was aboard a transport there, waiting with other troops afloat there to go farther south under convoy of a fleet of war vessels. There was a great number of vessels there of all kinds, steamers and sailing vessels and warships, and they made an impressive show, but certainly the most striking of any one of them on its first appearance was an East river ferryboat, the Commodore Perry. I can see her at this minute as she looked then, moving across the waters of the Roads; she looked so utterly strange and curious there and amid such surroundings. But she went here and there with the most perfect confidence, constantly employed in transporting stores and troops and making herself quite as much at home there as she ever had been among the currents and eddies of the narrow East river.

"Other ferryboats were taken down there. A soldier friend of mine tells me that later, in the peninsular campaign, there was a New York ferryboat in those waters that was used as a gunboat, carrying two parrott guns, one at each end, mounted in the gangways, where the teams drive in and out. My own impression is that one or two of these boats went around Hatteras, into waters farther south; but, however that may be, I shall never forget the first time I saw the Commodore Perry at Fortress Monroe, and to this day I never go along South street without a feeling of the keenest personal interest for every ferryboat I see on the river."—New York Sun.

Stanley's Cat.

As the bonds of friendship are strengthened by a heavy affliction so does a prolonged sojourn in foreign places, amid strange scenes, turn the most common of everyday sights at home into luxuries. A magazine tells a story of Henry M. Stanley, who, after his return from Africa, was busily engaged in writing his story of the "Dark Continent."

He used to spread his reference maps upon the floor of his room, and on this particular day, after searching in his near neighborhood for a chart which he much needed, he spoke to his assistant, who presently descried it near the fireside, with Stanley's favorite cat upon it asleep.

He started to turn the intruder off, when the great man interrupted him, saying:

"Never mind; don't disturb the cat. I'll get along without the chart until the cat wakes up. If you only knew how good the sight of that domestic cat curled up in front of that bright English fire is to me, you would never chase her away."

The cat slumbered on, and not until she arose with a lazy yawn, scratching her front nails on the rug as she stretched, did the famous explorer reach for his map.

A woman who takes chances with her health is simply gambling with the Black Devil of Disease. If she has any weakness or derangement of the delicate organism of her sex, to rely upon an unskilled, inexperienced, general practitioner is to risk her health upon a gambler's hazard. Her only real safety is in the careful well-digested advice of a physician who has had wide, special experience in diseases of this particular class.

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Asthma From Asparagus.

Among the curiosities of medical literature are the stories, many of them well authenticated, of the peculiar susceptibility of certain unfortunate individuals to certain odors and emanations. Among the substances which have been known to have produced attacks of spasmodic asthma are roses, musk, tea, ipecacuanha, the odor of a cat, fried fish, the dust of oats, malt, rice, feathers, wool and that caused in the demolition of old houses. Dr. Eugene Deschamps has added asparagus to this long list. He has published a full clinical report of a victualer over 40 years of age who suffers from severe spasmodic attacks of coughing whenever he attempts to prepare raw asparagus for the cook.—New York Herald.

Drew the Line.

"Couldn't take him at any price," said the agent who was buying horses for the use of the mounted police. "It is all right for a policeman to interfere whenever he sees fit, but it won't do for his horse."—Indianapolis Journal.

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How a Clever Bunko Game Was Played on a Son of Sunny Italy.

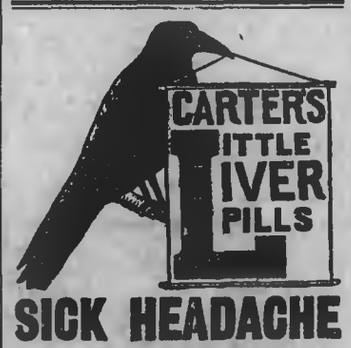
A well planned scheme was worked on a down town Italian confectioner the other night whereby he lost $50. About 2 p. m. a man who had one good eye and one glass eye came wandering along the street and stopped at this Italian's fruit stand. He stooped over to look at some of the fruit, when unexpectedly his glass eye fell from its socket down among the bananas and oranges.

The pretending purchaser at once began a diligent search for the missing glass eye. With both hands he clawed into the fruit, scattering it in all directions. The Italian came forward and told the stranger to stop. The one eyed man explained that his glass eye had dropped down there and that he wanted to get it.

The Italian became enraged and told the stranger to come around in the evening and he could get the other eye. The man explained he was a stranger and would not be here in the evening, but if he (the Italian) found the eye he should bring it to his hotel, where $100 would be paid to him.

An hour later another man came along, pretended to make a purchase, and while fingering around in the fruit suddenly espied the wonderful glass eye. The man from Italy made a grab for it, but was too late, as his would be customer already had it. Both claimed the eye, and a quarrel ensued. The Italian patched matters up by giving the stranger $50 for the eye, thinking he would get $100 upon returning it and he would have $50 clear.

He went to the hotel with the eye to get the $100 that he was told awaited him there. He found that no such man had been there and no $100 was left there for him. He then saw how he was worked and notified the police.—Pittsburg Commercial-Gazette.



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LADY HENRY SOMERSET AND THE W.C.T.U.

AN EXPLANATION CONCERNING THE RECENT DIFFICULTY.

Why a Movement is on Foot to Censure the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union in Electing Her Ladyship to the Vice-Presidency.

In view of the recent resolution passed by the local branch of the W.C.T.U. in regard to the action taken at the World's Convention in electing Lady Henry Somerset to the high position of vice-president, the following letter from the Globe in reference to the matter will be read with interest:—

In my last letter from Toronto, when the World's Convention of the W. C. T. U. was over, I said that there was rumblings of a storm. The dissatisfaction is increasing, and now that there is an understanding of what Lady Somerset's views are, women are waking up and beginning to think and investigate for themselves. The matter in Toronto was held down with a hand of iron in a glove of velvet. Steps were deliberately taken, I am creditably informed to have it suppressed in the Dominion convention. Only for two women there would have been complete silence. Unfortunately I was absent in connection with some information required about the banquet, when the only resolution which might bring on an expression of feeling was "tabled." It read thus:

"Resolved, That we view the action of the president of the B. W. T. A. in suggesting any method whatever of state legislation of vice with most profound sorrow, the deeper on account of our warm appreciation of her services to the temperance cause and our love for her in Christ Jesus, but that we think her present views utterly irreconcilable with the platform of the W.C.T.U."

Mrs. Thornley, the president of Ontario, who always has the courage of her convictions, and Mrs. Dr. Youmans, fought hard to have this resolution carry. Mrs. Sanderson, the president of Quebec, it seems did much to table the resolution and so strong is the fascination of "our old tomorrow" generalship at headquarters of W.C.T. Unism this motion was lost by a large majority, with applause.

Previous to this before the world's convention met publicly, the executive of the world's W.C.T.U. had elected Lady Henry Somerset behind closed doors. The programme for the world's W.C.T.U. announced that the election of officers would take place on the last afternoon (Tuesday) of the session. The election of Lady Henry Somerset took place the previous Friday morning.

CANADA'S VOTES.

Perhaps some who do not understand this executive policy will like to know how many votes Canada is entitled to. There are two women on the world's executive. The author of "Beautiful Joe," Miss Saunders, of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Sanderson, of Danville, Que. Miss Saunders was not at the convention, and Mrs. Sanderson was in the Dominion convention when Lady Somerset was being elected at headquarters of the Toronto W. C. T. U. That was the extent of Canada's voice at the world's meet on Friday before the first public assembly. On Saturday morning during her address as president, Miss Williard touched pathetically on her regard for Lady Henry Somerset. It seems that Miss Williard is indebted to her personally. She had been receiving a salary of two thousand dollars. In convention during her address she informed us that Lady Henry said to her: "Give up one thousand; come home to me and I will take care of you," or words to that effect. "Frances" replied tenderly: "I'll lean hard, Harriett." She leaned hard and that day said; "For what health I have now we are indebted to Lady Somerset."

It was thought that the strong resolutions expressed against legalised vice would influence her ladyship, but an English paper lately publishes this item (I gave it to a friend last evening and am not quite sure of the correct name—St. James Gazette, I think it is:

"Lady Henry Somerset wishes us to say that there was no stricture of censure passed on her at Toronto by Miss Williard in regard to the matter of the India army. On the contrary, Lady Henry was elected unanimously as vice-president of the world's W. C. T. U. Dr. Kate Bushnell, who was one of the missionaries sent to India by Mrs. Butler to investigate affairs with regard to the bondage of India's poor child widows, and others, makes this startling statement which I saw in her own handwriting: 'It cannot be too widely known that Lady Henry Somerset is not with the W.C.T.U. organization, either on the temperance question or the social purity question.' To any one who wishes to study up this position which the vice-president has taken with regard to legalised vice, I recommend 'The Queen's Daughters in India.' It costs 25 cents and can be ordered from the Wood-Allen Publishing Co., Ann Arbor, Michigan, U.S.

FOREMOST IN THE FIGHT.

It is most important that women should read this book. That women must be foremost in the battle against legalised vice is pressed upon us because of the use made of women's name in the House of Lords in England last spring. Lord Onslow held up a petition or memorial from women of the aristocracy—princesses, peeresses and others—120, I understand, in all—asking for a return to legalised vice in India. The name of Lady Henry Somerset was used as a supporter of the iniquitous system of the august assembly which has restored in India and "hopes to restore eventually in England."

The name of the vice-president of the World's W.C.T.U. was received with applause and approval. She is a distinguished lady of great influence, gifted, high born, active in every good work; we all esteem her highly, says one writer, and our opponents will not scruple to use her name as a supporter to their evil principles." In the debate on this subject before the House of Lords, Lord Kimberley said that the Lords must be glad, as he was himself, to see the change that had come over the country in regard to this question—the change in public opinion."

A few weeks after this debate Lord Roberts, the late commander-in-chief of the British army, the author of the circular sent through India asking for "young and attractive girls" for the use of the British Army, was placed by the British Woman's Temperance Association, of whom Lady Somerset is president, as a director on her home for inebriate women."

Only a solemn sense of duty makes me bring the women of the W.C.T.U. face to face with these facts.

Faithfully,
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WHEAT IRREGULAR.

Liverpool Higher, But U. S. Centres Are Selling—The Visible Supply—Local Market Prices.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 22.

Liverpool wheat futures ½d to ¼d higher.

Cash wheat in Chicago ¼c lower at 93¾c.

A decrease in the visible supply of wheat of 500,000 bushels is expected on Monday.

English farmers' deliveries of wheat the past week were 57,500 qrs. and the average price 34s 11d.

Bradstreet reports exports of wheat and flour for the week at 3,920,000 bushels, against 3,135,000 bushels last week and 2,-916,000 the corresponding week of last year. Corn exports 3,480,000 bushels this week, as against 4,647,750 bushels last week.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 93¾	$0 92
New York	1 04⅞	0 94⅛
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 93½	0 92
St. Louis	0 92½	0 94⅜
Toledo	0 93	0 93⅜
Detroit	0 93¾	0 93⅜
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 91½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 91½	0 91½
Toronto, red	0 86	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The market is quiet and prices firm. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to $3.90, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was quiet, with sales of red winter at 82½c to 83c west. White is quoted at 81c to 81½c west, spring at 83c on Midland, and goose at 77c to 77½c on Midland. Manitoba wheat firm at $1.02, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, and at 98c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with sales of No. 2 west at 32c. No. 3 extra at 28c to 29c, and feed 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 26c for white and on Midland at 27c; mixed 25c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 52c to 53c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 31c west and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 44½c to 45c west.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots sold at 28c west for new yellow.

MILLFEED—The demand is fair, with sales at $9, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

PROVISIONS—Trade is quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls 8½c to 9c. Mess pork, $14.50 to $15.00; do., short cut, $15.50 to $16.00; do., shoulder mess, $13.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6½c to 6⅝c for tierces, 6¾c to 7c for tubs and 7c to 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 58c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 16c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—Fleece is nominal. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day were light, 2000 bushels all told. Wheat steady, 500 bushels selling as follows: White 84c to 86c, red 87c to 88½c, and goose 77½c per bushels. Rye, 40½c for 100 bushels. Barley steady at 30½c to 34c for 500 bushels. Oats, 500 bushels sold at 28½c. Peas firm at 57c to 58c for 200 bushels.

Hay sold at $7 to $9 per ton for 25 loads. Straw, 5 loads sold at $6 to $7 per ton.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 22.—No. 1 spring wheat, 7s 9½d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 10¼d to 7s 11d; red winter, 7s 10d; peas, 5s 3d; corn, 3s 5¼d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 25s 3d; bacon, heavy, l.c., 28s 6d; light, 27s 6d; do., short cut, 26s 6d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, 43s.

London—Close—Wheat futures steady at 7s 5½d for March, 7s 2⅝d for May, and 7s 0¼d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 3½d for Feb., 3s 2¼d for March and 3s 2d for May and July. Flour 25s.

London—Wheat on passage quiet. Maize on passage less active.

Sentence Reduced One-Half.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Dr. Hamilton, who was sent to the penitentiary with Policeman William Bustard last May, on the charge of attempting an abortion on Mary Jane McNally, will be released next June, when half of his sentence will have expired. This is at the direction of the Governor-General-in-Council.

Bound for the Klondike.

Vancouver, Jan. 24.—A large party arrived here from Seattle to outfit for the Klondike. After comparing the prices and advantages that the Canadian and United States towns offered, they unanimously decided in favor of Vancouver.

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Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16 430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

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On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's male population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

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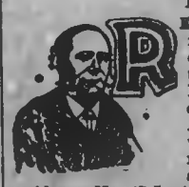

Pittsburg, Jan. 24. REV. T. Dewitt Talmage, the noted divine of Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Elmore McCutcheon Collier, of Alleghany City, were united in marriage Saturday at the McCutcheon residence, No. 47 Irwin avenue.

The wedding, which came as a great surprise to the friends of the couple, was, on account of a recent death in the family, an extremely quiet affair.

Mrs. Talmage is 40 years old, while her husband celebrated his 66th birthday several months ago.

A School Board Deadlock.

Orillia, Jan. 24.—There is a deadlock in the School Board here and it is likely the Minister of Education will have to interfere. At the first meeting of the Board only four members were present, when the election of a chairman began. After the ballots had been collected Messrs. Cook and Williamson came in and were given ballots and voted, the vote resulting in a tie, Cook 3, Tudhope 3. Mr. Cook having the largest assessment, cast the deciding vote for himself, and Secretary Grant declared him elected. Then the defeated party protested that Cook and Williamson came in too late to be entitled to a vote. No business can be done till it is decided who is chairman.

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Toronto via Port Hope	Leave 12.00 noon
Toronto via Lindsay	Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East	Leave 5.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave	8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive	5.00 a. m. and 8 40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield	8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	6 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.55 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.55 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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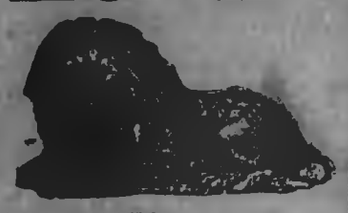

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THE PRESIDENT'S STATEMENT.

Deputies Complain That the Troops Were Called In—An Important Statement by Germany Respecting Kiao-Chou Bay—Rioting in Algiers—Gladstone's Serious Illness—Cable News.

Paris, Jan. 25.—The Chamber of Deputies was thronged yesterday. When the session opened at 2.10 p.m. M. de Beauregard protested against the treatment accorded the Chamber on Saturday, saying it recalled the coups d'etat of December, 1851, and of November, 1799. (Prolonged murmurs.) The deputy further complained of the intervention of the troops on Saturday. The President of the Chamber, M. Brisson, explained that those who were charged to clear the tribune met with resistance and thought it their duty to call out the guard. M. Jaures, the Socialist leader, requested permission to continue the discussion of Saturday. He criticised the Government's "incomplete prosecution" of Emile Zola, and asked what were the reasons for this state of affairs. M. Jaures protested against the alleged illegality and secrecy of the Dreyfus proceedings, and reproached the Government with pusillanimity. He also claimed that for the past 26 years the republic had been controlled by financiers, and accused the majority of desiring the "redelivery of the republic into the hands of the monarchy and clericals." Continuing, M. Jaures exclaimed: "But the Socialists are prepared to defend the true republic."

The Premier, M. Meline, refused to reply, "because," he said, "the Government has no right to constitute itself a court of justice."

The House, by a vote of 376 to 133, expressed confidence in the Government.

It is agreed on all sides that Saturday's scene in the Chamber of Deputies was almost without precedent, except the recent disturbances in the Austrian Reichsrath. Curiously enough, Count Badeni (former Austrian Premier) witnessed it. He must have felt quite at home. After the Chamber was cleared 125 torn-off neckties were picked up, together with many coats that had been torn by Deputies from each other's shoulders. M. Clovis Hugues, one of the Deputies for the Department of the Seine, had a door slammed on his fingers, which were so mutilated that he is now in the hands of a surgeon. The scene of fighting around the tribune was unparalleled.

RIOTING IN ALGIERS.

Europe's "Down With the Jews" Fight Transferred to North Africa.

Algiers, Jan. 25.—Further rioting occurred here at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, when it was learned that a Hebrew had stabbed a Spaniard. A mob gathered, attacked and looted the Hebrew stores. Governor-General Lepine personally intervened in order to induce the rioters to desist from further disorderly conduct.

During his efforts to restore order, the Governor-General narrowly escaped being struck by a chair which was thrown at him from a store. At the head of six Zouaves, with fixed bayonets, the Governor-General, preceded by military drummers, traversed the streets, appealing for quiet. He was followed by a mob of about 3,000 people, who shouted "Down with the Jews," "Resign," intermingled with a few cries of "Vive la Gouverneur-General."

The Governor-General finally retired to the winter palace, escorted by detachments of police and Zouaves.

This evening the town is in great turmoil. All the shops are closed and troops are picketed in all the squares. Several Jewish shops have been sacked, and the Chasseurs have several times dispersed the crowds.

200 Arrests Have Been Made.

Paris, Jan. 25.—A despatch received from Algiers late last night says that at eleven o'clock perfect tranquility prevailed there. The streets had been cleared and were held by the troops. Altogether 200 arrests have been made and one hundred persons are to be put on trial to day (Tuesday).

M. Jaures received a despatch from Algiers saying that the town was in flames and that a hundred Jews had been killed. He doubted the authenticity of the message, the signature of which was unknown to him, and the Government has had no information of anything so serious.

GERMANY WILL OPEN KIAO-CHOU.

Desires That Her Policy in China Should Be of a Liberal Character

Berlin, Jan. 25.—The following semi-official announcement was made yesterday: "The statements regarding Germany's intention to open the port of Kiao-Chou to the commerce of the world are practically correct. Germany's decree that its policy in China should be of a liberal character, not interfering with the commerce of other nations.

It Suits the Thunderer.

London, Jan. 25.—The Times editorially yesterday morning said: "We are glad to learn from various trustworthy and mutually independent sources that the rumors of Germany's intention to open Kiao-Chou to the world's commerce are well founded. If this decision is maintained, Kiao-Chou will probably become a great, busy and flourishing entrepot of the world's trade, a northern Hong-Kong.

"The wisdom of the decision cannot be doubted. It will tend to improve the unnecessarily strained relations between England and Germany. It is to be hoped that other nations will follow Germany's example, and that the far Eastern question may thereby be greatly simplified."

Lord Wm. Neville Arrested.

London, Jan. 25.—Lord William Neville, fourth son of the Marquis of Abergavenny, was arrested yesterday and taken to the Bow Street Police Court, charged with fraud in connection with the suit of "Sam" Lewis, a well-known money-lender, against Spencer Clay, an officer of the Guards, to recover £11,118 due on two promissory notes cashed for the prisoner.

Lord Neville left Paris on Saturday, so soon as he heard that a warrant had been issued for his arrest, and he surrendered to the authorities in the morning at the office of Sir George Lewis, the well-known lawyer. He will be prosecuted by the Treasury Department.

CANADIAN BUTTER IN ENGLAND.

This Country Is Seventh in the List of Exporters—More Than Half the Cheese.

London, Jan. 25.—(Telegram Cable.)—Canada is entitled to the honor of ranking seventh as a butter exporter to the British market. In 1895 the Dominion exported to England 20,887 cwts., and in 1897 109,402 cwts.

Canada since 1894 supplied 50.4 per cent. of the cheese imported by England, the percentage for 1897 being 58.6, or 1,636,654 cwts. The cheese is of excellent quality, securing almost three-fifths of England's entire trade.

MR. GLADSTONE'S CONDITION.

Pall Mall Gazette Maintains That the Grand Old Man Is Very Ill.

London, Jan. 25.—The Pall Mall Gazette yesterday afternoon said: "Our latest information in regard to Mr. Gladstone's condition is that it continues to be most grave. There has been no improvement since our announcement of Wednesday. We say this in spite of all statements to the contrary and with a full sense of our responsibility in doing so."

Went for a Drive.

Cannes, Jan. 25.—Mr. Gladstone drove out at noon yesterday.

CUBA'S NEW CONDITIONS.

The Manifesto Issued by the Autonomists—Stability of Policy and Remedy of Evils.

Havana, Jan. 25.—The Official Gazette publishes the autonomical Government's manifesto. This declares that the Government confines itself to the task of preparing a new Government policy, with and for the people on conditions that will insure stability, and thus remedy radical public evils, autonomy being the settlement and reparation inaugurated by the fatherland.

"National honor and self-respect of a country loving its freedom," continues the manifesto, "are a sufficient guarantee that the new policy is a full recognition of the colony's personality. If errors ensue it will be only the colony's fault, for political and civil freedom has been fully organized, and the rights to regulate commercial treaties conferred, the only limits to autonomy being the sovereignty of Spain.

"The only trouble that could arise would come if the colony should violate the constitution or injure those interests that belong to the whole nation. To prevent such a possibility Spain retains control, in order to maintain in full the duly constituted Government as the protection for high national interests while apparently threatened."

The manifesto adds that autonomy excludes no one, but calls upon all to obey the laws.

SPAIN AND THE U. S.

Madrid Newspapers Say There Is Now No Excuse for Interference.

New York, Jan. 24.—A despatch to the Herald from Madrid says: The attacks in the House at Washington have produced a feeling here which, perhaps, is scarcely justified—pointing toward the fixed purpose of a certain section of American politicians to insist on war with Spain. The Government itself is disturbed, and the press is full of the subject.

The Imparcial says: "In proportion as the accounts from Cuba are favorable to Spain, they become less so from the United States. It would be difficult to believe that the United States proposes, in the face of the whole civilised world, the enormous responsibility of provoking war for which no reason exists. Why allege as the only motive for intervention the prolongation of a contest which is principally sustained by filibustering expeditions starting from North American ports, and maintained by hopes, fostered in Washington and New York, of an attack upon Spain? It is a cold-blooded mockery and affront to the general conscience."

The Correspondencia says: "We cannot imagine the majority of the people of the United States wish for war with Spain, seeing the great disturbances such a war would cause in the republic. We cannot think that the jingoes will prevail in their evil work. We believe that the Government of the United States will not commit this unjustifiable and thoughtless imprudence."

A Scare at Jacksonville.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 24.—A special to the Times Union and Citizen from Key West says: There has been much excitement in this city during the last twenty-four hours, due to an alarming telegram from Havana stating that the streets had been placarded with an anonymous ultra-Spanish circular, calling upon all anti-American elements to mobilize and raid the American colony.

Captain-General Blanco, fearful that the rabid element of the city might attempt such violence, has placed an extra military guard around Consul-General Lee's residence.

POIRIER AND NULTY TRIALS.

Witnesses Examined Yesterday—Conversations Overheard—Detective McCaskill's Testimony.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 25.—The court opened at eleven o'clock yesterday.

Xavier Groulx, turnkey of the prison, the first witness, stated that on the 26th of November last, in the afternoon, two days after the arrest of the two prisoners, he heard this conversation between them:

"Sam, do you hear me? What do you say? Tell him that I was not there, and it will be all right."

Three days after, on the 29th, I heard Cordelia crying out to Sam: "Father Pinault will come to-day and tell him that I was not there." On both occasions Sam gave no answer. The prisoner gave me a letter for Father Pinault at that time. Last Sunday Cordelia, speaking alone in her cell, said: "Cling, clang, cling, clang. They will make me a fool and I will get through." This witness was not cross-examined by the defence.

Melina Viau, sister of the prisoner, was put in the box. Her evidence was favorable to the defence. Several important discrepancies were pointed out between her deposition taken at the preliminary enquiry and the evidence which she gave on this occasion. Court adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Peter McCaskill, detective, was put on the stand at a quarter past two in the afternoon. He stated that on the 24th of November last he received a telegram from the Deputy Attorney-General asking him to go to St. Canute and make investigation of the murder. He stated in a few words how he proceeded to the arrest of Cardelia Viau and Sam Parslow. It was on the 25th of November, about two or three in the afternoon, and I told Cordelia Viau she was not obliged to speak, adding, "Everything you will say may be used against you." I gave her the same warning in French. After we had them arrested we came to St. Scholastique and the prisoner and I spoke of the murder. I told her to speak the truth. She then protested her innocence and the first admission she made was in the prison.

The witness was submitted to a severe cross-examination by Mr. Poirier on that part of his evidence and stated nothing new.

Then came a great fight on the question whether the admission made by the prisoner after her arrest may be accepted or not as proof. Mr. Des Maris, Q.C., counsel for Parslow, who is also assisting the defence in this case, objected to this proof. An interesting discussion ensued on this question, and as the debate will be long the Court adjourned at five o'clock.

Mr. Des Marias and Mr. Poirier will represent the defence on the question and Mr. Mathieu, the Crown Prosecutor, will be assisted by Mr. McKay.

During the afternoon session the prisoner was taken with a fainting fit and the Court suspended for half an hour.

Tom Nulty's Queer Actions.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 25.—In the Nulty murder trial the defence are working the insanity plea for all it's worth. Besides prisoner's father, his sisters and a neighbor all have had something to tell in the way of queer actions on the part of the murderer. Most of these peculiarities would appear commonplace to the lay mind, but to the expert on mental diseases they will probably have a different aspect. Very little was done yesterday owing to the snow blockade which kept witnesses away. The prisoner's mother was examined and corroborated her husband in regard to Tom's boyhood, also some strange doings in more recent years.

OUTRAGE ON A CANADIAN.

Buffalo Police Pounced Upon Him and Locked Him Up as a Tramp.

Buffalo, N.Y., Jan. 25. — Edward Knowles, 26 years old, a Canadian lawyer and a son of a prominent Presbyterian minister in Pembroke, Ont., spent last night in the police station here. Last night he visited a friend in this city and left the house about 10 o'clock. At 2 o'clock in the morning he was arrested and locked up, on the charge of being a tramp. On proving his identity in the Sunrise Court he was allowed his liberty.

Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

Almost Distracted

Dreadful Suffering by a Newmarket Woman.

The Bones in the Nose Affected—Face Would Swell Until Her Eyes Were Closed—How Relieved.

NEWMARKET, ONT.—"I have had a good opportunity of noting the great medicinal powers of Hood's Sarsaparilla. My wife has been a sufferer from catarrh for the past four years, and the disease had gone so far that the bones of the nose had become affected and particles had come away through an opening in the left side. Her eyesight was also affected to the extent that for nearly a year she was unable to read for more than five minutes at a time. She suffered

Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. FURSHER.

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MR. ROSS AT BARRIE.

The Government Record Stamped on the Country.

OPPOSITION CRY DISSECTED.

The Minister of Education Could Not Find Any Policy Upon Which the Opposition Could Expect to Rally the Electors—A Progressive Government and Its 26 Years' Work.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—The features of the campaign yesterday were the vigorous speech of the Minister of Education at Barrie; the nomination of Mr. S. Russell, editor of the Deseronto Tribune, as Liberal candidate for East Hastings, and the nomination of Mr. J. L. Buck of Port Rowan as Conservative candidate for South Norfolk.

MR. ROSS AT BARRIE.

The Government's Progressive Record Stamped on the Province.

Barrie, Jan. 25.—The first public utterance of the Minister of Education since the prorogation of the Legislature gave to the meeting here last night, to promote the candidature of Mr. David Davidson, more than a local interest. The new Grand Opera House, which is, by the way, one of the finest structures of its kind in Canada, was the place of meeting, and almost a thousand people were present.

Mr. Davidson, who spoke modestly but effectively, was received with enthusiasm. He reminded the people that he had been a Liberal all his life and that he had worked for his party in Simcoe thirty years ago. He said that he had gone into business in the Township of Sunnidale, and he did not think that anyone could find any dirty tracks there. For 27 years he had been in business in Penetanguishene and Tiny Township, and he had had business relations during that time with 2,000 men, with whom he had never had any dispute calling for the interposition of the court. By careful industry and hard work he had made his way. His interests were centred in Simcoe and he would do his best to represent the opinions of his constituents if they elected him in preference to a young lawyer who resided beyond the limits of the riding.

Hon. G. W. Ross.

Mr. Ross was received with an ovation when the chairman presented him to the audience. He began a powerful speech by congratulating the people of Barrie upon the possession of such an admirable assembling place as the Grand Opera House, the Young Liberal Club on the evidence of vitality which it had afforded, the Liberals of Simcoe upon the wisdom of the choice of their candidate, and he appealed to all men to vote for him. He gave many reasons why they should do so. The Minister said in part: We are entering upon a peculiar contest, a one-sided contest in some respects. I cannot find any distinctive policy upon which the Opposition expect to rally the electors. In the last Dominion election there were grave political issues before the country, upon which the parties could very easily divide. I cannot find just now any substantial political basis upon which any man can justify himself for voting for the Opposition. I speak of the Opposition not as Conservatives, but simply as the Opposition and nothing more. The Opposition have no distinctive policy, except upon one or two questions, and then it is not very distinctive. They attacked the Government over and over again very strongly on the platform and with very great timidity on the floor of the House. They remind me of the story of an American general during the Mexican war. He called in Capt. Bragg and said: "Captain, a crisis is upon us; get ready and fire at the enemy." The Captain called his Lieutenant and said: "Lieutenant, the General says a crisis is upon us, and we must fire at the enemy." The Lieutenant replied: "I don't see any enemy to fire at." "Then fire at the crisis," was the answer of the Captain. (Laughter.) That is what they are doing. They don't see anything in the Government to fire at. There is no particular action which we have performed in the last 25 years which they can condemn, so the word of command is given to fire at the Government miscellaneously, or, as Corporal Shaughnessy said at the battle of Waterloo, "Simultaneously, altogether and at once."

Opposition Cry Dissected.

Our record is before you. (Hear, hear.) We have been in power since 1871. If this Government had been a bad Government you surely would have found us out by this time, and although we have been in power so long the complaint is not that we have governed the country badly, but that we have governed it too long, and therefore they say, "It is time for a change." Is it possible that after having managed the affairs of the country well, as the Conservatives admit the Government have, anybody would be carried away by the cry, "It is time for a change?" Is there any sense in that cry? Is it liable to affect the judgment or will it have any influence on any man's vote? I think not. (Applause.) It is the cry of despair; it is the very antipodes of argument; it is a shirking of the position. With the notion of arousing hope for them they insist on saying, "It is time for a change," without giving you reasons for that change. I want to know why the government should be transferred from the present party. I want to know, looking at the great questions which we have to consider, what good reason Mr. Whitney and his colleagues have given for changing the stewards or trustees of this country.

"Made Me a New Woman."

The Life of Mrs. McMaster, of Toronto, is Saved.

A CASE THAT PROVED TOO DIFFICULT FOR THE PHYSICIANS YIELDS TO THE WONDROUS VIRTUES OF PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND.

A Signal Victory for the King of Medicines.

Pains Banished, Eyesight Quite Restored and a New Life Begun.

WELLS & RICHARDSON CO.,

GENTLEMEN,—Ten years ago I was attacked with neuralgia, and though treated by six doctors the disease grew worse and nearly drove me insane. I was for one summer an outdoor patient at the hospital here but only got temporary relief.

I was sleepless for nights, my digestion was bad, and I would feel a pain in my stomach every time that I ate anything. Day after day I suffered the most intense agony, and I often wonder that I didn't go crazy. I took endless medicines given me by medical men, and getting worse I became utterly disheartened.

One day my deliverance came. A lady who had suffered just as I had told me that Paine's Celery Compound had cured her. I used the Compound as a last resort, and it simply made a new woman of me. The pain vanished; my eyesight, which was impaired, returned, and I felt myself growing well, and I never felt happier in my life. I am now well and strong and all my health and happiness are due to Paine's Celery Compound. I will always gratefully remember the medicine that cured me, and will speak a good word for it.

MRS. THOS. MCMASTER,
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Twinging Shooting Pain.

Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Dean's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Dean's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

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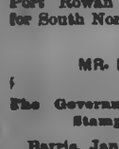
Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

That nothing hand can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound



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No. 1, or No. 2, mailed on receipt of price and two 3-cent stamps.

The Cook Company,
Windsor, Ontario.

☞ No. 1 and NO. 2 Sold in Peterborough by John Burgess, Druggist.

ADVANCE IN WHEAT.

A Good Foreign Demand and a Bullish Statistical Position—The Local Prices Are Firm.

Monday Evening, Jan. 24.

Cash wheat in Chicago 1¼c higher at 95c.

Liverpool wheat futures 1½d to 1¾d higher.

Stocks of wheat at the leading Continental ports Jan. 1 were 30,632,000 bushels, against 27,500,000 bushels Dec. 1, and 42,000,000 bushels Jan. 1, 1897. Stocks in Odessa were 4,320,000 bushels, against 3,680,000 bushels Dec. 1 and 10,400,000 bushels Jan. 1 last year. Stocks in Paris were 848,000 bushels, against 856,000 bushels Dec. 1, and 3,192,000 bushels Jan. 1 last year.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 95	$0 93⅛
New York	1 07	0 95⅛
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern.	0 94	0 93⅛
St. Louis	0 92¼	0 95⅝
Toledo	0 94½	0 94⅝
Detroit	0 94½	0 94½
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 92⅝	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 92⅝	0 92⅝
Toronto, red	0 87	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 02	....

Visible Supply of Grain.

The visible supply of grain in the United States and Canada, with comparisons, is as follows:

	Jan. 22. 1898.	Jan. 23. 1897.	Jan. 24. 1896.
Wheat, bu.	27,153,000	51,268,000	67,523,000
Corn, bu.	41,789,000	21,715,000	10,431,000
Oats, bu.	14,534,000	13,153,000	6,233,000
Rye, bu.	4,002,000	3,675,000	1,549,000
Barley, bu.	3,161,000	3,602,000	3,135,000

Wheat decreased 685,000 bushels last week, as against a decrease of 1,164,000 bushels the corresponding week of last year. Corn increased 655,000 bushels last week. Oats decreased 329,000, rye decreased 149,000 and barley decreased 421,000 bushels.

Toronto Stocks of Grain.

	Jan. 24, 1898.	Jan. 17, 1898.	Jan. 25, 1897.
Fall wheat, bu.	22,687	30,687	33,870
Spring wheat, bu.	365	365	2,500
Hard wheat, bu.	14,007	14,007	160,289
Goose wheat, bu.	14,000	14,000	7,035
Total wheat	51,059	59,059	203,694
Barley, bu.	21,687	25,687	60,140
Oats, bu.	14,000	14,000	57,828
Peas, bu.	8,337	5,337	2,819
Corn, bu.	6,000	7,000	.....
Rye, bu.	5,683	4,683	.....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The demand for flour is fair and prices firm. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.85 to $3.95, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market today was strong, with a good demand, but offerings were light. Red winter sold at 83½c to 84c high freights, spring at 84c on Midland, and goose at 78c on Midland. Manitoba wheat firm at $1.03, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, and at 99c Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with sales of No. 2 west at 32c to 33c. No. 3 extra at 28c to 29c, and feed 26c to 27c.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 26c to 26½c for white and on Midland at 27c; mixed 25c to 25½c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 52c to 53c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 31c west and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 45c west and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots sold at 28c west for new yellow.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $9, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day were light, about 1600 bushels. Wheat steady, 200 bushels sold as follows: White at 84c to 86c, red at 87c to 88½c, and goose 77c to 77½c per bushel. Barley firm, 80 bushels selling at 31c to 34c. Rye, one load brought 46½c. Oats firm at 29c for 500 bushels. Peas sold at 57c per bushel for one load.

Hay $7.50 to $9 per ton for 20 loads. Straw, 2 loads sold at $6 and $7 per ton.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Jan. 24.—There were about 650 head of butchers' cattle, 30 calves and 100 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were rather slow in coming out, each seemingly waiting until the others would break the roads. Several droves of cattle, as well as nearly all the sheep and calves, were also late in getting to the market. There were no really choice beeves on the market to-day. There were a larger proportion of fair to good animals than usual, and these brought lower prices than on last Thursday. The best cattle sold at about 4¼c per lb., pretty good stock at from 3¼c to 3½c per lb., common dry cows went at from 2c to 3c per lb. Calves from a few days old up to four weeks old sold at from $2 to $3 each, older calves sold at from $8 to $11 each. Sheep sold at from 3¼c to 3½c per lb., and lambs at from 4½c to 5c per lb. Fat hogs sold at from 5c to 5½c per lb.

British Markets.

London—Close—Wheat on passage more inquiry, maize on passage firm. English wheat firm.

Paris—Close—Wheat firm at 23f 25c for June. Flour firm, at 60f 10s for March.

Liverpool—Close—Spot wheat firm; futures steady at 7s 6¾d for March, 7s 4d for May and 7s 1¾d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 3¼d for Feb. and 3s 2¾d for March.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

Hopes Fulfilled.

The following letter tells what people think about LAXA-LIVER PILLS:

DEAR SIRS,—I gladly testify to the virtues of LAXA-LIVER PILLS. I used to be troubled with severe headaches and constipation for a long time and took these pills hoping for a cure, and my hopes were rapidly fulfilled. I have found them a never-failing remedy, and heartily recommend them.

Signed, MISS L. LAWSON,
Moncton, N. B.

Piles! Piles! Dennis Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumor. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents.

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BE ON YOUR GUARD.

Sealed Lead Packets Only. 25c, 30c, 40c, 50c and 60c per pound

The Greatest Bargains in Overcoats and Underclothing ever offered by H. LeBRUN & CO. are being handed out this week to Reduce Stock. Blizzards and Cold Waves won't interfere with the Big Reductions in Prices. Come quickly and share in the prosperity.

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We are JOBBING the following lines of Tobaccos at MANUFACTURERS' WHOLESALE PRICES. Take advantage of this rare opportunity and buy at home, and save Freight and other expenses:—

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DERBY SMOKING PLUG
In 8's and 16's.

Let us fill your order for you and save you freight and other expenses

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NOTICE TO "AGRICULTURAL" POLICY HOLDERS.

The British America Assurance Co. having re-insured the business of the Agricultural Insurance Co. before it with drew from Canada, assuming thereby to pay all losses which might occur under their policies, it is very important that all changes to be made in said policies be reported at our office, as we are the only authorized Agents.

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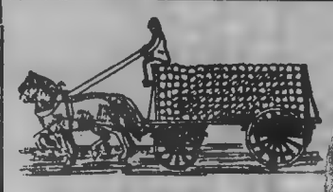

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I will sell first-class wood at the following prices:—

22 inch Hardwood	-	$4.00 per cord
4 feet "	-	$3 75 " "
4 feet Tamarac	-	$3 00 " "
Mixed Wood "		$2.75 " "

Good measurement and prompt delivery.

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George Street, South.

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COAL AND WOOD YARD.

WOOD—The very best qualities carefully delivered at the following cash prices:—

Long 4-foot Harwood..... $3.50 to $4.00 per cord
22-inch Hardwood..... $4.00 per cord
Long 4-foot Tamarac..... $2.00 per cord
Mixed Wood..... $2.25 to $2.50 per cord

COAL—Lehigh, Plymouth Rock and Scranton. All Coal weighed on market scales and certified by Market Clerk.

Egg Coal..... $5 00 to $5.50 per ton
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LIVERY STABLE—Stocked with good horses and rigs ready at all hours, day or night. Hack in connection.

OFFICE—195 Charlotte St. 'Phone 24

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One-Half Bushel Bag	10c
One Bushel Bag	20c

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The Best 4-foot Maple	$4.00
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The Best 4 ft. Tamarac	$3.25

Also Best Lehigh "Hard" Coal at Lowest Cash Prices.

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Order Your COAL ... FROM ... SCOTT & HOGG'S COAL YARDS.

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Cures Baldness, Grey Hair, Irritation of Scalp, Eczema, Removes Dandruff, Restores Grey Hair to Natural Color, Stops Falling Out, &c. Guarantee in all cases. References if required.

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Gas at $2 per Thousand Cubic ft.
Gas (for cooking or heating) at $1.25 per Thousand Cubic ft.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Arc Lamps, $65.00 per Annum,
Incandescent Lamps, (16 Candle $7.50 per Annum.

Series Lamps, 65 c. p., not furnished.

Incandescent Lamps for house lighting, by meter at ½ cent per 16 c. p. lamp per hour.

A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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May be consulted at the ORIENTAL HOTEL, *Peterborough, Saturday, Jan. 29.*

☞ HOURS 11.30 to 4.30.

Stone in Bladder

REMOVED BY

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

I have been troubled with Stone in the Bladder. I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills' cures, and concluded to try them. I have used 18 boxes, and can safely say they have been the means of removing the stone. I can highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to all suffering from this disease.

I remain, yours, etc.,
JOHN MADILL.
Shelburne, Ont.

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cure Stone in Bladder.

A DOPPEL-GANGER'S VISIT.

The Double of a Dead Boston Physician Pays a Visit to His Friend in the Flesh in Montreal.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—Dr. Brunelle is one of the leading French physicians of the city, and has had an experience that he will not forget for many a day to come. In the first place it should be related that the doctor is a particularly level-headed man, quite as free from belief in the supernatural as any of his confreres, and that is saying a great deal where French medical men are concerned. At an early hour Saturday evening, while Dr. Brunelle was sitting in his study reading a newspaper, he heard a sharp knock on the door leading to the hallway, and, thinking it was his little girl, he asked what she wanted. There came as a reply a second knock, louder than the first, and when the physician arose and opened the door he saw before him his old and intimate friend, Dr. Garceau of Boston. Dr. Brunelle's surprise, of course, was very great, and in extending him his hand of welcome he asked his friend how he got in without being heard. If, however, the Montreal doctor was surprised when he opened the door, he was still more astonished when his outstretched hand met nothing but space, and at once the form of the Boston gentleman disappeared. Dr. Brunelle returned to his library and sat for a short time lost in thought, only to be aroused by a telegraph messenger, who brought the following from a relative in Boston: "Dr. Garceau has just died."

A Millionaire Dead.

The death took place yesterday of Mr. W. J. Withall, vice-president of the Quebec Bank. He came here 19 years ago from Quebec, and leaves an estate of $1,000,000, to be divided between six nephews and two nieces. Mr. Withall was one of the best known bankers in the Province of Quebec.

To Be Sworn Feb. 2.

Hon. Judge Jette will be sworn in Lieutenant-Governor of the province on Feb. 2 next.

Diamond Dyes are the Only Safe and Pure Dye-Stuffs.

Our legislators have enacted stringent laws for the prevention of food adulteration, and as a result our people have been benefitted, and all classes of our population get value for their money.

It would be a boon to the women of Canada if the adulteration act applied to package dyes sold for home dyeing. Dyestuffs are now used in tens of thousands of homes, and too frequently valuable goods and materials are spoiled by the use of adulterated dyes that should be prohibited by law.

The Diamond Dyes for long years have given the most complete satisfaction. They are the only reliable, pure and fast dyes now before the public—the only package dyes that can stand the most crucial chemical tests.

Diamond Dyes are sold by all up-to-date druggists and dealers. If you meet a dealer who recommends some other make of dye, pause before you buy from him. Such a dealer is working only for big profits; he has no regard for your success and comfort.

Goderich Poultry Show.

Goderich, Ont., Jan. 25.—The second annual show of the Huron Poultry and Pet Stock Association opens here to-day. It will be a grand success, the number of entries reaching over 500. The directors are greatly pleased with the prospect, as the display will take rank as one of the finest at any of the shows this season, although the entries are confined to Huron county.

George Smythe Still Lives.

Fort Steele, B.C., Jan. 25.—George Smythe, who was reported dead after being brutally assaulted by four French-Canadian navvies, is still in the land of the living. He recovered from a death-like insensibility and is now on a fair way to recovery.

Blaze at Woodbridge.

Woodbridge, Ont., Jan. 25.—This village was visited by a fire last night which destroyed 20 of the stables belonging to the West York and Vaughan Agricultural Society. The loss will probably be over $1,500. There was no insurance.

The Best Ever Used.

MESSRS. T. MILBURN & Co.

DEAR SIRS,—I can recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup as the very best medicine for coughs and colds, sore throat and weak lungs, which I have ever used.

Yours truly,
WM. FERRY, Blenheim, Ont.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 360 George treet.

GAIN OF $52,000,000.

Enormous Increase in Our Foreign Trade Last Year.

REFUND OF DUTY TO BE ALLOWED

Some Recent Customs Decisions—What the Term "No Commercial Value" Means—Asking the Annulment of a Company's Charter—Brandonites Protest Against Placing a Duty on Binder Twine.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Trade and commerce seem to have received an enormous impetus by the change of Government, judging by the official figures of Canada's foreign trade for the calendar year 1897, which show an increase over 1896 of $52,115,000. The record for 1897 is unprecedented in the history of Canada. The total exports and imports entered for consumption reached the enormous total of $271,501,000, compared with $219,386,000 in the calendar year 1896, or an increase of over $52,000. The exports exceeded the imports by over $37,000,000. The total exports were $154,675,000, against $117,795,000 in 1896, an increase of nearly $37,000,000. The imports, including only those entered for consumption, were $116,826,000, compared with $101,591,000 in 1896, an increase of over $15,000. The duty collected in 1897 was $20,582,000, compared with $19,879,000 in 1896. These returns are not for the fiscal years, but for the calendar years ending December 31st.

A DUTY REFUND.

Africa, Europe and Central America Will Get It From Canada.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The Department of Customs has decided to allow a refund of duty paid on products from Liberia, Morocco, Spain, Salvador, Tonga and the South African Republic since the reciprocal preferential tariff took effect on the 23rd of April last. As, with the exception of Spain, Canada does not import much from these countries, the amount of refund will not be great.

The Department of Customs has decided that cards, portfolios, pasteboard boxes or other coverings containing cut samples of cloth, edging, textile fabrics, buttons of various patterns, and other articles, being representative of goods, and obviously intended for use only as samples to sell by, and having no commercial value, may be admitted free of duty. The term, "no commercial value" does not apply to portfolios or other coverings used in displaying samples, which were susceptible of being adapted to other use. Samples such as are carried by commercial travelers, together with the trunks and other "packages," containing them, are dutiable, excepting such as are of no commercial value, as hereinbefore mentioned.

S. H. Blake, Q.C., Toronto, and J. E. Greenshields, Montreal, are here to-day seeing the Minister of Justice with a view of getting the annulment of the Dominion Cold Storage Company charter. The company, which was incorporated with a capital of some $300,000, has become insolvent, and if the charter is annulled, the shareholders will not have any further liabilities. The contention of Messrs. Blake and Greenshields is that the company never should have got a charter, because they did not comply with the terms necessary to obtain one.

A. C. Fraser M.P.P., North Brandon, Charles Adams, M.P.P., Brandon, are here on their way to Montreal to interview the C.P.R. authorities in respect to freight rates. Brandon complains that it is being discriminated against, both east and west, by the C.P.R. When in the city Messrs. Fraser and Adams took advantage to enter a protest with the Government against the placing of a duty on binder twine.

Personal and General Notes.

Mr. W. D. Scarth, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, has left for Washington to look over the United States system of dealing with patents. Mr. Fisher is organizing the Canadian Patent Office, and has sent his deputy to get pointers.

The latest Ottawa enterprise is the Ottawa Fishing and Trading Co., which will establish fishing ports on the great lakes, and also the inland lakes, and make Ottawa the distributing point.

The Department of Justice has fixed the trial of Mrs. Sternaman for the May Assizes, before Judge Robertson. It will be for the judge to say whether there should be a change in the place of trial.

M. A. G. Gilbert, poultry manager, Central Experimental Farm, left for Cobourg yesterday on a lecturing tour. He will be absent for a week.

Jubilee Gifts Not Coming.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Canadians will not be able to look upon the Queen's Diamond Jubilee gifts. City Clerk Blevins received the announcement from Mr. Joseph Pope, Under-Secretary of State, who, in the course of his letter, said: "I am at the same time to acquaint you that the Secretary of State for the Colonies has received Her Majesty's commands to say that, much as Her Majesty would wish that as many of her subjects as possible should see the presents, this could only be arranged by sending them to all the colonies in succession, a course which Her Majesty regrets to be impossible."

AMERICA'S BEST DOCTORS

Say Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Cure For Bright's Disease.

Ingersoll, Jan. 24—Only a couple of weeks ago the remarkable recovery of farmer G. J. Cooke from Kidney Disease, through the agency of Dodd's Kidney Pills, was reported.

Now the whole town is talking of a yet more extraordinary cure by that God-sent medicine.

Michael Sherlock was cured of kidney and bladder disease of five years' standing by a course of treatment with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and makes public statement of his case.

The most eminent physicians on the continent now pronounce Dodd's Kidney Pills the one and only cure, unfailing cure for Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Disease and all other kidney and blood disorders.

CANADIAN CURRENCY.

Seventeen inches of snow fell in Montreal on Sunday.

Capt. Samuel Richmond, for five years chief engineer of the Port Arthur Fire Department, is dead.

Thomas Cahill of St. Catharines was accidentally killed at Syracuse, N.Y., yesterday. He was working for a contractor named Thomas J. Moore.

Dr. James D. Kellock of Perth, Ont., died in his cutter on Sunday afternoon while returning from the country, where he had been attending a patient.

A Vancouver despatch tells of the death of a miner named Robert Gray at Loughboro Inlet, 100 miles up the coast. He was thawing dynamite, which exploded.

Albert Foster of Holland Landing has been committed for trial on the charge of burning a barn containing $1,000 worth of hay belonging to Henry Collings of West Gwillimbury. He is out on bail and will be tried at Barrie.

The Kingston Vehicle Works Company has won its appeal before the Nova Scotia Supreme Court against the Bank of Nova Scotia regarding its claims against the estate of A. R. Fulton of Truro, the company's agent, for $16,000.

Thomas Dunsmore, who left Barrie 14 years ago, and was working in a grist mill at Duluth, was killed instantly a few days ago. The body will be brought for interment to Barrie, where many relatives reside. A widow and three children survive him.

The strong gales from the west caused the water in the Niagara River to rise a good deal above the normal mark Sunday night. In the gorge below the Falls the water rose over 20 feet, submerging boat houses and washing away sections of the Gorge Railroad, while the manufacturing establishments on the river banks were endangered.

W. J. Oliver, a pattern maker at the pulp mills at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., crossed to the United States side on Thursday evening last to attend a religious service. In going home he fell over the old Michigan canal bank to the lock chamber, a distance of 50 feet. His body was crushed beyond recognition. He leaves a widow and family at Carleton Place, Ont.

Mr. Malouin by Acclamation.

Quebec, Jan. 25.—Mr. P. Malouin was to-day elected M.P. for Quebec Centre by acclamation instead of Mr. Francois Langelier, appointed to the judgeship of Montreal.

DOOM OF DYSPEPSIA

Averted by the Use of Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

No man or woman has a right to transmit disease to his or her children. It is a crime to doom an innocent child to a lifetime of agony. But hundreds of thousands do so.

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Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each box containing full double treatment, for stomach and bowels, are sold by all druggists, or will be sent on receipt of price, fifty cents a box, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

The Russian Ice-Breaker.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 25.—The steamer Oregon sailed for Alaska last night with 450 passengers and 1,250 tons of general merchandise and baggage. Fifty head of live stock was also part of the cargo. No less than 300 people who applied for passage were refused and hundreds of tons of freight were lying on the docks awaiting transportation to the gold fields.

Debs Pleads for Worden.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Eugene V. Debs has issued a plea to the public in behalf of Sailor T. Worden, who is under sentence of death for train wrecking near Sacramento, Cal., during the railroad strike of 1894. Mr. Debs asserts that Worden is the victim of a conspiracy of railroad detectives.

DANGER IN DELAY.

If Your Heart is Weak or Nerves Unstrung get Cured at Once.

A Port Hope Citizen Tells You How.

Here is what Mr. W. A. Carson, the well known Port Hope Grocer, has to say:

Says Mr Carson, "For a length of time I was seriously troubled with my heart, causing shortness of breath, nervousness, dizziness, debility, etc.

I got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills at Doyell's Drug Store, and am very much pleased to tell you that, after using them a short time, I was entirely cured of my troubles. Not only that, but I feel thoroughly built up and restored to health and vigour

I can highly recommend these remarkable pills to those afflicted with heart or nerve trouble in any form, as I believe them to be the best remedy in existence."

Laxa Liver Pills cure constipation and sick headache. 25 cents. All drug stores.

Worms cannot exist either in children or adults when Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is used. 25c. All dealers.

GOUGH'S
Greater Oak Hall

SPLITTING THE ACORNS IN TWO!

LIKE A BOMB-SHELL

Came the announcement a few days ago of the purchase by GOUGH BROS. of the Oak Hall Stock. Day and night, ever since, the thunder of Gough's Fusilade of Bargains has been both heard and felt all over the country. But yesterday, what were Bargains at Oak Hall, the lesser, did'nt GO. To-day they DO GO—at GOUGH'S GREATER OAK HALL—because they've GOT TO GO.

Was it Luck? Some people say we were lucky to make such a fortunate purchase But luck takes a back seat compared with the master-stroke of business acumen in cornering this Matchless $16,430 stock of Oak Hall's at a Fractional Rate on the Dollar of

62½ CENTS

On the Manufacturers Cost.

It was as natural as sunshine that the first week of our Triumphant Sale should bring a throng of buyers. But the campaign is only started and there's to be no Prorogation until the slate is cleared and every vestige sold. The nimble nickle has more charm for us than the slow shilling. THIS WEEK the Clothing Sensation of the Season is in full swing with all its potential momentum. Just in the right time, too, when it is most needed to afford Peterborough's male population an opportunity to be warmly clothed for the winter at about Half Ruling Prices.

Look at the Inducements!

Workingmen's Suits
Gentlemen's Suits
Young Men's Suits
Boys' Suits
Gentlemen's Overcoats
Men's Heavy Ulsters
Boys' Overcoats
Boys' Reefers
Gentlemen's Trousers
Workingmen's Trousers
Corduroy Vests
Odd Single Garments

The pick of the Sanford Manufacturing Company—every Garment fresh from a High-Grade Clothing House—the perfection of Clothing—cut by the best skilled artists of the cutting table—designed and finished by the hands of experts. A tip-top article of Clothing worth 100 cents on the dollar every day in the year. But see how the acorns have dropped from their perch:—

Splitting the Acorns in Two!

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS that bore the Acorn mark of $9.00, $10, $11 and $13. We cut the heart out of them and drop them to $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00.

LOWER-PRICED LINES in all sizes, at $2.95, $3.35, $3.75, $4.45 and $5.45.

BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS—that hung on a slender Oak Hall profit at $3.50, $4.00, $4.50, $5.25, $6.00 we have whittled down to $1.90, $2.68, $3.00, $3.58, $4.00.

CHILDREN'S SUITS $1.49, $1.78 and $2.00.

The Relentless Boom will sweep through the entire establishment, from end to end. We bought the stock to sell at at a sacrifice, and when we say the goods must GO, —that settles it!

That reminds us too that we have been learning our customers to pay SPOT CASH, because of the immense advantage it brings to their pockets—your money back if not satisfactory."

GOUGH BROS.

Buyers of the Great Oak Hall Stock.

If you propose turning over a new leaf why not begin by applying for a policy in the Manufacturers' Life.

HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO.

Write GEO. A. STERLING, Secretary, for a copy of "Our Plans."

GEO. GOODERHAM, President. J. F. JUNKIN, General Manager.

W. A. STRATTON, District Manager, Peterborough. W. S. ANDERSON, Special Agent.

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This cut is an exact representation of our Brewery with an entire set of new Duplicate Plant, and having an annual capacity of one hundred and fifty thousand barrels of Ale and Lager.

SPECIALTIES:

Finest English and Bavarian Hopped Ales.
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All the above warranted equal to the finest imported.

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JOHN HAGGART

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OFFICE—Cor. Brock & Chambers Sts.

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— OF —
PETERBOROUGH

Having given abundant evidence that they are perfectly satisfied that this store makes it possible to meet the requirements of the day, without any misrepresentation in QUALITIES or VALUES.

We PROTECT our customers and GUARANTEE them the most moderate prices, consistent with good goods.

Buying MILLINERY and STYLISH HATS and GARMENTS out of the ordinary and paying LESS than you expected, leaves no restraint upon the pleasure of shopping here.

We lay particular stress just now upon the economy of buying here during this month. Scores of buyers who have attended our Reduction Sale know what money they have saved on their purchases. Cost prices are ignored entirely, and your chance to buy reliable goods at a sacrifice should induce an early visit.

We excel in Gloves, Veiling, Corsets, Hosiery, Jackets, Hats and Millinery Novelties, at Stock Clearing Prices.

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MARRIED PEOPLE LIVE LONGEST!

Try it sometime. Buy the Marriage Licenses from W. J. GREEN, and with proper care it will last a lifetime and bring you health and happiness.

MORAL—Don't remain unmarried. You can, also, arrange to have the Wedding Suit and complete outfit made up in orthodox fashion by your obliging humble servant—Yr, J. GREEN, Merchant Tailor and Issuer of Marriage Licenses, 145 Hunter St.

Dr. Chas. Neill
DENTIST

OFFICE—Cor. of George and Hunter Streets, over Taylor & Macdonald's Drug Store.

Daily Examiner.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Fish sale Wednesday—"Spot Cash."

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 20 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

A Cordial Invitation

Is extended to the people of Peterborough to call at Robt. Fair's Dry Goods Store, sign of the Golden Lion, and taste a free sample of the famous Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit, and a cup of the new beverage Wheat Shred Drink.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

—Lemons are good with fish, so we make special low prices Wednesday on lemons. Spot Cash Grocery Co., No. 353 George street.

The Sweetest bread,
The Whitest bread,
The Lightest bread,
The Brightest bread,
Is Bates' Home-made Bread. Ask your grocer for it, and use it constantly.

Your choice of any of the Fancy Holiday Novelties and Made-Up Articles in MRS. APPLEBY'S stock at and below Cost Price during January.

Mr. Garvin at Buckhorn.

Mr. J. W. Garvin, at Buckhorn on Saturday night stated that his removal from the position of inspector of schools was brought abought about by secret caucuses between Mr. Peter Hamilton and Mr. W. H. Hill, two prominent Liberals. This statement brought down the House—for Mr. W. H. Hill is known to be a Conservative with independent views. Try it again, Mr. Garvin.

—To know our special low prices you must call at the Spot Cash.

Three Timely Tips.

1. If you can make use of books at cost price, you can buy what you want during this week at the Peterborough Bookstore. 2. The great stock-taking sale at the Peterborough Bookstore is an occasion you should not miss. Every day bargains. 3. Thoughtful people will remember to come in the Peterborough Bookstore to-night and get their supply of Sunday reading. We are selling the Chicago Ledger and Chicago Blade for 5c a copy this week.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 320 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly firstclass business at the following close cut prices:

Hair cut..... 10c
Shave..... 7c

Having been five years in the employ of Mr. LeGros, I can guarantee my work to be satisfactory. Three comfortable chairs and up-to-date accommodation. Ladies' and gents' hair dressing correctly done. Switches and bangs repaired and made to order to match your own hair at half the usual price.

EDWARD LECLAIRE.

—Dinna forget to try our superior coffees and teas. Spot Cash Grocery.

PETERBOROUGHS WIN THE FIRST SERIES.

THE BOYS PUT UP A STRONG GAME IN TORONTO.

The Wideness of the Rink Militated against their Chances of Scoring—They Kept the Torontos on the Hustle all the Time.

The Peterboroughs won out the series in the first draw of the O. H. A. last evening in Toronto, for although they were beaten by nine goals to seven, yet through having beaten the Torontos here by seventeen goals to seven the previous week they had an advantage of ten goals when the went on the ice last night. This advantage the T. A. C. team was unable to make up, and consequently Peterborough won the series and will now play the winner of the Osgoode-Varsity draw.

Quite a big crowd went up to Toronto with the boys expecting to see them beat the T. A. C. team on its own ice. The size and shape of the rink, however, puzzled the boys greatly, as the ice was almost as broad as it was long. This made shooting from the side an impossibility and it was not until nearly the close of the game that the Peterboroughs got on to the trick of shooting against the ends, so that the puck would rebound in front of the flags.

Combination play was not as prominent a feature of the Peterborough's work as usual, though what was seen of it was of the gilt-edge variety. The fact of the T. A. C. players following back so closely prevented the Peterboroughs playing a passing game to as great an extent as was expected, but they far outshone their opponents, however, in this particular.

The teams and officials were:

T A C		*Peterborough*
Dulmage	goal	Wasson
Young	point	Montgomery
Hardisty (Cap)	cover point	Hollingshead
Chadwick	forwards	Phelan
Gills		King
Wisner		Davidson
Birchall		Belleghem

Referee, E P Brown.
Goal judges, W A McKenzie, F Waldie and W Stocker.
Time-keepers, Messrs Kells and Crawford.

After Chadwick and Phelan faced off Dulmage had some fast shots to save from Davidson and Belleghem. Chadwick scooped the puck through the Peterborough stakes in 2 minutes, but the referee had called an off-side, so the game was "off." Belleghem did the same for the Peterboroughs on an off side, and nothing counted officially till Chadwick tallied in four minutes on a capital rush.

Hardisty went through the bunch to the Peterborough goal, but Hollingshead headed him off and lifted the puck to the Toronto end. Wasson cleared his posts from a lift of Hardisty, then Young broke from his position, transferred the rubber to Chadwick, and goal No. 2 went to T. A. C.'s credit in six minutes.

Again Young and Chadwick combined for a rush up the ice, but a mistake at the last moment spoiled the efficiency of their effort. Davidson tested Dulmage's skill in a manner that meant business, but the Rat Portage man came out of the trial with flying colours. Belleghem and King made a nice rush together, and King put through Peterborough's first goal in 4 minutes, leaving the score 2 to 1 in T.A.C.'s favour.

Phelan took but 30 seconds to tie the score at 2 all.

Things were going merrily, and in a minute and a half Chadwick scored two more for Toronto.

With the score 4 to 2 against them, the Peterboroughs set to work in earnest. Phelan, King and Belleghem made some great rushes. Chadwick and Hardisty chased the gypsum even to their opponents' goal, but good defence work saved the visiting men. King finally scored. Time, 15 minutes. As he did so Hardisty and Gill fell in a mix-up, the latter being forced out of the game for a few minutes. T.A.C, 4, Peterborough 3.

It was Dulmage all the way in the eighth game, but the T.A.C. finally cleared their goal and scored on a beautiful side shot in 10 minutes.

Up to half-time the ninth game had not been scored, so the players left the ice to talk it over.

After a rest and a rub down the puck-chasers made things fly at the first of the second half, but Belleghem pulled the string of the latch on the T.A.C. goal in three minutes. T.A.C., 5; Peterborough, 4.

Davidson again made the score a tie when he broke through for Peterboroughs fifth goal in four minutes.

Always in the lead after this by a goal or two, the T.A.C. fellows found it impossible to gain the desired ten goals, and though the play was fast, hops had fled, the game ending 9 to 7 in T.A.C.'s favour, though they lose the round by 8 goals.

Fish Sale Wednesday—Spot Cash Grocery Co., Alex. Elliott's old stand.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. R. Hall was in Lindsay yesterday.

Mr. Jas. Skinner returned yesterday from Lindsay, where he spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Laura Belleghem is in Toronto for a few days visiting her sister, Miss Vina Belleghem, who is attending the Conservatory of Music.

Mr. George Gorman came down from Toronto this morning to do some hustling for the Temperance and General Insurance Company. Mr. Gorman is a nephew of Dr. Goldsmith, formerly of town, and has many friends here.

Topics of The Day.

Every one is surprised at the rapidity and efficacy with which Nerviline—nerve pain cure—relieves neuralgia and rheumatism. Nerviline is a specific for all nerve pains and should be kept on hand by every family.

—Fish sale Wednesday—"Spot Cash."

The Stone Man.

The Petrified Man, on exhibition in the store lately occupied by the Sun Life, opposite the Post Office, has been drawing immense crowds. It is without doubt the greatest curiosity on earth. Only a few days more. Admission, ten cents to everybody.

—Dinna forget to try our superior coffees and teas. Spot Cash Grocery.

Fine Oak Sideboards.

This is a line you can save money on during Clegg's January sale. Large polished oak sideboards, handsomely carved, with shaped British plate mirror, worth $34, for $19.75. Quarter sawed oak sideboards, highly polished, latest and most artistic designs, for $24.50, worth $32. A $38 sideboard for $26.50 and so on. Make it a point to see these goods at Clegg's Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 417 George street.

A PRESENTATION

To the Retiring Leader of the Sons of England Band.

A presentation took place last evening in the Sons of England Hall, when Mr. J. C. Miller, who retired from the band leadership on January 15th last, was given a handsome leather gentleman's travelling companion by the members of the band.

Mr. Jas. Steers made the presentation, and in expressing his thanks for the remembrance, Mr. Miller urged the boys to keep together and work for the prosperity of the band, which he felt sure was assured under the new leader, Mr. Jas. Butcher.

An adjournment was then made to Mr. H. Long's restaurant, where an oyster supper was greatly enjoyed. Afterwards several hours were pleasantly whiled away with song and story.

CONNECTION WITH THE BACK COUNTRY

BY MEANS OF AN ELECTRIC RAILWAY TO LAKEFIELD AND CHEMONG.

Four Large Steamers Would Ply the Back Lakes and Connect With the Electric Line at the two Above Named Points.

The council in committee of the whole, last evening, discussed the position of the town as relating to the railways in regard to certain questions at issue between the town and the companies.

Mayor Davis was in the chair and the other members present were:—Councillors W. H. White, Robertson, Denne, Hamilton, Dawson, Cobb, McWilliams, Langford and J. M. White.

On motion of Councillors Langford and W. H. White it was resolved that the town solicitor be requested to enquire into the matter of the G.T.R. siding and the Edison works and to report the town's position; also regarding the yards at Wolfe street, and the island lots used by the C.P.R. for cattle in the river, on which the C.P.R. Dickson spar crosses, and that he meet the committee in regard to these matters.

Councillors Dawson and McWilliams moved that the clerk be instructed to frame a bylaw preparing for the adoption of the assessment of last fall for 1898; and making the taxes for 1898 payable one-half on July 1st and balance on Nov. 15th. The The resolution was carried.

Moved by Councillors J. M. White and Hamilton, that the Fire, Water and Light Committee be authorized to buy the usual supply of oats—Carried.

Moved by Councillors Dawson and W. H. White that the Street and Bridge Committee purchase a number of cords of stone from parties who wish to pay their taxes in this way, and cannot do so otherwise, at the regular rate—Carried.

Moved by Councillors Dawson and Denne, that the Street and Bridge Committee be authorized to buy a roller for cutting the ice on the sidewalks—Carried.

A communication was received from Mrs. H. Drake, applying for remission of taxes for 1897. On motion of Councillors McWilliams and Dawson, the matter was referred to the Court of Revision.

The council was greatly interested in the presence of Mr. Starr, of Cornwall, representing a wealthy corporation which is desirous of acquiring the Peterborough Street Railway and operating it in connection with electric lines to Lakefield and Chemong over the G. T. R. tracks. In the event of the company securing the franchise required, a line of large steamers would be placed on the back lakes to ply between Lakefield, Chemong and Bobcaygeon in connection with the electric lines. The company thinks that a capital of $350,000 would be necessary to put the scheme in operation and last night, through their representative, asked if the town would guarantee the interest on $150,000 of their bonds at 5 per cent. per annum.

After considerable favourable discussion the matter was referred to the Manufacturers' Committee, to report to the council.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Word has been received from Millbrook that the ice there is not fit to play on and therefore the match between the club from that town and Peterborough II, will be played off here to-morrow night. As Millbrook has a heavy, fast team the game will be most exciting, and the citizens will have an opportunity of witnessing the pretty combination which Peterborough's second team has developed.

CURLIANA.

The local curlers who expected to play in Hamilton to-day were disappointed, as a telegram was received stating there was no ice. Matches have been arranged with Toronto clubs instead.

Peterborough sent up six rinks to play the Torontos for the Boucher-Davidson medal, which is now held by the Torontos. The game is an annual one, one-half being played in Toronto and the other in Peterborough. As a result of last night's play the Peterboroughs were three up. The game will be resumed to-night, when three more rinks from each club will play. Score:

Toronto.	*Peterborough.*
Capt R Myles,	R E Wood,
J H Patterson,	W G Morrow,
J Thos Hodgetts,	T E Bradburn,
W B McMurrich, sk 7	Judge Weller, sk....20
D Henderson,	H LeBrun,
E Burke,	W Hamilton,
J Crean,	Geo Edmison,
J L Caproal, sk....12	C McGill, sk..... 9
A H Baines,	H W Birkell,
Geo Sauer,	M Hamilton,
A Hood,	H A Morrow,
T Edmunds, sk....16	H M Allen, skip.....12
Total.....33	Total 41

—Lemons are good with fish, so we make special low prices Wednesday on lemons. Spot Cash Grocery Co., 353 George street.

COUNTY COUNCILLOR PECK

ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION FOR OTONABEE DIVISION.

The Bye-election Held Yesterday at Keene—Mr. Peck the Only Candidate Nominated — Declared Elected by Acclamation.

At the nomination proceedings at Keene yesterday to nominate a candidate to fill the vacancy in the County Council Division of Otonabee, caused by the death of Mr. John Burnham, Q. C., there were about forty persons present. Mr. J. M. Drummond, Nominating Officer, presided.

Mr. E. A. Peck, barrister, Ashburnham, was nominated by Mr. H. T. Strickland and seconded by Mr. T. Blezard, M. P. P. There being no other nominations, Mr. Peck was declared elected County Councillor for No. 1 Division in the County Council for the unexpired term and took his seat at the meeting of the council this afternoon.

Otonabee did a graceful act in refraining from opposing Mr. Peck's election for the unexpired term of Mr. Burnham, with whom Mr. Peck was very intimately associated. Mr. Peck will make a good representative for he has the ability and doubtless he will efficiently serve the division in the county council, and the EXAMINER cordially congratulates him upon the honour he has received in the form of an unopposed election and believes that he will do credit to the position.

R. D. HAMILTON'S ACCIDENT.

Fractured His Thigh Through Falling Down a Hoist in Hamilton.

A telegram was received to-day announcing the regrettable fact that Mr. R. D. Hamilton, of the Peter Hamilton Mfg. Co., had fallen and fractured his thigh in Hamilton.

Mr. Hamilton was in Hamilton on business for the firm and was in Wood, Dalles & Co's. big establishment, when he made a mis-step and fell down an open elevator shaft. The particulars of the unfortunate affair have not yet been heard, nor is it known how badly the thigh is fractured.

—Try some of these selections—Sea Salmon, Smelts, Tomcods, Haddock, Steak Cod, Salt Cod, Sissoes, Labrador Herring, Lake Herring, White Fish, Trout, at special low prices (Wednesday's sale).—Spot Cash Grocery Co.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Fish sale Wednesday—"Spot Cash."

—Try E. Welsh's oyster patties, 25c per doz.; sausage rolls, 25c per doz.; shell oysters, 35 cts. per doz., and the best standard oysters in town 35c, per quart. Telephone No. 282.

—The 25th of January, 1897, was the coldest day of last winter, and also probably the most stormy. A year ago this morning the thermometer marked 18 degrees below zero. The lowest temperature we have had this winter as yet was 11 below zero on the day previous to Christmas.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 25° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday.....	30°	14°

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McCallum—Zeigler Concert
Y. M. C. A. Hall
To-Night.
Don't Miss the Treat of the Season.

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The Magazine Reader

May wish to know that we can supply the latest literature in the world. We keep all the leading Magazines and Perodicals as well as new Novels that become popular. The Popular Annals are selling at 88c, $1.00 and $1.25, instead of $2.00.

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Wedding Presents, Birthday Presents, Photo Frames, Photo Frames, Photo Albums, Fans, Mirrors, Brush and Comb Sets, Writing Books, Writing Portfolios, Jewel Cases, Handkerchief and Necktie Holders, Ladies' Work Baskets, etc., etc. Discounts 25 to 35 per cent.

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VEILINGS	GREY COTTONS
SMALL WARES	CANTON FLANNELS
DRESS GOODS	COTTONADES
SILKS	SHIRTINGS
TRIMMINGS	CARPETS
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The members of All Saints church choir enjoyed the pleasure of sleigh ride last evening through the kindness of Mr. A. E. Manley, who placed one of his large sleighs at their disposal.

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NORTH MONAGHAN MAKES ONE MORE

MAGNIFICENT MEETING FOR MR. STRATTON.

One of the Best Political Meetings Ever Held in the Township—A Large Attendance of Representative Electors—Addresses by Mr. Stone and Mr. Stratton—Enthusiastic Reception of the Liberal Candidate.

The most encouraging and most representative meeting of the electors ever held in North Monaghan assembled in the Town Hall last night. There was an unusually large attendance of the electors, the addresses were heartily received and the reception of Mr. Stratton was exceedingly encouraging.

Mr. T. M. Hunter was appointed chairman, and briefly announced the object of the meeting.

Mr. Stone was the first speaker, and began by saying that Mr. Stratton could show good reason why he should have a renewal of confidence. The only grounds upon which the Government was opposed so far as he could learn, were their timber policy, the piggery question and the old cry that it is time for a change. Neither Mr. Garvin nor his supporters had any right to denounce in this campaign the alleged extravagance of the Government's management of our finances. Mr. Whitney and his party had had the opportunity on the floor of the House to make good such charges, but as they had not availed themselves of the chance they should not now be bringing it before the people. Reference was made to the charge in regard to the Government's management of our timber resources, and it was shown that good value had been received for every foot of timber sold. The piggery issue was touched upon, and it was shown that if a diseased hog was sold from the Humber piggery it was done under the supervision of the Dominion Government officials, and they, and not the Government, were to blame, if there was any blame, which could not be shown. The other cry was, "It's time for a change," but

THAT DID NOT APPLY

unless there was good reason urged for a change. Why should we change a Government that had given us the best government any country ever had? The speaker charged that the Opposition were after office for the sake of office, for there was no principle at stake, beyond the desire for a change for change's sake, and for the spoils of office. If there was no reason why the government should be changed the speaker asked was there any reason why Mr. Stratton should be changed for Mr. Garvin—a man who was a decent fellow as a man, but had no claim to be a representative. Mr. Stratton had grown up with the town, had succeeded in business there, he had been a good employer of labour and has used his time and money, with willingness to build up the town, and every advance made by the town was in the best interests of the farmers, who had the advantage of a better market. Besides Mr. Stone pointed out that the Government had done much for the farmers. He also specified a piece of legislation that was in the interests of the poorer electors, and that was the abolition of the judgment summons system, which practically meant the abolition of that relic of mediæval tyranny, imprisonment for debt, a measure which Mr. Stratton supported and which should secure for him the hearty support of the elector of moderate means. Besides, Mr. Stratton had advanced rapidly in political life and had taken a prominent part in the deliberations of the Legislature Assembly, in Toronto, was recognized as one of the prominent debaters of the House and one of the most effective workers on committees, and was marked as a

COMING CABINET MINISTER,

in which capacity he could be able to give the riding even better service than he had done in his capacity as a private representative.

In illustration of the qualities desirable in a representative Mr. Stone then quoted an editorial article from the Review of December 11th, in reference to the municipal elections, which called attention to

"The important necessity of keeping the town to the front with the outside public, so as to secure new industries. * * * These require the attention of the town's best men and not men of small views and limited business experience. * * * The men who are wanted in the town council are those who have been successful in their own business or avocation—men who have a stake in the town and its development. * * * The man with a stake in the town should see his duty if called upon by his fellow citizens to enter the town council and should look at the town's interests as his own, for he is a man with investments, hence his own success is measured by that of the town. Then let an effort be made to get good men into next year's council. Let the citizens interest themselves in this matter and seek for men of the right stamp."

And, Mr. Stone added, the citizens did interest themselves and sought and elected men of the right stamp and they didn't have to go to Simcoe county for candidates either. If the Review had tried deliberately to write more strongly in favour of the people's candidate, Mr. Stratton, it could not have done so. Its article, as quoted above, found its answer in the Liberal candidate. He was of the people of the riding. He knew the people of the riding; he knew the needs of the riding, and he had shown his willingness as well as his ability to look after those needs. He had large material interests in West Peterborough, its prosperity meant his own prosperity, and he would, as in the past, work successfully to advance the interests of the constituency of West Peterborough. Apart from the merits of the government now in power, was there any difficulty in the people making a selection between the two candidates? He (Mr. Stone) did not think there was, and he closed an excellent address by urging the electors to roll up such a majority for Mr. Stratton as would express their appreciation of his services and also show the government that Mr. Stratton's services were heartily appreciated. (Applause.)

After expressing his gratitude at the large attendance of the electors, the largest of the kind ever assembled in North Monaghan, Mr. Stratton said that he must apologize to his auditors for being compelled to refer to the misstatements of his opponents, something he had had to do all through this campaign, which seemed to be conducted on a policy of misrepresentation, and finally a personal attack by Mr. J. Hampden Burnham For instance at Lakefield Mr. Burnham stated in effect that Mr. Stratton had "chosen abuse of Mr. Garvin as the front line of his campaign," and put words into his mouth that he (Mr. Stratton) never used. The latter denied that he had dealt in personalities. He made no personal references to Mr. Garvin but such as were warranted by his relations as an individual to the electors. The personal references he made to Mr. Garvin were perfectly legitimate, in order to show that if Mr. Garvin aspired to be representative of West Peterborough, and a Minister of Education,

HIS CLAIMS WERE WEAKENED

by the fact that he had not been able to satisfactorily fill the position of school inspector, according to the opinions of the Conservative school board. A candidate's personal qualification for the position he sought were legitimate subjects of discussion and thus, and thus only, had he dealt with Mr. Garvin. Mr. Burnham, at Lakefield, accused Mr. Stratton of calling Mr. Garvin a "pigmy" and of referring to him as a trickster who had got the Conservative nomination by a "trick." No such words as "pigmy" and "trickster" were used. Mr. Burnham said he knew that "ten days before the convention Mr. Garvin did not expect the nomination." A great deal of secret history was crowded into those ten days. One gentleman in town could tell a moving story of his hopes of being a candidate and of the means taken to knife him—and who did the knifing? Mr. Burnham, who contemptuously refused to accept the vice-presidency of the Conservative Association, would not like to have made public his emphatic private opinion of the candidate he is now holding up as prodigy of wisdom and greatness. He (Mr. Stratton) had no need to deal in personal abuse of Mr. Garvin. The latter's own friends, at the last nomination meeting, convened in a secret society hall, where only one or two farmers were present, expressed their opinions plainly. Mr. Adam Dawson, a stalwart straight Conservative, a man of his word, when it came to the ballot between the two candidates named, of whom Mr. Garvin was one, asked:—"Is it the understanding that we be confined to the two gentlemen named? If it is I'm not going to vote for either of them," and another gentleman, Captain Carson, at the same convention, asked "if these nominations were final, if it was a farce and a nomination for fun?" When the very men who made the nomination of Mr. Garvin talked liked this, was it improper for him (Mr. Stratton) to speak of Mr. Garvin's qualifications? Was it improper for him to ask who Mr. Garvin was

WHEN THAT WAS THE QUESTION

heard from all parts of the riding, and by hundreds of people in town when they first heard of his nomination? Mr. Stratton went on to point out that there were in the Conservative ranks many men who were well known in the county, who had a stake in the riding and who had some idea of its needs. Why had they declined to accept nomination, and why had they brought about the necessity of bringing a candidate from Simcoe County? Mr. Garvin did not seem to be fortunate in the discretion exercised by his supporters. At Lakefield Mr. Poussette drew the long bow with a vengeance. He said, as reported in the Review, that "he had no hesitation in saying that since the days of Mr. W. H. Scott they never had as able a man as Mr. Garvin." Do these gentlemen know what they are saying? Don't the electors know that they are talking rubbish. What about Mr. Carnegie? Whatever difference of opinion we might have about Mr. Carnegie's views on political matters, no one could think that Mr. Carnegie would think the comparison complimentary. If Mr. Carnegie and Mr. Garvin were the only two candidates in West Peterborough, which would the electors vote for? It wouldn't take them long to decide. Mr. Stratton asked if he could be more offensively personal if he made the same comparison as Mr. Poussette had done. Talk out personal abuse. Mr. Burnham in talking about personalities wouldn't like, perhaps, to have made public

THE LEFT HANDED COMPLIMENT

he paid Mr. Garvin the morning after the nomination. At the convention Mr. Garvin had been lauded as a "horse to work," but that wasn't the kind of a quadruped Mr. Burnham called him, and the adjective used in connection was hardly a benediction.

Mr. Stratton referred to the broad-cast charges of corrupt and extravagant expenditure brought against the Government by Mr. Whitney and his friends on the stump, while they had not made a single attempt to make good their charges, in the Legislative Assembly, though Hon. Mr. Hardy had offered Mr. Whitney any committee he might name to assist him to prove his charges, but he would not take advantage of it, and it ill became Mr. Whitney's supporters in this riding to go through the country repeating these misty charges, without any more proof on the stump than they had made in the House. After all, the question, was not so much, How much money was spent, but how it was spent, and Mr. Stratton went into detail to show how the people had benefitted by the expenditures conducted under the management of the Government in the matter of education, the maintenance of public institutions, etc., etc. In these services the

MUNICIPALITIES WERE BENEFITTED,

and in these services the Government had increased the expenditure, but they had done it in the public interest. Mr. Stratton also briefly dealt with the charge that the public accounts were not fully kept. He showed in detail how the various items of expenditure were dealt with by the committee, and how though it was impracticable to publish itemised accounts in the reports, yet all the invoices could be moved for and brought before the committee. There was a complete check on all accounts and the Public Accounts Committee afforded ample opportunity for checking the minutest item of expenditure. In regard to the work of the committee the speaker read an eulogy of Mr. Matheson the financial critic of the Opposition, passed upon the chairman of the Public Accounts Committee. The speaker went on to recite the expenditure that had been made upon the principal services that meant a return of their money to the people by the Government, and he showed in detail that moneys to the amount of $752,000 had been paid to Peterborough for various services within the past twenty-five years. He indicated how closely the Government had looked after the interests of the farmers of the country and how they were willing to do more for the farmers when the counties were ready to meet the Government half way. In aid of the erection of county houses of refuge the Government had already paid out $60,000 and there was $4,000 in Toronto waiting the county of Peterborough. (Cheers.)

Mr. Stratton submitted that the Government was justified in making these expenditures and justified in making what increases had been made, and he stated that in regard to himself he did not want them to vote for him unless he could defend himself. He did not want them to vote for the Government unless he could defend the Government. He pointed out that with all the expenditures named and the increases named there there were surplus assets upon which

THE PROVINCE WAS DRAWING INTEREST

on its investments, while the Government of other Provinces were compelled to pay interest on their debts.

In regard to the charge made by Mr. Garvin that the government had wasted the timber resources of the country, Mr. Stratton stated that the total receipts for Crown Lands timber, dues, etc., had been $21,905,000. From this was to be deducted $2,483,317, the cost of fire raging and inspection in all these years; $750,000 for departmental expenses in connection with woods and forests, and $2,967,994 for colonization roads, and we had a surplus of $15,124,000. Where had that surplus gone? It had gone to develop the resources of the country, to open ways of communication, and to equip the province with necessary public buildings, the best of any country in the world. In aid to railways $6,500,000 was expended. In public works and buildings $8,500,000. Parliament buildings $1,350,000, or a total for these of $16,300,000. That was the way the receipts for Crown Lands was "wasted." The money was not spent—it was simply reinvested. Suppose the timber had not been cut, we should not have had it all now. Forest fires and natural decay, which always follows on maturity of timber as well as men, would have sadly reduced its value. Our timber had been converted into useful and permanent buildings of brick and stone; in other words it had been petrified into imperishable forms, and into forms that, with care, would practically last forever.

In reference to the claim made that the Opposition forced the Government to take the action decided upon last session in regard to having all logs on Crown Lands manufactured into lumber in the province, Mr. Stratton explained that neither the Opposition nor the Government deserved any special credit for the legislation. In consequence of legislation in the United States in imposing high duties on timber, combined with the threat of doubling that duty in case Canada imposed an export duty, public opinion became aroused. In sympathy with public opinion, the Opposition took the chance to sail with the wind, and the Government in deference to public opinion enacted, the the legislation requiring the cutting of logs in Canada. It was, however, an embodiment in statute of the Government's policy. In 1890 the manufacturing conditions was attached to the first sale made after Mr. Hardy became Commissioner of Crown Lands, and at the first and only sale made since Mr. Hardy became Premier,

THE CLAUSE WAS INSERTED

in all leases, that the logs cut under them must be manufactured in Canada. It was asserted that our timber was about gone, and that, therefore, we were face to face with the bogie of direct taxation. Therefore, Mr. Stratton went on to mention in detail the great extent of our timber sources, not only in the old and surveyed regions, but in the far north, and he showed that according to the rate at which the timber had been out there was enough to last for seventy-five or one hundred years at a moderate estimate. What then became of the charge that when our principal source of income was good for a hundred years, we were in any danger of direct taxation, not to speak of other large sources of revenue that were permanent?

After dealing with the Engledue mining matter, and the school book question to the satisfaction of the audience, Mr. Stratton closed with an appeal to the electors for a renewal of their confidence. In doing so he referred to the fact that, while the Opposition dealt in vague general charges against the Government, they do not point out to anything he himself had done wrong in the twelve years he had represented the riding. In no respect, he said, could they say, that he had not done his best. (Applause.)

In reply to a vote of thanks the chairman, Mr. Hunter, referred to the old proverb about "catching a Scotchman when he was young," and he said the riding had done a good thing when they had caught Mr. Stratton young, for he had developed into a public man whose abilities were recognised both at home and abroad and any constituency would not only be doing itself an honour but would serve its best interests by electing him as its representative. (Cheers.)

The meeting closed with hearty cheers for the Queen and Mr. Stratton.

Mr. Stratton's address was frequently interrupted by applause and the whole tone of the meeting was highly complimentary to his candidature.

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In the many processes, such as liming, hackling and spinning, the women outnumbered the men three to one. In the mills the women are in the majority. The men preponderate when it comes to the making of damasks and fancy designs. For at least four centuries it has been an honored custom in the Netherlands for young women to begin making their marriage portion in linen when mere girls. Some go so far as to start with the sowing of the seed; others begin with the spinning, while those better off buy the finished cloth. All do the cutting and sewing. A wedding outfit consists of petticoats, nightgowns and other underwear, several suits for summer wear, sheets, pillow cases, bolster cases, pillow shams, shirts for the husband to be and a number of rolls of the uncut material for future emergency or use. Nearly every girl of marriageable age has a stock of these goods ranging from a trunkful to three or four times that amount. — Philadelphia Press.

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JOHN KEATS.

A Poet's Gentle Life That Was Terminated All Too Soon.

In the days of Keats, Hampstead and Highgate were still capable of having an individuality of their own and of teeming with interesting associations. Part of their celebrity arises from those associations thus formed. Leigh Hunt, visiting those scenes before his death, would point to the wooden seat where he and Keats or he and Shelley sat when such a poem was recited or to the path through the fields where Coleridge took leave of him and Charles Lamb, who would stutter some witticism at parting.

John Keats was born in Moorsfield, London, 1795, and at the age of 15 was left an orphan, when he entered upon a five years' apprenticeship in a surgeon apothecary shop at Edmonton. From his youth he showed a passion for music and poetry and spent all his leisure moments in poring over books. After reading "The Faerie Queene" he would talk of nothing but Spenser. He learned whole passages by heart, which he would repeat and dwell upon with ecstasies of delight. His first poetical composition, written at the age of 17, was entitled "In Imitation of Spenser." From that time it seemed that Keats lived only to read poetry and to write it. He luxuriated in the thoughts of poets, talked about them and read them to his friends.

Before Keats' apprenticeship was over it was evident that he would not persevere in becoming a surgeon. At 20 he entered a hospital as a student, but soon gave it up and found more congenial society with Leigh Hunt, Shelley, Goodwin, Haydon and others. Keats signalized his accession to this literary group by publishing in 1817 a small volume of poems. Hunt describes him at this time as being under medium height, with shoulders very broad for his size. His face, strongly cut, yet delicately mobile, denoted determination and sensitiveness. His entire expression was of eager power, and he plainly showed his emotions. Wordsworth alone he seemed to look upon as a sublimity among contemporary poets.

In 1817 he left London to lead a quiet, thoughtful and busy life on the isle of Wight, returning a year later with four books of his "Endymion" completed. In 1820 he was seized with the fatal malady, the knowledge of which had been his fearful secret for some years. After a few months, during which he seemed partly to fight with death as one to whom life was precious and partly to long to die as one who had nothing to live for, he was taken to Italy and there breathed his last at Rome, February, 1821, at the age of 25.

He had wished for "ten years of poetic life," but not half that term had been allowed him. Crowded into his short life was much of interest with his ambitions, his high ideals and his talents, and had he lived the ordinary age of man many think that he would have been one of the greatest poets.—Exchange.

Women are not the only ones who are sensitive about their ages. A man doesn't like to be told that he is getting old. Health keeps a man young. It doesn't make any differences if he has lived eighty years. If they have been healthy years he will be hale and hearty and won't look within twenty years as old as he is. Good digestion and rich red blood make people look youthful. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery make rich, red blood. It makes health in the right way. It works according to the right theory, and in 30 years of practice it has proved that the theory is absolutely correct. It begins at the beginning — begins by putting the stomach, liver and bowels into perfect order, but it begins its good work on the blood before it finishes with the digestive organs. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be and forces them out of the body. All druggists keep the "Discovery."

Rugs and Moving.

A certain man who owns a row of dwelling houses over in the northwest quarter of the town has learned wisdom by bitter experience. A friend of mine went to him not long ago to rent one of the houses.

"Do you lease it by the month or by the year?" she inquired.

"That depends on what you are going to have on your floors," answered the landlord. "Are you going to have carpets?"

"No," answered my friend; "we have rugs."

"You'll have to sign a year's lease then," the landlord made reply, smiling craftily. "If you bought carpets and had them fitted to the floors, I know you'd stay in the house as long as you could, but these rugs are too easily adjusted to any sized room. You'll have to sign a year's lease if you have rugs. There are seven houses in my row, and six of them haven't kept a tenant longer than two years at a time for the last five years. The seventh house—well, the people in it had carpets made and laid for it five years ago, and they haven't thought of moving. Carpets, I'll rent by the month; rugs, a year's lease."—Washington Post.

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Deaf Man Killed on the Track.

Burlington, Jan. 19.—William Archer, resident of Burlington, while walking on the railway track two miles east of here, was struck by a C.P.R. passenger train bound for Hamilton at 10.30 yesterday and instantly killed. Deceased was very deaf. He leaves a widow and five children destitute.

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EPISODE OF THE LATE WAR.

Last Night of a Southern Soldier on the Battlefield.

"Don't leave me, captain! Oh, don't leave me!" were the words that came to me with an agonized shriek from a bleeding and dying Confederate soldier on the evening of the great battle of Malvern Hill, July 1, 1862. He, a mere youth of 17 years, lay in a heap, gasping for the breath which was fast leaving him, along with the rays of sunlight, on that sad and memorable day. I, for whom that piteous cry was meant, was a staff officer of the brigade to which the Louisiana regiment, the soldier boy's regiment, was attached.

Well mounted, I was galloping back across that bloody field to report the duty I had performed when suddenly arrested in my course by the voice of despair and woe, coming from my stricken comrade. The day was fast passing away into darkness, a darkness that seemed to enshroud this valley of death. The terrific cannonading on both sides that had lasted for hours from the surrounding hills (Malvern hill being the central point of attack by the Confederates) was supplemented by the booming of artillery and bursting of shells from the gunboats on the adjacent James river.

Nature seemed to revolt at this scene of blood and carnage. Thunder and lightning and an avalanche of rain came in quick succession with such great force as to cause the stoutest heart to quake. This great battle was the seventh day's fight to capture the city of Richmond. It was not an ordinary battle, but a demons' fight and the final encounter between those two giants of war Robert E. Lee and George B. McClellan. It gave the laurels of victory to the southern chieftain, bedewed with the tears of broken hearts.

Without stopping to consider what I alone could do for the dying youth amid the chaos and increasing darkness of the night that prevailed, I turned back and dismounted to keep a lonely vigil with the dead. My horse, which, strange to say, had seemed frenzied with fear, became quiet and tractable as though he knew there was safety with his master. I called the boy, who had swooned away from loss of blood, and was glad to know he was not dead. Giving him the bridle of my horse to hold, I tore the sash from around my waist to bandage his torn and bleeding limb.

The boy was praying and called down God's blessing on me. His petition to heaven seemed to be heard. The storm of wind and rain, although still high, was abating. Naught but the mournful wail of the wind through the surrounding forest could now be heard. The great armies that had so lately confronted each other in battle array had seemingly vanished from the scene. I was alone on a battlefield with the dead. Wet and dripping, with the chill of night upon me, I waited for morning, and he, too, the brave soldier boy, was waiting for morning. Oh, God, will it ever come?

He clasped my hand with hope and confidence and seemed to be happy and without pain. I believed he had gone to sleep. Morning came, and he was still asleep—asleep to wake no more.—Dawson A. Blanchard in Washington Post.

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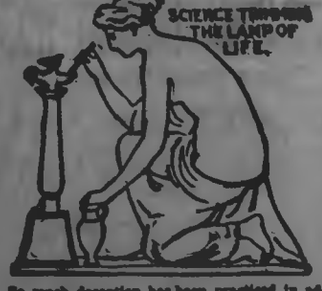

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ANCIENT WARFARE.

How an English Castle Was Attacked in the Fifteenth Century.

Sir John Fastolf had by his will devised his castle, called Caister, to John Paston. As a fortification, it was an excellent defense against foreign invaders, and as a residence it was worthy of royalty itself. In fact, the Duke of Gloster, afterward Richard III, at one time contemplated making it his abode. While Paston was trying to establish his title in the courts the Duke of Norfolk purchased a pretended claim to it, and sought to gain possession by force. The Pastons did not propose to yield, though the duke was then probably the most powerful noble in England, and John Paston was his liveried servant. Four professional soldiers were sent up from London to aid in the defense. They are described as "provyd men, conning in werr and can wel schote both gonnes and crossbowes and devyse bolwerkys and keep wacche and warde. They be sadde and wel advysed, saving on of them, whyche is ballyd (bald) but yit he is no brawler. Ye shall fynd them gentylmanly comfortable fellowes, and that they dare abyde by ther taklyng."

Young John Paston, aided by these four and by a handful of personal friends and followers, held the castle for several weeks against a siege conducted by the duke's army of 3,000 men. By the terms of the final surrender the besieged were allowed their lives and goods, horses and harness, and a respite for 15 days, in which to go where they pleased. They reported that they were forced to surrender by "lak of vitayl, gonepowdyr, menys herts and surete of rescue." Edward IV had refrained from interfering in this extraordinary contest, because the troubles with Warwick were gathering thickly about him, and the Mowbrays were too necessary to be unduly offended.—Sewanee Review.

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COST OF SABLES.

How the Price Advances After the Skin Leaves Siberia.

Up in the great watershed dividing Siberia and Mongolia lives a peculiar race of people, half Chinese, half Tibetans. Few Europeans have ever seen them. In fact, with the exception of one or two enterprising explorers or geographical enthusiasts who have crossed the Altai range, European eyes have never gazed upon the aboriginal Syots of northern Mongolia.

Sable hunting in the Siberian mountains and northern Mongolia is confined almost exclusively to the Syots and other native races, and it would surprise a good many fur dealers in England to know the prices which are paid by the Siberian traders to these poor aborigines for the skins they collect.

The Siberian trader, knowing his market, makes periodical journeys into Mongolia. It is safe to say he does not take a kopek of money with him, but he drags behind him a well stuffed caravan loaded with tea, tobacco, gunpowder and shot, strings of beads for the women and roughly made moccasins for the men. In due course he will come across a Syot encampment.

The trader sits on his wagon and barters cheerfully. With the eye of a connoisseur and with fingers rendered deft by long practice he sees and feels the smooth, warm skins of the little animals.

This small black one—well, a two ounce packet of tobacco is enough for that; that large black one—a handful of shot and an equal quantity of gunpowder; a packet of tea for a lovely skin with a long black stripe down the center; this one, a fine skin, but a little bit hurt by the shot entering the back—well, say a string of beads for that.

In their original undressed state it is safe to say that the skins do not cost the Siberian trader much more than a few pence each on the average. As the poor sable travels farther westward, however, he gets dearer and dearer. In Tomsk one can buy a very good sable for something like 5 or 6 rubles, about 13s. In Omsk few are sold under 10 rubles—£1 1s. In Moscow 100 per cent goes on. In St. Petersburg no one except the middle class or a functionary would wear a sable under £8. In Paris and London a real Siberian sable skin will fetch anything up to £30, but the imitation sables of the present day have done much to depreciate this wonderful trade.—London Mail.

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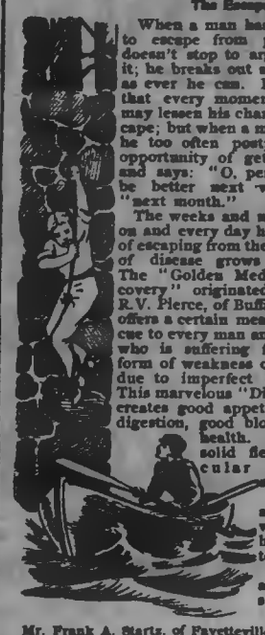

When a man has a chance to escape from prison he doesn't stop to argue about it; he breaks out as quickly as ever he can. He knows that every moment's delay may lessen his chances of escape; but when a man is sick he too often postpones his opportunity of getting well and says: "O, perhaps I'll be better next week" or "next month."

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BRITISH HISTORY WRONG.

A Misleading Account of the Battle of White Plains.

In its series of supplements recounting "The Battle Honors of the Services" The British Navy and Army Illustrated once in awhile says something about the British forces in the Revolutionary war. When it does, it is pretty sure to be inaccurate.

The cover of one issue of the "Battle Honors" has a spirited picture of Bragg's grenadiers winning the battle of White Plains, where they won the name of the "Slashers," because they threw away their flintlocks and carried an intrenchment with their short swords. The picture is entitled "The Slashers at the Battle of White Plains, 1775."

The battle of White Plains was fought, as a matter of fact, on Oct. 28, 1776. It is stated in the publication that Washington sent 8,000 men to occupy a hill above the ford of the "Brunx," and that this position was carried by the "Slashers" with their swords. It is also said that "soon after this turning movement General Washington, abandoning his stores, retired with his army toward Connecticut."

As a matter of fact the position referred to was held by 1,400 Americans under General McDougal and was carried by a British force of 4,000. One would think from reading the British version of the fight that the "Slashers" whipped the entire American army. There were other British regiments engaged in the work of carrying Chatterton hill, and it is unfair to them to give all the credit to the "Slashers."

Of what took place after the position was carried the version given by The Navy and Army Illustrated is deliberately misleading. The facts are that when the hill was carried General McDougal retired to Washington's camp with a loss of 80 prisoners and 100 killed and wounded. The British lost 229 killed and wounded. Howe did not dare to attack Washington, but sent for reenforcements, and on Nov. 5 moved his augmented army to Dobbs Ferry. Washington, being confronted by superior numbers, retired, not toward Connecticut, but across the Hudson to New Jersey on Nov. 9.

When a nation starts out to write its military history and distorts it in some particulars, it makes one doubt the truth of all. The truth about the battle of White Plains would redound just as much to the glory of the "Slashers" as does the perverted account published by the navy and army.—New York Press.

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The Scheme of a Team to Down a Successful Rival.

Several years ago a young athlete named D—— was conspicuous as a football player. He was a swift runner, a reliable drop kicker and an excellent all round player. He had proved such a tower of strength on his college eleven that rival teams feared him, and when rumors to the effect that he had received money for his services were circulated steps were eagerly taken by the football authorities of an opposing college to investigate his amateur status. If he had received money, as alleged, he was no longer an amateur and could be debarred from a place on the team.

Accordingly an emissary was dispatched, with the usual oppressive college secrecy, to the village of S—— where the suspected player resided when at home. The father of D—— was a well to do farmer, and the spy, passing as a book agent, experienced little difficulty in getting him to talk about his son.

"Famous!" he said, with no great show of enthusiasm. "Waal, I s'pose the boy is famous, but there isn't much in this football."

"But a fellow as famous as he is must get a good salary," the spy suggested, with a craftily assumed air of innocence.

"Nope," said the farmer. "Football players don't get a salary."

"That's odd," continued the spy. "I heard he was kicking for cash."

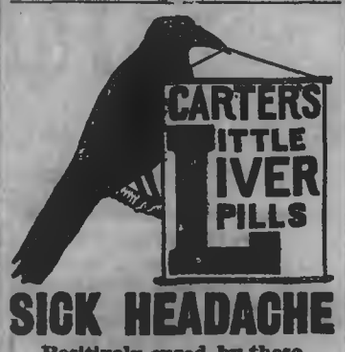
"Waal, that's right. He is," the father slowly admitted.

The spy was secretly overjoyed. He chuckled inwardly and fairly hugged himself with delight. In fancy the rival team was already deprived of her strongest player.

"So he's kicking for cash at college, is he?" he echoed.

"Yes," the farmer said wearily, "yes, he's kickin for more cash 'most every letter I get."

And then the disgusted spy kicked himself, metaphorically speaking, all the way back to college.—Harper's Bazar.



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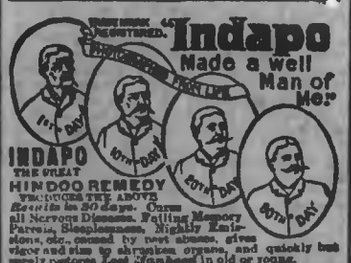

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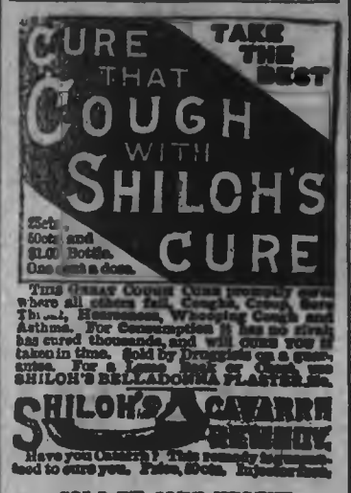
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CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY.

ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Yearly Report of the Secretary-Treasurer—Election of Officers—Increasing Interest in the Work of This Excellent Society.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Children's Aid Society was held on Monday afternoon, 24th January, in the town council chamber. There was a good attendance of ladies and gentlemen interested in the progress of the benevolent work of this organization.

Sheriff Jas. A. Hall, president, officiated, and among those present were the following: Mrs. J. B. McWilliams, Mrs. Jas. Kendry, Mrs. J. McKee, Mrs. Gilchrist, Mrs. Birdsall, Mrs. E. A. Peck, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Turnbull, Miss M. R. Clarke, Mrs. H. Macdonald, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Geo. Burnham, Mrs. Beck, Miss Nicholls, Mrs. Chas. McGill, Miss Code, Rev. H. Symonds, Dr. Geo. Burnham, J. J. McBain, Wm. Yelland, W. B. Bamford, J. H. Burnham, F. W. Miller.

The minutes of the last meeting was read by Mr. J. H. Burnham, ex-secretary, which were, on motion, confirmed.

THE SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT.

Miss M. R. Clarke, the efficient Secretary-Treasurer, read her annual report as follows:

In presenting the fifth annual report of the work of the Children's Aid society in Peterborough, I would like to draw your attention to this fact, the truth of which has come to be recognized in connection with the work of all Christian Missions—that it becomes increasingly difficult each year to measure the progress any good work is making solely by the standard of statistics. To estimate, for instance, the success of this society by the number of complaints of cruelty it has inquired into, the number of prosecutions it has undertaken, the number of warnings sent to parents, or the number of children it has taken over, succeeds after a time ceases to be a question of numbers. It is indicated rather by a change in the lives of the people, a lessening of the number of shiftless and negligent parents, fewer half-clad children found wandering about the streets begging. It is just as legitimately an object of this society to preach the Gospel of soap and water and decent dwellings to lazy, thriftless and indifferent parents, as it is to constitute itself the guardians of forlorn and ill-treated children. Of all the work of the society it is probably the most difficult and discouraging. Parents have for so long been allowed to do what they like with their children that they never think of the rights of these little souls—their obvious rights, mental, moral and physical. Mere existence is a debt for which a child should be sufficiently grateful. "All you owe to me," is a phrase often made use of by even the most worthless and negligent parents. Children are their natural belongings, their's wholly, to bring up as they please. They haven't a doubt they are quite capable of doing it properly.

Now to rouse such parents from their callous indifference, to give them some idea of their natural and sacred obligations, to make them understand that their children have a right to a happy and well-trained youth as a preparation for a life of respectability and usefulness—in fact to train up the parents in the way they should go, is a large undertaking, and one requiring great zeal and devotion from any society's officers. The result of such work, too, will be shown in facts, not in figures. Its importance must be recognized by all true lovers of children.

The father and the mother are the child's natural guardians and teachers. It is a serious matter to separate a child from its parents, no matter how great the latter's shortcomings. It is the aim of the Children's Aid Society to secure the welfare of children at the least possible sacrifice of the home and family ties. The whole spirit of the society is to conserve and purify home life. Even when widows and others apply for release from parental responsibility through poverty, they are assisted by the society to keep the home together, rather than encouraged to part with their offspring. The children taken in charge by this society have in every case been voluntarily handed over by their parents or guardians, when there were any such. Sometimes, however, it has had to deal with worthless and ignorant parents without a desire to be anything better, who refuse to allow their children to be rescued from squalor and degradation.

The public is urged not to give food or clothing to these would-be pauper bees on their beauty who make the needs of their children their excuse for continued begging. Some of them settle down to be burdens on the community in the most natural and comfortable manner possible. A woman told me that she did not know what the town was coming to when I suggested that Peterborough people might be getting tired of clothing her and her children. When families are in necessary trouble the society always lends a helping hand. This winter children have been kept in the shelter for a time and then restored to their parents, properly equipped with good clothing, boots and shoes, even school books have been provided them. Heredity, however, school has played a very small part in the lives of these children: boys and girls, some of them thirteen years of age can't read or write. It is a pity to have [illegible] Canadians missing all educative influence. When a boy is fourteen years of age his actions cannot be controlled by the C. A. society.

From the Rev. G. W. Watch, the Provincial Secretary, reports have been received lately of the progress and well being of the children placed in foster homes by this society during the past year. Three of these children are in the Northwest Territory—two girls and a boy. Of one of the former it is reported: She is in a thoroughly good home and her parents are very much pleased with her; of the other it is said, she is living amid prosperous surroundings and going to school. Her parents are very fond of her. The boy apparently has not been doing quite as well. He has suffered with a bad foot, was returned from the first home he was placed in because of ill conduct. Is in a new home now and promises to do very well. Two children are at Grave hurst, a boy and a girl. Of the boy it is said that he is much stronger than he was, is well, indeed, now, and happy in a good home, giving satisfaction. The girl is also happily situated in a good home, going to day and Sabbath schools, and real loving her foster parents. Of a three-year-old child adopted in Hastings, the new guardians say: "It is a dear little creature and we love it as if it were our own."

With part of the practical work of the society the public is already familiar. On the 27th of Sept., Mrs. Harvie of Toronto, Provincial Inspector of the C. A. Societies, paid a visit to Peterborough. On the Thursday afternoon following she addressed a mass meeting of women in Bethany Mission Hall, the result being that a Woman's B. Association was formed, representatives of which with the officers of this society waited on the town council and urged the establishment here of a Refuge for Women and Children. The town gave a yearly grant of $300 to the society to be applied to the keeping up of a shelter for children, Mr. Best having already kindly offered his house one year on the corner of Charlotte and Stewart streets, rent free for this purpose. This offer was gladly accepted and at the next meeting of the Board of Management, arrangements were made for putting the building in order, also Mr. Miller was appointed to take charge of it. Tenders for papering and painting were advertised for, Duncan & Gray's being the lowest, was accepted. The house was ready for occupation on the 8th of December. Regulation hospital cots, that is, single iron beds and new mattresses were purchased, the ladies of the Board of Management kindly contributing blankets, pillows, counterpanes, etc. Blinds and certain articles of furniture were purchased for the office and dormatories. The first children to occupy the shelter, three of them, were reported to have been found wandering about the streets begging. The agent visited their home, a log shanty, where he discovered several families, ten or twelve persons, crowded together in one room—all in a more or less miserable condition. The eldest girl was sent to service, the younger children to the shelter. They were in sad need of clothing. The public generously supplied it and Miss Gow, Miss Forsythe and other ladies met and made up and made over what was necessary for them. A few days before Christmas another poor family was visited. The weather was cold, very cold—and although it was well on in the morning the fire had just been lighted of drift wood. The younger boys were cutting up raw potatoes and trying to roast them on the stove lids, their shoeless feet being wrapped in lengths of flannel in lieu of boots and stockings. These boys were removed to the shelter and all necessary clothing provided them.

About this time the Rev. Mr. Davidson, of St. John's church, reported another family—the mother sick, the children starving. Mr. Miller, as relief officer, called on them, saw the mother removed to the hospital and the children became inmates of the shelter. These five children were found to be in a filthy condition, their heads and their bodies infested with vermin. Every article of clothing was burnt and again a kind public assisted to clothe them. All are comfortable and happy now in the society's quarters. Another family was visited, a mother and her seven children. They were found all in their squalor huddled up in a dirty apartment. Their scanty clothing was filthy. Here and there was a girl with a single filthy rag of a garment drawn about her. The society generously responded to this new appeal and good clothing all round the kind ladies have made them.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

No of children concerning whom complaints were made	93
No of warnings sent out	14
Cases in police court	9
Children put in foster homes	8
Children in temporary shelter before establishment of Children's Shelter	24
Children in permanent shelter	10

During the year $363.41 has been received from all sources and $497.25 expended. This latter sum includes all indebtedness up to date, repairs and furnishing of shelter, agent's salary, board and clothing for children, etc.

M. R. CLARKE.

On motion of Rev. H. Symonds and Mr. J. H. Burnham, the report of the secretary-treasurer was adopted. Speaking to the motion, Rev. Mr. Symonds complimented Miss Clarke on her very excellent report, and Mr. Burnham referred to the great ability and industry displayed by Miss Clarke in her work on behalf of the Society.

Miss Clarke thanked the gentlemen for their kind references, and stated that as the ladies had a lot of practical work to do for the Society, she hoped the office of secretary would again be undertaken by Mr. Burnham. She was very anxious to be relieved.

On motion of Mrs. Kendry and Mrs. McWilliams, the report was ordered to be printed in full in the daily newspapers.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

With Mr. J. H. Burnham in the chair, the election of officers was then proceeded with.

Sheriff Hall said it was desirable that those who were showing a practical interest in the Society should be selected for official positions, and he had much pleasure in nominating for President one who had taken a deep interest in the work, Mr. J. J. McBain.

The motion was seconded by Rev. Mr. Symonds and carried unanimously.

The newly-elected president then took the chair and thanked them for the honour they had conferred on him. He would have preferred if some one else had been selected, but he would do the best he could with their assistance and co-operation.

The other officers elected are as follows:

1st Vice-President—A. C. Dunlop.

2nd Vice President—Mrs. J. B. McWilliams.

Secretary-Treasurer—Miss M. R. Clarke.

Solicitors—Messrs. E. B. Edwards and R. Max Dennistoun.

Auditor—H. S. Macdonald.

Agent—F. W. Miller.

Board of Managers—Mrs. Kendry, Mrs. McWilliams, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Davis Mrs. Ward, Mrs. O'Sullivan, Mrs. Dennistoun, Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Garvin, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Chas. McGill, Rev. Father Scanlan, Rev. Mr. Shorey, Rev. Dr. Torrance, Rev. H. Symonds, W. B. Bamford, Peter Campbell, Dr. Burnham, ex-Mayor Yelland and J. L. Hughes.

The selection of an Advisory Committee was left to the Board.

Moved by Mr. J. H. Burnham and Rev. Mr. Symonds, that the thanks of the Society be extended to the town council, the police officers, the other town officials, and the three daily papers for their kind assistance during the year—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Yelland, seconded by Mrs. Beck, that the president be appointed representative on the town charity board—Carried.

The meeting then adjourned.

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INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

The prominence that is now being achieved by Canadian electricians has received another exemplification in the selection of Henry Holgate, C.E., of Montreal, as manager of the new West India Electric Co., of Jamaica. Mr. Holgate will go to Kingston, Jamaica, about the first of February, where he will superintend the erection of about twenty-five miles of railway, which will probably be extended later on. Henry Holgate was born in Milton, Ont., in 1863, and served his apprenticeship with the Northern Railway of Canada. He became chief engineer of the combined Northern and Northwestern Railways, which were merged into the Grand Trunk in Feb. 1888. He continued as chief engineer of the division under the Grand Trunk till 1892, when he took charge of the Central Bridge and Engineering Co., of Peterborough, as engineer for a year, during which the steel work of the new Union Station at Toronto was constructed. He came to Montreal in June, 1894, as engineer for the Royal Electric Co., and built and equipped the new factory. The directors of the Royal Electric Co., being interested in the Montreal Park and Island Railway, he was transferred to the latter company in June, 1896, where he remained in charge of operation and construction to the present time.

In connection with the mention made in past issues of The Canadian Engineer of the different appearances of strange aerial bodies, by many believed to be air-ships, the following press despatch, dated from Pittsburg, Pa., may be of interest: "It has at last been discovered who the incorporators of the Atlantic and Pacific Aerial Navigation Company are. The company, which is officered by C. A. Smith, president, and M. A. Terry, secretary, both of San Francisco, was organized to manufacture the air-ship of Hiram S. Maxim, inventor of the Maxim gun. It is said by persons connected with the company that last summer a trip was made in a Maxim air-ship from San Francisco to Cleveland and back in three days. Mr. Maxim furnishes the following description of his vessel: It occupies 106,000 cubic feet of space. The propelling power is a 165 horse-power naptha engine. The cylinder engine and all other parts of the machine, so far as practicable, are made of aluminum, which was purchased of the Reduction Company here. The ship now weighs about 5,000 pounds, and will, its friends claim, carry more than a ton-weight of provisions and passengers. The naphtha for the engine will be stored in cases, which are supposed to hold enough to drive the ship around the earth without replenishing the tanks. The tail that projects upwards from the stern of the ship is intended to drive it up or down as a bird directs its movements with its tail. The rudder is to change the course from right to left. Motive power is secured by the big aeroplane at the stern, which is driven by the naphtha engine. It is stated that a speed of one hundred miles an hour has been attained without straining the machinery.

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A Father Who Seeks to Enlighten His Son on a Small Point.

There is a certain man who by the sweat of his brow—in summer time—earns his bread as a government official, with an office in the big state, war and navy building. He also earns bread for a wife and three likely children and a servant, who manages to carry a slice of pie along home with her bread about three evenings in the week. But that is the cook's privilege always.

This official has a son aged 18, who is very nearly as sharp as the father thinks himself to be, especially in those things that everybody ought to know and not one person in a dozen does know. About three times a week the father comes to the office loaded with some new information which he seeks to impart to his fellow clerks by the inductive method—that is, he induces them to show how little they know; then he springs it on them. His strong point is words and their pronunciation, and he thinks he is an authority.

The other evening while he was entertaining three or four of his office friends at a small supper the eldest boy spoke up from the far end of the table.

"Say, pop," he inquired, "how do you pronounce N-e-w-o-n-e?" spelling it out slowly.

"I presume," replied the father, with the courage of his convictions, "that it is an Indian name, and by the rule I would pronounce it Ne-wo-ny."

"But that isn't the way," dissented the boy.

The father was never more surprised in his life.

"I don't quite see how it would be *euphonious any other way*," he said, with a mild air of offended intelligence.

"What's the matter with pronouncing it now one?" inquired the boy, with a loud, irreverent ha ha. And the blow almost killed father.—*Washington Star.*

A Collector of Book Plates.

An interesting collection of book plates is owned by Mr. Howard Sill, head draftsman at the office of a firm of architects in this city. The collection consists of some 2,500 specimens—American, English, French and Spanish, modern and antique—belonging to the various periods known as Jacobean, Chippendale, Wreath and Ribbon, etc. Mr. Sill has collected many examples of the work of Dorkins, Johnson, the Mavericks, father and son, famous colonial book plate engravers; also some specimens of the rare and valuable work of Nathaniel Hurd, a New England engraver, born in 1720, a duplicate of one of whose book plates owned by Mr. Sill brought $60 in New York a short time ago. Mr. Sill has also one of the six book plates engraved by Paul Revere, which is of great value and interest. Among the colonial plates are those of William Byrd of Westover, Bushrod Washington, John Randolph, William Smith, president of William and Mary college; Charles Carroll, Thomas Heyward and Samuel Chase, signers of the Declaration of Independence. There are also many examples of modern book plate making, the work of French, Hopson, Spenceley and other well known modern engravers.—*Baltimore American.*

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Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.43 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.53 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
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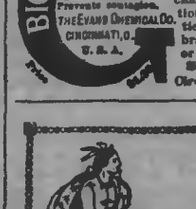

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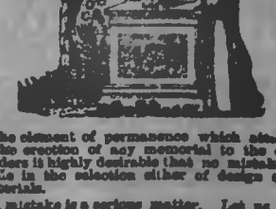

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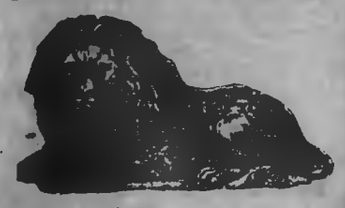

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ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

Nomination of Hon. E. J. Davis for North York.

HISTORIC CRADLE OF REFORM.

The Liberal Party United and Confident—Prospects Very Bright—Mr. G. P. Graham's Nomination in Brockville—Mr. George Elliott Will Oppose Hon. Mr. Hardy —Reports.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—The campaign is going along splendidly so far as the Liberal party is concerned. The despatches that come to hand from every part of the province show the greatest enthusiasm for the Hardy Government and a strong and abiding confidence that its cause will be maintained at the approaching contest. The feature of yesterday's proceedings in connection with the campaign was the enthusiastic renomination of the Provincial Secretary, Hon. E. J. Davis, at a convention of North York Liberals at Newmarket, at which the Postmaster-General and the Minister of Education made important speeches, the Provincial Secretary himself speaking also with his usual effectiveness.

Mr. George P. Graham was nominated at Brockville yesterday by the Liberals of that city, Mr. G. A. Dana having decided not to again enter the field. Conservative nominations also took place in Ottawa and at Brantford, the Premier's opponent being Mr. George Elliott.

THE CRADLE OF REFORM.

Historic Old North York Yesterday Nominated a Sturdy Son of Liberalism—His Splendid Speech.

Newmarket, Jan. 26.—In old North York, the cradle of Reform, there assembled yesterday the sturdy sons of the men who more than half a century ago were ready to yield their lives in defence of their constitutional liberties—the men who, as Mr. Ross aptly said, had strengthened the hands of William Lyon Mackenzie, of Robert Baldwin, of Lafontaine and of Alexander Mackenzie. A few of the greybeard veterans who survive the stirring times of '37 and who were actors in the succeeding political events were there to join with the younger generation in cheering the eloquent enunciation of Liberal principles and in selecting a standard-bearer worthy to support the banner so gallantly defended in days gone by. On two important points there was absolute unanimity: First, that Hon. E. J. Davis merited the nomination for the riding, and, second, that the Hardy Government deserved to be continued in office. The reception of Mr. Davis could not have been more cordial or his endorsation more complete. Hon. George W. Ross made a powerful speech in justification of the policy and administration of the Government and in answer to the criticisms of his opponents. He made a complete exposure of the record of Mr. Whitney, as contained in the journals of the House, upon the important questions which have emerged since 1888. Hon. William Mulock was also present, and that his constituents were glad to see him was demonstrated by the ovation which was accorded him. The feature of his address was the presentation of a batch of figures from official sources showing the wonderful expansion of the trade of Canada during the eighteen months that the Liberals have been in power at Ottawa. Conservatives support the argument that a favorable balance of trade is essential to national prosperity. During the eighteen years of their administration the adverse balance of trade aggregated $199,111,026. During the eighteen months of the Liberal administration the net gain in exports was $37,135,919, and during the six months ending December 31, 1897, the excess of exports over imports for consumption was $26,811,142.

Provincial Secretary's Speech.

Hon. E. J. Davis, the Provincial Secretary, devoted himself to an explanation of the important duties that devolve upon the department of which he has charge. To illustrate the magnitude and variety of the duties that devolve upon him he gave a few figures. In 1871 the salary list was $9,495, in 1897 it was $16,100, an increase of $6,900. In 1871 the number of letters received was 1,690, in 1896 18,475; letters sent out in 1871 1,280, in 1896 17,385; charters issued in 1874 24, in 1897 300; statutory returns in 1871 58, in 1896 847; fees received in 1871 $2,969, in 1897 $39,296. The last item showed a departmental surplus of $23,000. In addition to the performance of these important functions there were under the control of the department several sub-branches, such as the registration of births, marriages and deaths, the public health, the care of neglected and dependent children. Beside all this there was the management of six important public institutions—the Idiot Asylum at Orillia, the Central Prison, the Blind Institution at Brantford, the Deaf and Dumb Institution at Belleville and the Penetanguishene and Mercer Reformatories. The Minister spoke briefly of the system of purchasing supplies for these institutions. He stated that a large proportion of these supplies were purchased by tender last year, over $200,000 worth. Only a small proportion which might be purchased by tender were not so purchased, but the Government contended that they could not be procured advantageously by tender. Every municipal councillor, he said, was aware that there were certain classes of goods that could be bought on the open market more advantageously than by tender. Before concluding his speech Mr. Davis emphasized the importance of continuing in power a Government that has given the province an honest and capable Administration. Especially to the young men did he appeal as to whether it would not be the part of wisdom to perpetuate a system of government that has never taken one dollar of taxes from the people, but has paid millions of dollars to assist the reduction of local taxation. All the indications, he said, pointed to the return of the Government in the coming election by a larger majority than that of 1894. This statement was vociferously cheered. Mr. Davis before sitting down made acknowledgment to the considerable body of discriminating Conservatives in North York who have generously supported him in the past. He had striven, he said, to win and to merit the confidence of his constituents, and to be of service to the province at large. The speech of the Secretary was punctuated by frequent outbursts of applause.

COUNTY WARDENS ELECTED.

Brant—George Aitken of South Dumfries.
Dufferin—W. H. Hunter of Garafraxa.
Exeter—George McEwan of Hensall.
Elgin—Daniel Long of Eagle.
Essex—Joseph De Rocher of Sandwich West.
Frontenac—Alex Munroe of Clarendon.
Grey—Matthew Richardson of Flesherton.
Haliburton—Dr. Curry of Minden.
Halton—George Andrews of Oakville.
Lennox and Addington—James Briden of Napanee.
Lincoln—J. M. Ness of Merritton.
London—No election.
Lambton—Mr. Grant of Sombra.
Northumberland and Durham—T. B. Carlaw of Warkworth.
Oxford—M. T. Buchanan of Ingersoll.
Ontario—James Carnegie of Port Perry.
Peterboro—J. B. Pearce of Norwood.
Perth—John Torrance of Milverton.
Prince Edward—W. C. Killip of Division No. 1.
Peel—No election.
Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry—D. C. McRae of Lancaster.
Simcoe—Thomas Devitt of Medonte.
Victoria—James Lithgrow of Verulam.
Wellington—Robert Scott of Guelph.
Waterloo—L. J. Berithaupt of Berlin.
York—George High.

MONTREAL NEWS.

General Booth Arrived in the City Yesterday—A Marble Front.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—General Booth arrived in the city yesterday, and was met at the depot by deputations from the Salvation Army. In the evening a great jubilee meeting took place at St. James' Church, presided over by Hon. Clifford Sifton, who came down from Ottawa on purpose for the meeting.

Carsley, the big dry goods man, will build a new marble-front block on St. James street north, five stories high and 100 feet frontage.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not be able to take part at the Marchand banquet this evening.

Snow in Newfoundland.

St. Johns, Nfld., Jan. 26.—The severest snowstorm in years is now raging in this section. It is stopping trains, blocking the coast with ice and preventing all navigation. A whole fleet of vessels is now ice-bound in this port, including the New York steamer Portia and Johnston Liner Parkmore, also the steamers Virginia and Picton. Many vessels, including the Allan Line Numidian from Portland, due now, find it impossible to make port owing to the ice.

Nineteen Saved, Four Lost.

Providence, R.I., Jan. 26.—Nineteen survivors of the suspected filibustering steamer Tillie, which probably sunk off Barnegat, were brought to this port by a coasting schooner yesterday. Four men were lost. Capt. John O'Brien was among those saved.

A Destructive Thunderstorm.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 26.—A terrific thunderstorm raged for an hour or more in this vicinity after 3 a.m. The sky cleared after a short time after daybreak, but the wind continued to blow. It increased in intensity until 10.45, the Weather Bureau officials reported a velocity of 68 miles an hour had been gained. August Weymeyer was blown off the Shields Building, and died in ten minutes from his injuries. A woman, name unknown, is reported lying dead in some debris at 3840 Lactede avenue, and a boy was killed by being blown from a porch roof in another part of the city. It is apparently a straight blow and not a tornado.

U. S. COASTING LAWS

Now Add to the Very Complicated Yukon Proposition.

HOW THE YANKEES RECIPROCATE

Canada Has Given Them Free Admission for Goods for the Relief Expedition, But Their Reciprocity Amounts to Simply Making the Canadian Pay Whenever They Can—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—The coasting laws are the latest complication in the very complicated Yukon proposition. The law of the United States forbids goods shipped from one American port to another to be transferred at a Canadian port unless in an American vessel. Goods shipped for Skaguay, Dyea or Wrangel via Victoria would come within this law. The Canadian coasting laws do not contain any such provision, but the customs law permits of an interpretation that would, for instance, prevent goods being shipped from Vancouver or Victoria to the Yukon via Wrangel except in British bottoms. An American vessel arriving at Wrangel and transhipping to a Stickeen River boat could be held for duty at Telegraph Creek and treated as an importation. A case of this kind has actually been brought to the attention of the Customs Department, and such a ruling would effectually debar any but British vessels carrying freight from a Canadian port.

A Sign of Prosperity.

Returns have been made up showing the Dominion land sales for the last quarter of the year 1897, and it will be of general interest to learn that the figure is $20,000 in excess of the best previous record in the last five years, and $38,000 in excess of the same three months in 1896. The sales were $104,700 last year. In 1896 they were $71,796; in 1895, $69,-858; in 1894, $70,533, and in 1893 $33,-734. No doubt a large percentage of the new land purchased from the Government was employed to extend the bounds of farms already established in the west; but this is in itself a most happy condition of affairs, as it bears testimony to the general prosperity of the farming classes, who are increasing their acreage.

Tenders for Yukon Lands.

This was the last day for receiving tenders at the Interior Department for the privilege of cutting timber on limits of five square miles in the Yukon district. Although the Government gave very short notice, quite a large number of tenders have been received, approaching the neighborhood of 100.

Salmon Trout Were Plentiful.

According to information which has reached the Fisheries Department the catch of salmon trout in Lake Ontario during the past year has been better than for many years. Fish ranging up to 20 pounds in weight have been caught. The herring fishery is, however, said to be decreasing. The catch of white fish has been good, although somewhat irregular in its character.

The Pilot Commission.

Judge Lavergne, Major Gordeau and Dr. Wakeham, the St. Lawrence Pilotage Commissioners, have returned to Ottawa. They have taken evidence of pilots in the neighborhood of Montreal, and will go to Quebec next week to take the depositions of the pilots there. They will then return to Montreal to examine the shipping men.

RELIEF OF THE YUKON.

The Canadian Government Grants a Concession of Much Import to the United States.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 26.—The War Department has been in further correspondence with Canadian officials at Ottawa with the gratifying result that the Canadian Government has consented to admit free of restrictions all supplies brought into the Klondike region by the United States Government relief expeditions. The free admission of supplies is strictly limited to the Government expeditions, but there is no inhibition upon the sale of the food supplies taken in to such of the miners as can pay for them.

Stormbound Reindeer.

The War Department's advices from Norway are that the steamship Manitoban, which has been chartered to carry the reindeer to New York, lies stormbound at Trondjelm.

CANADIAN CURRENCY.

Mary McArthur of Brockville took Paris green Monday and died yesterday.

Six of the large woolen mills of Almonte, Ont., have resumed operations after nearly two years' idleness.

An Ottawa despatch says the Standard Mercantile Agency of Toronto is being sued on behalf of Marion Eccles of Almonte for $2,000 damages for libel in publishing Mr. Eccles' name in a list of delinquent debtors.

In Notre Dame Church, Hull, Quebec, Eugene Campeau and wife on Sunday made a public apology before a large congregation for having transgressed the rules of the church in being married by a Protestant clergyman of Ottawa.

Additions to Nova Scotia Cabinet.

Halifax, Jan. 26.—W. T. Pipes of Amherst was appointed to the Legislature Council yesterday, and sworn in as member of the Local Government.

David McPherson, M.P.P. for Halifax, was also sworn in as member of the Government.

C. C. Field, M.P.P., Dangerously Ill.

Cobourg, Ont., Jan. 26.—C. C. Field, M.P.P., is dangerously ill as his residence with heart disease.

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Settled in My Back.

I thought I would work it off, but it grew worse, and I was obliged to shut down my sawmill and stop work. My blood was poor and I did not have any appetite. I could not sleep nights on account of the severe pains. I decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. In ten days time I felt relief, and now, a few months having elapsed, I am myself again and am

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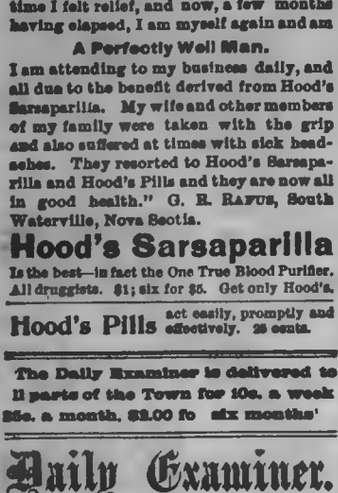
WARDEN PEARCE.

THE EXAMINER takes pleasure in having an opportunity of again congratulating Mr. J. B. Pearce, of Norwood, on his receiving, for the second time, the high honour—to himself personally and to the Norwood division—implied in the election to the important position of Warden of the county of Peterborough. When sitting in the council as reeve of Norwood, in 1895, the honour was first conferred on him, and yesterday, as a representative of the Norwood division he was once more elected to the chair. Mr. Pearce is a native of Norwood, where he was born in 1840. He is the eldest son of the late Peter Pearce, ex-warden of



the county. Mr. Pearce has had ample experience in municipal matters that should fit him well for discharging the duties of his new position. He was first elected reeve of Norwood in 1878, and held the position for that and five succeeding years. He resigned in 1883, but was elected again as reeve in 1890. He also filled the position in 1893 and 1894. While in the County Council, Mr. Pearce was for six years continuously chairman of the Committee on Equalization and Assessment. He has been engaged in the mercantile business in Norwood for many years, and and has meet with success. He was also engaged in the lumbering business at Norwood and Havelock. He is president of the Pearce Company (Limited) of Marmora, which carries on an extensive business in lumbering, mining and manufacturing. Mr. Pearce is at present postmaster at Norwood, and has for 21 years been a Justice of the Peace. The municipal faculty seems to be hereditary in the Pearce family. The present Warden's brother, the late T. P. Pearce, was reeve of Marmora and warden of the County of Hastings, and another brother, Mr. J. W. Pearce, has been reeve of Marmora. Mr. Pearce was twice census commissioner and has been a member of the School Board, Norwood. As far as municipal experience and knowledge of affairs go, the County Council has made a selection that will, doubtless, result in the efficient and able administration of the duties of the office.

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NORWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. Wm. Eaton left on Tuesday for Paisley where she intends to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. W. E. Roxburgh was called to Peterborough on Saturday morning to wait on her daughter-in-law, Mrs. G. B. Cameron, who is ill.

Mrs. Burkell, of Roseneath, was in town on Saturday.

Miss B. Roxburgh, of Keene, was home on Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Eaton is visiting friends in Keene.

Mrs. D. Lewis, of Peterborough, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

Miss Tessa McCallum and Miss Detta Zeigler made their first appearance in Norwood on Friday evening before a large and appreciative audience and it is quite proper to say they made a good "hit." Every selection was received with a burst of applause. Everyone was thoroughly satisfied and since then they have been the talk of the town. We feel certain that should they again visit our town they will meet with a hearty welcome.

The High School hockey club is trying to redeem Norwood's reputation and on Saturday they visited Warsaw and gained their first victory by a score of 5—4. They play the Warsaw team here on Thursday evening and we hope they will meet with even better success.

The Hastings Star of last week said that they sent a scratch team of curlers up to Norwood to meet with their cracks and met with an easy victory, score being 16—12. Elated by their success they thought they would like to put another feather in their caps and came up again on Saturday, but they had to go home completely wiped out, Norwood winning by a score of 21—2.

On Thursday morning three rinks drove over to Lakefield and were successful in gaining a victory by six points.

The contest among our home curlers is still going on. On Wednesday Patterson's and Moffatt's rinks played off, the latter winning by six points. The same evening W. E. Roxburgh's and Ashe's rinks met for a fight. This was a very interesting match, as first one side would lead and then the other and at no time was victory certain, but it resulted in favour of Mr. Ashe, the score being 9—11. On Monday evening Mr. Ashe and Mr. Cumming played off, the game going to Mr. Cummings by a score of 8—14.

The annual meeting of the East Peterborough Agricultural Society was held here on Wednesday, January 19th, Mr. F. Birdsall in the chair. The Treasurer's report was submitted and adopted.

Moved by Messrs. O'Reilly and G. Elliott that the Society pay $1 to the Association of Fairs and Exhibitions, and that the President-elect be delegate to it—Carried.

The following officers were then elected:

President—Mr. F. Birdsall.

Vice-President—Mr. Thos. Blezard, M.P.P.

2nd Vice President—Mr. Wm. G. Patterson.

Directors—Messrs. Chas. Nichol and D. Kelly, Dummer; J. A. Sexsmith, Joseph Johnston, Belmont; Hugh Nelson, Otonabee; J. B. Pearce, Norwood; Geo. Elliott, John Knox, Asphodel.

Honourary Directors—Messrs. John Breckenridge and Chas. O'Reilly.

Auditors—Messrs. Jos. Calder and W.H. Stephenson.

On motion of Messrs. G. Elliott and A. Cameron, the President was instructed to procure from Norwood council an extension of lease of grounds, whose term has expired.

The secretary was instructed to notify the Ontario and Durham Exhibition Association that the East Peterborough Society has fixed its day.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR 1897:

Receipts.

Balance on hand	$ 147 69
Legislative and municipal grants	485 00
Membership subscriptions	143 00
Prize money retained from membership fees for 1898	103 00
Admission fees to exhibition and rent of grounds	993 62
Money borrowed on additional ground purchased	600 00
Miscellaneous	12 20
	$3,576 31

Expenditures.

Prizes awarded at annual exhibition	$ 977 10
Money awarded for prizes retained for membership fees	103 00
Purchase of grounds and track	694 25
Rent, fitting up, etc	115 74
Paid for loans	150 00
Purchase of grain	4 20
Working expenses, sec-treas, etc	245 13
Miscellaneous	55 85
	$2,344 26
Balance on hand	$ 32 05

Assets.

Cash on hand	$ 132 05
Value of land	700 00
" buildings	700 00
	$1,532 05

Liabilities.

Prize money unpaid	$ 1 80
Accounts unpaid	20 00
Moneys owing on notes	475 00
	$496 80

The number of exhibits in classes were: Horses 246, cattle 236, sheep 120, swine 127, poultry 220, dairy products 19, grain and seeds 137, roots and bond crops 190, orchard and garden, 523, implements and manufactures 139, fine arts 112, lady's work 257, miscellaneous 42—making a total of 2,490, for which $1,195.45 prizes were offered and $977.10 paid.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

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WESTWOOD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Miss Jennie Eaton was visiting friends in Norwood last week.

Mr. Jenkins of Sarnia, and Miss Metcalfe of Keene, were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Metcalfe's one day last week.

Last Sunday the Rev. Mr. White, pastor of the Methodist church here, preached in Warkworth, while Rev. Mr. Totten of that place had charge of his services here both morning and evening. He presented the claims of the Colleges in the morning, a special collection being taken up in aid of their funds. In the evening he held a revival service.

On Tuesday evening, Jan. 18th, about twenty-five of the Westwood Good Templars drove up to Peterborough, where they had tea at the Temperance House. About half-past seven they and a number of the members of City Lodge drove up to visit Auburn Lodge, where they were well received. Each lodge took part in the programme, after which refreshments were served by the Auburn Lodge. After having a friendly conversation they closed by singing God Save the Queen, every one having enjoyed their visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Master Charles, of Hilton, Manitoba, are visiting friends here.

We learn with regret of the sudden death of Mr. Thomas Brown of Sidney, North Dakota, who died suddenly at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel Sargent, sr., of Otonabee. The deceased was a resident of Westwood for many years. After fifteen years ago he moved with his family to Manitoba, where he remained for about three years, then moved to North Dakota, where he has resided ever since.

BENSFORT.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The bell on one of the churches in Peterborough could be heard quite plain in Benafort on Sunday. The distance direct is in the neighbourhood of about eleven miles.

One of the newly-married couples residing in the suburbs of Bensfort gave a reception in the form of a social hop. A very enjoyable time was spent, after which refreshments were passed around by the genial host and hostess. The young people enjoyed a very pleasant time and adjourned to their homes well pleased, especially two young men who contemplate taking a trip east.

Mr. D. Chambers gave a few of his friends a pleasant evening's enjoyment one night last week.

Mr. Stratton's address at Bensfort was very interesting and instructing to those interested in politics. It was worth going a long distance to hear.

Some of the citizens of Bensfort had quite a long argument on politics the other night, it being very calm and they being being warmed up on the subject the conversation was heard for some distance.

Mrs. Proctor left for British Columbia on Tuesday.

A number of "fanciers" from Bensfort were at the Bench Show in Peterborough on Wednesday and pronounce it equally as good as the dog show at Toronto.

Building operations are likely to be brisk in Bensfort this coming summer. The contractors are on the move.

Wanted, some person to buy a good skiff, new, only been used a few times. Particulars at Benafort post office.

Hopes Fulfilled.

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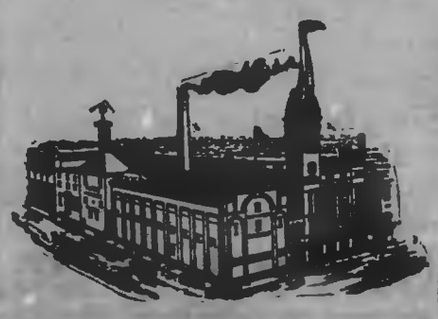

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BRITISH AT FASHODA.

Military Occupation of Okute in Borgu Territory.

LORD DELAMERE'S EXPEDITION.

Death of General Sir Fred. Middleton, Who Commanded the Canadian Troops During the Northwest Rebellion—Belgian Deputies Barred Out of the Chamber—Excitement at Brussels—Cable News.

London, Jan. 26.—It is reported that Lord Delamere's expedition has reached Fashoda, a point on the River Nile about 400 miles south of Khartoum. This is the place where it was claimed the French expedition under Capt. Marchand arrived some time ago.

The British Occupy Okute.

Lagos, West Coast of Africa, Jan. 26.—British troops have occupied Okute, in Borgu territory. The possession of Borgu is disputed between France and Great Britain.

Fighting in the Usoga Country.

London, Jan. 26. — A letter from Uganda, dated Nov. 26 last, written by Mr. Pillangton, the missionary who, with Lieut. MacDonald, brother of Major MacDonald, the commander of the British forces, was reported on Jan. 10 to have been killed, says there has been renewed fighting at Fort Lubwas, in the Usoga country, and that 71 Wagandas were killed and 188 were wounded.

DEATH OF GEN. MIDDLETON.

Head of the Canadian Forces During the 1885 Rebellion Passes Away.

London, Jan. 26.—Lieut.-General Sir Frederick Dobson Middleton, keeper of the Crown jewels, is dead.

General Sir Fred Middleton will be remembered as having been at the head of the Canadian forces during the Northwest Rebellion of 1885, and also as having had trouble over some furs seized during that campaign. On his retirement from Canada he returned to England and retired to private life.

WHO'LL GET THAT LOAN?

It Depends on Whether Russia or Britain Presses China Most.

Pekin, Jan. 26.—Another loan conference with the Trung-Li-Yamen has taken place, the latter receiving the Russian representatives in the morning and the British Minister in the afternoon. It is believed the British Minister, Sir Claude M. Macdonald, insists upon the opening of the port of Ta-Lien-Wan and that Great Britain will not recede from that demand. Whether Great Britain or Russia secures the loan depends upon which exerts the greatest pressure. If Great Britain undertakes to protect China against Russia's displeasure, it is believed the loan will be concluded on the terms proposed by Sir Claude M. Macdonald.

Germany's lease of Kiao-Chou has finally been fixed at 99 years. The Chinese Emperor is greatly displeased.

GERMANY AND CHINA.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs Makes a Statement in the Reichstag.

Berlin, Jan. 26.—Addressing the members of the Budget Committee in the Reichstag yesterday, Baron von Bulow, Minister for Foreign Affairs, referred at length to China. He said the negotiations now concluded had resulted, first, in the Governor of Shan Tung being removed and forever debarred from holding high office; six high officials, named by Germany, had also been removed and punished, and proceedings had been instituted for the punishment of the actual perpetrators of the crime; second, China had promised to pay 3,000 taels for the material losses of the mission; third, as atonement for the death of the missionaries, three churches were to be erected, each provided with an Imperial tablet showing them to be under the protection of the Chinese Emperor—one at Tsin-Nig, another at Tsao-Chou-Fu, and a third at the place where the murders were committed. China grants 66,000 taels for each church and free sites. Another 2,000 taels is assigned for building seven secure residences for the Catholic prefecture of Tsao-Chou Fu. Fourth, a special Imperial edict is issued for the protection of the German missions.

"China," Baron von Bu low explained, "has thus complied with all our demands. Bishop Anzer regards the Imperial protection tablets as extremely advantageous. The privilege is rarely accorded, and will considerably heighten the prestige of the Catholic missionaries in the eyes of the Chinese.

"The German Government believes it has done all that is necessary for the prevention of further outrages. The best guarantees, however, are the permanent presence, under the treaty, of German men-of-war and a garrison at Kiao-Chou, by which it is hoped the authorities and population of China will not again forget that no wrong done to German subjects will be allowed to go unpunished."

Japan the Moving Spirit.

London, Jan. 26.—The Daily Mail says that a Japanese trader will shortly land Japanese goods at Ta-Lien-Wan, with the object of testing whether the port is to be regarded as being open or under Russian control. The outcome of this action will undoubtedly influence the relations between Russia and Japan.

The paper adds that every detail respecting common action by Great Britain and Japan in Chinese waters has been definitely agreed upon. Japan being, as she has been throughout, the moving spirit.

Russia Not Likely to Persist.

London, Jan. 26.—The St. James Gazette yesterday afternoon says it has authority for stating that Russia is not likely to persist in her opposition to the opening of Ta-Lien-Wan.

France Will Have a War Medal.

Paris, Jan. 26.—The Chamber of Deputies yesterday, calmly discussing the war budget, adopted, in spite of the objections of General Billot, the Minister of War, a medal commemorative of the war of 1870.

The Budget Committee adopted a motion to embody in the mail contract of the French Trans-Atlantic Company the prohibition to cross the Newfoundland banks during the fishing season, but empowering the Government to suspend its enforcement until it obtained a similar engagement from other powers.

ROW IN BELGIAN CHAMBER.

Socialists Kicked Up a Racket and Had a Hot Fight With the Troops.

Brussels, Jan. 26.—M. Demblon, the Socialist who violently attacked the President of the Chamber of Deputies on Friday last, entered the vestibule of the Chamber of Deputies yesterday afternoon, accompanied by a band of Socialists. The officer in command of the guard informed him that, in pursuance of the President's order, he could not be allowed to enter, whereupon M. Demblon raised cries of "Vive l'Arme," "Vive la Republique." A crowd collected and attempted to rush the soldiers, with the result that there was a violent scuffle, the troops withstanding the mob with fixed bayonets, and a hand-to-hand fight taking place between Socialists and anti-Socialists.

Indescribable Turmuit.

For the time the tumult was indescribable, and a strong body of police was required to quell the disorder. Within the Chamber of Deputies the greatest excitement also prevailed. The Socialist deputies demanded to know who was responsible for the violence of the soldiers towards the deputies. The tumult became deafening, and the Ministers who attempted to reply were shouted down.

There was further uproar in the House when one of the questioners declared he was responsible for the presence of the troops in the Chamber, adding, as a warning to the Socialists, that he would always do his duty against them.

M. Vandervelde, Socialist, denounced President Bearnaert for calling him a "fighting man," whereupon the President suspended the sitting amid great disorder.

When business resumed, the President made a speech justifying the action taken against the Socialists, whereupon M. Vandervelde again rose and uttered a violent tirade against the quaestors, and asked who had ordered the Socialists to be thrashed.

British Fleet Divided.

London, Jan. 26.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "The British fleet has been divided into two squadrons, one at Chusan, under Admiral Sir Alexander Buller, on board the Centurion, and the other at Chemulpo, under the command of Rear-Admiral Fitzgerald."

Silly Vaporings of Babbling Bipeds.

Madrid, Jan. 26.—The Heraldo, commenting on the recent debate in Washington concerning Cuba, lauds the discretion and energy displayed by Speaker Reed. It says: "He is a Yankee who deserves not to be one, considering his fine qualities and serious culture, which have effectively counter-balanced the silly vaporings of the babbling bipeds in the capitol."

AMERICA'S BEST DOCTORS

Say Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Cure For Bright's Disease.

Ingersoll, Jan. 24—Only a couple of weeks ago the remarkable recovery of farmer G. J. Cooke from Kidney Disease, through the agency of Dodd's Kidney Pills, was reported.

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Michael Sherlock was cured of kidney and bladder disease of five years' standing by a course of treatment with Dodd's Kidney Pills, and makes public statement of his case.

The most eminent physicians on the continent now pronounce Dodd's Kidney Pills the one and only sure, unfailing cure for Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Lumbago, Lame Back, Female Disease and all other kidney and blood disorders.

A PRISONER'S CONFESSION.

A "Reserved Case" Made in the Case of Mrs. Poirier.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 26.—At the opening of the court yesterday morning, before the question of the admission of the confession made by the prisoner, Detective McCaskill was called again by the defence to resume some points of his evidence. The witness said that his deposition given in the enquiry before the magistrate was wrong and that the short-hand writer made him use words he never mentioned.

The cross-examination was not important and very little value can be attached to it.

Mr. Poirier made a motion that all the witnesses of the defence be detained in court in case any of them should be required. This motion was granted. At half-past eleven the discussion of the legality of the confession was continued by Mr. Poirier. He argued on this point for an hour. The court then adjourned until two o'clock, when Dr. Desmarais will resume the discussion for the defence.

At two o'clock Mr. Desmarais began his plea on that important point of law as to the confession of the prisoner. He cited several judgments in connection with the present case and the more recent is the adjudgment of the Supreme Court of the United States in a case of Bram, accused of murder, which judgment was rendered on the 18th of December last at Washington and the next recent decision of Justice De Lorimer in the case of Nulty, in Joliette. In both cases the confession of the prisoner was rejected and the learned criminalist argued that the same thing may be decided in the present case. Mr. Desmarais spoke for two hours on that question and at four o'clock Mr. Mathieu, the Crown Prosecutor, answered in a few words. Mr. McKay, the Crown's counsel, came after and was not long. Mr. Poirier replied for the defence and the court in a long and elaborate judgment made a "reserved case" on the question to be decided by the Court of the Queen's bench appeal side.

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A Bogus Freemason.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 25.—George Fleming, who has just been convicted and sent to the State Penitentiary at Walla Walla, to serve two and a half years for obtaining money under false pretenses, has made a confession, which, if it were not corroborated by more than 100 letters from different Masonic lodges in the United States and Canada, would be received with incredulity. Fleming is a bogus Mason, yet so skilfully has he applied himself that he has been complimented by grand masters on his knowledge of Masonry. By his own admission he lived for years from money borrowed under false pretences from Masons, amounts varying from $10 to several hundred, or, as he told ex-Sheriff Van Devanter, "according to their circumstances and times." The total amount of money thus obtained will probably reach $20,000.

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Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

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Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life. I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For Dyspepsia, Liver and Kidney trouble it excels. Price 75 cts.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Headaches, in pain the eyes, loss of muscular power, double or indistinct vision, and all refractory defects of the eye are treated with phenomenal success by Prof. Harvey, who will visit the Grand Central Hotel, Jan. 29th and 31st.

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General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

A Baptism.

An interesting part of the consecration of young people at Millbrook yesterday was the public baptism of the daughter of Rev. Mr. Johnston, pastor of the church. The sacrament was dispensed by the pastor of St. Andrew's church.

The New Beverage.

Wheat-Shred Drink is made from pure roasted grain. Nutritious in the highest degree, but not at all stimulating. Excellent for weak stomach and weak nerves. Try a cup; served fee daily at Robert Fair's dry goods store, 283 George street. 2d

A Memorial Service.

On Sunday evening last a memorial service was held in the Lakefield Baptist Church for the late Victoria McIlmoyle, daughter of Mr. M. McIlmoyle, of Smith. The service was taken by Rev. C. E. McLeod, at the Gilmour Memorial church and was largely attended.

Oyster Supper and Lecture.

An oyster supper and lecture will be given in All Saints' schoolroom Thursday evening, February 3rd, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary. The lecture will be delivered by Mr. Hampden Burnham, on "Early Canada." Proceeds in aid of church improvement. Admission 25 cents. 1d

A Stationery Blizzard.

The only way to thin out the lines where stock is too heavy is to cut deep into prices, then they go. It's like touching a match to gunpowder. That's what we are doing at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have closed a big year's business, and we intend 1898 to be bigger. Present stocks are marked at good-by prices—some one-fourth, some one-third, some one-half. Books, both cloth and paper bound, come among the largest reductions, and the fancy goods and leather goods next. Everything in fans goes at 20 per cent. off former prices.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Sons of Scotland Concert in Lakefield.

The town hall at Lakefield was crowded Monday night at the concert given under the auspices of the Sons of Scotland. Miss Tessa McCallum, elocutionist, and Miss Detta Zeigler, soloist, furnished the programme and everybody was delighted with their numbers. This is the first appearance of these young ladies in Lakefield and should they return again they will be greeted by a very large audience. Miss McCallum excels in her Scotch selections. Among Miss Zeigler's selections were "When Kye Come Hame," and "I'm Wearin' Awa Jean." These, as well as all others, received merited applause.

The Off-hand Rifle and Gun Club have postponed their shoot at the Ranges from to-morrow until Friday afternoon. All marksmen welcome.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO MR. R. D. HAMILTON.

AS THE RESULT OF INTERNAL INJURIES HE DIED LAST NIGHT.

With Mr. J. S. Knapman he Stepped on a False Flooring over an Open Elevator Shaft and Fell a Distance of Thirty-Five Feet.

The sad news of Mr. R. D. Hamilton's death last evening in the Hamilton City Hospital, cast a gloom over almost every home in Peterborough, as he was universally esteemed amongst all classes.

As announced yesterday afternoon, Mr. Hamilton met with an accident in Hamilton through falling down the shaft of an elevator. At first it was thought that the extent of the injuries received was a fractured thigh, but the worst was feared when shortly after three o'clock Mr. Peter Hamilton received a second telegram from Mr. W. G. Ferguson, urging him to come at once to the bedside of his brother. Unfortunately he arrived too late as death came about ten minutes before the train reached Hamilton.

The circumstances of the accident, as told by Mr. Ferguson, are as follows:—At about twelve o'clock a party of Peterborough curlers, who were sight-seeing in Hamilton before they went to the rink to play, visited the large establishment of Messrs. Wood & Vallance. In the party were Messrs. R. D. Hamilton, J. S. Knapman, W. G. Ferguson, W. G. Morrow and S. Ray. Others were there before them. Messrs. H. LeBrun and H. Phelan had just preceded the party. As the members of the firm were busy showing the other visitors through, Mr. Knapman, who formerly resided in Hamilton, undertook to pilot this particular party around the premises. They were just preparing to ascend to the third story and, intending to take advantage of the elevator, Mr. Knapman raised the gate of the railing, which guarded it, and stepped in, accompanied by Mr. Hamilton. The other three members of the party who were following close behind, were horrified to see the flooring suddenly give way between the two gentlemen and participate them down the shaft, the lamentable accident being occasioned by the fact of an automatic false flooring having closed up the shaft, as the elevator passed up to a flat above. This flooring was in the form of light trap doors intended merely to prevent the cold air ascending the shaft, and were so made as to be easily displaced by the ascent or descent of the hoist. The combined weight of Messrs. Hamilton and Knapman caused the doors to swing downwards instantly, and the two Peterborough gentlemen fell a distance of about 35 feet into the cellar. Mr. Ferguson looking down the shaft saw them lying in the cellar and accompanied by the others, hurried down. Both were conscious although the fall was was a terrific one. Mr. Knapman could stand when lifted to his feet, but Mr. Hamilton's leg gave way beneath him and he stated that he was sure it was broken. A physician who was summoned could detect no injuries on a hasty examination. On being removed to the hospital, however, it was ascertained that Mr. Hamilton's thigh bone was broken, as well as his collar bone. Internal injuries were also feared. Mr. Knapman miraculously escaped any injuries beyond being badly shaken up and bruised to some extent. Mr. Hamilton was most anxious to learn the extent of his injuries and as in the course of a couple of hours, the unfavourable symptoms began to develop internally and he gradually lost his colour, he was made acquainted with the facts. Towards evening he sank rapidly, although every effort was made to stave off the approach of death. Consciousness was retained until almost the last, but a few minutes after Mr. Ferguson left him to meet Mr. Peter Hamilton at the train, he breathed his last.

Accompanied by a number of the curlers the body was brought home on the noon train to-day.

Apart from the exceedingly sad and sudden manner of Mr. Hamilton's death, the mere fact of his death is a great shock to the community, where he was born, raised and educated, and where he was held in the very highest respect and esteem, amounting in many cases to a feeling akin to brotherly love, for it is hardly probable that there was a man in town that had more intimate associates or "chums" than the late lamented R. D. Hamilton. He was the fourth son of the late James Hamilton, and was born in Peterborough forty years ago. He was educated here and here he has lived all his life. At an early age he became associated with the agricultural implement business of his brother, Mr. Peter Hamilton, and became thoroughly acquainted with its details. When the company was formed Mr. Hamilton was taken in as active partner and has since been an important factor in its success. He had charge of the office department of the great business of the company, financing and correspondence, and in this capacity he was thorough, methodical and eminently successful. He possessed himself so thoroughly of the details the business in all its ramifications, he had reduced his work to such complete system that he was able to get through an amount of work truly astonishing. He is credited with having been as capable and expert an office man as was to be found in the country. Mr. Hamilton was married seventeen years ago to Miss Parks, of Toronto, and she and two children, a boy and a girl, survive him. In this connection a sad coincidence can be related. Yesterday Mr. Hamilton and his Peterborough friends were passing the Royal Hotel in Hamilton, and he remarked that seventeen years ago he was a guest at that hotel while on his wedding tour, and a few hours after that remark he was cold in death. Thus are the happiest and saddest associations possible connected with the city of Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton, while devoted to business, found time to busy himself with other interests. He was an ardent devotee of the culture of flowers was a patron of the Horticultural Society, and his trim lawns, brightened with beautiful flowers, was at once a tribute to his success and a model of beauty. His personal qualities were of the most attractive kind. He was genial, jovial and won friends easily, and as easily retained them. He was of a very obliging disposition, and one of the pleasures of his life was to do a good turn. He was generous in his estimation of his fellow men, and had a good word for every body—or if he could not say something good he was silent. He was an enthusiastic wheelman, and took an active part in promoting the interests of that exercise. His hospitality was proverbial and in the summer days his cottage at Chemong always had the latch string outside for his many intimate friends. In all his relations as a citizen, Mr. Hamilton will be missed, and there are few residents of the town, who, under the sad circumstances of death, would be more sincerely or widely mourned than Mr. Hamilton. He leaves behind him to deplore his sad demise a widow and two children, three brothers, Mr. Peter Hamilton and Mr. William Hamilton, town, and Mr. James Hamilton, of Lindsay, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Innes and Mrs. John Cameron, town.

The funeral will take place from the family residence to Little Lake cemetery to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LAST EVENING'S CONCERT.

In Association Hall—Two Bright Young Artists Give a Scotch Programme.

The first concert held under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. in their beautiful hall took place last evening, and the management is to be congratulated on securing two such talented young artists to open the new hall as Miss Tessa McCallum and Miss Detta Zeigler.

The audience, which was a most fashionable one, was well pleased with the programme.

Both artistes have a strong predilection for Scotch selections, and with the exception of one or two numbers the entire programme was characterized by the accent of Auld Scotia.

Of the many talented elocutionists who have visited Peterborough, none probably have made a more favourable impression than did Miss McCallum. The young lady as well as possessing ability of a superior order, has a manner manner most winsome and prepossessing. In the selections which she rendered she showed a ready faculty for dialect reading, as well as a charming naturalness in her exposition of the characters represented. In her rendition of the more pathetic selections her sympathy was very marked, and for almost every number she received an enthusiastic encore.

Miss Ziegler has a full, rich voice, and her Scotch pronounciation is so excellent that she speedily established herself in the graces of the audience. In her rendition of Haydn's "With Verdure Clad" she surpassed herself and greatly pleased those present by the able manner in which she handled this beautiful selection.

Both artists may be sure of a hearty welcome should they at any time visit Peterborough in the future.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. D. Lewis is visiting friends and relatives in Norwood.

Miss Pauline Johnson, the well-known Indian poetess is to marry her theatrical manager, Mr. Tom Conyn.

Mrs. J. C. Brown, Messrs. H. H. Burton and J. W. Bennet, delegates to the Y.M.C.A. convention in Brantford, arrived home yesterday and report a splendid time in the Telephone City.

Word was received at noon to-day from Hamilton that Mr. J. S. Knapman's injuries were not serious and that he would be able to return to Peterborough in a few days. Mrs. Knapman is in Hamilton with him.

Mr. William Kinsman, of Cobourg, was in town yesterday attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, the late Benjamin Armstrong. It is some sixteen or seventeen years since Mr. Kinsman resided here and he could scarcely realize the changes that have taken place during his absence.

Mr. George Mills of Kingston, and brother of Mr. Joseph Mills of Peterborough, is in town to-day on his return from the Inter-Provincial Convention of Ontario and Quebec Y. M. C. Associations in session at Brantford. Mr. Mills has been the nominator of Hon. Mr. Harty in Kingston for the three elections he contested in that city, and says that Mr. Harty is certain of election if he again accepts nomination, which it is said he has consented to do.

The Off-hand Rifle and Gun Club have postponed their shoot at the Ranges from to-morrow until Friday afternoon. All marksmen welcome.

Y. M. C. A. Debating Club.

At the regular meeting of the Debating Club on Friday evening the subject will be "Resolved that the influence of the platform is greater than the press." The Executive met on Monday evening and arranged an excellent programme for the ensuing two months. The same will be printed for distribution among the members. All interested are invited to join the club.

See Grafton & Co's Bargains during the big clearing sale.

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Those Who Will Occupy the Chairs in the Two Camps For the Ensuing Term—The Different Committees.

The members of Mount Hebron No. 36 and Hiawatha No. 66 Encampments met last night for the purpose of conducting the joint installation ceremony of their recently elected officers. Mr. Wm. Savigny, P.C.P., at the request of Mr. Wm. Galley, D.D.G.P., conducted the ceremony, as the latter was unable to be present. The officers are as follows:

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Visiting Committee—Messrs D E Yarnold, T H Snowden, H Morgan, Jas A McGill, J W Butcher and Wm Comstock.

Hiawatha encampment will observe its 10th anniversary this evening, and the newly installed officers and all members are expected to be present.

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Visiting Committee—Messrs. Jno Fanning, Wm Hill, R F Morrow, Wm King, R Mulligan and Wm Savigny.

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The annual tea given by the congregation of the Murray street Baptist church has been postponed until Friday evening.

—There will be a "Convention Echo" meeting at the Y.M.C.A. on Sunday at 4.15 p.m.

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DIED

HAMILTON—At the city of Hamilton, from accident, on Tuesday, January 25th, 1898, Mr. R. D. Hamilton, of Peterborough, fourth son of the late James Hamilton, aged 40 years.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26, 1898.

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Of the Young Women's Christian Association for 1898.

The Board of management held a special meeting Monday afternoon at which the following officers and committees were appointed for 1898:

President—Mrs. Stuart.
1st Vice President—Mrs. Beck.
2nd Vice President—Miss Forsythe.
Rec. Sec—Miss A. L. Clarke.
Treasurer—Mrs. Kennedy.
Finance Committee—Miss Nicholls, convenor, Meedames Stuart, Bell, Hunter and Miss Becket.
Reception Committee—Miss Hughes, convenor, Misses Stevenson, Frank Green, Staples, Perry, Campbell and Lowry.
Musical Committee—Miss Henderson, convenor, Misses Richardson, Foote, Sutton, Schneider and Pascoe.
Social Committee—Miss Stevenson, convenor, Misses Edmison, Robertson, Haggart and White.

EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION

The Annual Convention in the George Street Methodist Church.

The Bay of Quinte Conference Epworth League Convention, will be held in George street church on Feb. 23rd and 24th. It was decided at the meeting of the executive of the various Epworth Leagues held in George street church Monday.

Rev. S. J. Shorey was appointed chairman and Mr. Tovey President of Charlotte street League, was appointed secretary of the joint executive.

The billeting committee is composed of nine members—three being from each League. The reception committee will be arranged by each League choosing, at its next meeting, six members who will act together in this capacity. Music and Press Committees were also appointed. The outlook is good for a rousing convention.

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

MR. STRATTON'S OPERA HOUSE MEETING.

The public are reminded of the mass meeting of the electors to be held in Bradburn's Opera House on Thursday evening, Jan. 27th. The meeting, which is in the interest of the Government candidate, will be addressed by Mr. Stratton and Hon. G. W. Ross. It is unnecessary perhaps to say anything in praise of the abilities of Hon. G. W. Ross as a speaker. It would only be repeating that he is regarded as the ablest platform orator in the Dominion, who crowds the most matter into the most pungent sentences, expressed in graceful language. He is broad minded and statesmanlike in his treatment of public questions and at the same time his readiness of repartee and his large fund of dry humour that enlivens his more weighty utterances gives piquant variety to his addresses.

Mr. Garvin, the Opposition candidate, is invited to be present, and will be allowed the usual time for an address.

A feature of the meeting will be the presence of the Laurier Quartette Club, of London, Ont., composed of artistic singers, who will render patriotic and campaign songs.

The gallery will be reserved for ladies.

It is expected that this meeting will be one of the most important and interesting political occasions the town has ever seen, and there will doubtless be a very large attendance.

The chair will be taken at 7 30 p.m.

NO MISTAKE.

Our evening contemporary, the Review, goes very far a-field—afar from the facts—to read a lecture to Mr. Stratton on the matter of campaign personalities—accusing him of "conducting a campaign of personalities and abuse against Mr. Garvin." Such an accusation is wide of the truth, as are the majority, if not all, of the specific statements made by the Opposition speakers on the stump in this campaign. Mr. Stratton, as he remarked at North Monaghan, has made no personal references to Mr. Garvin in this campaign except such as were warranted by his (Mr. Garvin's) relations to the people as a candidate. That it is the simple truth and any attempt to distort perfectly legitimate criticism of a gentleman in his public capacity into personal abuse, is gratuitous distortion of the plain meaning of words. It seems to us to be proper for Mr. Stratton to point out, as he has done, that if Mr. Garvin, who aspires to be a representative of the most important riding in the Province, had not been able to satisfactory perform the duties of inspector of Public Schools he had little claim to be chosen representative of an important riding like this, which demands a representative who knows its needs and requirements, and is known to, and trusted by, the people. That is the extent of the personalities and abuse of Mr. Garvin charged against Mr. Stratton. The latter has never uttered one word in disparagement of Mr. Garvin as an individual; he has always dealt with him in relation to his being a candidate, and in a perfectly legitimate way.

The Review is dispassionately asked if Mr. Garvin's statement at Buckhorn, that Mr. Stratton was mean enough to employ somebody to tear down his (Mr. Garvin's) posters, which was not heard by one but by many, was not nearer "personal abuse" and contemptible slander.

As regards the Review's reference to Mr. Stratton's remarks in his committee rooms regarding Mr. Burnham, our contemporary is informed that he said nothing in his rooms that he is afraid to repeat in public; and at the proper time and place Mr. Burnham's personal attack on Mr. Stratton at Lakefield, will receive the attention it may seem to deserve.

CROOKED ORATORY.

Speaking in Mr. Garvin's behalf, at the village of Centreville, Mr. A. P. Poussette, Q.C., resorted to personalities, for he devoted nearly the whole of his speech, as reported, to "personal" references to Mr. Garvin's dismissal for incompetency from the position of inspector, by the Peterborough Board of Education; and the impression he sought to produce by his distorted statement of the circumstances was as wide as possible from the facts and on a par with the reckless assertions he has been making on the stump in this campaign. The plain unvarnished facts are that Mr. Garvin, after two years as inspector, was dismissed by the Board on account of his incompetence to give the Board satisfactory services. Mr. Poussette's baseless contention that he was dismissed for political reasons is absurd on the face of it, for the Board by a majority of 9 to 5 was Conservative, and the Board was unanimous in voting that "it was time for a change" in regard to Mr. Garvin as inspector. It is, however, fair to state that the best friends Mr. Garvin had on the Board, men who stood by him as long as possible, were two Liberals.

For persistent and unblushing effrontery in distorting the truth and making false statements, Mr. Poussette, in his capacity as a stumper, "takes the cake." He may twist and turn things as he likes, but he cannot get over the fact that Mr. Garvin was dismissed by the Peterborough School Board because, and only because, he was incompetent to give satisfactory services.

It would puzzle anyone, says the Globe, to understand what good is to be accomplished for the Conservative cause in this Province by entering on a campaign of mendacity. Among the statements being made is one that the Moore Lumber Company had been convicted of defrauding the Government and yet had merely been warned as a punishment. That was asserted by a speaker for the Conservate candidate in West Peterborough, taking his cue possibly from the Mail and Empire. The fact is the company was compelled to pay $10,861 into the treasury and to meet all the expenses of the inquiry, namely $688. This information appeared in all the newspapers more than once, and a public man has therefore no excuse for misrepresenting the facts. If the Globe were to spend a few evenings in West Peterborough it it would find that the Moore Lumber Company mendacity was not the only one that was being made to do duty on the side lines. The Opposition stumpers seem to have entirely suspended, even diplomatic, relations with truth, they indulge in the most palpable perversion of the facts to serve their political ends. They never venture off the safe grounds of generality without getting into the quicksands of error. The moment they commit themselves to definite statement they strike easily disproved falsehood. But such tactics return to plague the inventors. The electors of West Peterborough are too intelligent to be politically deceived by methods, very like those, of hay-fork swindlers.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA.

The six rinks of Peterborough curlers which played in Hamilton were defeated by 17 shots. The rinks were composed as follows:

Hamilton.		*Peterborough.*	
W G Southam,		H Phelan,	
H C Gates,		H LeBrun,	
H McKinnon,		E Rutherford,	
Wm Southam, skip.	17	D Bellegham, skip.	8
J T Irwin,		H Snowden,	
R R Bruce,		C N Brown,	
C W Cartwright,		D Davidson,	
H Fairgrieve, skip.	17	W G Ferguson, skip.	12
A Vincent,		J Matthews,	
Dr Giasseo,		W Hamilton,	
J Malley,		S Ray,	
J Harvey, skip.	7	Myles Hamilton, s'k.	14
J D Climie,		R E Wood,	
R S Morris,		Geo Morrow,	
J B Young,		T E Bradburn,	
T C Haslett, skip.	22	Judge Weller, skip.	22
John Leggat,		G S Matthews,	
Jas Thomson,		G Edmison,	
Wm Vallance,		H A Morrow,	
John Kerner, skip.	19	H M Allen, skip.	9
Total	82	Total	65

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m. ..... 20° above zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday	25°	17°

The Off hand Rifle and Gun Club have postponed their shoot at the Ranges from to-morrow until Friday Afternoon. All marksmen welcome.

Photography.

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EDWARD LECLAIRE.

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A GRAND MEETING HELD AT MIDDLETON'S.

SMITH HEARTILY ENDORSES MR. STRATTON.

A Well Attended Meeting—Addresses by Dr. Bell and Mr. Stratton—Public Issues Dealt With—Mr. Stratton Very Heartily Received.

Last night in spite of the storm raging there was a large attendance of the electors of southern Smith at Middleton's school house on the occasion of the fifth meeting of Mr. Stratton's campaign.

Mr. James Middleton, County Councillor, occupied the chair.

Dr. Bell, who opened the speaking, said it was a pleasure to him to turn out in the present campaign to assist Mr. Stratton's candidature and in support of the best Government the Province ever possessed. We wanted a good, clean honest and economical Government, which we now had and which we would doubtless continue to have by grace of the verdict of the people would doubtless give in the present campaign. And the present representative had a record which entitled him to a renewal of confidence. He pointed out that though there had been a slight change in the personnel of the Government the principles upon which the past and present Government of the province had conducted the affairs of the province were unchanged. The Opposition had no particular policy except the lineal descendent of the calf with the cough, the great piggery policy. Dr. Bell went on to speak generally of the successful record of the Government, which was evidenced in the many ways in which it had used the public revenues to promote the public interests. Referring to Mr. Stratton as a representative, Dr. Bell pointed out that

HE WAS NO STRANGER TO THEM,

for doubtless he had often appeared before them, for he was, perhaps, the only representative in the Legislative Assembly, who, after every session has taken the trouble to visit his constituents and explain the work of the session, and ask their opinion as to the course he should pursue in their interests, and the speaker urged the electors to give him their hearty support. (Applause.)

Mr. Stratton, after a few introductory remarks, referred to the various sectarian cries that had been used in past provincial campaigns, which had neither honesty nor consistency. Though the same conditions existed now there was nothing heard of these cries. If the Opposition had been honest on these occasions, they would still adhere to the policies that they advocated then. But they had dropped these cries because they found it did not pay and the Opposition would be very glad to have their connection with these base cries forgotten. But though the electors hadn't such short memories the liberal minded Conservative and the liberal minded Reformers had united to stamp out these cries and they had been stamped out and the Opposition had now to resort to some other foundationless expedients to commend their colourless policy to the electorate, such as the petty piggery issue, etc. In dealing with the matter of supreme importance to the people—the financial affairs, Mr. Stratton referred to the fact that that there was no province in the Dominion without a debt except the province of Ontario, which besides this happy condition, had a surplus of assets of over five and a half million dollars, as good as cash—and better, better than cash, for there are no securities as valuable as the Dominion securities at 5 per cent. If the Ontario surplus at 5 per cent were

CONVERTED INTO BRITISH SECURITIES

at 3½ per cent. our five and a half millions of surplus would be increased to seven millions. Mr. Stratton went on to meet the charge that the money of the Province was squandered by the Government. He showed that this did not apply to education for the expenditure on education was regulated by the people themselves. The more children they sent to school the greater amount the Government had to spend on education. The expenditure upon the public asylums, etc, while it was very large (over $800,000 a year) to maintain in comfort, over 5,000 unfortunates deprived of reason, was perfectly defensible and justifiable. Yet with all this expenditure the patients or inmates were maintained for $126 per annum for each patient, a cheaper rate than any other country in the world. The condition of things applied equally to other public services, Agriculture, Colonization Roads, Administration of Justice, etc. In these services there had been expended in the past twenty-six years about forty-four millions of dollars, representing money directly returned to the people to lessen direct taxation, and it was asked if that was squandering the resources of the province. A comparison was made with the province of Quebec, which started on even terms with the province of Ontario at Confederation. Now Ontario was out of debt, with a large surplus of assets, and Quebec had thirty-two million dollars of gross debt—twenty-two millions dollars net. The first item in the public accounts of Quebec on the wrong side was the payment of $1,500,000 for interest on the debt, while the first item in the Ontario financial statement was an item of about $250,000 of receipts in the item of interest on its funds.

Mr. Stratton went on to discuss the other leading features of the Government's record, showing why that Government had a strong claim upon the electors for a renewal of confidence, and he submitted claims on his own part, to show that he was entitled to liberal treatment at the hands of the electors. The Opposition, he said, vaguely charged the Government with offences, but it was not in their power to point out where he (Mr. Stratton) had failed to do his best, or to challenge the success of his efforts to promote the interests of the riding in his representative capacity.

The meeting, which was almost solidly in Mr. Stratton's favour, dispersed after hearty cheers for the Queen, the Government and Mr. Stratton.

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A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

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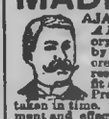

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Savages at First Contact Regard the Fabric With Suspicion.

When savage people first come in contact with the whites, some of the wonders that they see is regarded with more suspicion than large sheets of paper. The native is apt to regard paper as a sort of cloth, and the fact that it tears easily and is worthless for most of the purposes to which cloth is put convinces him that it is a fraud.

One or two Kongo travelers told of the disgust with which the natives at first regarded paper. The Kongo tribes, by the way, are on the lookout for sharpers, and it is exceedingly hard work for anybody to sell them a bad quality of cutlery or cloth. Savages soon find, however, that paper is not intended to serve the purposes of cloth. Then they cease to look upon it as a fraud, but they do not think it ranks high among white man's manufactures, and they have little use for it.

Some time ago a well known explorer was traveling in the interior of Queensland, Australia, where he met many natives who had never seen a white man before.

One day a crowd of natives was in the white man's camp carefully inspecting the explorer and his baggage when a newspaper happened to drop out of his pocket.

The natives unfolded and spread it out on the ground. They decided that it must be an article of wearing apparel, and one of them tried it on. He wrapped it round his shoulders like a shawl and sat down on the ground, arranging his covering this way and that and watching the faces of the crowd to see what they thought of his elegant garment, covered as it was with many thousands of curious marks.

Presently, however, an accident happened. While the savage was rearranging his shawl and trying to bring the corners together in front of him the garment began to tear at the nape of his neck. A howl from the crowd called attention to the disaster. The blanket, or whatever it was, was evidently made of the poorest sort of material.

The savage took his covering off, examined the mischief he had wrought, made the tear a little longer and then with his finger poked a hole through the paper.

That settled the fact that the article was worthless. The newspaper suddenly lost all interest for the natives, who turned their attention to less destructible objects.—Pearson's Weekly.

Popular Hotel Man.

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and head which caused me much annoyance. After trying many remedies without benefit I was advised to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped me and I took four bottles. I am now completly cured." JAMES REILLEY, Proprietor Chapman House, Sarnia, Ont.

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Alleged Brutality of a Teacher.

Orangeville, Jan. 24.—Mr. R. Neelands, teacher of Cataract Public School, was summoned before Magistrates Stubbs and Brook on a charge of excessively punishing Maggie Rowcliffe, a 12-year-old girl. The girl swore that, because she was unable to understand a sum Neelands struck her on the arm and shoulder with a pointer. Although the thrashing was given 10 days ago, the marks were still visible. The magistrates reserved their decision until they could consult the County Crown Attorney.

Sudden Death of a Weston Pioneer.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Martin Cane, one of the pioneers of the village of Weston, who in 1869 established the sawmill there, and continued to operate it for upwards of thirty years, died very suddenly at 159 Brunswick avenue, Sunday morning. Mr. Cane arose as usual and appeared to be in perfect health, when suddenly his heart pained him, and he died within fifteen minutes. Mr. Cane came from Waterford, Ireland, in 1859.

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"There isn't a more faithful being on earth," said a Georgia business man to a reporter, "than one of our Georgia darkies. Neither is there one more superstitious, nor yet again is there one who loves better the products of the hen coop. And Cartersville isn't any different from any one of a hundred southern towns. When I was down there some time ago, a customer of mine who had a fancy for chickens and who had always had more or less trouble in maintaining ownership of them told me he had a remedy and asked me to go around with him and see it. I wanted him to tell me what it was, but he insisted on my seeing it first, so I went along with him, and in a few minutes was standing in his back yard before what was to me the oddest chicken coop I ever saw. It was constructed of large timbers and there were a dozen places in its walls where a hand could be run in and everything cleaned out within reach. Then there was no fastening on the door, nor was there any kind of protection to the fowls. I couldn't understand how such an inviting snap could be of any use to the owner and said as much.

"'The charm is in the timber,' said he.

"'No,' said I.

"'Fact, just the same,' said he. 'You don't see it on the outside and you don't know it, but the darkies around here do, and they won't come within 100 yards of that coop if they can help it. I don't care how full of chickens it is. 'Cause why? It is built of the timbers of a gallows on which a man was hung about three months ago in another county. It cost me something extra to get it, but it has more than paid for itself since I have had it, and I am in the market now to buy all the secondhand scaffolds in Georgia. If you run across a sheriff any place with one for sale, let me know by next mail, won't you, please?'

"It was a true bill," concluded the traveling man, "for I saw a darky tried on it, and he refused a big silver dollar to go down to the coop to get a chicken for breakfast."—Washington Star.

TEAS AND TEAS.

Things Once Used or Now Used as Substitutes for the Chinese Herb.

Of course every one knows that we drink a good deal that isn't tea when we drink a cup of tea. We drink—or are supposed to drink—some tea, some lead and some straw. But there are several "teas" that the drinkers know are not made of tea leaves and yet are not adulterated.

In Peru they drink mate, a tea made from the Ilex paraguensis, a species of holly. This is the only mate tea, but there is a Brazilian tea, gorgonha, called mate there; another tea used in Austria, called Brasilian tea, and several other so called mate teas are made from different varieties of the ilex. In Labrador they make a tea from two species of ledum. Oswego tea was made from the scarlet monarda, and mountain tea from the dwarf evergreen, Gaultheria procumbens. Then clover tea and tansy tea and catnip tea and mint tea are used, though not as beverages.

In Sumatra they use coffee leaves to make tea out of, and the beverage is said to be very refreshing. In Mauritius the leaves of an orchid, Angroecum fragrans, are used. The Tonquinese have teas of their own, made of leaves, berries, barks and woods. The Abyssinians make tea out of the leaves of the Catha edulis. When a sentinel can't leave his post to get a cup of tea, he can chew a leaf or two of this plant, and he won't feel like going to sleep all night. In Tasmania there are said to be more than 200 substitutes for tea; in England they used to make a tea of sage, betony or rosemary and of raspberry leaves; in France they use black currant leaves and borage to make tea, and a century or so ago they gathered in English gardens and fields ash, alder and aloe leaves, and the leaves of whitethorn and blackthorn, out of which to make tea. So it is evident that there are teas and teas.—New York Sun.

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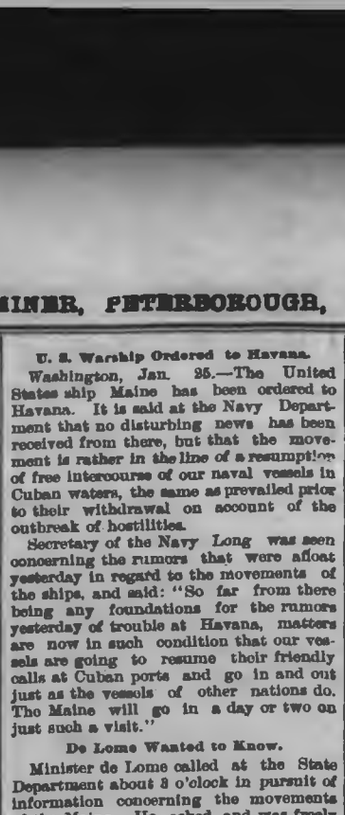

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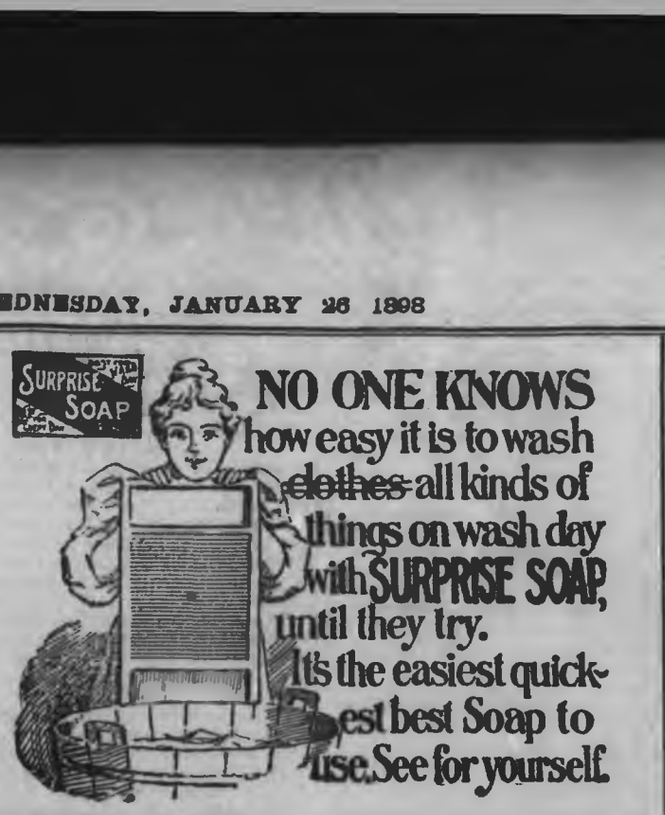

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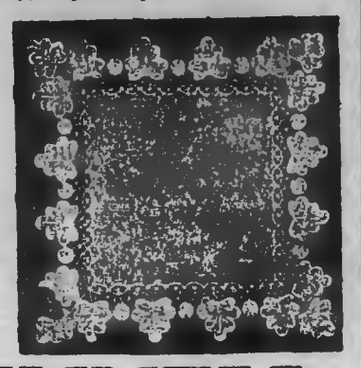

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There was a time my soul was not, for pride
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Dole for the pain of searching through the haze
Where joy lies hidden. As the puffballs ride
The wandering wind across the summer's side,
So winged my spirit in a golden blaze
Of pure and careless present—future naught
But a sad dotard's wail—and I was young
Who now am old. Now years like flashes seem
Lambent or gray on the great wall of thought.
This is a song a poet may have sung.
No proof remains. I have but dreamed a dream.

—Helen Hay in Harper's Magazine.

OBTUSE JACK.

Theodora was quite sure she had settled the question at last. For a week past her thinking hours had been filled with an all important subject, or, more properly speaking, two subjects, for the problem was to decide between two men who had seen fit to look upon her as a fitting custodian for their lares and penates.

In accepting George Hunt she felt herself fortified by a rampart of approving relatives and a decorous sense of propriety. As for Jack—well, she had always liked Jack. Everybody liked him. He was a genial, good fellow and always in demand at all social gatherings. But he was poor, as young lawyers generally are, and while people predicted a future for him Theodora thought of the present and decided to let Jack work out his career alone.

The clang at the doorbell was the signal for the last hurried peep in the glass. Theodora felt a moment's pity for Jack as she caught the reflection. They were going to Mrs. Hathaway's soiree, and the mirror gave back to Theodora's vision all the loveliness of her gown, enhanced by the pretty bare neck and crowned by the fair young face.

It occurred to her several times during the evening that Jack was not acting especially worried. Although tonight was the time she had set as the utmost limit of her consideration, he had not intimated by look or word that he remembered this.

Theodora resolved to be severe, and it was with this resolution in mind that she suggested sitting out one of the dances which showed a scrawly "J" opposite on her programme.

"Certainly, if you wish," assented Jack, arranging the cushion behind his head. "In fact, I begin to think I'm a trifle tired myself. Quite a crush here tonight."

"Yes," said Theodora.

"I should think," continued Jack, gazing out into the ballroom, "that Hunt would retire from society, or from dancing at least. Just look at him now whirling around like a top that hasn't been wound up tight enough. He's beginning to wabble."

No response from Theodora.

"He gets terribly red in the face, too, and the way he mops his forehead is a sign of age. He's really quite bald, isn't he? I only hope I'll remember it when I get old."

"Old!" exclaimed Theodora. "Mr. Hunt is a comparatively young man."

"Compared to a centenarian, perhaps so."

Theodora did not deign to answer. After a short silence Jack said, suddenly arranging his head prop more comfortably. "By the way, I've been considering the question I asked you a week ago, and I've concluded to save you the trouble of calculating matters too. It's no use, Theodora, I can't support a wife. I have figured it in every way and I can't make both ends meet."

Theodora's face hardened. "I might have saved you the trouble of calculating by giving my answer a week ago," she said.

"Then you weren't going to accept me anyway?" exclaimed Jack. "By Jove, I was almost afraid you would."

"Indeed?"

"Oh, now, see here, Theodora," exclaimed Jack, for the first time turning toward her. "Don't be down on me. I supposed you'd look at this thing sensibly. Neither of us believe in long engagements, and so it is better to break off entirely than to worry along for six or eight years until all the poetry has disappeared from life."

"You presuppose the case. I never should have suggested waiting."

Theodora arose and smoothed the folds of her draperies.

"Since I'm going to marry another man I don't see the use of any further conversation on this subject."

"Marry another man!" exclaimed Jack, starting forward. "I never thought of that, Theodora."

The consternation in his voice was a satisfaction to her.

"I presume not," she said coldly. "Humbleness is not one of your virtues."

He did not answer her, and she moved toward the door.

"But, Theodora, you know that I love you. It is for your sake"—

"No, I do not know, nor can you make me believe it. However, that is of no consequence."

"But it is of consequence, Theodora. May I ask who it is you are going to marry?"

"It is Mr. Hunt," she replied haughtily.

One day, about a month after Mrs. Hathaway's soiree, Jack met George Hunt on the street.

"By the way, Hunt," Jack exclaimed, "I presume I'm a little behindhand, but I want to congratulate you, wish you joy and all that sort of thing."

"My dear fellow, to what am I indebted for all this?" asked Hunt, shaking in a desultory manner the hand which Jack held out.

"To the honor of being the future husband of one of our most charming young ladies," laughed Jack.

Mr. Hunt blushed unbecomingly. "You are either laboring under a delusion or else this is a very meager joke. I am engaged to no young lady."

"But Theodora"— began Jack unguardedly.

"The young lady you mention did herself the honor of refusing me," said Mr. Hunt curtly.

"I beg your pardon, by Jove, I do, Hunt. It was all a mistake. Some one misinformed me. I'm awfully sorry, but I've been behind the times lately."

"It is of no consequence," said Mr. Hunt, passing on.

Not many days afterward Theodora started for a prolonged visit to her aunt, who lived in a gay town some distance from Theodora's home. She had seen very little of Jack since the soiree, but just as the train was starting he swung himself on and in his hurried passage through the car tossed a box into her lap.

"Goodby!" he called out, and she watched him swing himself off the platform. For some unaccountable reason her heart was behaving very strangely. She was that one of the other officers had softly approached him to test his nerve. The man at the helm was nearest to him, but he could not be suspected of having left his post to play a trick on his officer. In fact, no sailor aboard would have dared to take such a liberty. For a few seconds the mate was as sure that he had a human being to deal with as that he lived, but when he found nothing before him and yet heard the mocking laughter, as if some one were moving away, his flesh began to creep. Going back to the binnacle, he said to the man at the wheel:

"Williams, have you seen or heard anything queer?"

"Can I speak out, sir?" asked the man, who betrayed excitement in his voice.

"Yes, of course. What did you see?"

"I seen sunthin like a shadder beside you, sir, and I heard a laugh that never come from the throat of a human being. It's a ghost, sir, and this is a doomed ship!"

The mate poohpoohed and bulldozed to make light of the affair, as it was politic to do, but though the man was reduced to silence it was evident that he was fully satisfied that a spook was aboard. Next morning the mate related his experience to the cabin, and as he was a man whose word could not be questioned no one brought ridicule to bear. On the contrary, taking it as an accepted fact that a ghost had been felt, if not seen, by three different persons, we began fishing for some natural and plausible reason to account for the thing. Were the men depressed in spirit? Had they overeaten? Did each one sleep for the moment? Was the icy breath a sudden puff of wind and was the laughter the creaking of bulkheads as the ship lifted or fell? We argued it out that it must be something of the sort, but the men forward had their own ideas and were very much cowed and put out. However, as in the previous instances, the passage of time worked something of a cure. We were bound for Australia, and we had stretched away into the Indian ocean and weeks had gone by before we got another scare. This time it came to the captain himself. At 10 o'clock at night he sat reading in his cabin when a chill suddenly passed over him and he felt two ice cold hands on his neck. It was as if a strong man had put his thumbs together on the back of the neck and clutched the throat with his fingers. Captain Halpin started up and shook his assailant off and turned to strike him. His idea was that the crew had mutinied and one of the men had stolen in to seize him. No person was there, but as if in answer to the captain's oath of astonishment there was the same low, cynical laughter heard by the others. His stateroom door was standing open and had been for two hours, but the laughter died away in that direction and the door closed. The captain came on deck and called me and whispered that a man had passed into his stateroom. Together we entered and made search, and, of course, found nothing. No man could have been more upset. His experience had been even more trying than the others, and all his argument had been torn to shreds. Something had gripped him, though no marks were left to prove it. Some one or something had laughed, though the captain was all alone in his cabin.

I promised Captain Halpin not to say a word even to my brother officers, and he certainly did not mention the matter, but somehow the particulars of the incident leaked out in a day or two, and during the remainder of the voyage, though the ghost did not appear again, it was the hardest kind of work to maintain discipline. When we reached Sydney at last, every man of the crew cut and ran, and such queer stories were put in circulation that the Nemo had hard work to ship a crew for the return voyage. A broken leg sent me to the hospital, and she sailed without me, but I kept myself posted as to the ghost. Midway between Australia and the Cape the first mate had his throat clutched by cold and unseen hands as he lay in his bunk one evening, and two nights later the same thing happened to a man in the deckhouse. While discipline was upset and things in a bad state the trouble would have passed away if the ghost had not played his pranks on the man at the wheel a few nights subsequently. Every man forward then declared his determination to quit the ship, and they had provisioned two boats and were about to lower them when a man-of-war hove in sight. A signal of distress brought her along, and you can judge how the minds of the men were affected when I say that they preferred going aboard of the man-of-war in irons to returning to duty. Enough men were spared to work the ship home, and though the ghost remained quiet there was an uncanny feeling with all. For four weeks after loading for India the Nemo could not ship a man. The ghost business had got into the newspapers, and the stories were circulated in the taverns, and though men would have taken their chances in a leaky ship they fought clear of spooks. A crew was at last secured by paying extra wages, but after the Nemo had been out 17 days the ghost laid its cold hands on one of the men, and the entire crew, led by the third mate, abandoned the ship at sea. The captain and the two mates stood by her and eventually got her into a port, but her reputation was blasted forever. The case was laid before all sorts of men, and scoffers and believers alike visited the ship in search of a clew. Plenty of deductions and conclusions were arrived at, but they satisfied only a certain few. After many months the Nemo loaded at Liverpool for a South American port, and her crew was composed entirely of Germans fresh from a China voyage. Not one had ever heard of her troubles, but they were fated to find out for themselves. A week after sailing the ghost appeared as lively as ever, and again the crew put off and left her in charge of her officers. She was a doomed ship, and her owner did the wisest thing possible by selling her at the best price he could get. As a coal barge she was never troubled again by the ghost, though why it shouldn't have continued aboard no one can tell. You can form your own theories and draw your own conclusions of the whole affair. I bothered with it for several years, hoping to get at some satisfactory elucidation, but it remains a mystery still. If there had been no ghost, the ship would not have been twice abandoned and finally sold for a fifth of her cost, and that such was the case there are a hundred newspaper articles to prove. Indeed the hulk is in commission today, and is always pointed out as the "ghost ship."

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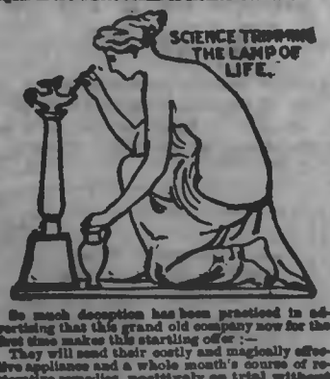

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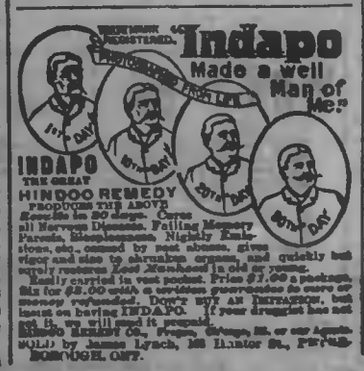

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MR. J. B. PEARCE IS ELECTED WARDEN.

THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE NORWOOD DIVISION.

He Secured the Majority of Votes Cast on the Fifteenth Ballot—County Council now in Session.

The County Council assembled Tuesday afternoon, and at 2.30 the clerk read the bylaw governing the election of Warden.

The following members being in their seats :

Otonabee Division—W. Anderson and E. A. Peck.

Bridgenorth Division — Geo. Fitzgerald, Jas. Middleton.

Lakefield Division—W.H. Casement and E. Hawthorne.

Norwood Division—J. B. Pearce and Jno. Brown.

Lakehurst Division—Thos. Eastland and Robt. Shaw.

The first ballot for Warden resulted as follows :

Casement	4
Hawthorne	3
Pearce	3

No election being made, a second ballot resulted as follows :

Casement	4
Pearce	4
Hawthorne	2

There being still no election a third ballot was taken and resulted as follows :

Casement	4
Pearce	4
Hawthorne	1
Middleton	1

No result being shown on the third ballot, [a fourth was taken, resulting a follows :

Casement	3
Pearce	3
Hawthorne	2
Fitzgerald	2

No election. The fifth ballot resulted as follows :

Casement	3
Pearce	3
Hawthorne	2
Middleton	2

No election.
The sixth ballot stood as follows :—

Casement	4
Pearce	4
Hawthorne	2

No election. According to the rules of the bylaw Mr. Hawthorne, being the lowest, dropped out.

The result of the seventh ballot was :—

Casement	3
Pearce	3
Brown	2
Middleton	1
Shaw	1

No election. The eighth ballot stood as follows :—

Casement	3
Pearce	4
Brown	2
Anderson	1

No election. Mr. Anderson now drops out. The ninth ballot stood as follows :—

Casement	3
Pearce	4
Peck	1
Shaw	2

No election. Mr. Peak now drops out. The tenth ballot stood as follows :—

Casement	3
Pearce	5
Eastland	1
Shaw	1

No election. Mr. Shaw now drops out. The eleventh ballot was taken and resulted thus :—

Casement	3
Pearce	4
Fitzgerald	2
Peck	1

No election. Mr. Fitzgerald's drops out. An intermission took place to procure a new supply of ballots.

The twelfth ballot stood :

Casement	3
Peace	4
Middleton	2
Brown	1

No election. Mr. Brown now drops out. The thirteenth ballot stood :

Casement	4
Pearce	4
Middleton	3

No election. Mr. Middleton now drops out.

The fourteenth ballot stood :

Casement	3
Pearce	4
Eastland	4

No election. Mr. Casement now drops out.

The fifteenth ballot stood :

Pearce	6
Eastland	3
Brown	1
Casement	1

Mr. Pearce having received a majority of votes, was declared elected Warden for 1898.

Mr. Pearce thanked the council for having elected him Warden of the County of Peterborough for the second time. He would say that he had done no canvassing for the office, which he felt was another reason for pleasure at this renewal of their confidence. Just twenty years ago he first became a member of the County Council, and he could honestly say that he had endeavoured to discharge his duties as councillor faithfully and to the best of his ability. He again thanked the council for the honour, and asked for their co-operation in the work of the present year. Mr. Pearce was warmly applauded on taking his seat.

ROUTINE BUSINESS.

The clerk read the minutes of the last meeting of the council, which were, on motion, confirmed.

Mr. Casement moved, seconded by Mr. Hawthorne, that Mr. William Garbutt be elected auditor.

In amendment, Mr. Anderson moved, seconded by Mr. Peck, that Mr. Geo. Stewart be auditor.

The amendment was carried.

The Warden appointed Mr. F. J. Bell as the other auditor.

Mr. Casement moved, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, that Mr. W. A. Stratton be re-appointed Sessional Clerk.

Mr. Hawthorne moved, seconded by Mr. Brown, that the whole council be a committee to strike the standing committees for the year.—Carried.

THE SWING BRIDGE AT LAKEFIELD.

Mr. Quinn of Lakefield was heard before the council in reference to the T. V. C. bridge over the river at Lakefield. He said the people were all in favour of a low swing-bridge over the canal. A very large amount of damage and obstruction would result from a high bridge. He desired to present a petition from 450 of the people of Lakefield praying for a low swing bridge ; 68 had signed the petition from Young's Point and 230 more from the neighbourhood of Smith. He said that according to Mr. Rogers, the engineer, it was intended to raise the bridge six feet. This would render Mr. Crawford's vacant lot valueless. Mr. Smith's blacksmith shop, Mr. John Isbster's shop and house, Mr. McWilliam's carriage shop, and Wm. Ash's store occupied by Hill's grocery, would all sustain serious damage by a high bridge over the river. A low swing bridge would be no impediment or damage. Therefore the petitioners earnestly prayed that the County Council would pass a resolution memorialising the government for a low swing bridge. He also pointed out the danger that might ensue to the lives of occupants of carriages crossing a high bridge at this point by the blowing of the whistles of passing steamers.

In reply to a question from the Warden, Mr. Quinn stated that resolutions in favor of a low swing bridge had been passed by the municipalities of Smith, Harvey, Douro and Lakefield.

The Warden thought that the County Council had no power to interfere in the matter.

Mr. Casement moved, seconded by Mr. Eastland, that the petition be referred to the Roads and Bridges Committee—Carried.

On motion of Mr. Brown the council adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

The council resumed session this morning, with all the members present.

The Warden, J. B. Pearce, in the chair.

The clerk read the minutes of yesterday's session of the council, which were, on motion, adopted.

On motion of Mr. Brown, a deputation from Asphodel, consisting of Mr. James Andrews, reeve, and Mr. John Breckenridge, clerk of the municipality, were heard before the council, asking for an appropriation for the road leading to Birdsall's station, adjacent to Steel's bridge.

The reeve and Mr. Breckenridge then addressed the council in reference to their petition. On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Peck, the matter was referred to the Roads and Bridge Committee.

Moved by Mr. Eastland, seconded by Mr. Shaw, that the County Council make a liberal grant towards the restoration of Julian's Landing wharf and memorialize the Dominion Government asking that they complete the work in time for the boats in 1898.

On motion of Messrs. Hawthorne and Brown the matter was referred to the Road and Bridge Committee.

A number of communications received from Mr. Porter Preston, clerk of the municipality of Belmont and Methuen, were referred to the several committees.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Middleton read the following report of the special committee appointed to strike the standing committees for 1898, which was adopted and council afterwards appointed the chairmen named for the several committees :

County Property—Messrs Middleton, Casement, Fitzgerald and Peck. Mr Middleton, chairman.

Appointments to Office—Messrs Middleton, Casement, Anderson, Hawthorne and Shaw. Mr Shaw, chairman.

Roads and Bridges—Messrs Brown, Anderson, Peck, Casement, Fitzgerald, Eastland, Middleton, Hawthorne and Shaw. Mr Anderson chairman.

Schools—Messrs Peck, Hawthorne, Middleton, Brown and Eastland. Mr Hawthorne, chairman.

Printing—Messrs. Anderson, Shaw, Fitzgerald, Casement and Brown. Mr. Fitzgerald, chairman.

Petitions—Messrs. Anderson, Eastland, Casement, Shaw and Brown. Mr. Brown, chairman.

Finance and Assessment—Messrs. Brown, Peck, Casement, Fitzgerald, Eastland, Middleton, Hawthorne, Anderson and Shaw. Mr Peck, chairman.

Equalization and Assessment—Messrs. Brown, Peck, Casement, Fitzgerald, Eastland, Middleton, Hawthorne, Anderson and Shaw. Mr Peck, chairman.

On motion of Mr. Casement the council adjourned, and the Committee on Roads and Bridges met to consider the petition of the Asphodel deputation.

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES.

Two excellent sermons were given on Sunday by the pastor. In the morning his subject was "The Apocalyptic Vision." He gave an encouraging and helpful picture of heaven. His text was Revelation vii., 9, 10.

In the evening he chose as his text Luke xix., 41, 42, and for a topic "A wicked people and a broken hearted preacher. The evening service was largely attended.

The Sunday school also had a good attendance. Others will also be welcomed.

Church prayer meeting will be on Wednesday evening, as usual, at 8 o'clock.

The cottage prayer meeting this week will be at Mr. J. Mowry's, on Lake street. Mr. J. J. Cunningham is leader. It will be held on Thursday instead of Friday, on account of the Ashburnham public school concert in the town hall on Friday evening.

Rev. Mr. Moore is conducting evangelistic services at Bethel each evening this week.

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Youth's long pant Suits	was	4.50 and	5.00	now	3.25 and	3.80	
Youth's long pant Suits	was	5.25 and	9.00	now	4.00 and	6.00	
Men's Suits	was	6.50 and	6.00	now	3.00 and	5.25	
Men's Suits		6.25 and	15.00	now	4.00 and	7.50	
Children's Ulsters and Coats	was	3.75 and	5.00	now	1.95 and	3.00	
Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was	4.75 and	6.50	now	2.50 and	4.00	
Boys' and Youths' Pea Jackets and Reefers	was	2.50 and	5.00	now	1.65 and	3.00	
A line of Men's Fine Blue and Fawn Overcoats	was	5.00 and	12.00	now	4.00 and	6.00	
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Arrive	8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

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Leave for Lakefield	8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield	9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m

Time table corrected to date.

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Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.53 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
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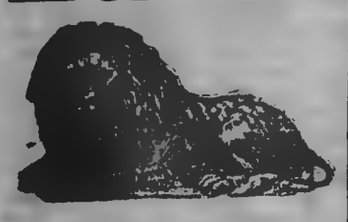

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THE KLONDIKE TRADE FOR CANADA.

An All-Canadian Route to the Yukon to Be Opened in Six Weeks.

A Railway From Stickine River to Teslin Lake to be Built by September 1st--How the Railway is to be Constructed--No Cash Subsidy--A Grant of Mineral Lands--Each Alternate Block to be Held by the Country--A Royalty to be Imposed.

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—The Klondike trade for Canada. An all-Canadian route to the Yukon gold fields. This is what the Government of Canada has secured. This is what the Government of Canada has accomplished. The story of the achievement is one of the best chapters in the history of progressive and courageous administration in this or any other country. Among all the great tasks that have confronted Canadian statesmen none was ever more suddenly precipitated upon the country, more enmeshed in danger and difficulty, more strenuous for immediate and courageous handling, than the administration of the Yukon. The Pacific coast cities of the United States were the first to receive the returning miners, the first to profit by the great discoveries, the first to feel the thrill of the awakening enthusiasm over the wealth of the Klondike. The steamers coming down the Alaskan rivers traded with American ports. But not for long. The Canadian Government was active. The Canadian press soon awakened. It was very quickly established that the new gold regions were Canadian territory, that the old flag of empire flew in the far north, that Canada was alive to her duty and ready for her responsibility. Mr. Sifton, the singularly able and energetic Minister of the Interior, in consequence undertook a perilous autumn journey to Dyea and Skaguay, crossed the hard Chilcoot and White Passes, and investigated the various routes for all-Canadian transportation; a supply expedition was sent out under Major Walsh, a territorial judge was appointed and sent on his difficult outward journey, and detachments of mounted police were sent with the relief expedition and distributed through the country to give succour, to preserve order, to protect property, to collect royalties and customs revenues.

The Customs Blockade.

To do all this was to do much, but much still remained to be done. The question of first and of overwhelming importance was to secure the trade of that country for Canada, and thus an all-Canadian route to the Klondike became necessary. How was this to be secured? At what cost to the treasury? By what method of construction? Six or seven weeks ago Mr. Sifton went to Washington and by negotiation secured a modification of the obnoxious customs regulations by which miners who bought their supplies in Canada were submitted to onerous, if not prohibitory, taxation. It will be understood that from Dyea to the summit of the Chilcoot Pass, and from Skaguay to the summit of the White Pass, it is necessary to pass over a strip of American territory, and as there are, of course, no facilities for bonding, it is the practice of the United States authorities to send a customs inspector with each individual or party at a cost of $6 a day for the inspector and $8 a day for expenses. This amounts in cases to $70 or $75 for the trip, and simply means a prohibitory tax upon individuals who have purchased their outfits in Canada, and in the end would give a practical monopoly of the outfitting business to the coast cities of the United States. How civilization is outraged in the name of protection! Mr. Sifton induced American authorities to enter into an agreement by which American customs inspectors were to make an inventory of the goods carried by parties when entering upon American territory and to give certificates which could be produced before a customs inspector upon the other side and upon which the rate and amount of duties could be levied. But for some reason or other, probably through pressure from Senators and Representatives from the Pacific coast States and owing to representations from the American business centers on the coast, the agreement is not being carried out.

For these and for many other weighty reasons the Government has given deep and earnest attention to the question of opening up an all Canadian route to the Klondike, and the country will be glad to know that the problem has been solved, and solved, one cannot but believe, to the satisfaction of the great mass of the people of Canada.

The Canadian Yukon Railway.

Therefore, subject to the approval of Parliament, the Government has provided for the construction of a railway from the Stickine River, in British Columbia, near the mouth of Telegraph Creek, Glenora, or the mouth of Clear Water River, northward to Teslin Lake, a distance of about 150 miles, thus giving connection with the Lewis or Yukon River, and an all-Canadian rail and steamboat route from a port on the Pacific coast to Dawson City. This road must be completed and in operation by the 1st of September next. The contractors must also construct a practicable sleigh road from the mouth of the Stickine River to Teslin Lake, and provide suitable shelters and stopping places for travellers at intervals of not more than 25 miles along this road, and the road and shelters must be available for use not later than six weeks from now. The contractors must also provide steamboat transport of freight and passengers between Teslin Lake and Dawson City. This means that from this moment Canada is in a position to tell the world that from the opening of navigation travellers are guaranteed an all-Canadian route to the Yukon by steamer, and a sleigh road, with adequate shelters, with Canadian supplies untolled and untaxed, from the purchasing centres of older or western Canada to the remote point of destination. At once this must turn the outfitting trade to Canada, stimulate business among traders and manufacturers in the East, and give new life to our Pacific coast communities. The only men who seemed to have adequate financial strength for the work, the necessary experience and the courage and ability to give the necessary guarantees of good faith and financial capacity were Mr. William Mackenzie of Toronto and Mr. Donald D. Mann of Montreal, and it is with these men that the Government has entered into an agreement for the construction of the Canadian Yukon Railway within the time and under the conditions specified.

No Cash Subsidy.

The country will learn with satisfaction, and probably with astonishment, in view of all the past history of railway construction in Canada, that the contractors are not to receive a cash subsidy, but, on the other hand, are required to put up a deposit of a quarter of a million of dollars as a guarantee for the execution of their contract. According to Mr. Ogilvie's estimates there are 75,000,000 acres of gold-bearing territory in the Yukon country, and out of this the Government proposes to grant 25,000 acres a mile of mineral lands, or 3,750,000 acres in all, to the contractors in order to secure the construction of the railway from Glenora to Teslin Lake, the connecting steamship service on the waterways and the immediate sleigh road from the Stickine to Teslin Lake. These lands shall be selected from the Klondike provisional district and from that part of the Northwest Territories lying west of the Mackenzie River and Laird River and north of the 60th parallel of latitude. But it is provided that all arable land shall be reserved, so that no syndicate or corporation shall have power to block agricultural settlement in order to sweat higher land prices out of settlers, as is possible under the original bargain for the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway, a most unfortunate provision, in which lie the seeds of great evil in the future of the Northwest. Here as elsewhere the Government seems to have been true to Liberal policy and tradition, and to have zealously safeguarded the future while making the best out of existing conditions.

Alternate Blocks of Land.

It is also provided, and this feature is of first-rate importance, that in determining the selection of lands for the contractors each alternate block shall be reserved for the Government. If, therefore, the contractors are permitted to secure rich gold-bearing territory the Government must share in their good fortune, and it will not be possible for them to monopolize great stretches of the choicest portions of the gold belt. In addition a royalty of one per cent. will be laid upon all the precious metals produced from the lands alienated to the company, as compared with 10 per cent. imposed upon ordinary placer mining, but the greater certainty of collection in the case of the company gives some additional value to this regulation.

Rights of Navigation.

It may be added that the 1 per cent. of royalty provided for in the agreement with the company is equal to that imposed upon the precious minerals in British Columbia, and that no portion of the beds or of the banks for 25 feet on each side of high-water mark shall pass to the contractors under any selection of lands to be made under the agreement. The shores and all landing places, few and far between in that rugged, rock-ribbed country, and therefore very valuable, are withheld, and the free rights of passage and use along all navigable or floatable streams may not be impeded or obstructed by the company and are absolutely reserved to the people. In case the contractors divert any stream from its natural channel they must provide an equally convenient navigable or floatable channel in lieu. All mining claims held and recorded by free miners within any block of land selected by the contractors shall be excepted from the grant and shall not pass to the contractors. The Government has been careful not to do injustice to miners who have recorded claims in good faith, and not to endow the company with any powers of ejectment. Water available for hydraulic or placer mining on the contractors' lands or on Government lands may be used by those mining on the lands under such regulations as may be established by the Government for the purpose of securing a fair division and use thereof. The tolls to be collected on the railway between Stickine River and Teslin Lake will be first fixed by the Governor-General-in-Council, and as so fixed shall not be liable to reduction for four years. They shall then be reduced by 25 per cent., and after the road has been operated for seven years there shall be a reduction of 25 per cent. on the tolls as previously reduced, and after the road has been ten years in operation the tolls shall be subject to the general railway law of Canada in that behalf. The lands granted shall be free from taxation for ten years, except municipal taxation by an incorporated city, town or village within the Klondike provisional district. When any ten continuous miles of the railway have been completed the contractors may select 99,168 acres, or two blocks of land, and these blocks shall thereupon be reserved from sale or location of free miners' claims, and on completion from time to time of any other ten miles the contractors shall have the right to select two additional blocks, and on the completion of the railway the blocks so reserved shall be granted to the contractors, with the exception of any existing free miners' claims, which shall be held inviolate. For five years from the 1st of September, 1898, no line of railway shall be authorized by Parliament to be constructed from Lynn Canal or from any point near the international boundary between Canada and Alaska into the Yukon, nor shall any aid in money or land be granted to any other contractors for this purpose. Moreover, during ten years from the 1st of September, 1898, the contractors shall be given the preference in any aid the Government may see fit to grant towards the building of a line of railway from the Stickine River to an ocean port in British Columbia, provided they are willing to undertake its construction within a reasonable time.

MR. HARDY AT HOME.

The Premier and the Hon. R. Harcourt at Brantford—A Splendid Reception by the Young Men.

Brantford, Jan. 27.—A grand demonstration of the young men of the city of Brantford took place in the City Opera House last night to tender a reception to the Hon. A. S. Hardy and Hon. Richard Harcourt. The chair was occupied by Mr. James J. Hurley, president of the Young Men's Liberal Club. Two young men who never before voted, Messrs. W. G. Hellikker and Teddy Brown, moved a vote of thanks to and confidence in the Government of the Hon. Mr. Hardy.

Hon. Mr. Harcourt made a vigorous speech, in which he claimed that the name of Hardy spelled performance, while the name of Whitney spelled only promise. The young men of Ontario were not likely to change a well and tried Government for one whose policy was that of either pork and piggeries or no policy at all.

Mr. George Harold read an address of welcome to Premier Hardy. The Premier had a splendid reception. He spoke chiefly to the young men, and said that the record of the Liberal Government was one of progress and development. Mr. Hardy dealt at length with the timber policy of the country and the various measures that had been passed during the two sessions in which he was Attorney-General.

A South Perth Independent.

Mitchell, Jann. 27.—The Independent electors of South Perth met in convention and decided to put a candidate in the field, and the choice fell upon George Frame, ex-Reeve of Downie, who accepted the nomination.

CANADIAN CLUB.

Sir Oliver Mowat Makes an Appreciative Speech Last Night.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—The annual banquet of the Canadian Club held here last night was a great success. Among others Sir Oliver Mowat replied to the toast "Canadians." In the course of his remarks Sir Oliver said that he approved strongly of the objects of the Canadian Club. He hailed the formation of this and similar organizations, for they demonstrated existence of Canadian spirit in the country. He reviewed Canadian history and the development of our constitution up to the present time. He noticed during the past two years the growth of a spirit of Canadian unity. This was evidenced by the manner of men our two great political parties had chosen as their leaders. The one chose a man from a small province away down on the seaboard and he had been supported loyally all over the country. The other party, though the majority of the nation were English-speaking Protestants, had steadfastly upheld a French Roman Catholic leader. Sir Oliver talked of his interest in things Canadian, observed that this country produced the best men and women in the world, and prophesied 65,000,000 people for Canada, though he himself would not live to see that time. Mr. Wm. Ogilvie, hero of the Klondike, also spoke.

SMITH WANTS WARSHIPS

On the Lakes, and Is Trying to Wiggle Round the Treaty of Ghent.

Washington, Jan. 26.—Representative Smith, one of the Republican members of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, called on Assistant Secretary Day at the State Department yesterday. Mr. Smith's main purpose was to confer with the authorities on the modification of that feature of the treaty of Ghent under which the building of warships on the great lakes had been prohibited. He is urging that the modification be brought about by negotiations through diplomatic channels, and after his conference Mr. Smith expressed confidence that a modification of the treaty could be accomplished.

Probably Something Behind This.

Madrid, Jan. 27.—The Spanish battleship Vizcaya, of 7,000 tons displacement, has been ordered to visit American ports.

More Outrages at Algiers.

Algiers, Jan. 27.—Several isolated outrages were perpetrated here yesterday. A number of Jews were stoned and badly injured.

New Phase of the School Question.

Winnipeg, Jan. 27.—His Grace Archbishop Langevin received yesterday morning an urgent telegram summoning him home to Montreal. He left on the eastbound express, accompanied by his secretary, Rev. Father George. He stated, however, that it relates to a new phase in the school question campaign. His Grace said there were now 33 Catholic schools in the province, separate from the Public schools and entirely supported by his church.

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It Saved My Life.'

I am glad to state that I abided by my mother's advice and I am now healthy and strong. I never think of being without Hood's Sarsaparilla in the house. It is a great help to mothers while nursing. I have given it to my baby with satisfactory results. I cannot state all I would like of the many benefits I have known Hood's Sarsaparilla to give to other sufferers. I gladly recommend it." MRS. JOHN LA PAGE, 240 Church St., Toronto, Ont.

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BINDER TWINE.

Monopoly dies hard; but the death of a monopoly is good news for the people. A Government that sets its face against monopoly in the interests of the people is deserving of commendation and gratitude. It will be remembered that under the former Dominion Government the binder twine industry enjoyed a protective duty of 25 per cent.; in 1895 that duty was reduced to 12½ per cent. and that the Liberal Government in its tariff revision further reduced the duty to 10 per cent. with the provision that, after January 1st, 1898, binder twine should be on the free list and it is on the free list to-day. That is a big boon to the farmers, but the Consumers' Cordage Company says it must suspend operations and, according to the Mail and Empire, which has a happy knack of always putting crookedly anything it handles for political purposes, throw about 1500 hands out of employment.

The Mail and Empire, in order to make out a case for its clients, the combine, presents figures as wonderful as the mathematical manupulation of Ontario financial figures by Mr. Matheson. According to these figures and other data, the average cost of the binder twine turned out by the Consumers' Cordage Company was $226.57 per ton, or $11.73 per hundred pounds. According to the Mail the total yearly consumption of binder twine in Canada is 7,000 tons. Of this amount there was produced as follows:—By the Central prison, 1,000 tons; by the Kingston prison, 500 tons; by the Patron factory, Brantford, 1,000 tons, and 1,000 tons of American twine was used. This leaves 3,500 tons as the product of the Combine establishment. Now, twine was sold last year by the Combine as well as the other producers, at an average of $6 per hundred, and if the selling price of the combine was $6 per hundred for twine which it cost $11.73 to produce, it must have lost $5.72 on every hundred pounds sold, or on its total sales of 3,500 tons, the large sum of $402,500. In contrast with this extraordinary condition it should be stated that the Patron factory at Brantford sold its twine for the same price, and on an output of 1,000 tons made profit enough to declare a dividend of ten per cent. on the capital stock.

In view of these facts does it not look as if the combine was trying to "put up a job" on the Government by means of grossly exaggerated statements? The Consumers' Cordage Company claim that unless the duty is raised to 25 per cent. on twine they will be compelled to shut down. What are the reasons they feel compelled to make this demand? Here are a few of the reasons. Under the old tariff, which favoured monopolies and combines, the Consumers' Cordage Company went to the expense indicated below to shut off competition. They agreed to subsidize or purchase and side-track the following twine and cordage factories:

Bannerman Bros., of Le Chute, Quebec, receive $2,700 per year for keeping closed. This mill has been closed down for seven years, and yet they are making a clean profit of $5,000 per year without turning a wheel.

John Brown & Co., of Quebec, cordage manufacturers, were bought up by the Consumers Cordage Company for about $150,000, seven years ago, and have since been closed.

Thomas Conner & Sons., of St. John's, N.B., were bought off by the Consumers Cordage Company seven years ago.

Ferguson Bros., Kingston, cordage manufacturers, are paid by the Consumers Cordage Company $1,200 per year for keeping idle, and they have been closed three years.

A. Main & Company, Hamilton, receive from the same combine $3,000 per year to keep their mill idle.

These factories were closed down to kill competition and admit of keeping up the price of binder twine, previous to any reduction of duty; and, besides, the company during the season of 1896 and a portion of 1897, closed down its Port Hope and Brantford factories. They claim that if sufficient protection is not given they will have to close down, and 1,500 hands will be thrown out of employment. To show that that is an extravagant statement and that they do not employ that number of hands, is easy. The Central Prison factory employs eighty to eighty-five hands (and they employ more than necessary, because their is no extra charge for labour (prisoners being employed) to produce 1,000 tons. Therefore the Cordage Company would only have to employ 280 hands to make their 3,500 tons.

What is the Consumer's Cordage Company after anyway? Judging by the figures employed by the Mail to "gold brick" the Government, the average loss of the company upon every 100 pounds of twine manufactured by them last year was $5.72. To give sufficient protection to avert a similar loss next year, the duty on binder twine would have to be raised 100 per cent. The Cordage Company have themselves to blame. Under the fostering care of the late Government's high duty, the Company, trusting to establish a monopoly, squandered its resources in throttling competition by buying factories or paying them big sums to keep idle, and they now come to the Government with fairy tales of mythical losses, which they claim they are sustaining under exactly the same conditions as the Patron factory at Brantford, which is making a profit of 10 per cent. If the Consumers' Cordage Company could get quit of its white elephant in the shape of acquired and bought-off factories, in which thousands of dollars are locked up, and carry on business on legitimate principles, they would not have to whimper about liquidation because binder twine is on the free list; they could produce twine as cheaply as any factory on the continent, without counting the protection of 25 per cent. against all foreign rope and cordage, which Canadian mills now enjoy. In view of these facts should the Dominion Government be asked to depart from its policy of tariff for revenue only, by especially protecting a combine, for the sole purpose of enabling it to pay big subsidies to closed factories?

HAVELOCK.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Do not fail to hear Miss McCallum.

Good sleighing in town.

Skating rink filled every night.

Several hundred tickets sold for concert in Presbyterian church on Wednesday night next.

Ice house is filled.

Mr. W. Thorpe, engineer, spent Sunday last in Smith's Falls.

Mr. Cowan, of Toronto, agent for Gerrard Hientzman pianos, spent Monday in town.

Miss Dean is opening a fancy store which was formerly occupied by J. A. Courtice.

The carnival of last Friday night under the management of Messrs. Knox and Woods, was a decided success. There was a large number present, and the costumes worn by the skaters were for the greater part costly.

Mr. Harry Loman has left for Smith's Falls, where he has been promoted to fireman.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. F. K. Harper is able to be around again after his severe attack of Quinsy.

Mr. George Richard has moved into his new house on Victoria street, and Mr. John Weir has moved into the residence recently occupied by Mr. Richards.

We are pleased to learn that the Rev. Leo. T. Williams, formerly of this place, has been given St. Paul's church, Halifax. This is one of the largest and most influential Anglican churches in Eastern Canada. Mr. Williams is a son of the late Col. A. T. H. Williams.

WISDOM OF CHATHARITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

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ROCKDALE.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Mr. W. R. Howson and son of Norwood, were here Saturday on business.

Mr. John Brown is in Peterborough attending County Council this week.

Mr. Jas. Allan of Warlston, returned home from Indian Head, N. W. T., last week. He reports good times and intends to go out there again in the spring.

On going to his barn last Friday morning, Mr. Baker, a farmer living near here, found that thieves had forced his granary and stolen a large load of peas and oats. Besides what they took away with them they left several bags of grain strewn or spilled on the snow. That such is the case is a great pity as Mr. Baker is a man who works hard for everything he gets, and is one who has not had the best of luck. We wish the villains may be caught.

Mr. Moloney of Marmora township, is lumbering on a small scale for the Hathaway Co. Mr. E. Youmans of this place, is also taking out logs for the same company. They both land their logs on the Deer River.

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(From Our Own Correspondent.)

The meeting of Liberals in the interests of Mr. Austin on Wednesday night promises to be largely attended. The meeting will be addressed by the candidate, Dr. Blanchard, Mr. McLaughlin and others.

Fishery Inspector Fitzgerald paid a visit here recently. A committee of citizens has been formed to regulate fishing in the mill pond.

The Peterborough Salvation Army band delighted our citizens with their fine playing recently. A number will go to hear General Booth at Peterborough on Friday.

Mr. Crough, of Ennismore, is hauling tan bark to Ivory's tannery here. Mr. Ivory has twelve hands employed at present.

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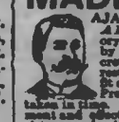

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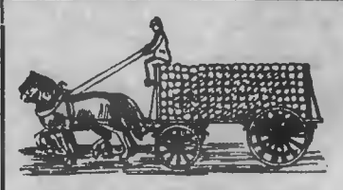

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ALL OVER PAR.

Every Tender Received for Toronto's Renewal Debentures Offered a Premium—The Highest Offers.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—"The highest prices ever obtained by any Canadian or colonial municipality so far as I know," was the verdict of City Treasurer Coady at noon yesterday after the Mayor had duly opened and read some twenty-three tenders for the purchase of an issue of £213,-000 sterling, or $1,036,600 currency, of the 3½ per cent. City of Toronto renewal debentures. Every tender was over par. Twenty-one of them went over 101, sixteen went over 102 and four went over 103.

The total amount tendered was $20,-634,555, or about twenty times the par value of the bonds to be sold. Twenty times the amount of debentures could have been sold.

No award has yet been made. The highest offer for the bulk issue was 103.225. The highest for a parcel was an offer of $215,000 for a $200,000 parcel, or at 107.50.

The Dominion Alliance.

The Council of the Dominion Alliance for the Suppression of the Liquor Traffic has formulated their address to the electors of the province in view of the forthcoming elections. After the historical part of the appeal, the document continues: It is therefore manifest that stronger effort must be made by prohibitionists to secure the election of representatives who are known and avowed friends of our cause, and who can be relied upon, regardless of party, to support such further restrictive legislation as the Provincial Assembly has undoubted power to enact. Earnestly we appeal to our friends to see that there are such candidates in the field in every part of the province, and that prohibitionists vote only for those who comply with the requirements set out.

The Kaiser's Birthday.

The German Consul, Mr. S. Nordheimer, has issued invitations to upwards of 200 prominent German residents to join him at the Liederkrans Hall this evening in celebrating the birthday of the German Emperor.

Prof. Robinson Resigns.

Rev. Prof. George L. Robinson, professor of Old Testament Literature and Exegesis at Knox College, has resigned that position to accept the chair in McCormick Theological Seminary at Chicago.

Pallid faces indicate pale, thin blood. Rosy cheeks show the pure, rich blood resulting from taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Killed by a Passing Freight.

Guelph, Jan. 27.—A young man named John Dickieson and his mother were driving in the village of Rockwood last night when their horse ran away. At a railway crossing the occupants of the cutter were thrown out and the young man was struck by a passing freight train. His right arm was run over and his skull was fractured. He died in the hospital here at midnight. An inquest will be held to-day.

Explosion Killed Three Men.

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 27.—A premature explosion of dynamite on the Duluth and Iron Range extension north of Two Harbors, in Stanley, killed Frank Burrows, foreman, Vandergrift and Jacobs, and injured several other persons.

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FINANCES OF INDIA.

Lord George Hamilton's Speech at Chiswick.

A GOLD STANDARD IS POSSIBLE.

Arrangement for the War Budget—British Forces in China—The London Press Calling for Reinforcements—Another Excuse for Germany—Mr. Curzon's Important Speech Cable News.

London, Jan. 27.—Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, speaking last evening at Chiswick, said he thought that during the course of the next 12 months the Government might take steps to establish a gold standard for India.

He read a dispatch from the Indian Government stating that the revenue was coming in well, that the expenditure on the frontier war was much less than had been anticipated and that the Government would be able to meet, without difficulty, all disbursements for the present financial year, with the prospect of a substantial surplus for next year's proceedings.

Discussing India's immense productive capacity, which he referred to as "not yet fully developed, but capable of being developed by an influx of idle British capital," Lord George Hamilton said:

"A stable exchange, attracting that capital, could be secured either by international bi-metallic arrangement or by India establishing a gold standard. The result of the Wolcott Mission showed that the former is impracticable, but the difficulties in the way of the gold standard are not insuperable as some believe."

His Lordship said he believed the home Government could materially assist India in this matter and he would venture the opinion that it would do India "infinitely more good than any temporary loan of a million or two to meet the expenses of the frontier war."

IS GERMANY THE ARBITER?

English Newspapers on the Sending of Reinforcements to the East.

London, Jan. 27.—The newspapers here comment on French, Russian and German reinforcements going to the far East, while no corresponding addition is made to the British fleet, and say: "Happily, Great Britain has the countenance, instead of the hostility, of the United States. But the Japanese navy is a factor of uncertain value."

An article in the Pall Mall Gazette says: "The German fleet may be said to hold the balance between England and Japan and France and Russia. The position of arbiter is the very thing the Kaiser would desire, and, with the force he possesses in the far East, he can dictate terms.

"If the position is really critical, we run a grave risk in leaving our fleet weak. In fact, we prepare for an open contest by a retrograde move."

The Darmstadt at Kiao-Chou Bay.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The steamer Darmstadt, having on board detachments of marines and artillerymen, has arrived at Kiao-Chou Bay.

Another Excuse for Germany.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The Lokal Anzeiger's China correspondent says that a German sailor named Schultz of the cruiser Kaiser, while on outport duty at Taimo, the extreme German post in Kiao-Chou Bay, was murdered by the Chinese rabble last Monday night. Detachments of marines have been sent to Taimo and to the town of Kiao-Chou.

Great Britain's Treaty Rights.

London, Jan. 27.—In a speech last night at Bolton, Mr. George N. Curzon referred to the Chinese situation in terms which, though not very lucid, suggest that there is an intention to widen the scope of the utterances recently made by members of the Government. He said that as other powers were showing a disposition to acquire advantages in China, Great Britain was entitled to claim compensatory advantages, and to demand that privileges given to others should not be inconsistent with British treaty rights.

Mr. Curzon, referring to the negotiations for a loan, said: "We have every reason and right to hope that they will be successful."

RUSSIA'S HAND SHOWN.

British Gunboat Seizes Arms Consigned to Russians in Baluchistan.

Muscat, Gulf of Oman, Jan. 27.—The British gunboat Lapwing has seized the steamer Baluchistan, off here, and her cargo of arms and ammunition has been confiscated. Her cargo is held by the British Consul.

Where the Bear's Paw Shows.

The seizure of the steamer Baluchistan tends to explain the mystery as to whence the Afridis secured their arms. The owners of the Baluchistan say she has been released and has proceeded. They add that the arms were shipped to a dozen different Russian firms.

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The Closing Prices at Important Centres—Local Live Stock and Busy Markets—The Local Prices.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 25.

Cash wheat in Chicago 2½c higher at 97½c.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¼d to ⅝d lower.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$0 97½	$0 98⅞
New York	1 06⅝	0 95⅝
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern		0 96⅞
St. Louis	0 96	0 96⅝
Toledo	0 95	0 95⅛
Detroit	0 95	0 95⅛
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 93½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 92	0 93
Toronto, red	0 87	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 03	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour trade is quiet, with straight rollers quoted at $3.85 to $3.95, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market continues strong, with a good demand. Red winter sold at 93½c to 94c high freights, spring at 93½c on Midland, and goose quoted at 78c on Midland. Manitoba wheat firm at $1.03, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, and at 99c to $1.00 Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 32c to 33c west, No. 3 extra at 28c to 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c west.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 28c to 26½c for white and on Midland at 27c; mixed 25c to 25½c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 52c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 31c and 31½c west and at 32c and 32½c east.

RYE—The market is quiet, with sales at 45c west and at 46c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots quoted at 27c to 28c west for new yellow.

[illegible] demand is fair, with sales at $3, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

Toronto Live Stock.

There was a heavy run of live stock at the Western Cattle Market to-day, 64 loads all told, composed of 774 cattle, 492 sheep, 29 calves and 2500 hogs.

The cattle were composed largely of butchers', with a few of each other class. No loads of exporters came in as such, and those bought for export were cattle weighing 1150 to 1250 lbs. each. They brought $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt.

Brown & Snell bought 8 steers, 1250 lbs. each, at $4.25.

In the butchers' class too many unfinished cattle are being offered which ought to have been left with the farmer at least a month longer. A few choice picked lots sold at $3.75 to $4, good $3.50 to $3.65, medium $3.37 to $3.50, middling to common $3.25 to $3.40 and inferior $2.85 to $3.20. Export bulls sold from $3 to $3.75.

Prices for feeders and stockers were a shade lower.

The best price paid for feeders was $3 60. Buffalo stockers sold at $3 to $3.25.

Milk cows sold at $25 to $45 each, with offerings of about 20. Calves sold from $2 up to $8 each.

The prices for sheep were a little higher. Ewes sold at $3 to $3.50, bucks $2.50 to $2.75, lambs at $4.75 to $4.90 per cwt., or $3 to $5 each.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1898

LOCAL NEWS.

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

Cream Ale.

Just received a fresh brewing. Come in and try it. Best in Canada.—W. OVEREND, C. P. R. Hotel.

Stock of Tobaccos Sold.

This afternoon Mr. C. LaGros purchased the stock of W. B. Rickey (assigned.) at 53 cents on the dollar. Mr. John Haggart was auctioneer.

Headaches, in pain the eyes, loss of muscular power, double or indistinct vision, and all refractory defects of the eye are treated with phenomenal success by Prof. Harvey, who will visit the Grand Central Hotel, Jan. 29th and 31st.

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

The Ladies Auxiliary

Of the Y.M.C.A. will meet on Tuesday, February 1st, at 3 p.m. All members are requested to be present, as Mrs. Brown will give her report of the Brantford convention.

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The Boys' Branch.

The regular weekly meeting of the Boys' Branch of the Y.M.C.A. takes place on Friday evening at 6.30 p.m. Topic, "How to study the Bible." Mr. E. Elcome will give an interesting insect talk at the close. All boys over 12 welcome.

The New Beverage.

Wheat-Sheaf Drink is made from pure roasted grain. Nutritious in the highest degree, but not at all stimulating. Excellent for weak stomach and weak nerves. Try a cup; served fee daily at Robert Fair's dry goods store, 368 George street. 2d

Oyster Supper and Lecture.

An oyster supper and lecture will be given in All Saints' schoolroom Thursday evening, February 3rd, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary. The lecture will be delivered by Mr. Hampden Burnham, on "Early Canada." Proceeds in aid of church improvement. Admission 25 cents. 1d

Canadian Home Journal.

The Canadian Home Journal for February is especially interesting. The Canada Club is again to the fore with a description of how a retail store handle Canadian goods. There are three competition stories to be voted upon, and Seonart writes an interesting tale of "An Unwelcome Guest." Music and poetry are present in plenty, and the various departments of The Journal are so complete that it is no wonder that it is becoming popular. Every family should be a subscriber to this distinctively Canadian periodical. The Canadian Home Journal, McKinnon building, Toronto.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

TEA WAS SERVED BY THE LADIES FROM 6 TO 8.

The Report of the Session Brings Before the Congregation the Good Work Done by the Church Organizations—The Board of Managers—Elders Elected.

A very large congregation met in St. Andrew's school room last night, the occasion being the annual congregational meeting.

Tea was served by the ladies from 6 to 8 o'clock. After devotional exercises the Rev. J. A. Potter, pastor was voted to the chair.

THE SESSION'S REPORT

brought before the minds of the congregation the good work done by the various organizations of the church.

The number of families in connection with the church is 190; number of communicants, 345; added to roll during 1897, 41; removed from roll, 11—3 by death and 8 by certificate; baptisms, 13—2 adults and 11 infants.

The Session and Relief Fund showed receipts $29.23, with an expenditure of $26.25.

SABBATH SCHOOL REPORT.

The average attendance per Sabbath was 223, with 23 teachers and officers. The financial statement showed the school to be in a very flourishing condition. Total receipts, $362 39; expenditure, $206 61; missions expenses, $179.39. Total expenditure, $382 39.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY.

Meets every Monday night—active committee and very helpful meetings. Active membership, 45; associate, 25. Total receipts for the year, $85.37.

W. M. P. S.

This society had a good year's work. A deep interest has been taken in the object of the society. During the year a very hopeful Mission Band was organized. The mite boxes placed in the houses of the people bore good results. With a membership of 20 on the roll the average attendance was 21. The collections amounted to $150.00.

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY

has always been ready for service. With a membership of twenty, they have been active during the year. In addition to making the annual and anniversary meeting very enjoyable, they did not forget the work of the needle in acts of charity, and held for their Christmas distribution a reception at which time a good response was made. Receipts, $67.59; expenditure, $39 55.

After the adoption of this report the managers laid before the congregation their financial report, showing receipts $3,501.04. The expenditure exceeded this amount by $316.06. The congregation decided unanimously, and with great heartiness to remove this at once, and also to clear off the cost of fitting the church and school with incandescent lights. The Managers were complimented on their judgment in the change of system of lighting, and received the hearty support of the congregation. A large part of the required amount was subscribed.

THE MISSION ACCOUNT.

Total receipts for year, $283.88.
Remitted for schemes of church, $283 88.

The entire report as thus presented was adopted.

Messrs. W. S. Appleby and F. A. Walden were elected to the Managing Board.

Mr. Wm. Fowler was re-elected as members of the Charity Board.

Mr. John McClelland re-elected on Nicholls Hospital Board.

Messrs. C. S. Mallett and Harry Beal were appointed auditors.

The following comprise the Board of Managers: Dr. A. W. Bell, chairman, Tobias Fitzgerald, R. J. McWilliams, Andrew McFarlane, J. D. Tully, W. S. Appleby, and F. A. Walder, Secretary.

The following have been elected to the eldership and will be ordained at an early date: Alexander Campbell, John Mathieson, William Richardson, William Stevens, jr., John Kerr, Ashburnham, Andrew Cunningham.

SUMMARY.

Church receipts	$2,601 04
Mission schemes	283 88
W F M S	150 00
Ladies Aid Society	67 59
Young Peoples Society	85 00
Sabbath School	362 39
Session	29 23
Boys Brigade	23 00
	$3,601 63

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WEDDING BELLS.

Marriage of Miss Annie Chrow, of Town, and Mr. John Farrell, of Fairville, N.B.

A very quiet wedding took place this afternoon at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. Chrow, No. 127 Smith street, when Miss Annie Chrow was married to Mr. John Farrell, of Fairville, New Brunswick.

Rev. H. Symonds, Rector of St. Luke's church, performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was given away by her brother-in-law Mr. Wm. Turner, of town, was handsomely attired in a fashionable binette cloth gown, richly trimmed with braid. She carried an exceedingly pretty bouquet of roses.

Amongst the many handsome presents received was a heavy gold chain bracelet from the groom, and a substantial honorarium from Mr. A. H. Stratton.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a recherche wedding dejeuner was served and partaken of by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell leave on the nine o'clock G.T.R. train for Montreal, where a week or so will be spent before they will resume their journey eastward.

Through her relations with the public, Miss Chrow has made herself most popular, and it will be learned with general regret that her duties in her new sphere of life will call her to such a distance. A host of the warmest congratulations will follow her to New Brunswick.

CARD OF THANKS.

Messrs. Lindsay & Might, Agents for the Economic Fire Insurance Company:

Permit me to return my sincere thanks to your company for the very prompt and satisfactory manner in which you have settled my loss sustained by fire at my residence a short time since. I feel that I cannot speak too highly both of yourself and the company your represent, for the satisfactory manner in which you have done your business with me.

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LAID AT REST.

Funeral of the Late R. D. Hamilton.

This afternoon at three o'clock the funeral of the late R. D. Hamilton took place from the family residence, George street. It was attended by a very large number of citizens in tribute of the very high respect in which the deceased and the family are held. The religious services at the residence were conducted by Rev. Dr. Torrance, assisted by Rev. William Bennett and Rev. A. T. Dykeman.

The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers:—Messrs. T. F. Matthews, Alex. Gibson, J. R. Stratton, H. S. Macdonald, W. G. Ferguson and Andrew Mercer. The employees of the works, to the number of one hundred and ten, headed the long funeral cortege and escorted the casket to the cemetery. In addition to the unusually large concourse of citizens in carriages, a large delegation of Court Chemong, Independent Foresters, of which the deceased was a member, attended.

Among those from a distance present on the occasion were Mrs. David Hamilton, Douro; Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton, Lindsay, and Mr. and Mrs. Parks and Mr. Andrew Parks, of Toronto.

A PRESENTATION.

Mr. John Glass Remembered by His Sunday School Class.

About 9.15 last evening Mr. John Glass, of Aylmer street, found himself host to eighteen members of the Bible class which he teaches in the George street Methodist Sunday school. Both he and Mrs. Glass were taken completely by surprise, but all fears were set aside when some of the members of the class announced that the mission which they had come to perform was a most pleasant one to them, and they hoped it would be the same to Mr. Glass.

Mr. Fred Pollard then stepped forward, and read the following address, Mr. Chas. Hendricks making the presentation:

Dear Friend and Teacher:

At this season of the year, when the spirit of peace and good will animates all those who own allegiance to our Heavenly Father, the members of your Bible class of the George street Methodist Sunday school, desire to show their appreciation of the patient and faithful efforts you have bestowed upon our spiritual improvement.

To mark this appreciation we ask your acceptance of this writing desk, which we hope will be of some service to you.

With wishes that the year upon which we have just entered will be a most happy one for both you and Mrs. Glass, who has so ably assisted you in your endeavours to help the class, we remain,

Signed on behalf of the class,
CHAS. HENDRICKS,
FRED POLLARD
WALTER MCLELLAN,
WALTER MASON,
WILLIE CARLISLE.

In replying to the address Mr. Glass said that although he had been taken completely by surprise, still he was very grateful for the kind words which the address contained and also for the present. He was also glad to hear that the class appreciated his services and if they had received any spiritual benefit they were not the only gainers, for he also had been helped spiritually while teaching Bible class. Mrs. Glass, he said, as stated in the address, had been as anxious to help the class in any way as he was, and they found it a very pleasant duty, indeed, to be called upon by the class to entertain them for an evening. He would always treasure this handsome leather writing desk and often when he would be preparing his Sunday school lesson notes he would think of "his boys."

Most inviting refreshments were then served by Mrs. Glass and much enjoyed by all.

About 10:15 the boys prepared to leave, after which they returned to their homes much pleased with the evening's entertainment they had received at the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Glass.

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A BENSFORT WEDDING.

Nuptials of Miss Etta McClelland and and Mr. Abner Collins.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Another happy couple on Tuesday, 25th inst., cast all their mutual association and interests into the possibilities, realities and enjoyments of the ennobling change of condition that occasionally accompany and follow brilliant prospects in matrimony.

The parties in the contract are Miss Etta McClelland and Mr. Abner Collins, whose homes during their short time so far have been distant only by the width of one small river. The important part of the ceremony, which commonly falls to the lot of the clergyman, was attended to by the Rev. T. S. McKee, of Fraserville, at 5 p.m., by which time those assembled for the lesser duties of well-wishing and congratulation were numerous, but chiefly intimate friends of the bride and groom.

The bride, who has been well known as faithful and efficient wherever duty called, was the recipient of many and costly presents.

The above mentioned duties being all well, heartily and truly attended to, the company partook sumptuously in the usual way, after which Mr. and Mrs. Collins proceeded, amidst renewed congratulations to their new home, about two miles east, which the former, by the use of means, industry and economy has carefully selected, fitted and improved, having in view all the worthy anticipations that forego the ordinary enjoyments of connubial happiness.

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HE WILL SPEAK ON FRIDAY EVENING IN THE OPERA HOUSE.

Accompanied by a Number of Leading Army Officers of Canada—He will Arrive on the 4.10 p.m. Train Friday.

General Booth, head of the Salvation Army, will arrive in Peterborough on Friday afternoon from Ottawa. He will be accompanied by Commissioner Nicoll, who it may be remembered acted as plenipotentiary in the endeavour to compose the difference of opinion and view which came to a head some time ago between father and son in New York. Amongst others who will accompany the General are Commissioner Eva Booth, head of the forces in Canada, Brigadier Sharp, Staff Captain Rawlings, Ensign Yerex, Adjutant and Mrs. Wiseman, Adjutant and Mrs. Coombs, Ensign Parker, Quebec; Adjutant and Mrs. Blackburn, Cornwall and Major and Mrs. McMillen, Newfoundland.

A large number of officers from the district corps are expected to be present at the station to greet the General, who, during his stay in town, will be the guest of Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P.

A public meeting will be held in the Opera House at eight in the evening, when General Booth will address those assembled.

Topics of The Day.

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DIED

GILBO—At Peterborough, on Thursday morning, Jan. 27th, 1898, Joseph, second son of the late Joseph Gilbo, aged 28 years.

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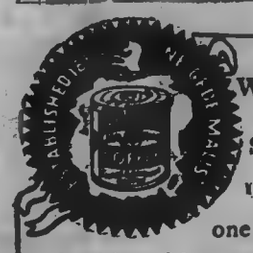

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 27, 1898

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature :—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.		16° above zero
Yesterday	26°	17°

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ANNUAL CONVENTION HELD IN MILLBROOK.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY OF THIS PRESBYTERY.

Three Sessions Held Tuesday and Reports of a Very Encouraging Nature Received—Officers Elected During the Day.

The third annual convention of the Peterborough Presbytery Young People's Society was held Tuesday at Millbrook. Sessions were held morning, afternoon and evening, and reports of a very successful nature were received from the societies.

The report of the Mission Treasurer showed a balance on hand of $98.

Rev. A. Laird and Rev. J. G. Potter presented the work of the Apsley and Burleigh Mission. After considerable discussion on the missionary work of the convention, it was decided to support a missionary in the North west.

Mr. David Deyell gave an excellent paper on "Methods of raising mission funds."

In the afternoon the convention was photographed by Cunningham & Co., after which the election of officers took place.

President—Rev. J. A. Tanner, B. A., Omemee.

Vice-President—A. J. Johnston, Peterborough.

Recording Secretary—Bruce Bennett, Port Hope.

Corresponding Secretary—Rev. A. Laird, B.A., Port Hope.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Forsythe, Peterborough.

The papers by Rev. Mr. Tanner and Misses Bathgate and Forsythe on the "Plan of Study and Shorter Catechism," were very much appreciated, and led to a wholesome discussion, in which a number of members took part.

Miss Edith Byers of Omemee, gave a thoughtful and well prepared paper on "The Aims of our Young People's Societies."

Miss Brown of St. Paul's church, town, led the discussion on this subject, and this address was followed by very helpful hints as to the best way to make the meetings of the societies more sociable and more helpful.

In the evening Rev. McD. Duncan of Woodville, Lindsay Presbytery, gave an inspiring and soul-stirring lecture on the "Personal of the Westminster Assembly of 1643," at which time the standards that were afterwards adopted by the Presbyterian church in Scotland were compiled.

During the afternoon and evening Miss Maggie Weddell of Peterborough, contributed to the song service.

LOCAL C. E. EXECUTIVE.

The Monthly Meeting held Last Night in the Y. M. C. A.

The Executive Committee of the local C. E. Union held their regular monthly meeting last night at the Y.M.C.A.

A committee composed of Messrs. Grover, Anderson and Martin were appointed to go ahead and furnish Christian Endeavour room at the Y.M.C.A.

The executive decided to co-operate with the committee who have charge of the reception of Epworth League Convention to be held next month in the George street Methodist church. The Epworth Leaguers have extended an invitation to the young people of the different denominations of town to participate in the meetings of the convention. The Local Union will therefore use its influence to create an interest among the young people. Owing to this convention being held on the day of the next regular meeting of the executive, the night of meeting was changed to Wednesday, March 2nd. Literary work will be the subject for discussion at this meeting.

IS HE THE MAN?

The Supposed Italian Sentenced to the Central May be a Murderer.

The Mail and Empire says :—Chief of Police Rossel, of Peterborough, has sent a note, accompanied by a photograph, to Inspector Stark, asking him to identify an Arabian sentenced there on Monday to six months in the Central for setting fire to a barn in Smith township.

The man answers the description of an Arabian named Mesha Naleib, who is wanted in Detroit for the murder of his wife.

The prisoner is very reticent, and will give no information concerning himself, except that his name is Carlo and that he comes from the States.

OBITUARY.

Death of Joseph Gilbo This Morning of Consumption.

The death occurred this morning of Joseph Gilbo, aged 26 years, second son of the late Joseph Gilbo, of Peterborough.

The deceased was a victim of consumption. He resided for some time in Montreal prior to his death. His illness was of short duration.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his mother, 277 Bethune street.

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VESTRY MEETING IN ST. LUKE'S.

Mr. E. A. Peck Named by the Rector as His Churchwarden Last Evening.

A well attended meeting of the Vestry of St. Luke's church was held in the school house last night. Rev. H. Symonds presided, and explained that the object of the meeting was to fill the vacancy in the Churchwardenship, caused by the death of Mr. John Burnham. He had consulted with many members of the congregation, including the People's Warden, Mr. H. T. Strickland, and found that their wishes entirely coincided with his own in the matter. He had, therefore, much pleasure in nominating Mr. E. A. Peck to be Rector's Warden.

Mr. Peck then addressed the meeting. He thanked the Rector for the honour done him, which he said he could not conscientiously decline, albeit there were many cares and anxieties attendant upon the position. He was also glad to know that his appointment met with the general assent of the people. He reminded them how necessary it was that the people should give their hearty support to the Wardens. The necessity for united effort was aptly illustrated by reference to the brilliant charge of Col. Matthias and his men in the Indian campaign. He strongly appealed to the congregation to make the envelope system general. He was sure that under this system the church funds would easily meet all needs without any special appeals. Some might object to it. There was a time when it did not commend itself to him. But he asked all to give it a trial. (Applause.)

On motion of Mr. H. Nesbitt, seconded by Mr. F. Adams, a resolution touching the late warden, and of condolence with his family, was unanimously passed.

Mr. H. Adams was elected vestry clerk in place of Mr. E. A. Peck, who has filled that office for many years past.

The rector referred in terms of warm approval to the work of the Men's Chapter of the Guild. Their work was being conducted in an excellent spirit, and good results were already manifesting themselves. The congregations and offertory had been larger this fall than in any previous year of his rectorate.

After the singing of a hymn and the benediction the meeting adjourned.

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Spot Cash sell Chase & Sanburn's coffee at reduced prices. Try some to-day. 353 George street.

—Try E. Welsh for fresh fish and oysters as he is the only dealer in town that sets fresh fish every day the year round. Telephone 208.

If you wish to have those cross eyes straightened without pain or an operation, consult Prof. Harvey at the Grand Central Hotel, Jan. 29th and 31st. Visional defects also treated and spectacles fitted.

Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, with front reinforcements continuous facing, Grafton & Co's special price 25c.

A Stationery Blizzard.

The only way to thin out the lines where stock is too heavy is to cut deep into prices, then they go. It's like touching a match to gunpowder. That's what we are doing at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have closed a big year's business, and we intend 1898 to be bigger. Present stocks are marked at good-by prices—some one-fourth, some one-third, some one-half. Books, both cloth and paper bound, come among the largest reductions, and the fancy goods and leather goods next. Everything in fans goes at 20 per cent. off former prices.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

General Booth's Meeting at the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Royal Black Preceptory, No. 261, Elect Their Officers For the Ensuing Year.

At a well attended meeting of Royal Black Preceptory, No. 261, Royal Black Knight of Ireland, held on Tuesday evening last, the following officers were elected to serve for the year 1898 :

Sir Joseph Saunders	W Preceptor
" John A McWilliams	D Preceptor
" Robert Weir	Chaplain
" W H G Armstrong	Registrar
" Hugh Mackey	Treasurer
" S J Campbell	1st Lecturer
" Joseph Batten	2nd "
" John H Biggs	1st Standard Bearer
" W G Anderson	2nd "
" Joseph Jones	1st Censor
" J Hetherington	2nd "
" Thos Brown	Pursuivant
" T C Holden	1st Committeeman
" David Anderson	2nd "
" Geo Hamilton	3rd "
" G W Hall	4th "
" Wm Croft	5th "
" Robt Campbell	6th "
" A Anderson	7th "

The above officers were duly installed by Sir Joseph Saunders. The Preceptory then adjourned to meet again on the first Tuesday in March.

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The Millbrook hockey team defaulted yesterday and did not come to town to play their scheduled match in the junior series against Peterborough II.

Osgoods won from Varsity last night by 10 goals to 5 and the return match will be played on Friday. Peterborough plays the winner of this draw in Toronto on Tuesday next and the return match will be played here the following week. Provided Peterborough again wins, the boys will then journey to Stratford and in the event of once more being victorious, they will play off in the finals with the winners of the Eastern series.

The Toronto Telegram says that Peterborough cannot win the senior championship, but the opinion of the Telegram does not carry much weight.

The Peterborough Juniors could give the Seniors quite a fast practice and a hard chase for the laurels in the absence of King.

It is to be hoped that home and home matches will be arranged between the Peterborough II and the Frontenac II.

That Peterborough's hospitality to visiting teams is not appreciated is proven by the fact that it is seldom returned when the club makes its out of town trips. The T. A. C. men forgot all about Peterborough immediately after the game on Monday evening, whereas when the Toronto hockey men were here they were banquetted. The Peterboroughs should keep this fact in mind when the next Toronto team comes here.

CURLIANA.

The draw in Group 6 of the Ontario Tankard primaries called the clubs to meet yesterday on Granite ice, in Toronto, but orders were subsequently issued postponing the event, mild weather being promised by the probabilities. However, there was good ice and one game was played. Prospect Park defeating the Peterborough Thistles by this score :—

Prospect Park.		*Peterborough Thistles.*	
R L Johnston,		R Anderson,	
H E Wheeler,		D Bellegham,	
Q D McCulloch,		C McGill,	
D Carlyle, sk	16	S Ray, sk	16
A Matthews,		H Snowden,	
W G Lewis,		C N Brown,	
R Harrison,		D Davidson,	
J G Gibson, sk	23	T Rutherford, sk	25
Total	39	Total	41

Majority for Prospect Park, 17 shots.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

PERSONAL.

Major Taylor, of Lindsay, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Harry Fitzgerald, who has been visiting his parents in Ashburnham for the last few weeks, returned to Winnipeg to-day.

Messrs. R. E. Wood and David Spence of town, are attending the meeting of the Grand Chaper of Royal Arch Masonry of Canada, in Toronto.

Mr. E. J. Stewart, of Norwood, passed through town to-day on his way home from Belleville, where he instituted a court of Canadian Foresters with twenty-five members.

Mr. Thos. Brightman leaves in the morning for Oak's Corner, near Rochester, where his wife's mother, Mrs. Armstrong, is lying seriously ill. Mrs. Brightman has been with her mother for some time.

The Belleville Intelligencer says that Mr. and Mrs. Capt. Bottum and Mrs. John Irwin were in Peterborough attending the funeral of the late Benj. Armstrong, uncle of Mr. Fred Armstrong, of Belleville. Deceased's daughter married a brother of Capt. Bottum.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of James McComb, of the Town of Peterborough, Ladies' and Gent's Furnishings Merchant.

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE ABOVE named has made an assignment to me under the provisions of R.S.O. 1887, Chap. 124, of all his estate in trust for the general benefit of all his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby called and will be held at the office of Messrs. Stratton & Hall, in the Town of Peterborough, on Monday, the 7th day of February, 1898, at 2 p.m. for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate. All the creditors of the said estate are hereby required to fyle their claims and value their securities on or before the date of the said meeting. After the 1st day of March, 1898, I shall proceed to distribute the said estate, having regard only to such claims as I then shall have due notice of, and proof, and I shall not be held responsible for the said estate nor any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims shall not then be fyled.

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For you to avail yourself of the opportunity of low prices which come once a year with our January Reduction Sale. Quick buying is necessary. Here are a few of the Price Cut lines :—

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$3.00 Trousers.....For $5.00
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ALL THE RAGE FOR 1898—THE COLUMBIA BICYCLE. COME IN AND SEE THEM.

A KANSAS COLONY.

Dominion Government Agents Succeed in Inducing 150 Kansas Farmers to Colonize in This Country.

Wichita, Kansas, Jan. 26.—For a week or more agents of the Dominion Government and Canadian railroads have been working in the country surrounding this city in the endeavor to induce immigration into the districts of Saskatchewan, Alberta and Assiniboia, in the Canadian Northwest. A number of meetings have been held, and at one in this city last evening a club of farmers numbering 150 was organized with a view of planting a colony in that country. The majority of the members are farmers financially able to make the journey, and have enough to start in the new country. Many of them have met with a fair degree of success in Kansas, while others of them have failed and are now seeking to recover lost ground.

Cyrus Sullivan was elected President, and a county organization will be formed. Representatives will then be sent to the Northwest Territory to report, and if satisfactory information is received a colony will be formed. The Government agents offer free tranportation to settlers, admission of their goods free of duty and a free homestead of 160 acres of land.

THE PRISONER'S DEMEANOR.

Tom Nulty in Court—Shortis Recalled—Evidence to Show Insanity.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 26.—In the case of Tom Nulty, on trial for the murder of his three sisters and little brother, near Rawdon last November, the defence is bringing out every tittle of evidence which will support their plea of insanity. The prisoner remains standing throughout each entire session of the court with head slightly drooped. He occasionally casts a glance around the room from beneath his eyebrows. For the most part he remains passive, reminding one of the rôle assumed by Shortis during his trial.

Yesterday's sitting was taken up with recitals of more of Tom's peculiarities.

Thomas Vincent saw prisoner about a month and a half before the murders. Tom appeared to be terrified without any real cause. He had tried to calm him by having him play on his violin, but after playing a few bars Tom had to lay the instrument aside and hold his head and appeared to be in great pain. Once during this occasion he had laughed without any apparent reason and the next minute held his hands again to his head.

John McCarthy knew prisoner two years. Met him in woods two months before the murders, when Tom was badly frightened over something, evidently only a fancy.

James McCarthy said prisoner had told him two years ago that his head seemed strange and that he thought his brain was affected. He had observed that Tom was jolly one moment and melancholy the next. In short, witness had always considered Tom was somewhat off in his head.

Emile Levesque gave similar testimony. He was an intimate friend of Tom's and was certain that he loved his sisters and brother.

TORONTO BOARD OF TRADE.

The Results of the Annual Elections—Points of Interest.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—The annual meeting and elections of the Board of Trade were held yesterday afternoon. There was a large attendance of the members.

Mr. D. W Alexander presented the treasurer's statement. The total income for last year, $33,400, was $3,800 less than for the previous year. The fees were $1,828 less, showing a loss of 120 members, and the rentals were $1,000 less. On the other hand the expenses had been reduced $500.

Mr. W. B. Hamilton read the report of the Industrial Association. The last exhibition was highly successful. The annual report of the association, soon to be presented, would show a surplus of $100,000.

President Edward Gurney, in presenting his annual report, gave an elaborate review of the year's proceedings, in the course of which he advocated closer business relations with Britain and the establishment of a Canadian Commercial Agency, which should be non-political, in London, Eng.

After thanks to Mr. Gurney, the newly-elected President, Mr. Elias Rogers delivered an admirable address. He advocated a policy of "back to the land."

The elections resulted as follows: President, Elias Rogers; vice-president, A. E. Kemp; 2nd vice-president, M. C. Ellis; treasurer, A. E. Ames.

Perished in the Klondike.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 26.—The relatives of Cassius and Anthony Chittick of Flora, this State, have received word that the two men have perished in the Klondike region. The two left home for the gold fields last August. At Seattle they were joined by William Gosser of Pittsburg, Pa., and Melville Seoville of Syracuse, N.Y. The last letter they wrote home stated that they were within thirty miles of the Stewart River. Relatives have received a letter from returning miners who have reached Seattle, stating that the whole party perished in a snow storm.

Drying Clothes.

The drying of clothes in frosty weather is sometimes, in the case of delicate fabrics, attended with tearing because of the quick stiffening in the very cold air. A simple precaution which will prevent any such trouble is to dissolve three or four handfuls of coarse salt in the last rinsing water, thus making it, in fact, a weak brine. Articles so rinsed will not suffer from or stiffen with the cold.

The cheeks become pale from fear because the mental emotion diminishes the action of the heart and lungs and so impedes the circulation.

SIGHTSEEING IN LONDON.

A Chicago Girl Notes That English Women Have Large Feet.

"Under these circumstances we took our first drive down Piccadilly, and Europe to me dates from that moment," writes Miss Lilian Bell in The Ladies' Home Journal. "The ship, the landing, the custom house, the train, the hotel—all these were mere preliminaries to Europe, which began then. People told me in America how my heart would swell at this and how I would thrill at that, but it was not so. My first real thrill came on me in Piccadilly. It went all over me in little shivers and came out at the ends of my fingers and then began once more at the base of my brain and did it all over again.

"I remember nothing definite about that first drive. I, for my part, saw with unseeing eyes. My sister had seen it all before, so she had the power of speech. Occasionally she prodded me and cried, 'Look, oh, look quickly!' But I never swerved. 'I can't look. If I do, I shall miss something. You attend to your own window and I'll attend to mine. Coming back I will see your side.'

"When we got beyond the shops, I said to the cabman:

"'Do you know exactly the way you have come?'

"'Yes, miss,' he said.

"'Then go back precisely the same way.

"'Have you lost something, miss?' he inquired.

"'Yes,' I said, 'I have lost an impression, and I must look till I find it.'

"We did it all over again that afternoon, and that second time I was able in a measure to detach myself from the hum and buzz and the dizzying effect of foreign faces, and I began to locate impressions. My first distinct recollections are of the great numbers of high hats on the men, the ill hanging skirts and big feet of the women, the unsteadying effect of all those thousands of cabs, carriages and carts all going to the left, which kept me constantly wishing to shriek out, 'Go to the right or we'll be killed!' the absolutely perfect manner in which traffic was managed and the majestic authority of the London police."

CARE FOR EMPLOYEES.

The Plan Which a Large Manufacturer Found Successful.

The question, "What is to become of the old man?" is one that is frequently discussed. Generally it is meant to apply to men who have not been able to save sufficient money to support them in their declining years and whose economic efficiency has become impaired by the passing of years. To be dependent upon their children or relatives is a humiliation that would imbitter that part of their lives which should be free from care. The almshouse is a horror of degradation from which they shrink. In some countries the governments have endeavored to solve the problem by a system of labor pensions. This is done in Germany; but, despite its merits, it still savors of charity or paternalism.

A few individuals have sought for a solution in this country. In at least one community the employer of 1,000 men insures the lives of all his workmen up to $3,000, and after 25 years of continuous service an employee may retire and continue to draw full wages as long as he lives. To do this the employer says that it costs him not over 1 per cent of his wages account, which he regards as the cheapest possible insurance against strikes and against the disturbance caused by constantly changing his working force. He puts by every year that small percentage of his profits to the account of wear and tear upon labor, just as he does a larger percentage to the account of wear and tear upon machinery. He is an earnest advocate of a national labor pension and insurance system—not by the government, but by an association of employers.—New York Mail and Express.

A Story of Abernethy.

This is the story of Dr. Abernethy which Tennyson used to tell. A farmer went to the great doctor complaining of discomfort in the head, weight and pain. The doctor said, "What quantity of ale do you take?" "Oh, I taakes my yaale pretty well." Abernethy (with great patience and gentleness), "Now then, to begin the day — breakfast, what time?" "Oh, at haafe past 7." "Ale then; how much?" "I taakes my quart." "Luncheon?" "At 11 o'clock, I gets another snack." "Ale then?" "Oh, yes, my pint and a haafe." "Dinner?" "Haafe past 1." "Any ale then?" "Yees, yees, another quart then." "Tea?" "My tea is at haafe past 5." "Ale then?" "Nos, nos." "Supper?" "Noine o'clock." "Ale then?" "Yees, yees. I taakes my fill then. I goes asleep arterward." Like a lion aroused, Abernethy was up, opened the street door, shoved the farmer out and shouted out, "Go home, sir, and let me never see your face again. Go home, drink your ale and be damned." The farmer rushed out aghast, Abernethy pursuing him down the street with shouts of "Go home, sir, and be damned."—St. James Gazette.

The most northern lighthouse in Great Britain, the northwest tower on the coast of Shetland, is built on a rock 200 feet high, the summit of which barely affords room for the necessary buildings. The rock itself has the appearance of a gigantic iceberg.

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RHEUMATISM'S PANGS.

From the Chatham Banner.

Everyone in the village of Wheatley knows Mr. Peter Sippe, who has been a resident of the place for upwards of twenty years, and who during the whole of that period up to last year was a constant sufferer from acute rheumatism, complicated by other troubles until he was worn almost to a shadow. At the age of twenty he joined the New York Cavalry and served through the war of the rebellion. He took part in the historic battles of Bull's Run, Fredericksburg, Culpepper, etc., and at one time rode eighty miles at a stretch, carrying dispatches through the enemy's lines. On another occasion he was on horse back for four days and five nights, and it is little wonder that such hardships left him, as they did thousands of others, with a wrecked constitution. While in the army as a result of poor food and often bad water, he was attacked with diarrhœa, which assumed a chronic form. This of course greatly weakened him, and he fell an easy prey to the pains and terrors of rheumatism. To a correspondent of the Banner he said:—"I never expected to be any better in this world as I had tried scores of medicines which brought me no relief at all. Sometimes for weeks at a time I could not lie down or sleep, and could eat but little. I was not only troubled with rheumatism but at times was subjected to fainting spells, and at other times everything appeared to turn black before my eyes. I would often feel sick at the stomach, at which times food would prove loathsome to me. My kidneys also troubled me greatly and my nervous system seemed completely shattered. Tongue can scarcely tell how much I endured during these long and weary years. About a year ago, I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and it was a grand day for me that I began their use. After I had used a few boxes my pains had decreased and I was considerably better. Later, through a continual use of the pills, I could eat, sleep, and felt as able to work as I had done twenty years ago. I now feel well and strong and if any of my old comrades see this and are afflicted I would urge them to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

ANÆMIA CURED.

From the Sun, Orangeville, Ont.

Some months ago Maggie, the fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sweeney, of John street, of this town, began to fail both in health and spirits. Her face was almost as white as chalk, her appetite very fickle, and her limbs began to swell. Notwithstanding her growing weakness she persisted in attending school, until one day her teacher advised her to go home, and not return until she felt better. At the same time, the teacher, who knew the value of Dr Williams' Pink Pills in such cases, advised her to take them. The advice was followed and Mrs. Sweeney told our reporter that almost from the outset there was an improvement in her daughter's condition. Her appetite became better, the color returned to her face, and the severe headaches that had made her so miserable vanished, and she is now feeling better than she has done for many months.

It is quite evident that this young maiden was suffering from a lack of blood, as do so many young girls who are just at a critical point of life, and it is quite as apparent that there is no other ready the equal of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in such cases. They enrich the blood, stimulate the nerves, and build up the entire system, and mothers will act prudently if they insist upon their daughters taking an occasional box. We know from experience that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done great good in Orangeville and vicinity, and there is scarcely a day that our reporter does not come in contact with some one who has a good word to say for this wonderful medicine.

HAVE YOU INDIGESTION?

Have you a pain in the stomach? Fullness or distention after meals? Wind on the stomach? Hiccoughing and eructation? Sickness, bile, distaste for food? A yellow tongue, bad complexion, taste in the mouth?

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DYSPEPSIA CURED

Miss Lila Laughlin, a young lady who is teaching in the Fort Stewart public school, says:—"Some months ago I was suffering with a severe attack of dyspepsia. I procured some medicine from the doctor which seemed to help me for a time, then it apparently lost its effect and I became worse. I had a terrible pain in the stomach which caused me much distress. Then vomiting set in and continued until I was so weak I could scarcely stand, and at times my sight would seem to leave me. While in this state one of my friends advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I procured a half dozen boxes. By the time I had used them I had fully recovered my health, and I can recommend them to others similarly suffering."

FEMALE WEAKNESS CURED

Mr. John Decaire, Sahanatein, Ont., writes:—"I take the liberty of writing you a few lines in praise of your Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. For some time my wife was a great suffering from trouble pecular to females. She was very weak, suffered from dizziness and headache, and her complexion was sallow. She was not able to do any work, and friends were almost hopeless of her recovery. She was urged to try your valuable medicine, and I decided to get two boxes as a trial. In the course of a week her appetite began to improve and she felt more hopeful. She continued using the pills and under the treatment has fully recovered her health and activity. We both strongly advise women suffering as she did to use Dr Williams' Pink Pills."

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done more to alleviate suffering than any other medicine yet discovered. They have effected cures in hundreds of cases pronounced incurable by physicians, and they have brought rejoicing into the homes of thousands throughout the Dominion. Among those who speak of this wonderful medicine in terms of gratitude is Mr Lemuel McCready, of Shannon, N.B. He says:—

A year ago I was taken with a pain in my hip, which gradually worked down to the knee, where it settled. At first I thought it an attack of rheumatism and treated it with the medicine ordinarily used for that trouble, but with no benefit. The knee began to swell and the pain became excruciating. I wasted away to a mere shadow, and was no better than a cripple. I then consulted a physician, but still got no relief. Then I went to the hospital at St John. The physician who examined me there said my trouble was consumption of the blood, and that it might be necessary to amputate my leg. Thoroughly discouraged I returned home. Then my mother urged me to try Dr Williams' Pink Pills. After using two or three boxes I found the pain greatly diminishing and by the time I had taken seven boxes the limb had regained its normal condition, the pain had all disappeared, I had gained greatly in flesh and was as well as ever I had been in my life. I feel very grateful, for I beleive Dr. Williams' Pink Pills saved me from a life of helplessness."

It is such wonderful cures as Mr McReady's that have given Dr Williams' Pink Pills their great reputation and them the favorite medicine in thousands of families throughout the land.

HEADACHES AND DIZZINESS.

Mrs. C. C. Baily, of Martinville, Que., says:—After several years of continued suffering, I was persuaded to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and have reason to bless the day I began their use. Prior to beginning the use of the Pills I had been under doctors' care, and had tried other remedies, but with no effect beyond occasional temporary relief. I suffered from extreme headaches, dizziness, loss of appetite and palpitation of the heart. I got so weak that frequently I could scarcely move about, and my whole nervous system appeared to be in a state of complete prostration. When I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I doubted very much if any medicine would restore my health, but I determined to give them a trial. After I had taken several boxes, I noticed that I could sleep better, and that my nervous troubles were growing less. My illness had been dragging on for about four years, so that it did not anticipate that it would be easily eradicated, especially as doctors' treatment had failed, but after I had taken about a dozen boxes, I was again in the full enjoyment of health. I think people using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should pay strict attention to the directions, and not always expect a cure from one or two boxes. Had I been so unreasonable I would not to-day be enjoying the good health I have, and I hope this message may benefit some poor discouraged sufferer."

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OR POVERTY OF THE BLOOD.

A trouble chiefly affecting young girls between the ages of 13 and 20 years.

Symptoms:

Pale or sallow, waxy complexions, headaches, indisposition to exertion, loss of appetite, fluttering of the heart, dizziness, sometimes fainting spells, complete loss of ambition, shortness of breath. Anæmia develops into consumption, Check it in time by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—always successful in curing this grave trouble.

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Miss M. E. Hicks, South Bay, Ont.: "Laxa-Liver Pills are excellent for sick-headache, causing no pain or griping."

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FRENCH MARRIAGES.

MATRIMONY THE GREAT OBJECT TO ALL GIRLS OF FRANCE.

Customs In This Particular Have Changed Radically—At the Present Time the Personal Inclinations of Young Women Are Considered.

Miss Anna L. Bicknell is an English lady who has had most unusual opportunities for studying French life. For a number of years she was a governess in the household of Napoleon III and resided in the Tuileries. For The Century Miss Bicknell has written an article on "French Wives and Mothers." Miss Bicknell says:

The old mariage de convenance, which caused so much sorrow and consequent evil in former days, when a girl was taken out of a convent to be shown the man to whom she was about to be married, is now a thing of the past. It must be acknowledged, however, that marriages are still made up, often too hastily and superficially, by nicely balanced family arrangements and by the intervention of friends. Nevertheless, attraction and repulsion are now taken into consideration, and a girl is no longer forced to marry a man whom she positively dislikes. I could quote instances in the very highest (historical) aristocracy where, at the last moment, after the trousseau had been sent in (marked, according to custom, with the united initial letters of the two names elaborately embroidered) and all the social preparations made, the marriage was broken *off because the bride had* declared that she could not "get accustomed" to the bridegroom nor endure the idea of seeing his face in her home during her natural life. In one of these instances the family lamentations over the initials of the trousseau were really amusing. Fortunately a substitute was soon found whose name, like that of the rejected suitor, began with an X, and the complications were thus happily settled.

The great object of the French girl's life is marriage. From the time of her birth her parents have prepared for this event, and in many cases they have considerably straitened their income and curtailed their enjoyments to make up her dot. Every girl in every class is expected to have something. Those who have nothing are exceptions and constitute a minority of old maids. The girls who from choice do not marry generally become nuns, usually much against the wishes of their parents. The old tales of young women being forced into convents to improve the position of their brothers are forgotten in these days, when, while no child can on any pretense be deprived of a share in the father's inheritance, monastic vows are not recognised by law. Nuns and spinsters are exceptions; marriage is the rule.

When a girl is of age to be introduced into society, her friends and relatives immediately look out for a suitable husband, whom it is considered highly desirable to obtain before she has reached the age of 21, that she may not be proclaimed fille majeure when the banns are published. The principal considerations are equality of birth, of position, of fortune, and in the last particular the scale is usually expected to weigh rather more on the side of the young lady, especially if the young man, in addition to sufficient present advantages, can bring forward a number of relatives not likely to live long. This is called having hopes (des esperances—beaucoup d'esperances). If the young lady with a substantial dot can also show a satisfactory background of invalid uncles and aunts, then everything is as it should be, and the young people are brought together with every prospect of a favorable conclusion. It happens, however, too often that they do not know each other sufficiently, and that they are persuaded to believe that the mutual liking is greater than it really is. Sometimes this sort of undefined attraction ripens into a deep and devoted love. When this occurs, there are no more affectionate wives or more faithful widows than Frenchwomen.

More frequently, especially in the higher classes, a sort of cool friendliness springs up, where they see but little of each other, and freedom is enjoyed on both sides. The authority of the husband is less felt than in an English household. There is a sort of understanding that in her home the wife is queen and settles matters as she pleases.

But their best and warmest feelings are awakened by all that concerns their children. French parents are perhaps the most affectionate in the world. The interests and welfare of their children are their first consideration, and wonderful sacrifices of their own pleasure and enjoyment are made in favor of their sons and daughters by the most worldly men and women. These are taken as a matter of course; no one thinks of doing otherwise or of seeing any merit in such acts.

The mothers especially are unequaled. Nothing will stand in the way of a Frenchwoman where her children's interests are concerned. This love is so engrossing that it swallows up every other. They are more mothers than wives, and if called upon to choose between allowing a husband to go alone on a foreign mission or leaving their children they would not hesitate. "Mes enfants avant tout."

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OLD CATERER ON TERRAPIN.

When It Is Ready, the Satisfaction Is In "Eating It All Yourself."

James Prosser, a famous colored caterer of this city, dead long ago, furnished the following formula for preparing and serving terrapin, which was published in a gastronomi journal at the time when he was on earth:

"Yon can't enjoy terrapin unless the day is nippin. Temperature and terrapin go hand in hand. Now, as to your terrapin. Bless yon, there is all the difference in the world in them. The more northerly is the terrapin found the better. You eat a Florida terrapin—you needn't despise it, for terrapin is terrapin everywhere—but you get a Chesapeake one or a Delaware bay one, or, better still, a Long Island one, and there is just the difference between $10 a dozen and $36. Warm water kinder washes the delicate flavor out of them. Don't you let Mr. Bergh know it, but your terrapin must be boiled alive. Have a good big pot, with a hot fire under it, so that he shan't languish, and when it has got on a full head of steam pop him in. What I am goin to give is a recipe for a single one. If you are awfully rich and go in for a gross of terrapin, just use your multiplication table. Just as soon as he caves in watch him and try his flippers. When they part when you pry them with your finger nail, he is good. Open him nicely with a knife. Bilin of him dislocates the snuffbox. There ain't overmuch of it, more's the pity. The most is in the jints of the legs and side lockers, but if you want to commit murder just you smash his gall, and then your terrapin is gone forever. Watch closely for eggs and handle them gingerly. Now, bavin got him or her all into shape, put the meat aside. Take three fresh eggs—you must have them fresh. Bile 'em hard and mash 'em smooth. Add to that a tablespoonful of sifted flour, three tablespoonfuls of cream, salt and pepper (red pepper to a terrapin is just depravity) and two wineglasses of sherry wine. Wine as costs $2.50 a bottle ain't a bit too good. There never was a gotega in all Portugal that wouldn't think itself honored to have itself mixed up with a terrapin. Now you want quite a quarter of a pound of the very best fresh butter and put that in a porcelain covered pan and melt it first—mustn't be browned. When it's come to be oily, put in your terrapin, yolks of egg, wine and all. Let it simmer gently. Bilin up two or three times does the business. What you are after is to make it blend. There ain't nothin that must be too pointed in terrapin stew. It wants to be a quiet thing, a suave thing, just pervaded with a most beautiful and natural terrapin aroma. You must serve it to the people that eats it on a hot plate, but the real thing is to have it on a chafin dish, and though a man ought not to be selfish there is a kind of divine satisfaction in eatin it all yourself."—Philadelphia Times.

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ANCIENT STUTTGART.

Postal and Traveling Accommodations of the Old German City.

The post relations of ancient Stuttgart were unpretentious. The two maid-servants of the postmaster distributed through the city the daily letters, which they carried in the same basket with the family marketing. Letters were carried out of the city by postilions. There was a number of couriers, and as a surety against mistakes there hung in the post-office, beside the curious mail bags, a huge whip, with which, when the commission had been given to the courier, a powerful blow for the strengthening of his memory was dealt him.

Coaches and post wagons were innocent of any suggestion of comfort—a high, clumsy wooden box was secured by thick leathern straps, and in the cavernous bottom were confined together packages and passengers. Up and down hill, over ruts and rocks, the cumbrous vehicle rattled on its way, the hapless travelers being ever on the defensive against the assaults of tumbling boxes and bundles. And then the weary slowness of the way! Formerly the journey from Stuttgart to Tubingen was made in 12 hours. The same journey is now made in four hours. The postilions alighted to take refreshments when it pleased them, and one traveler has left a dismal record of a journey that he once made, during which the driver took the horses from the carriage and attached them to a hay wagon that had been left mired in the mud. The man drove the wagon into the next village, and when there he joined the grateful neighbors in a carousal, while the tired passengers languished on the dusty country road.—Elise J. Allen in Harper's Magazine.

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The Modern Agnostic.

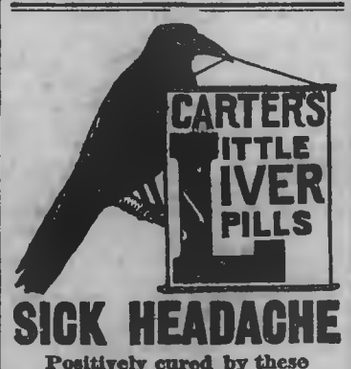
We look at our churches with their congregations, growing in numbers and dwindling in faith, says H. G. Chapman in The Atlantic, and we ask ourselves: In all these buildings, cheap or costly, what real prayers rise, and of those that rise do any get above the roof? What God hears them and has there ever been an answered prayer? We look at the faces of the dead and repeat a burial service. If after the manner of men I have fought with beasts at Ephesus, what advantageth it me if the dead rise not? And as we say the words we ask ourselves, "Do the dead rise?" And if any one is found who believes these things he knows that there is another at his elbow who believes them not a whit or an atom, and these two can hit on no universe that shall satisfy both, nor can one be post to the other.

More Proof.

O'Hoolahan—Countin the two min yesterday, there's been 18 kilt so far on the noo buildin goin up across the street.

O'Callahan (impressively) — Thot's another proof av the unluckiness av the number 18.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Oysters after they have been brought away from the sea know by instinct the exact hour when the tide is rising and approaching their beds, and so of their own accord open their shells to receive their food from the sea, as if they were still at home.



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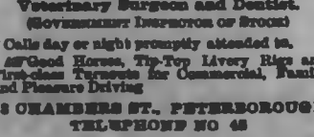

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AS FOLLOWS:

LAKEFIELD, Town Hall, Monday Evening, January 31st.

SELWYN, Tuesday, February 1st

ENNISMORE

TOWN HALL, Thursday, February 3rd.

O'REILLY'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Friday, February 4th.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

LAKEFIELD.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mrs. B. M. Eden, of Peterborough, is visiting friends.

Miss Fitzgibbon, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dunn.

Mr. John Smiles, of Moosejaw, N.W.T., was in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. Young, of Monaghan, was in the village visiting friends.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., will address the electors in the town hall next Monday evening. There will be a large attendance to listen to the address of the popular candidate.

The Sons of Scotland concert here was a grand success, Miss McCallum and Miss Ziegler gave a concert fully up to the expectations of their audience. Miss Cora McDonald played two very nice piano selections. Miss Nelson played Miss Ziegler's accompaniments in her usual good style. The piano was kindly loaned for the occasion by Mr. Robt. Lennox. The Sons of Scotland are to be congratulated on their concert, keeping up their reputation for giving strictly high grade entertainments.

For cheap dress goods now is the time to secure them, during R. Graham & Son's January sale.

R. Graham & Son being direct importers, are the leading store for Teas, as they are able to sell their teas at the price ordinary grocers pay for them. Call and try their teas, you will be pleased.

On Thursday afternoon three rinks of curlers drove up from Norwood and played a friendly match with the local curlers, beating by six points. The following are the players and score:

Norwood.	*Lakefield.*
L McGregor,	J Craig,
R Patterson,	R J Munro,
W Clancy,	G A Baptie,
F W Ashe, sk.....17	G Postlethwaite, sk.. 5
John Rourke,	John Strickland,
W Fry,	F Fortier,
M McGregor,	C Strickland,
Dr Moffatt, skip....12	J C Grylls, skip.....17
W Carnahan,	R Graham,
T E Finlay,	Levi Payne,
J B McKelvie,	J P Strickland,
S Cummings, sk ...10	R C Strickland, sk...11
39	33

Although last Monday evening was a wet night there was a fair crowd at the carnival. The North Smith Band furnished the music. The following were costumes on the ice:

LADIES.

Kathleen Blomfield.....Little Bopeep
Lily Ridpath.....The Flower of Lakefield
— McCallum.....Lakefield Hockey Club of 1898
M Baptie..... " " "
Florence Simpson.....Japanese Lady
Laura Northcott.....Night
Aggie Buckley.....East Side Girl
Clara Buckley.....Spanish Actress
Ethel Cox.....Hungarian Lady
— Blomfield.....An Eastern Lady
Mabel Bates.....Crazy Patchwork
Lily Martin.....Queen of Roses
Alma Fox.....Tambourine Girl
Maggie Kennedy.....Edith the Fair
Violet Fitzgerald.....Sweet Marie
Daisy Butler.....Snow Queen
Maud Fleming.....The Douro Belle
Gladys Murduff.....Queen Esther
Annie Wannamaker.....The Christmas Flower Girl

GENTLEMEN.

Arthur Leeds.....French Count
Gilbert G Gordon.....Volunteer
Robbie Northcotte.....Stars and Stripes
Charles Grey.....Carlos Car, tramp that burnt Sanderson's barn
Allan Hunter.....New Dude in Town
F Mason.....His Satanic Majesty
William Smith.....Soldier
Alf Cox.....Courtier Charles II
Chas V Bell.....Sportsman
Tuffield Morin.....Just home from Klondike
Reginald Blomfield.....Spanish Matador
G W Hendren.....Bicyclist
Vivian G Bell.....Sergt Canadian Infantry
D Chant.....Li Hung Chang
H Lush.....Courtier
Geo don Ridpath.....New Policeman
G Hendren.....Caw, Caw
Bernard Q Deneh.....Hungry Mike in his Wed ding Dress
Reggie Murduff.....Wild Indian
Bruce Ridpath.....Mother and Child
B Baldon.....Tramp
Dr Johnson.....Darkey Dude
Harry Morrison.....Athlete
S Kindred.....An old-time School Girl
Edward Cox.....Stars and Stripes
Charles Blomfield...Page in time of Henry III.

PRIZE WINNERS.

Best dressed lady in fancy costume—Miss Alma Cox.
Best dressed lady in comic costume—Miss Lily Ridpath.
Best dressed gent in fancy costume—Mr H Lush.
Best dressed gent in comic costume—Mr D Chapple.
Best dressed girl in fancy costume—Miss Maggie Kennedy.
Best dressed girl in comic costume—Miss Mabel Bates.
Best dressed boy in fancy costume—C Blomfield.
Best dressed boy in comic costume—C Strickland.
Gents' mile race—S Ridpath.
Half-mile race for boys under 15—B Ridpath.
Quarter-mile race for girls—Miss Ethel Cox.
Barrel race—B Ridpath.
Tin co-legged race—S and B R'dpath.
Wheelbarrow race—Gordon Ridpath.

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COUNTY COUNCIL JANUARY SESSION.

THE DEPUTATION FROM LAKEFIELD BEFORE THE ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE.

The Council to Forward Their Petition And Memorial For a Low Swing Bridge to the Government—School Examiners Dispute Ventilated Before the Council.

SECOND DAY—WEDNESDAY.

The principal portion of the afternoon was taken up by the Roads and Bridges Committee, who were giving a hearing to the deputation from Lakefield in favour of a low swing bridge over the Trent Valley Canal.

Mr. Roger, the superintending engineer, appeared at the request of the committee, and exhibited the plans prepared by him for the high level bridge. In reply to some questions, Mr. Rogers stated that he had nothing to say relative to the particular kind of bridge, other than the fact that he had prepared the plans according to the instructions of the Department, who had awarded the contract for a high level bridge, the work on which was now in progress.

Mr. Geo. Elliott, one of the deputation, said he did not think the government would build a bridge against the wishes and interests of ninety-five per cent of the people who desired a low swing bridge.

Mr. Quinn thought that the petition of 450 of the ratepayers of Lakefield, Smith and Douro, ought to have some weight with the council. If the wishes of the people were to be ignored by the council he did not think they were doing their duty.

Mr. J. C. Sherin said Mr. Elliott had spoken the views and expressed the feeling of the whole deputation.

Mr. Griffin said the whole of the village of Lakefield, with one or two exceptions, were opposed to a high level bridge. A low swing bridge was preferred by all the farmers who would use it: and if the county council wanted to take into its consideration the feelings of the people they would not hesitate to grant the prayer of their position.

Mr. Crawford said as the bridge would be a structure for all time to come, the interest of the village and surrounding country should be considered.

After some further discussion, a motion was carried that the County Council comply with the request of the petitioners to forward the petition, as well as the memorial of the village of Lakefield to the Government. Memorials of a similar nature, passed by the municipalities of Smith, Douro and Dummer, had been forwarded to the Government last week by Mr. J. R. Stratton, M.P.P.

THIRD DAY—THURSDAY.

The council went into session this morning at ten o'clock. The Warden, J. B. Pearce, Esq., in the chair. All the members present except Mr. Casement.

Mr. J. C. Brown, County School Inspector, and Mr. J. C. Davidson, Principal of the Norwood School, were present in reference to the difficulty between them as to certain fees for school examinations at Norwood and other matters. Mr. Davidson and Mr. Brown were both given a hearing and after considerable time was given them in ventilating their grievances, the matter was referred to the Finance Committee on motion of Messrs. Anderson and Brown.

The council adjourned to meet at two o'clock. The Committee on Appointments to office then went into session, with Mr. Shaw in the chair.

See Grafton & Co's White Unlaundried Shirts at 25c and 50c, extra value during the clearing sale.

COLD SPRINGS LITERARY.

From Our Own Correspondent.

The Cold Springs Literary Society held its second meeting Monday night with the President in the chair. The attendance was large, and the following programme was presented: Instrumental, Miss Gillespie; dost, Misses Wilson. The subject of debate was, Resolved—"That Canada is not ready for Prohibition." Affirmative, Mr. D. Kennedy; negative, Mr. G. Stewart. Both gentlemen made clever addresses, and the judges decided that Canada was ready for Prohibition. The Glee Club rendered a chorus and the meeting closed with God Save the Queen.

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TOM NULTY'S TRIAL.

A Defence Witness Who Proved Good for the Crown.

WHY TOM MURDERED HIS SISTER

While Splitting Firewood He Was Seized With an Uncontrollable Impulse to Kill Lizzie, and the Lust for Blood, Unappeased, Impelled the Other Slayings—The Poirier Trial.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 27.—One of the witnesses called by the defence yesterday was Mayor Renaud of Joliette, but who, however, proved a very good Crown witness. Mayor Renaud is a lawyer, and is the party who it was first thought would defend the prisoner. His testimony covered the confession made to himself in the presence of a couple of reporters. Tom had told him that he was in the act of splitting firewood in his father's yard when the uncontrollable impulse seized upon him to murder his sister Lizzie, whom he saw going to the barn. He went to the barn and struck Lizzie with the ax while she was feeding pigs. Seeing his sister Annie coming towards the barn he went out and felled her also. The prisoner then said that he did not remember killing the third sister, but had a hazy recollection of striking little Pat. When he came to himself he was in the bush two miles from home.

In cross-examination Mayor Renand gave as his reasons for not conducting the case for the defence that he had not the necessary time. He also had private reasons. To another question witness stated that he did not think that the prisoner was insane. He was then asked if that was not the real reason why he had dropped the case, but the question was not allowed. Witness further swore that the prisoner would not admit having a motive for the crime. Nothing of any importance was elicited at yesterday's sitting.

THE POIRIER CASE.

Woman Prisoner Told McCaskill That Parslow Killed Her Husband.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 27.—In the Poirier murder trial yesterday Detective McCaskell testified that the female prisoner voluntarily confessed that Parslow, her paramour, was the slayer of her husband. The witness was severely cross-examined by Advocate Poirier, but the evidence was not shaken.

At 2 o'clock Mr. Poirier continued his cross-examination of Detective McCaskell. It has been decided that the trial of Sam Parslow will be held in July.

The first witness was Mrs. Noe Bourrotte of St. Canute. She stated: "I used to go to Mrs. Poirier's, and often saw Sam Parslow there washing the dishes and the floor. Everyone in St. Canute used to say that the prisoner and Sam were lovers." This witness gave very strong evidence against the prisoner.

Eddie Brennan, a youth of St. Canute, corroborated this evidence; then came Edward Parslow, brother of Sam, who stated nothing important, as he was very sick at the time of the murder.

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

A Pedlar Sent to Prison for Representing an Imitation Pill to be the Same as Dr. Williams's Pink Pills—A Far-Reaching Decision.

MONTREAL, Jan. 24th, 1898.—A case of more than ordinary interest to the public came before Judge Lafontaine here today, the facts being as follows: For some time past one H. E. Misner has been going about peddling a pill, which he represented as being the same as Dr. William's Pink Pills. The Dr. William's Medicine Co. placed the matter in the hands of Detective Haynes of the Canadian secret service, who soon had collected sufficient evidence to warrant the arrest of Misner on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. Meantime Misner had left Montreal, going to St. John, N.B. On his arrival in that city he was at once placed under arrest and an official sent to bring him back. He was brought before Judge Lafontaine this morning on two charges, and pleaded guilty to both. It was pointed out that his offence was a grave one and left him liable to a lengthy term of imprisonment. The counsel for the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co. stated that his clients did not wish to press for severe punishment at this time; they only wished to establish the fact that representing an imitation pill to be the same as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills was a crime which left the perpetrator liable to a lengthy imprisonment. On one charge the judge then imposed a sentence of ten days, with the option of a fine of ten dollars, and in the other case a sentence of two days in jail without the option of a fine.

This decision is likely to have a far-reaching effect, as it seems to establish the principle that substitutors and those who sell imitations representing them to be "the same as" Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, are liable under the criminal code, which is in force all over the Dominion, and it will no doubt, to a considerable extent, put an end to this nefarious business, as it is evident from the fact that the Dr. Williams Medicine Co. went to the expense of bringing this man back from so great a distance as St. John, that they intend sparing no expense to protect both the public and themselves in such cases.

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Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was	4.75	and	6 50	now	2.50	and 4 00
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Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.99 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

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	EAST DEPART	ARRIVE
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
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Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.43 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.43 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.53 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
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Controversial Tournament Opened at Kingston.

VERY GREAT INTEREST SHOWN.

Rev. Drs. Grant and Lucas Deliver Two Very Able Speeches—Was the Scott Act a Success or Failure?—Dr. Lucas' Array of Arguments —The Principal's Reply.

Kingston, Jan. 27.—An historic debate, and one that marks the opening of the great prohibition controversy that in a few weeks must rage all over the Dominion, was held last evening in the City Hall between Rev. Principal Grant of Queen's University and Rev. Dr. Lucas of Grimsby.

The audience was representative. Many strangers from all parts of Eastern Ontario were present. Mayor Livingston presided and introduced the debaters. The topic was: "That a law passed by Parliament, prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor, would promote temperance and public and political morality."

Dr. Lucas Opens the Debate.

Dr. Lucas, who was the first speaker, began by declaring that for centuries past the traffic in intoxicating beverages has been the fruitful source of discussion and irritation both inside and outside of legislative halls. The bitterness and wrangling respecting it have been almost endless. We never have been able to adjust, and apparently never can adjust it, so as to quiet the public mind and please all classes. It is not so respecting any other occupation or trade. There seems to be a universal agreement that the traffic is bad, and therefore it is not wonderful that many desire to prohibit it. Touching this point the doctor held that it was the right and power of the people to prohibit that which gave a license its value.

The next position taken was that as the principle of prohibition was applied just in that proportion have the morals of the people in the vicinity gauged and recorded in the police courts gone up or down. The most noted illustration of the evil effects of the diminution of the prohibitory principle and the enlargement of license was seen in the English Beer Law of 1830. The unstinted sale caused the sovereign people to assume "a beastly condition," as Rev. Sydney Smith wrote two weeks after the law was effected. The demoralization was so general and continuous that both Lord Wellington and Lord Brougham frankly confessed to a change of opinion before a year had elapsed. Lord Francis Edgerton said he considered the bill as promotive of enormous evils, and that no bill had ever been more productive of drunkenness and immorality than this. In contrast to this state of affairs Dr. Lucas offered testimony as to the Forbes-McKenzie Act as applied to Scotland, and so deeply convinced were the Scotch members of Parliament that this law tended to improve the moral condition of the people, that when a similar bill was proposed for Ireland forty-three out of the forty-eight Scotch members voted for it. The way prohibition lessened crime and drunkenness in Scotland, Ireland and the United States was detailed and the doctor closed with reference to Canada, saying:

"If we pass from the Atlantic to the Pacific across our Dominion we find the quantity of liquor consumed per head to tally exactly with the extent of the application of the principle of prohibition in the several provinces, Prince Edward Island consuming the least and British Columbia the most, the latter where there is no prohibition consuming nearly twelve times as much as the former, where the Scott Act is in force.

"The Scott Act in Ontario looks to me like a Lee-Metford rifle which a cowardly soldier has thrown away, and taking to his heels, has condemned the gun to excuse his cowardice. The Act is still in force in many counties in Canada and is doing much good in the hands of men who have the courage of their convictions and backbone."

Halton County, where Dr. Lucas was reared to manhood, was quoted as a county that showed amazing evidence of the benefits of prohibition. The third year after the adoption of the Act arrests for drinking in Halton compared with other counties nearby were as follows: Wentworth, 666, or one in 98; Wellington, 235, or one in 319; Halton, three, or one in 7,334. During the Scott Act regime the judges were presented with white gloves on every occasion, a thing said to be unparalleled in the history of any other county in Ontario.

Dr. Grant's Warning.

Dr. Grant, in opening, said he was bound to warn his friend that prohibition may not cure, but aggravate the curse of the liquor traffic, hence he "dreaded a proposal which, if enacted into law, will do more to throw back the cause of temperance and corrupt the country than any legislation that has ever yet been passed in Canada."

The Principal said the difference between himself and Mr. Lucas was as to the best method of promoting temperance. "He believes that prohibition will make the country more temperate and improve it politically and morally. I believe the contrary."

He was a believer in temperance; he counselled all young men to be abstainers; he believed total abstinence to be the safe course for all men, and a high Christian virtue when honestly practised, with the hope and from the motive of helping weak men. But, he did not believe that it is a sin or crime to sell everything that intoxicates, and law will never make men believe that it is a sin, like murder, adultery, fornication, theft or lying. If it is a sin to sell, it must be a sin to buy, and if one party to the transaction is punished, justice demands that the other should be also.

He thanked God that drunkenness is a decaying vice in Canada, thanks to the true temperance workers and thousandfold influences of Christian civilization.

Should, however, prohibition be attempted, it will assuredly revive the horrid vice, and help even to make it fashionable again. Men of British breed are apt to kick against restraint on their reasonable liberty; and all men, young men especially, are apt to think that there is something very nice in carefully locked cupboards. As Beecher put it, "You can never get cows to eat buckwheat straw unless you put a fence round it."

Apparently the animal has in it a trait of human nature, or man has still about him a touch of the animal.

Dr. Grant in his consideration of the topic of debate claimed that according to the experience of Ontario, the Maritime Provinces and the States which have tried the experiment, prohibition does not prohibit; that the consequences have been (1) Increase of drunkenness. (2) The traffic driven into the hands of a depraved class. (3) Multiplication of illicit dives. (4) Evasion of law and consequent increase among the people of contempt for law and general growth of the spirit of illegality. (5) Increase of perjury, because people will not give evidence against a man for being guilty of what the law makes a crime when they do not believe it to be a crime. (6) Opposition to law on the part of respectable citizens, who are angry because their personal liberty is invaded without just cause. (7) Increase of bribery in various forms from the bribery of policemen, sheriffs, deputies or constables, up to the more subtle but more dangerous bribery of politicians, which results from the formation of a vote which is solid on one issue without regard to the general welfare. (8) Violation of the law by magistrates and judges who do not call for former convictions, but inscribe the third or tenth offence as the first, because they know that the law inflicts imprisonment for the third offence. (9) Increase of the spirit of hypocrisy, slander, smoking, and spying and unwarrantable interference with others. (10) The breeding of a low class of infamous creatures called informers, who learn to tell lies with the facilities of the father of lies. He also declared that those results would necessarily flow in larger measure from a more drastic law applied to the whole Dominion.

Dr. Lucas spoke for fifteen minutes to disprove Dr. Grant's logic, which he held was very defective. The only way to restrict the traffic was to blot it out.

Dr. Grant, in closing, said that to secure prohibition for Canada better arguments than Dr. Lucas had advanced would be required. The audience dispersed after singing the National Anthem.

THE CAMPAIGN.

Halton Liberals put in the field a strong candidate in the person of Mr. John R. Barber of Georgetown, who was the unanimous choice of the convention held at Milton. Able addresses were delivered by Hon. E. J. Davis, Provincial Secretary, Mr. John Waldie and others.

Dr. Baxter, who was first elected to the Legislature at Confederation, and who continued as the representative of Haldimand for 31 years, with advantage to his constituents and credit to himself, yesterday announced his retirement from public life. He was Speaker of the House from 1887 to 1890, and enjoyed the additional distinction of being the senior by four years of any other member in point of Parliamentary service. At the convention at Cayuga yesterday Mr. J. W. Holmes of Selkirk, who will make a worthy successor to the veteran who has just retired, was nominated.

Not the least notable feature of the day was the nomination of Mr. W. A. Charlton, M.P.P., to again bear the banner of Liberalism in South Norfolk. Mr. Charlton since he was first returned in 1890 has made himself an exceedingly useful member of the House. Mr. Harcourt attended the convention at Port Rowan, and delivered a characteristically able address.

MORLEY ON BOUNTIES.

A Policy of "Sops and Doles to Favored Classes."

THE LIBERAL LEADER'S VIEW.

The Amalgamated Engineers' Ballot Shows a Majority Vote to Terminate the Strike—The Cabinet in Session —The Czar Is Thankful for Peace With Japan— Cable News.

London, Jan. 28.—Mr. John Morley, the Liberal leader, speaking last evening at Stirling, Scotland, said the proposed West Indian grant was "merely a disguised bounty," and another instance of the Government's policy of "sops and doles to favored classes." He declared that it would be equally justifiable to make a grant to manufacturers having to face a hostile tariff, and expressed the belief that the scheme would not prove such a merely temporary measure as Mr. Joseph Chamberlain had represented.

MADE IN BIRMINGHAM.

The Arms Captured in the Persian Gulf Were Made by British Firms.

London, Jan. 28.—According to a despatch to the Globe, published yesterday afternoon, from Birmingham, the capture of the British steamer Baluchistan off Muscat, Arabia, by the British gunboat Lapwing, and the seizure of her cargo of arms and ammunition, has temporarily paralyzed some of the large gun makers, because the London merchants concerned have ordered them to suspend operations. It is added that some of the guns seized were from Birmingham, whence there has been an extensive trade in arms to the Persian Gulf.

A well-known manufacturer says that, on the order of a London merchant he has turned out a hundred rifles and a ton of ammunition weekly for the last three years. The rifles consisted of Martinis and Lee-Metfords, the British magazine rifle. The Persian authorities, it seems, winked at these irregularities until Great Britain intervened. The firm was preparing to turn out 2,000 weapons monthly to the same customer.

THEY MUST HAVE COAL.

German Warship Had to Return to Aden Because Supply Ran Out.

London, Jan. 28.—A special despatch from Berlin says the German warship Gefion has returned to Aden, in order to arrange for the immediate despatch of colliers to overtake the Deutschland, her consort, whose fires are again said to have given out.

Lord Brassey in Peril.

Melbourne, Jan. 28.—While Lord Brassey, Governor of Victoria, was attempting to board his yacht Sunbeam yesterday from a launch, a wave carried the gangway away, with Lord Brassey and the boatswain on it. They narrowly escaped being crushed between the yacht and launch.

Lady Sykes' Bills All Paid.

London, Jan. 28.—It is reported that on the day following the rendering of the verdict in favor of Sir Tatton Sykes and Lady Sykes, the whole of the moneylenders' claims were paid by friends of Lady Sykes. Mr. Jay, however, refuses either to confirm or to deny the report.

Engineers Want to Work.

London, Jan. 28.—A majority of the Engineers have voted in favor of accepting the terms of the employers. The exact figures have not yet been divulged, but the proportion is said to be about 25,000 in favor of acceptance and 11,000 against it.

British Cabinet Meeting.

London, Jan. 28.—The Marquis of Salisbury presided yesterday at a Cabinet meeting. It is understood that the Ministers discussed the Legislative programme, the Queen's speech for the re-assembling of Parliament, and the far Eastern question.

THE POIRIER MURDER.

The Defence Will Begin to Bring Their Witnesses on To-day.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 28.—Yesterday Mr. Hall continued his evidence as follows: The old mother of Sam Parslow told me once that her poor son Sam was lost with Mrs. Poirier. On the 21st of November last he passed at nine o'clock in the evening near the window of the room where the murder happened and saw no light either there or in front of the house.

The second witness was George Parslow, brother of Sam, who stated that on the 1st of November Sam came home at four o'clock in the afternoon and dressed for work.

Joseph Cyr, cheesemaker of St. Canute, said that the day after the murder he met the prisoner and Sam Parslow at Beauvrette's house, but they did not speak of it in the presence of those parties, because everybody seemed to have his own opinion and did not like to speak.

The other witness was Joseph Gratton, jailkeeper, who only stated when the prisoner was brought to jail.

The defence will call their witnesses to-day and the trial will not finish before Wednesday next.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1898.

COUNTY COUNCIL JANUARY SESSION.

COMMITTEES PREPARING THEIR REPORTS FOR PRESENTATION.

A Deputation Received Yesterday From the Town Council—Matters of Importance Discussed During the Afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION—THURSDAY.

The council resumed at 2 o'clock, the Warden in the chair.

The Warden stated that the deputation from the town council and the municipality of Eanismore were present, and he would ask the council to give them precedence.

HOUSE OF REFUGE.

The deputation from the town council in regard to a House of Refuge was composed of Mayor Davis and Councillors McWilliams and Langford.

On motion of Messrs. Hawthorne and Fitzgerald, the deputation was asked to address the council.

Mayor Davis said that the deputation had been appointed to meet the county council in accordance with the communication received by them informing the town council that a resolution had been passed by the county favouring the erection of a House of Refuge and asking the town to co-operate with them. He was anxious to see the matter brought to a head and was desirous of doing what he could to come to an understanding about a suitable scheme of this nature. Mr. Davis said that perhaps the town would not see so much necessity for a House of Refuge as the County. When it was estimated that an expenditure of some $30,000 or $40 000 was required for the purpose he did not think sufficient reasons existed for burdening the people with such an outlay at present. He admitted that it was not a proper thing in a Christian country like this that because men were getting old they should have to end their days in gaol. It was felt by the town council that some scheme might be devised to avoid this condition of things, without costing much as a House of Refuge, and they were here to show their desire that arrangements be made with that end in view between the two councils.

Councillor Langford said the cost of a House of Refuge was a big expenditure and one that ought to take time to consider. He had not made up his mind whether we should have one or not, but if special committees from the two councils came together they would doubtless come to a satisfactory understanding about the question.

Councillor McWilliams thought that all that was necessary to do was to appoint a committee from each council, who could make enquiries all over the country as to cost and maintenance of Houses of Refuge. It might be necessary that some members of the Committee would have to visit a number of towns where houses of refuge were established and obtain information on the spot. In this way sufficient knowledge could be procured to enable the joint committee to submit a scheme in time for the June meeting of the County Council.

The deputation then withdrew.

DEPUTATION FROM ENNISMORE

A deputation from the municipality of Ennismore was then heard. It was composed of Paul Costello, Reeve, and Councillors Doran, Scollard and Flood.

Reeve Costello said that the Council of Ennismore had been asked to make a special grant to the county for the construction of a new bridge across Mud lake. He could not understand why Ennismore was singled out for a special grant. His municipality had helped to build and pay for its share of the 30 or 40 bridges in the county, and he said he thought it was unreasonable to ask them to make a special grant for this one. The Mud Lake bridge was just as much a benefit to the residents of the municipalities of Harvey, Galway and Sommerville, as it was to Ennismore. These municipalities had as much right to be asked to make special grants as his municipality, and he felt that Ennismore had no right to burden its ratepayers with an extra tax for this particular bridge than the rest of the county. He certainly did not feel disposed to do so.

The other members of the deputation were asked to address the council, but stated that their reeve had expressed their views very clearly, and could not add anything to what he had said.

The warden said he had viewed the matter much in the same light as Reeve Costello, although the county council had thought differently, and considered Ennismore should be asked to make a special grant for the construction of this bridge. He thought the town of Peterborough were rather dilatory in discharging their duty respecting this bridge, and the council had decided that unless the town council did do something this council would have to close the bridge altogether.

Councillor McWilliams thought the bridge might be constructed for less money than estimated. Timber could be got in the township of Lutterworth at a small price, which he believed was very suitable for the construction of this bridge. His idea was that the estimate was too high.

Mr. Hawthorne was quite in accord with the idea of a special joint committee of the town and county councils taking action in regard to a House of Refuge. He was glad to see the town council commencing to act. With regard to the Mud Lake bridge, he did not think the county was asking Ennismore to do too much. He always liked to help those who first helped themselves. Ennismore doubtless had helped to pay its share of the other bridges in the county, but the maintenance of the Mud Lake bridge had cost the county more than the county rate paid by Ennismore. He did not think, therefore, that the county was doing anything unreasonable in asking Ennismore to contribute one-tenth of the cost of the bridge.

Moved by Messrs. Brown and Fitzgerald that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.—Carried.

A REQUEST FROM OTONABEE.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, seconded by Mr. Peck, the reeve of Otonabee, Mr. Johnston, was heard before the council. He asked that power be granted his municipality to allow of their assessment being taken before the 1st of July in each year. Mr. Johnston also drew attention to the injury and inconvenience caused by the telephone companies in planting their poles along the roads. No care was taken in the erection of their poles. His council wanted to know if they could not have the same power to say where these poles should be planted as in towns and villages.

Moved by Mr. Hawthorne, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, that this council pass a bylaw giving power to any municipality within the county to pass a bylaw for taking the assessment each year between the 1st of February and 1st of July.—Carried.

Council then rose.

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THE MIDLAND TRUST CO.

A Shortage of $17,000—Meeting of Creditors Held at Port Hope.

Port Hope, Ont., Jan. 28.—A meeting of the creditors of the Midland Trust Company was held yesterday afternoon in the Town Hall. Fully 800 people were present, a large majority consisting of farmers, and in the gathering there were nearly 100 ladies, all depositors of the bank, for sums from $25 up to thousands of dollars.

Assignee T. Dixon Craig opened the meeting, and stated that the late Stanley Patterson had left a will appointing his widow sole executrix. Mrs. Patterson had made an assignment of the whole estate to him in trust. Mr. Craig then proceeded to read a statement of the assets and liabilities.

Direct Liabilities.

To depositors	$234,971 60
Unpaid drafts and accounts	835 83
Total	$235,807 43

Assets.

Cash on hand	$493 40
Overdrawn accounts	1,100 00
Book debts	2,200 00
Real estate	41,700 00
Bills receivable	74,224 27
Live stock	100 00
Mortgages	58,236 57
Chattel mortgages	8,632 09
Surplus in hands of Bank of Toronto (including 10 shares of bank stock as security for advance	19,917 94
Judgments	622 13
Nominal surplus estate of Stanley Paterson	10,000 00
Furniture and silverware	300 00
Life insurance policy	1,100 00
Total	$218,726 31

The items not included in the assets, but which might realise something in the future, are: 800 shares Consumers' Cordage Co. (fully paid up) $80,000; 17 shares Union Cemetery, $1,700; doubtful accounts, $8,294.78; bad debts $29,854; total $57,676.78.

After considerable discussion, Messrs. H. A. Ward, ex-M.P., and J. T. Henwood, assessor, were appointed inspectors, at $3 each per meeting, or $48 per year, the meetings being limited to two in number.

A Colored Man Killed.

Hamilton, Jan. 28.—William Hutton, a big colored man, was fatally injured in the yard of the Ontario Rolling Mills early last evening. He was jammed between a G.T.R. engine and a car.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOUR.

St. Andrew's Young People's Society. Weekly Meeting.

St. Andrew's Society met on Monday, January 24th. Topic—"Practical Appliances of the Beatitudes."

Mr. D. Lewis gave an excellent paper showing many of Christ's most striking sayings as regards the attitude of household words and life. At the time when Jesus lived on earth the doctrine that He set forth were newer than they are to-day by some nineteen hundred years. Men have become accustomed to looking at many things in the light of the ideas of Jesus, and have in some measure adopted His views of life. When a truth comes to be adopted as a matter of custom it always loses its effectiveness and is apt to be put even to wrong use. It is our duty, therefore, to avoid the thoughtless adoption of truths which Christ taught and endeavour to understand and accept them as practical rules of life. If we go with the meaning of the beatitudes we shall find that though they are so many centuries old, they are still very little understood and in practice people show they have very small belief in them. The application of this truth leads us to claim that inheritance which Christ said the pure in heart will obtain, that rest and peace of a home in heaven. At this meeting it was decided that a representative be sent to the Millbrook Presbyterial convention. The members of that Board desire to take this opportunity of congratulating Mr. Fitzgerald for having such a careful considerate teamster and to commend him for his capable management of his charge through such a blinding snowstorm, getting safe home without any accident.

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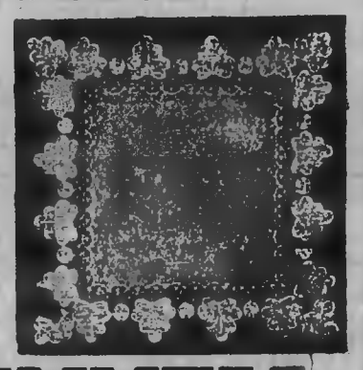

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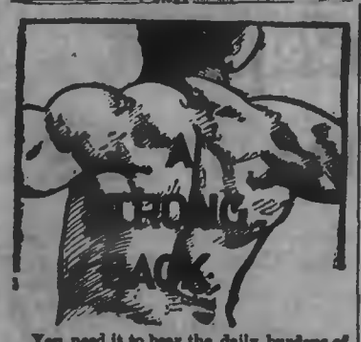

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KLONDIKE RAILROAD.

The Contractors Are Moving With Haste.

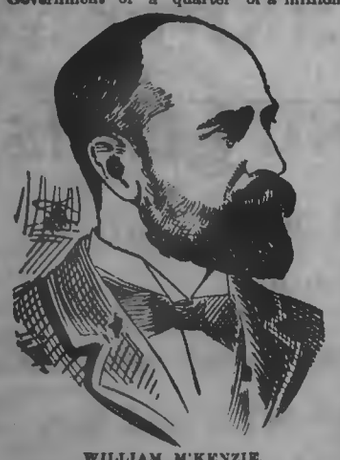
OPINIONS OF THE CONTRACT.

Expression of Approval—The Witness, the Herald, La Patrie—The C.P.R. Secures an American Contract—Also Acquires the Heinze Line—Sir Charles Tupper on the Bargain.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann, who secured the contract for building the Canadian railway towards the Klondike gold fields, are losing no time. Mr. Mann left yesterday morning by the C.P.R. for the scene of operations. All day the transcontinental wires were kept "hot" hurrying men and supplies to the front. A small army of laborers and wagon teams that have been working on the Crow's Nest Pass road are already moving towards the Yukon. It is understood that Mr. Thomas White, C.E., of St. Thomas, has been engaged by Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann as chief engineer of construction.

The Witness on the Bargain.

The Witness says: "So far as appears from the facts made known the arrangement is a good one for the country. There is to be no money grant or advance—that takes one's breath away. There is, on the contrary, to be a cash deposit with the Government of a quarter of a million



WILLIAM M'KENZIE.

dollars as security that the bargain will be fully carried out. This also is unprecedented." Having referred to the high standing of Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann as contractors, the Witness adds: "The part of this proceeding which is open to criticism is that it has been concluded without advertising for tenders. The Government takes the ground that the circumstances precluded this, but that they created conditions that were equivalent to advertising for tenders. The Government had not the materials for specifications, and the absolute need of getting through this season made it impossible to await the deliberations of Parliament. There were countless propositions before them, which they met by imposing the severest conditions. Steam communication must be opened by the 1st of September. It must be through all-Canadian territory, and there would be no money grant. These conditions threw out every proposition made, and it was only after the most anxious consultation that these responsible men undertook to meet them. Even then others were allowed time to make a better offer."

Bold, Prompt and Prudent.

The Herald says: "It is a bold, prompt and yet thoroughly prudent and safeguarded step. Its result will be to get for Canada the trade of that fabulously rich country. By it the great gold-seeking army, which is mobilizing in all parts of the world, and which, as soon as spring opens, will pour into the Yukon district, will be made to contribute to Canada's trade and general prosperity. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, speaking in London the other day, estimated that 150,000 people would go into the Klondike region this year, and that in doing so they would spend a hundred million dollars. If we think over these figures we begin to understand the dimensions of the movement of which that far northwestern territory of ours is to be the goal. The advantages of the route selected by the Government for the railway are obvious. The vexatious and dangerous customs complications which have arisen in connection with the passage of goods over portions of Alaskan territory into the Canadian northwest will be wholly avoided; the route of the railway and the upper Yukon and its territories being in Canada, while the free navigation of the lower Stikine is secured by treaty in perpetuity to British vessels. Grave international complications might arise were the Lynn Canal route to be permanently utilized, but they will be made impossible when the traffic goes over the Stikine. But of more immediate interest and value to Canadians is the fact that the opening of this all-Canadian route will lead the bulk of the Klondike trade into Canadian channels. Miners' outfits of all kinds bought in Canada will pass into the Klondike over this route without let or hindrance. Purchased in other countries, customs duties will have to be paid on them. By one act, therefore, the Government has removed a cause of international friction and insured a valuable market for Canadian products. It has preserved Canada for the Canadians. Moreover, the trade has not only been secured to Canadians, but the interests of those manufacturers and shippers who use the new railway have been secured by strict regulations regarding the freight rates to be charged on it. In the granting of land to the contractors all precautions are taken to safeguard Canada's interest and the interests of miners who may have taken up claims, as well as to require the payment of a royalty on all gold taken from the contractors' lands. In this and every other feature of the contract there has been paid the closest attention to the interests of the whole country. After reading the terms of the arrangement, the conclusion to which one must come is that the Government had driven a good bargain and one which will be hailed with universal satisfaction, insuring as it does the speedy opening of the country through Canadian territory for Canadian ends."

The Patrie.

The Patrie says: "It is the first time in Canada that a project of this importance has been undertaken without assistance from the public treasury. The Laurier Cabinet, which has already accomplished so much work, has just proved once more that in confiding to it their destinies the people of Canada understood their true interests. A few days ago Sir Charles Tupper advised the Government to construct at the cost of the public treasury a railway towards the Yukon. Such an enterprise would have caused an expenditure of several million dollars. The Laurier Government—we cannot repeat it too often—was able to effect an arrangement by which the taxpayers have not one dollar to pay."

C. P. R. Tender Accepted.

Mr. G. M. Bosworth, General Traffic Manager of the C.P.R., has received a despatch from Mr. Skinner, the New York agent, stating that tenders were opened in New York yesterday by the United States Government for the transportation of 500 reindeer across the continent to Seattle, and the Canadian Pacific Railway's tender was the lowest by $200. The reindeer in question are intended to participate in the relief expedition to Klondike being organized by the United States Government. They have already been purchased in Norway and will be brought across the Atlantic on the steamship Manitoba, and at once transhipped to Seattle on the Pacific coast. All the transcontinental railway companies tendered, but the C.P.R. was the lowest. The 500 reindeer will make two train loads.

Richelieu and Ontario Line.

It is evident that the C.P.R. will hereafter have an important influence in the management of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company. At the meeting of the board of the latter company it was agreed that Messrs. E. B. Osler and W. D. Matthews, who are directors of the C.P.R., should be added to the directorate. Which of the present directors will retire has not yet been settled.

Sir Charles Says It's Good.

Before leaving for Ottawa yesterday afternoon Sir Charles Tupper made the following statement: "I notice with very great pleasure the announcement that the Government have promptly provided for the maintenance of an all-Canadian route to that great gold mining centre, towards which the eyes of the world are so strongly directed. I have no doubt the steps they have taken to secure prompt construction of a sled road between the Stikine River and Teslin Lake, to be made into a good trail so soon as the snow disappears, and followed by the construction of a railway to be opened by September next, will meet with the approval of Parliament. I regard these measures as of incalculable value to Canada, and shall be only too glad to give the Government the best support in my power on a question of such vital importance at this moment."

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Say Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Cure For Bright's Disease.

Ingersoll, Jan. 24—Only a couple of weeks ago the remarkable recovery of farmer G. J. Cooke from Kidney Disease, through the agency of Dodd's Kidney Pills, was reported.

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Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Doan's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Doan's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

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The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation, 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Nugent 208 George street.

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GOLD HUNTERS.

Major Walsh Sounds a Note of Warning—Awards for Timber Berths—The Successful Tenderers.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—Mr. Sifton has received a letter from Major Walsh, written on Christmas Eve at Big Salmon River. The Major does not believe that 5,000 people can get into the country. One part of the letter contains an important warning. He says: "I am informed that 15 or 20 agents and brokers have come out from Dawson, carrying with them some hundreds, some say thousands, of certificates for entries of mines on all the streams in the neighborhood of the Klondike River that I believe there never was an ounce of gold found on, and on all other streams in the neighborhood, and to the mountain tops, with the hope that they can be put on the market and be readily seized by the gullible public of the United States and Canada. They are trying to imitate the brokers of South Africa and Rossland. If this is true there is no question but it will be injurious to the country and to good properties that may be put on the market."

Yukon Timber Berths Awarded.

The Interior Department has accepted the following tenders for timber berths in the Yukon: A. S. Cross, Hootalinqua River; A. MacLean, Lake March; E. Vachow, Lewes and Pelley Rivers; J. S. McConnell, Hootalinqua River; Klondike Mining and Trading Transportation Corporation, Teslin Lake; J. J. Johnson, Lake Labarge; H. Danville, Lake Vares; A. S. Kerry, Lake Bennett. All the successful tenderers are Canadians, and they pay an average of $1,000 of a bonus for five square miles. Each award is for five miles. In addition to the bonus a stumpage fee of $2 per thousand feet has got to be paid. The license to cut timber is for one year. Each licensee must erect a saw mill before Sept. 1. The Klondike Corporation is the one of which Sir Charles Tupper is president.

A LIFE SAVER TO MANKIND

is what Mr. George Benner, Wiarton, Ont., styles Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Not that I am at all fond of having my name put in public places, but as a *life saver to mankind*, I hereby state what Dr. A. W. Chase's K.-L. Pills did for me. For nearly four years I was greatly troubled with Constipation and general weakness in the kidneys, and in my perilous position was strongly advised to use Chase's Pills, and to-day I can safely and truthfully state that they have saved my life.

GEO. BENNER.

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Boys' 3-Piece Suits	was 3.50 and	5.00	now	2.50 and	3.00
Boys' 3-Piece Suits	was 5.25 and	7.50	now	3.80 and	4.75
Youth's long pant Suits	was 4.50 and	5.00	now	3.25 and	3.80
Youth's long pant Suits	was 5.25 and	9.00	now	4.00 and	6.00
Men's Suits	was 5.50 and	6.00	now	3.00 and	5.25
Men's Suits	6.25 and	15.00	now	4.00 and	7.50
Children's Ulsters and Coats	was 3.75 and	5.00	now	1.95 and	3.00
Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was 4.75 and	6.50	now	2.50 and	4.00
Boys' and Youths' Pea Jackets and Reefers	was 2.50 and	5.00	now	1.65 and	3.00
A line of Men's Fine Blue and Fawn Overcoats	was 5.00 and	12.00	now	4.00 and	6.00
Odd Pants	was 1.50 and	3.00	now	.78 and	1.75

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LOCAL NEWS.

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

Cream Ale.

Just received a fresh brewing. Come in and try it. Best in Canada.—W. OVERREND, C. P. R. Hotel.

Stock of Tobaccos Sold.

This afternoon Mr. C. LeGros purchased the stock of W. B. Rickey (assigned,) at 53 cents on the dollar. Mr. John Haggart was auctioneer.

—Spot Cash sell Chase & Sanborn's coffees at reduced prices. Try some to-day. 393 George street.

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

—Try E. Welsh for fresh fish and oysters as he is the only dealer in town that sells fresh fish every day the year round. Telephone 202.

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The Rickey Stock.

The stock of W B. Rickey, (assigned), which was sold yesterday afternoon by John Haggart, auctioneer, was purchased by Mr. Joseph Armstrong at 52 cents on the dollar, and will be opened up for business to-morrow.

The Foresters' Carnival Next Friday Evening.

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A Stirring Speech by the Minister of Education.

Excell nt Address by Mr. Stratton—The Conservative Candidate Puts his Case—Mr. Ross Makes a Crushing Reply—A Grand Vindication of the Ontario Government—Big Hit of the Laurier Quartette.

There have been many notable political gatherings in the Opera House, but none have ever been larger in the matter of attendance, more enthusiastic and in every way satisfactory and successful than that held in the Opera House last night. At 7.30 every seat in the hall was filled, and shortly after the aisles were blocked as well as the entrance passages, and hundreds turned away unable to get inside the hall. The audience was as representative as it was large, and while Mr. Stratton's friends very largely predominated, the fact that the Conservative candidate was to be present attracted many of his supporters, and they were by no means modest, many of them, in making their presence known. Though the "piggery" issue is dead the Opposition seem to have a sneaking regard for the defunct policy. It was quite evident that "rooters" had been dispersed throughout the audience with instructions not to be sparing of their lungs, but orders were not very judiciously carried out. Applause and demonstrations came where they didn't fit, and points that should have appealed to the "rooters" were unnoticed. But on the whole the order was excellent and the speeches were received with great favour. Mr. Stratton first briefly addressed the meeting, and the reception his well and concisely put facts and arguments received and the enthusiastic personal welcome accorded him were indicative of unimpaired popularity. Hon. Mr. Ross, as usual, was quite up to concert pitch, and the keen analysis, clear reasoning and cogent argument that distinguish his addresses were in full evidence last night. Mr. Garvin, after having wasted a good deal of valuable time on personal matters and campaign frivolities, spoke fairly well from his standpoint. Altogether the occasion was a most successful one and the discussion on political matters that took place brought out effectively the strong claims of the Government to renewed support, and exposed the weakness of the visionary, unsubstantial and shreddy policy of the Opposition. The gallery was filled with ladies, whose attention to the speakers was unflagging to the last.

The hall was profusely decorated, and the mottoes displayed were patriotic and hospitable rather than polemic. The mottoes included "God Save the Queen," "Welcome to our Visitors," and "Progress to our Fair Dominion." Animation was lent to the proceedings by the presence of the Sons of England Band, which performed selections in an exceptionally fine manner.

Dr. Bell occupied the chair, and after brief preliminary remarks, introduced the noted "Laurier Male Quartette," which delighted not only the musical tastes, but stirred deeply the patriotic ardour of the audience by so splendidly singing that stirring national song, "The Maple Leaf," that they were enthusiastically encored.

Mr. Stratton's Address.

Mr. Stratton, the people's candidate, on rising to address the meeting, was received with enthusiastic demonstrations of the high esteem in which he is held as the past, present and future representative of West Peterborough. After referring in graceful and grateful terms to the presence of so large a number of ladies, and the exceedingly large attendance of electors, he mentioned the increased enthusiasm that had marked his reception in the country in the present campaign. He intended to speak briefly, and at once entered upon the subject of his address, taking up first the question that touched everybody most closely, the financial question, and remarked how gratifying it must be to the electors to observe how well their financial interests have been administered. A few weeks ago Mr. St. John and Mr. Garvin had spoken in that hall and denounced in general terms the wasteful extravagance of the Government, but they had carefully refrained from going into particulars and specifying any extravagant or improper expenditures. Mr. Stratton submitted that it was the highest tribute that could be paid to the honesty and administrative ability of the Government, that of the eighty-three millions expended by them not one dollar had been misapplied and the Opposition had not attempted to meet the frequent challenges that had been extended them to specify one such instance. Much had been said respecting the surplus of $3,800,000 left by the Sandfield Macdonald Government, which this Government had been accused of squandering. Mr. Stratton briefly but clearly showed that that surplus had been largely spent to meet obligations incurred by Sandfield Macdonald before leaving office. These gentlemen did not tell their hearers that nearly every cent of that surplus was pledged before the Mowat Government took office. Nor did they tell of the six millions spent to aid railways, and to develop the resources, nor did they tell them that the government had expended upon services that meant decreased taxation—in fact had given back to them for the public benefit in the past 25 years over forty-three millions of dollars. (Applause.) To bring the matter home Mr. Stratton proceeded to point out the extent to which Peterborough county had been aided in this respect. The government had returned the people's money to them in West Peterborough as follows: There had been given back to the people for education a grand total of $182,000—distributed in direct cash to the Public and Separate Schools and the Collegiate Institute; to Public Libraries, $12,600; to Agricultural Societies, $39,000; to Farmers' Institutes, $875; Nicholls Hospital, $13,000; Protestant Home, $4,500 (which had received no grant till he, Mr. Stratton, had interested the Government); to St. Joseph's Hospital, $5,400; to the House of Providence, $819; for administration of justice, $44,750;

FOR COLONIZATION ROADS,

$117,000; for public improvements, dams, locks, etc., $32,000; to aid railways built in the county, $70,000; to maintain town and county patients in asylums, $120,068; prisoners in the Central Prison, thus relieving the jail, $10,440; in the Reformitery for Boys, $12,327; to maintain pupils in the Deaf and Dumb and Blind Institutes, $12,000; on accounnt of municipal loan fund, $49.208, a total of $788,968. If we added to that $60,000 received for similar purposes under the previous Government, we have a total of $788,968, returned by the Government to the county of Peterborough. But, said the Opposition, the Government has taken the liquor license fund. Mr. Stratton pointed out that the Government had received from this county in the time in question $42,000 of license money. If we deducted that from the total sum mentioned we had a net sum of a round three-quarters of a million given back to the people of Peterborough. (Cheers.) It was charged that the Government had sold the pine, but was not that better than allowing it to become destroyed by forest fires and natural decay, especially when it was devoted to the construction of public buildings and permanent improvements of that kind. Of the nine millions spent by the Government in public buildings there had not been a single dollar gone astray, and no minister had had to hang his head in shame in connection with such expenditure. (Loud applause.) Mr. Stratton challenged the Opposition to point where any better government than that we had received could be given to the province. He invited Mr. Garvin to tell the people what better he could do for Peterborough than he (Mr. Stratton) had done; to tell what was Mr. Whitney's financial policy; what was his municipal policy? To tell what was Mr. Whitney's educational policy; to tell what was Mr. Whitney's policy for the development of the resources of the province of Ontario; what was his agricultural policy; and to tell those above all what was his policy in relation to the labouring classes. In what way could he improve on the record of the present Government in its magnificent

RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHTS OF LABOUR?

The Ontario Government had placed on the statute book 38 distinct Acts of the Legislature to benefit the condition of the the workingman. These protected workmen's lives in factories, limited the age of children to work in factories and in fact touched every interest of every class of wage earners. What has been the result? While in the United States and England labour and capital were at each others' throats, in Ontario we had almost entire freedom from strikes and disputes owing to wise legislation of the Liberal Government that had protected the rights of labour, while it respected the rights of capital. (Loud cheers.) After dealing briefly with the Engledue Mining arrangement, which had resulted in the employment of British capital to develop our untold mineral wealth and give employment to labour, Mr. Stratton appealed to the electors to say whether he had served them well, whether he had served them loyally and faithfully, as evidenced by the local improvements he had been instrumental in procuring for the advantage of the people and the enthusiastic applause that greeted the close of his address was the endorsation of the confidence he expressed that his election was as certain as the rising of the sun.

The Quartette sang "Unfurl the Banner" in a manner that aroused great enthusiasm and produced a recall.

The Conservative Candidate.

Mr. Garvin, the Conservative candidate, who had a seat on the platform, on rising to speak was received by his friends in the audience with cheers and yells of encouragement. After a few preliminary remarks he referred to his presence on the platform as a proof of his courage—to be sandwiched in between the Hon. J. R. Stratton, to be soon the Hon. J. R. Sat-on, and the Hon. G. W. Ross, regarded as one of the foremost platform speakers in the country. Mr. Garvin consumed a large portion of his time in dealing personally with Mr. Stratton, and in referring to petty and unimportant details of campaign meetings in the country. Referring to his dismissal from the position of inspector for incompetence. Mr. Garvin asserted that the majority of the members of the Board were supporting the Liberal-Conservative candidate in this campaign. He also gave Prof. Robertson and not the Government credit for the agricultural progress of the Province of Ontario. Mr. Garvin would have perhaps continued to deal with personal matters to greater length but he was interrupted with the demand, "Give us your policy," and he at once went on to state that he arraigned the Government in the matter of keeping the public accounts, and he read in support of his charge an extract from a speech of Mr. Haycock, the Patron leader, which the speaker regarded as a proof of his assertion that the public accounts were not properly kept. He

RELATED A LITTLE FABLE

to illustrate his assertion that the surplus of assets claimed by the Government did not exist, and he quoted Mr. Harcourt as to what, to the speaker's mind, proved what he wished to impress. The assertion was made that the expenditures since Sandfield Macdonald's time had exceeded the receipts by over two million dollars, and if there was added to that the $500,000 voted last session to aid railways the deficiency was increased by $2,500,000. Mr. Garvin charged that during the term of the present Government 28 million dollars of our capital, in the shape of timber, had been spent, and though we had some public buildings Mr. Garvin argued that we had better had the money. Turning his attention to his great subject, Mr. Garvin went on to denounce the system that turned out too many teachers, through the medium of model schools, thus producing a surplus of inexperienced teachers, who displaced instructors of experience, and he advocated the abolition of the model schools. Mr. Garvin also vigourously attacked the high price of school books and two books were compared before the audience—one a novel of Conan Doyle and the other a Fourth Reader and he contended that the novel was the better book in binding and paper and sold for 21c while the Fourth Reader sold for 40c. Mr. Whitney proposed to abolish the system of royalties and when he came into power he would establish an advisory board to give counsel to the Minister of Education and establish a system that would direct the children of our Public Schools to industrial pursuits instead of professions. The speaker quoted Dr. Ryerson to show that that great educator favoured a council of public instruction. Mr. Ross was charged with doing away with the Advisory Board after the death of Dr. Young. Mr. Garvin then went on to indicate the reforms Mr. Whitney would bring into effect. These were the abolition of the numbered ballot,; giving the municipalities the expenditure of colonization road grants; that all contracts should be let by tender; the abolition of gratuities to officials; no timber sales without the consent of Parliament. Mr. Garvin in touching upon the timber question admitted that the Government did right in not interfering with existing licenses, but the Government should have foreseen the Dingley bill and made provision accordingly.

Mr. Garvin concluded his address, and took his seat amidst the applause of his supporters.

The Laurier Quartette followed with a capitally sung selection, and were compelled to respond to a recall.

The Minister of Education Speaks

The chairman remarked that at the World's Fair, Chicago, the educational exhibit, in competition with the world, had been honoured with the highest award, and the gentleman largely responsible for that splendid success was with them to-night, and the Minister of Education would address them.

Hon. Mr. Ross on coming forward was received with enthusiastic applause. Mr. Ross began his address by a reference to his first visit to Peterborough, twelve years ago, when there was a lively political campaign on, as there generally was in West Peterborough, and as there was at the present time. On that occasion he had been invited to take part in a public discussion, and the parties on the platform were Mr. Stratton, Mr. Carnegie and himself, and though Mr. Stratton was then a young man—in his political knickerbockers—he had been elected by a handsome majority, and he had served his riding faithfully for twelve years, and the speaker had not heard a Conservative member of the House say that he had not acquitted himself admirably. (Cheers.) Mr. Ross said that as an old teacher he had never had such an apt scholar. Mr. Stratton had developed into an active, able and progressive public man, and he was still rising. He took a prominent part in the debates of the House, was listened to with attention, commanded respect, and comported himself in the House in a manner worthy of the dignity of a member of the House. He is a representative of which West Peterborough might well be proud, and Mr. Ross was glad that the riding had given a man that held a leading position, one that would in time take a seat at the council board of the province. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin had referred to the portfolio of Mr. Stratton not coming, but Mr. Ross remarked, amid loud laughter, that it was a good deal nearer than Mr. Garvin's, which would come in the sweet bye and bye that is sung of. Mr. Ross remarked that he liked to talk with the electors of Peterborough. There had been no necessity of his coming for as they had seen that night, Mr. Stratton was

ABLE TO SPEAK FOR HIMSELF.

He was sorry Mr. Garvin should resent his coming, but he came of his own accord and after the election if anything remained of Mr. Garvin he would come back to see it deposited in the political family vault under the inscription "Rest in Peace." (Laughter.) Mr. Garvin, Mr. Ross said, was clever and he perhaps knew it himself as well as anybody, and some of the clever things he said to-night should be sent to the funny papers. He had referred to Mr. Stratton as to be Mr. Sat-on. Mr. Ross did not know whether that brilliant joke had been suggested from Mr. Garvin's experience—he had been sat on himself in every station almost he had occupied, (laughter) and would be sat on in this election. (Cheers.) Mr. Ross then dealt with Mr. Garvin's references to the agricultural interests fostered by the Government, and speedily disposed of the little carping criticism about his (Mr. Ross) statement of the exports of cheese, and pointed out how the export had risen from a low ebb, as it was before the Government took direct interest in its encouragement, to the enormous total of one hundred and

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A MAGNIFICENT MEETING

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sixty four millions. Mr. Garvin gave the credit to Prof. Robertson and not the Government. The Ontario Government, Mr. Ross showed, trained Professor Robertson at the Agricultural College, Guelph, and gave him the opportunity to become the fine expert he was, and it was a great tribute to the practical success of the Ontario department of agriculture that when Hon. Mr. Carling, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, wanted the best man that could be found, he came after Prof. Robertson, trained in the Agricultural College, of Ontario. (Cheers.) If Mr. Whitney was so anxious for the success of agriculture, why did he vote against the appointment of a Minister of Agriculture, one of the best things ever done in the interests of the farmers. In the House in 1888 Mr. Meredith moved an amendment to the bill to appoint a Minister of Agriculture, and Mr. Whitney voted for it. (Cheers.)

THE FARMERS OF THE PROVINCE

have gained largely from the energetic and progressive agricultural policy of the Government, and the speaker asked if the farmers wanted Mr. Whitney's and Mr. Garvin's narrow policy? No Government could hope to live one term that did not extend the most liberal possible aid to every branch of agriculture. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin's failure to follow a straight line in his arguments was compared to a plowman trying to make a straight furrow by following a moving steer in a field as a mark. Referring to Mr. Garvin's argument that it was "time for a change," Mr. Ross suggested that that was another chapter from Mr. Garvin's experience, and when Mr. Ross referred to the "time for a change" in Mr. Garvin's inspectorateship, the shot went home, for some person indulged in hissing and called out "it was the Grits." The charge was not made that the government had not governed well but had governed too long. Could any government that had done well, be too long in its capable charge of the public interests. Mr. Garvin had objected to the manner of keeping the public accounts, and Mr. Ross compared the present fullness of detail with the meagreness of detail in Sandfield Macdonald's day. He pointed out that every cheque, even to the amount of 15 cents, was entered in the public accounts, and it was shown that the Ontario public accounts give much minuter detail than the Dominion public accounts. The public accounts of Ontario were subjected to a public audit by a large committee composed of members of both sides of the house, which could ask for detail vouchers for the smallest expenditure. If the details of an account were asked for the invoice would be produced. Mr. Ross stated that he expended over $7000,000 per year, and not a single voucher had been demanded from his department. The educational items in Sandfield Macdonald's public accounts occupied 50 lines. In last year's reports the details covered thirty or forty pages. There was no concealment in the Public Accounts, and even Mr. Mathieson, the financial critic of the Opposition, had complimented the chairman of the Public Accounts Committee on his fairness and the facilities afforded the Opposition for investigation. Mr. Garvin had repudiated the idea of a Government having a surplus. He (Mr. Ross) was not anxious for a surplus—it was better to have the provincial

REVENUES WELL EXPENDED

in the interests of the people. Municipalities did not have a surplus, because that involved unnecessary taxation. The policy of the Government was to expend money where it should be well expended. On Education Sandfield Macdonald spent $351,000. Last year Mr. Ross gave to Education over $719,000. If he had spent money on the same lines as Sandfield Macdonald he could have had a surplus of eight or nine millions, but the people would not have had the benefit of educational expenditure. The policy of the Government was to develop the brain energy of the people. Money invested in developing the intellectual energy of the people was

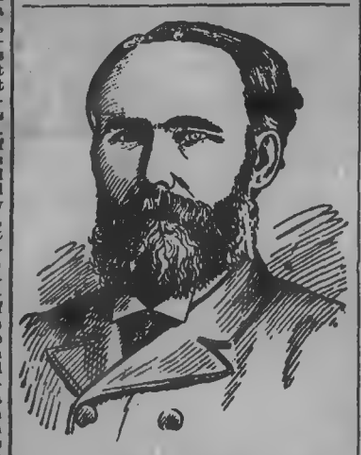
A GRAND INVESTMENT

and England, Scotland and Germany were cited as examples. Von Moltke, after the capture of Sedan said the credit was due to the Kindergarten and the expenditure of $4,000 or $5,000 to educate Grant for a soldier at West Point saved the Republic in the late civil war. (Cheers.)

Such results were better for the people than a surplus in the bank. Regarding the provincial surplus Mr. Ross said we could pay off all our railway liabilities and still have a surplus of $3,313,000 with not a dollar of debt. (Cheers.) It was pointed out that Quebec started on even terms with Ontario in 1867. Now Quebec had a debt of $24,000,000 and paid out about a million and a half every year for interest. Mr. Mathieson, Mr. Whitney and Mr. Garvin might quibble about definitions as to our surplus but the fact was there that we received $340,000 a year interest on our possessions, whether you called it cash or securities. (Cheers.) We could if we liked have as large a surplus as we pleased, but our policy has been and is to spend the money for the good of the people. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin had incorrectly stated that our receipts from timber lands had been $28,-000,000 instead of $23,000,000, but five millions were neither here nor there with him, and asserted that the public institutions represented by the expenditure of that money did not pay. Did it not pay to maintain the 5,023 patients in our six asylums, increased from two, in Sandfield Macdonald's times. If we had not done this, we should have saved four or five millions, which Mr. Garvin thinks should not have been spent. Was it not better than a surplus to care for the unfortunates deprived of reason, to educate the deaf and dumb and the blind, so that the pleasures of life nature had denied could be, in some sense, restored to them? Was not that better than a surplus? Mr. Ross declared that if there was one thing more than another he was proud of, when he regarded our charitable and humane institutions, it was these grand memorials to the Master. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin, Mr. Ross added, would be sorry that he thought interest on a surplus was better than money spent to spread the mantle of charity over the unfortunates maintained in our public institutions. (Loud applause.)

SUBJECT OF EDUCATION.

Turning his attention to the subject of education Mr. Ross referred to Mr. Garvin's complaint that there were a large number of young teachers employed in the schools. The speaker was quite willing to admit this fact and asked what could be done about it. It had proven even impossible to keep Mr. Garvin in the business. He didn't stay in it himself. Maybe teaching was being used as a stepping stone to other professions. What was the remedy? Mr. Garvin had suggested none. This could be rectified if the country could afford it. The speaker could find a remedy easily if he had sufficient money at his disposal, and if the rural sections were in a position to pay their teachers $600 a year, which



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they were not. So the ranks of the profession would have to be recruited from the young teachers. In Peterborough, Mr. Garvin stated the age of the teachers averaged between 30 and 40 years. The speaker was pleased to learn this. It argued that when the citizens in Peterborough got a good thing they knew enough to keep it. (Cheers.) He knew of some teachers in Peterborough. There was Mr. Fessenden, the author of a text book, which besides being used in Ontario was in vogue in Nova Scotia, and negotiations had even been entered into with the author to have it

INTRODUCED IN ENGLAND.

An able man had been found in him and the Peterborough School Board had not been at fault in selecting a man of such capability that he could prepare a text book which not only found favour in Ontario but in England as well. The fact of the youthfulness of some of the teachers had caused him much thought. He might put an age limit of 21 years in the regulations, but then this would tend to shut the young men out of the profession, as many of them were not in a position to wait until they were 21 before they began to earn their living. He commenced to teach himself at 16. It would be a great calamity to the profession if any regulations were put into force which would tend to shut out the male teachers. At present there were two woman teachers to one man. As in the other walks of life the women were crowding the men. He had already raised the age limit from 17 to 18 years for teachers, but was afraid to raise it to 21, as Canadians are not yet sufficiently wealthy, as a nation, to keep their children at home to such an age, so if they did not teach better before than after the age of 21, the circumstances would have to govern the case. The speaker admitted that there was more character in a teacher over 21 than under, but he questioned whether Mr. Garvin would say that the average age was decreasing. He had been an inspector of schools for 16 years before entering the Government, and had a most distinct recollection of

MANY YOUNG MEN

and women under him—and some of them very young. Some teachers succeeded better between the ages of 18 and 21 years than between 21 and 30 years of age. It was all a matter of training and having these circumstances fully in his mind he had put forth a great effort to assist in the training. The teachers taught better now than formerly. They were disciplined in the management of pupils and were better able to govern than formerly. Mr. Garvin urged the closing of the Model Schools. The country was not ready for this yet. The people were not in a position to give sufficient money to educate the teachers in Normal Schools. Mustn't we creep before we walk? In future years when the country was wealthy the age limit could be put at 21 years and the model schools done away with. The age limit for teachers in the High Schools was 21 years of age because so many were not required and better pay could be afforded for them, but when a farmer's son was prepared to teach at the age of 18 was he to say that the boy could not teach until he was 21 or say that there was no Model School for him to go to and that he must attend the Normal at considerable expense, before he had an opportunity of earning any money. No, this would but create stagnation.

Ask any old teachers, continued the speaker, if our schools are not better than they used to be. When he took charge of the Department of Education the attendance at High Schools was 12,000. Last year the attendance was 25,000. How did it increase? Because in fourteen years the standard of the Public Schools had steadily risen

UNDER HIS DIRECTION.

(Applause.) When he took hold there were only 358 students at Universities, now there were 957—almost treble the number. Why? Through the increased efficiency of the High Schools (continued applause). Could all this be done without an effort? No; though without an Advisory Board he had been able to accomplish this.

In 1893 at the World's Exposition in Chicago, Ontario, had competed against the world in educational matters as well as other things. The school system and regulations had been placed in competition against the universe and the decision left in the hands of a board of experts composed of five jurors, none of whom were Canadians, although he had been asked to officiate himself but had declined. The Board, picked from the leading educationalists of the world, had deliberated for six months in their careful study of the different systems, and as the result had given the first award to Ontario as having an almost ideal system. Sir Richard Webster, British Royal Commissioner, who was Attorney-General of Great Britain in Lord Salisbury's Cabinet stated that Ontario's educational exhibit was one of the most

BEAUTIFUL AND INSTRUCTIVE

in the whole fair and was the most perfect system ever coming before his notice, being undoubtedly the finest practical system of education, from the Kindergarten to the University, that the world afforded today. (Cheers.)

In my simplicity, continued Mr. Ross, I prefer Sir Richard Webster's opinion of the results of my efforts to those of Mr. J. W. Garvin. (Laughter.)

General Eaton, the United States Commissioner, also stated that the system was second to none in the world.

The speaker then read a high tribute of praise from the Mail, which was published in connection with the award which was given at the World's Fair. In the face of that good character given to the Education Department, why should Mr. Garvin object to his (Mr. Ross') coming to Peterborough?

Mr. Garvin had also complained that the Ontario school system was simply a breeding ground for the other professions and for positions in the United States, Manitoba and the Northwest. Was it an offence to the school system that it could train men and women in Ontario who were captured for the first positions in the educational institutions of the United States—in the Universities of Harvard, Johns Hopkins and Chicago? Only recently at Chicago 72 students tried for scholarships, only thirteen were eligible, and of these nine were graduates of Toronto University. (Applause.) Should he be ashamed of that? (Loud cheers.) He was glad Ontario was able to give professors

TO THE UNITED STATES.

Was that to be a reproach? He did not mind them going to Manitoba or the Northwest either, and as long as they took their stand under the British flag, could say—"God bless them." Why shouldn't they go to the Northwest? Look at Sifton. (Cheers.) He was one of the first Ontario boys to go there. (Cheers.) See the name he has won for himself. (Applause) These are the men we are making every day in spite of the sneers of our opponents.

Mr. Garvin says the Ontario school system is bad. Why, go to Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Manitoba, the Northwest and British Columbia and you will find the regulations drafted by this feeble hand of mine copied verbatim et literatim. (Continued cheers.)

In Massachusetts, in New York, and even away in Australia, they have built up a system of education under the Southern Cross, copied almost entirely from my own. (Loud cheers.)

"What if our teachers are young, and what if I have no Advisory Board? What if such men as Mr. Whitney, and his apostle here on the platform, do not approve of my system? I shall be content to go down to my grave knowing that I have given to the whole of the Dominion of Canada all of the

MOST IMPORTANT PORTIONS

of the systems of education which are enjoyed in the different provinces." (Renewed cheers.)

When the speaker took charge of the Educational Department, the study of the History of Canada was optional in the schools. He thought, however, that to inspire patriotism our Canadian boys should study Canadian history, and made it compulsory. He succeeded in interesting the Educational Departments in the other provinces with the result that through his instrumentality they had been able to prepare a history which gave the pupils a larger view of Canada. Hitherto each province had its own history taught the pupils. The speaker wanted the children raised to the altitude of considering Canada as a whole, and was successful in his efforts.

In regard to the cost of text books the speaker referred to the comparison made by Mr. Garvin between the fourth reader and a novel. The comparison was in favour of the novel as regards bulk. The novel enjoyed an unusual reputation and an unusual sale, whilst the sale of the Reader was limited, Mr. Garvin's estimate being shown to be far and away above the actual sale, as proven by the number of pupils in attendance in the fourth book departments. The peculiar circumstances by which the novel could be placed in the hands of the public at 21 cents were not explained by Mr. Garvin. How could it be explained that in England the Pilgrim's Progress could be bought for a penny, but could this edition be compared with better editions or could Stead's Poets at a penny be compared with the

MORE EXPENSIVE EDITIONS.

It all depended upon the circumstances for the price. The Department fixed a standard for its books. The paper, binding, etc., was all inspected by an official. The paper in the novel was not of the same quality. Mr. Garvin claimed that the schools books were dear and excessive sums were paid for them. A complete set of school books, however, only cost $4.95 for the whole course of study from the first book to the fifth form.

A voice "That's not true."

Mr. Ross "Not true eh? who said it wasn't true? Here is the list."

The speaker then ran rapidly over the list of books, as required by the regulations of the department, amidst cheers. He handed it to Mr. Garvin to peruse.

Continuing, Mr. Ross stated that Toronto provided its children with books free of cost. Last year 26,000 children attended school and the cost per child was only 18 cents. In Hamilton the cost was 34 cents. At the Normal School, under him, the 600 pupils were supplied with books at a cost of 40½ cents each per year. He had himself thought that perhaps the school books could be produced more cheaply, so in 1897 he had a Royal Commission appointed composed of Judge Morgan, of York, a Conservative by the way, Mr. Bain, Public Librarian of Toronto, was another member, Mr. Blackett-Robinson, the well known publisher, was the third. They had sat for 21 days and

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in order to probe the facts about the cost of the production of school books. Counsel had been present on both sides. The conclusion reached was that the retail price now charged was not excessive and could not be reduced, as the trade could not realize more than a fair business profit. In reply to a question concerning the Irish readers, the commission had replied that the Irish readers would be dear to the Ontario schools at any price. (Cheers.)

Concerning the matter of high prices paid for the books, the charge could not be so very excessive, as thirteen books were used in Manitoba, four in Nova Scotia, six in British Columbia, four in New Brunswick and seven in Quebec. The books were much cheaper than those used in the United States. Thus it was proven by the investigation of impartial men that the Ontario text books were manufactured as cheaply as could be—cheaper than the American—and were of a high literary value. The report was a complete vindication of the Education Department. He was no expert in such matters, but had consulted first on the question of cost with the Queen's printer, then with a printer on his own staff and had, lastly, called in the commission. What more could a man do to ascertain the facts of the case? He had satisfied himself that he was not overcharging for the school books. If the commission had stated that too high a price was charged he would have admitted himself wrong rather than see a wrong done the parents of children, even if the admission had cost him his position in the cabinet. (Cheers.)

It was incorrect to say he had no Advisory Board. He had

THE SAME KIND

as was in vogue in England. His colleagues were his Advisory Board, and the school inspectors of the province were his advisers. He asked their opinion on every regulation he made. If Mr. Garvin had remained in his position longer his advice would have been asked. The system enjoyed by Ontario was a good one, but he was perfectly willing to admit that it was not perfect. Very few things were. Look at the British North America Act for instance. It was drafted by the most astute lawyers in Canada. Was revised and revised again. Went over to England and was once more revised in the Privy Council and yet a few year's later a coach and four could have been driven through it. Changes must come. Everything in the present age of progress was in a state of flux—of evolution. Gas gave way to electricity and doubtless in the years to come the present system of education would be replaced by a more modern one. It was acknowledged to be the best in the world. Was that not enough for the present?

He defied Mr. Garvin to point out any Minister of Education who was responsible to an Advisory Board and Parliament as well. Parliament must be supreme. There was a time when it was not. In the days of the Family Compact for instance. All knew the result. If there was an Advisory Board and a man was made responsible both to that and to Parliament he would be a mere tool. He would be coquetting between the Board and Parliament.

Mr. Garvin had said the speaker refused to give up the patronage of his office. He had never been asked to give it up. On the contrary he had given it up without being asked. (Applause.) When he came into office there was

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in the Province but who had to be appointed by him. At present he did not have the appointment of one. (Cheers.) The Educational Committee appointed them—appointed every one. He sent in to the committee a list of names—twice as many as were needed for the purpose. They were picked from the University graduates who were actually engaged in teaching. None were overlooked. The names of all were sent in without exception—Whig or Tory, white or brown. From this list the Educational Committee picked the men who were to examine the papers. When he first came into office he had no Advisory Board, as stated by Mr. Garvin. Mr. Garvin was also at fault when he said that he had dismissed Prof. Young from office. He had never done so. He revered the memory of Prof. Young and paid a tribute to his great learning.

He trusted that Mr. Garvin would not be elected to a seat in the Legislature. He did not say that he was not possessed of considerable ability, but his educational theories were not sound. If he got into office he would dismiss the speaker and his colleagues. He might laugh at this, but that would be all the sport he would get out of it. Mr. Garvin would never take that seat in the House. He defied the most bitter enemies of the present Government to point out one dollar of the $8,000,000 which had passed through their hands as being spent corruptly. What other Government in Canada,

OR IN THE WORLD,

could throw out such a challenge. Mr. Whitney had said on the stump that the examiners were appointed for political ends and that certificates had been granted by the speaker for the same purpose. When the House assembled he charged Mr. Whitney with having made these statements and asked him if he could specify one single change. If he thought he could the speaker offered him a committee of the House and every opportunity to look into all the circumstances governing the awarding of every certificate. If he succeeded in establishing one charge, he could have the speaker's portfolio. Mr. Whitney didn't, Mr. Whitney couldn't, Mr. Whitney daren't accept the offer.

Wasn't it a mark of confidence in him this year to allow his estimates to go through the House in one hour instead of them talking two days as formerly.

In a division of the House which took place on the policy, the Government majority was swollen from 12 or 15 to 36, as every independent, with the exception of Haggarty, of North Hastings, voted in favour of it.

When Whitney brought in his cut and dried motion condemning the system, and he was asked if he wanted the members called in for a division of the House, he was afraid to put it to the test, as he had been so overwhelmingly defeated in his former effort to pass a vote of want of confidence. (Cheers.) He was afraid to bring his own baby to the altar to be christened. (Laughter and cheers.)

When the speaker came into office the text books in use were all by American or English authors—now every text book on the list was the product of Canadian brains except a Greek book and an Euclid. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin says Mr. Glashan's royalty on the Arithmetic is $10,000. How can he know that? He is guessing—an unpardonable fault in a critic. The speaker did not even know himself what the royalty amounted to and he was in a much better position to ascertain than Mr. Garvin. But even granting that the royalty was large was it not better to have it going into the pockets of a Canadian than paid over to the United States as it was when the speaker took office? (Applause.) Would it be out of place if he used that old Tory cry of Canada for the Canadians in this instance? (Cheers.) The material of which the books were made was all purchased in Ontario, the workmen were from Ontario and they were paid standard Ontario union wages. (Continued cheers.)

The fine work of the Laurier Male Quartette of Toronto during the evening was fully appreciated by the large audience. Never before was better harmony heard in Peterborough, and the blending of the voices was such as to make it impossible to identify the different voices participating. The quartette is composed of Messrs. Stewert Huntington, 1st tenor; J. Hartley Dennison, 2nd tenor; John E. Turton, baritone and H. Ruthven McDonald, basso. The four young men are all from Toronto and are so enthusiastic in their support of the Government as to give their services for a merely nominal sum, just sufficient to meet their expenses. The patriotic and campaign songs were all composed or arranged by Mr. Huntington. Appended is a sample of one which took very suddenly:

Hardy is the man we prize;
Hurrah for victory!
We'll sing his praises to the skies;
Hurrah for victory!
With might and main we'll shout his name;
Hurrah for victory, hurrah!
Record it on the "Book of Fame;"
Hurrah for victory!

CHO:—Now fall in line and join the fray,
Our leaders command, we will obey,
And side by side we'll win the day;
Hurrah for victory!

Our "Grand Old Man" we all adore;
Hurrah for victory!
As years roll on we love him more;
Hurrah for victory!
His acts have always won our praise;
Hurrah for victory, hurrah!
For Ross let all our voices raise;
Hurrah for victory!

On election day won't the Garveaites weep;
Hurrah for victory!
For we'll bury them many fathoms deep;
Hurrah for victory!
Stratton will roost in the Parliament coop;
Hurrah for victory, hurrah!
Poor Garvin will surely be in the soup;
Hurrah for victory!

What hope is left for poor St. John;
Hurrah for victory!
The pig is dead, his hope is gone;
Hurrah for victory!
He views his prospects with dismay;
Hurrah for victory, hurrah!
At home he stay, his swinette to play.
Hurrah for victory!

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

A SOCIAL EVENING.

With the Members of City Lodge—A Programme of Music and Games.

A social evening was held by City Lodge No. 404, I.O.G.T., in their hall last night. About thirty members and friends of the society spent the evening playing crokinole, authors and various other games. The following programme was also presented during the evening:

Recitation.....Miss Sadie Rutherford
Duets.....Misses Edna and Lillian Hill
Solo.....Mr James Browne
Recitation.....Miss Hattie Holmes
Solo.....Mr Green (encored)

Mr. Barnard was in the chair and filled the position very acceptably.

—Spot Cash sell Chase & Sanborn's coffee at reduced prices. Try some to day. 353 George street.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS,

At a Largely Attended Meeting of Auburn Lodge, I.O.G.T., Last Evening.

Election of officers was held at Auburn Lodge, No. 250, I.O.G.T., on Tuesday evening, Jan. 25th, and the following officers were elected:

G W Powell.....C T
Maggie Moffatt.....V T
Annie Ellis.....Sec
Edith Pratley.....A Sec
Wm Lush.....F Sec
A Pratley.....Treas
Alice Carter.....Chap
Jas Belleghem.....Marshal
Eva L Powell.....D Marshal
Jennie Spencley.....Guard
A McFrost.....Sent

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

A Stationery Blizzard.

The only way to thin out the lines where stock is too heavy is to cut deep into prices, then they go. It's like touching a match to gunpowder. That's what we are doing at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have closed a big year's business, and we intend 1898 to be bigger. Present stocks are marked at good-by prices—some one-fourth, some one-third, some one-half. Books, both cloth and paper bound, come among the largest reductions, and the fancy goods and leather goods next. Everything in fancy goes at 20 per cent. off former prices.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, with front reinforcements continuous facing, Grafton & Co's special price 25c.

New Barber—New Prices.

I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 329 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices:

Hair cut.....10c
Shave.....7c

Having been five years in the employ of Mr. LeGros, I can guarantee my work to be satisfactory. Three comfortable chairs and up-to-date accommodation. Ladies' Shampooing correctly done. Switches and bangs repaired and made to order to match your own hair at half the usual price.

EDWARD LECLAIRE.

Windsor Salt

Purest and Best for Table and Dairy
No adulteration. Never cakes.

Dr. Livingstone's Cough Pills Cure When Other Well-Known Remedies Fail.

"For the last three winters I have been subject to a most harrassing cough which kept me awake at nights and weakened me considerably. I have used two boxes of DR. LIVINGSTONE'S COUGH PILLS and I find them THE BEST COUGH REMEDY I have ever used. Last winter I used seven bottles of Cod Liver Oil and emulsions of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, besides other remedies. These strengthened the lungs to an extent, but did not relieve or improve the cough. This year I used two boxes of Dr. Livingstone's Cough Pills, which broke my cough at once and also strengthened the lungs and throat. I consider them SUPERIOR TO ANY OTHER COUGH REMEDY I have ever used and I can highly recommend them to anyone suffering from a cough or cold." Yours truly, GEO. H. POSTLETHWAITE, Lakefield, Ont. Prices 50c at all druggists, or sent post-paid upon receipt of price. Dr. Livingstone's Cough Pills Co., Box 603, Peterborough, Ont.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Barrett, of Almost, are in town visiting the latter's the latter's sister, Mrs. Turner, of Rubidge street.

Mr. Melville Strickland, of Lakefield, was in town to-day, after having just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. J. J. Turner, who has been seriously ill for the past week, is improving.

Mr. F. A. Lount, of Cobourg, is visiting Mrs. Peter Campbell for a few days.

Mrs. A. H. Stratton returned last evening from Belleville, where she has been visiting for the last few days.

—Choice teas, prices low. Spot Cash.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m.....11° below zero

	Highest.	Lowest.
Yesterday	21°	10°

Piles Cured without the use of Knife by Dr. Chase.

I was troubled for years with Piles and tried everything I could buy without any benefit, until I tried Dr. Chase's Ointment. The result was marvellous. Two boxes completely cured me

Jas. Stewart, Harness Maker,
Woodville, Ont.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Men's Unlaundered White Shirts, with double back and front, reinforcements, continuous facing, Grafton & Co's Special Price 50c.

The Wabash Railway Trains

running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled rom end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto

BIRTH.

MCMASTER.—At Peterborough, on Tuesday, January 18th, 1898, the wife of Mr. Floyd McMaster, of a son.

J. D. TULLY'S Drug Store

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ON GILMOUR STREET.

THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Andrew Douglas, situated on the north side of Gilmour Street, upon which is erected a Solid Brick Dwelling, with Frame Sheds and other conveniences. There [illegible] of 70 feet on Gilmour street, [illegible] feet.

Also the Lot adjoining on [illegible] ing 80 feet more or less, a [illegible] upon this Lot is a frame barn and [illegible] combined, with stone foundation.

This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

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15c.

COLUMBIA CHAINLESS ON VIEW.

A. Mercer Co

ONTARIO MORE MORAL

According to the Report of Inspector Noxon, Which Is Just Out.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—According to the annual report of Inspector Noxon, just out, Ontario is becoming better morally. There is a noticeable diminution during the past year in the committals of drunkenness and other offenses.

The Government, it is said, intend to take action for the improvement of the jails of the province, which are said to be in a bad condition. During 1897 there were 8,884 committals, as against 9,038 for the previous year. Of these 285 were boys and 47 girls under 16 years of age. The committals for drunkenness numbered 191 less than in the previous year.

The Inspector wants some reforms. He states that in the Central Prison there is an inadequate number of cells, that there is no provision for the proper separation of those confined, and that there are insufficient conveniences for school purposes. There are at present 979 prisoners in the prison, against 900 in 1896. The cost of maintenance per capita is 30½c per head. The outlay for the year was $56,800, while the expenditure last year was $62,000. The earnings of the industries amounted to $24,080, and the cost of maintenance was thus reduced to 22c per head.

The committals to the Reformatory are growing less. In 1882 there were 363 boys in the institution, now there are 128. The Mercer has 103 patients this year, as compared with 97 last year, and the Refuge 34 as compared with 22.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

In Chicago Wednesday January wheat sold at $1.

Count Ludwig Tisza of Hungary is dead.

President Dole of Hawaii has arrived in Washington.

It is said Italy will have to import 40,000,000 bushels of wheat before the next harvest.

Letters will be carried from Vancouver to Dawson City for the modest price of $3 per half ounce.

Two steamers which left Vancouver on Tuesday for the Klondike were loaded to their full capacity with passengers and supplies.

A despatch from Sebastopol says it is rumored there that a portion of the Russian Black Sea fleet will be despatched to China.

Joseph McKenna, late Attorney-General, has taken his seat on the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States as an associate justice.

Joseph C. Carter of Honolulu, an opponent of annexation, has arrived in Washington. He is the business adviser of ex-Queen Liliuokalani, as well as a friend on whose loyalty she can depend absolutely.

A Tram Across Niagara.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 27.—A bill to incorporate the Niagara Tramway Company, with a capital stock of $50,000, was introduced in the Assembly yesterday. The list of directors includes the name of L. Clark Raymond of Welland, Ont. It is the intention of the company to string a wire across Niagara Falls and run a tramway from one side of the river to the other. It is designed to carry passengers and freight.

The Canadian Government has granted the company permission to do business in Canada.

Carelessness in girlhood causes the greatest suffering and unhappiness in after life. Little irregularities and weaknesses in girls should be looked after promptly and treatment given at once. Dr. Pierce Favourite Prescription promotes regularity of all feminine functions, makes strength and builds up a sturdy health with which to meet the trials to come. The Favourite Prescription is not a universal panacea. It is good for but one thing. It is directed solely at one set of organs.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, a 1008 page medical work, profusely illustrated, will be sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to cover postage only. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N.Y.

Wentworth Has a Liberal Warden.

Hamilton, Jan. 27.—The battle for the wardenship of Wentworth County after 18 unsuccessful ballots yesterday, began again this morning. Every member was in his seat and there was a large attendance of lookers-on. Five more ballots brought a tie vote between Councillors Pettit (Con.) and Calder (Lib.), and Councillor Ironsides (Lib.) being called on to give the casting vote, naturally declared Mr. Calder elected. The new warden was born in Ancaster 40 years ago. He is a farmer and president of the Caledonia Milling Association. He sat for Ancaster in the council from 1885 to 1887 and again last year.

Well-Known Physician Dead.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 27.—Dr. Michael Talbot, one of the most eminent physicians and surgeons of Western New York, who resided at Suspension Bridge, N.Y., passed suddenly away yesterday morning at the Sisters' Hospital, Buffalo, where he had gone last Friday to undergo a treatment for croupous pneumonia and finally heart failure. The deceased leaves, besides a widow—nee Miss Mary Bampfield, formerly of this town—three daughters and two sons, and a host of friends.

Allison is Repentant.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—Ever since his confession, and in an increasing degree during the past few days, the condemned Allison has exhibited what appears to be genuine sorrow for having committed the deed that is a fortnight hence likely to cost him his life. He has repeatedly of late expressed himself thus to the jail officials. His general health continues good. He eats and sleeps as formerly, and says he does not fear the death which he is now convinced awaits him.

The proper way to build health is to make the blood rich and pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one true blood purifier.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your Blood, clear your Complexion regulate your Bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and $1.00 Sold by John Nugent 326 George treet.

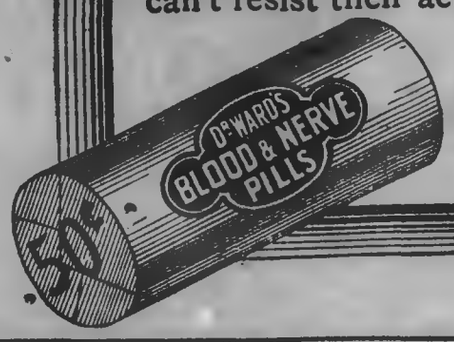
That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

WHY DON'T YOU TAKE?

HEART HUMBUG.

WHY DON'T YOU TAKE?

IT is fashionable to-day to have a new heart scare every 24 hours. The commonest symptoms of dyspepsia or nerve trouble, such as palpitation, weak spells, loss of appetite and poor circulation are magnified and distorted into serious signs of heart trouble, with the object of frightening the public into taking this or that heart remedy. If a hundredth part of the heart trouble we hear about were real, the cemeteries would be filled in a month. A wrong construction is put upon common ailments in order to humbug the people into the belief that heart disease is prevalent, whereas real heart trouble, which is so sadly and suddenly fatal when it does occur, is a rare disease. Lop-sided arguments cannot convince an intelligent people. Iron is the vital element of the blood. You can't have too much. But too little iron means weakness, lack of spirit, pallid cheeks, shortness of breath, sleeplessness, nervousness, loss of vital force, ending in general break-down. The iron in Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills is in the soluble form you need, in combination with other curative agents in such a manner that disease can't resist their action. The blood becomes rich and red, strength returns, spirits revive, good health comes back again. YOU FEEL YOURSELF GETTING WELL WHEN YOU TAKE DR. WARD'S BLOOD AND NERVE PILLS.



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BREAKFAST CEREALS.

They Contain Essential Elements For Perfect Nourishment of the Body.

"Cereals and fruits should form the base of breakfast foods," writes Mrs. S. T. Rorer on "Breakfast Cereals and Fruits" in her cooking lesson in The Ladies' Home Journal. "They will support muscular action, preserve the heat of the body and strengthen the brain in its nervous activity. Whole or steel cut oats and whole wheat, from which our nineteenth century bread should be made, contain the essential elements for the perfect nourishment of the human body. The great objection to cereal foods is their difficulty of digestion, not from any fault of the foods, but, first, from lack of time in cooking and, second, from lack of proper mastication. Raw starches are indigestible. The first step, then, toward the digestion of starches is over the fire. Each little cell must be ruptured, and for this long and careful cooking is required. The second step to the digestion of starches is in the mouth. They are there converted from the insoluble starch to soluble sugar. If they are swallowed quickly, without mastication, they miss this digestion, entering the stomach as strangers. This organ not being prepared to receive them, they are cast out into the small intestines to be entirely instead of partly digested. This organ, now compelled to do, in addition to its own duties, the work of the mouth, soon becomes overtaxed, and we have, as a result, the disease most common in this country—intestinal indigestion.

"Of the breakfast cereals steel cut oats head the list. Any of the wheat germ preparations are good. After these come the rolled wheat and barley and rice preparations. All these foods, however, must be thoroughly cooked and eaten without sugar."

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

Hopes Fulfilled.

The following letter tells what people think about Laxa-Liver Pills:

DEAR SIRS,—I gladly testify to the virtues of Laxa-Liver Pills. I used to be troubled with severe headaches and constipation for a long time and took these pills hoping for a cure, and my hopes were rapidly fulfilled. I have found them a never-failing remedy, and heartily recommend them.

Signed, MRS [illegible] LAWSON,
Moncton, N. B.

Piles! Piles! Itcham Piles.

Symptoms—Moisture intense itching and stinging; most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumour. All druggists or by mail, for 50 cents. Dr. Swayne & Son, Philadelphia. Lyman Sons & Co Montreal wholesale agents

SHILOH'S CURE, the great Cough and Croup Cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains twenty-five doses only 25c. Children love it. Sold by John Nugent 326 George street.

CONTINUES STRONG.

Cash Wheat Sold in Chicago for Over a Dollar—Cables Are Higher—Local Prices.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 26.

Cash wheat in Chicago 2½c higher at $1.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¾d higher to-day.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$1 00	$0 94⅝
New York	1 04⅞	0 99⅝
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern.	0 98	0 94⅝
St. Louis	0 97	0 91⅞
Toledo	0 96½	0 90⅝
Detroit	0 96⅝	0 90⅝
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 95	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 93¾	0 93⅝
Toronto, red	0 88	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 05	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour trade is quiet, with prices firmer. Straight rollers are quoted at $4 middle freights.

WHEAT—The market continues strong, with a good demand. Red winter sold at 84c to 85c high freights, spring at 85c on Midland, and goose quoted at 78½c to 79c Midland. Manitoba wheat firm at $1.05 to $1.06, North Bay, for No. 1 hard, and at $1.01, Owen Sound and Midland.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 32c to 33c west, No. 3 extra at 29c, and feed at 26c to 27c west.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 26½c for white and on Midland at 27½c; mixed 25½c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices nominal at 52c west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quote dat 31c west and at 32c east.

RYE—The market is firmer, with sales at 46c west and at 47c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots quoted at 28c west for new yellow.

[illegible] demand is fair, with sales at $9, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is unchanged, with car lots in bags quoted at $3.20.

PROVISIONS—Trade is quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls 8½c to 9c. Mess pork, $14.50 to $15.00; do., short cut, $13.50 to $14.00; do., shoulder mess, $13.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¾c for tierces, 6c to 7c for tubs and 7½c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 58c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 16c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8c to 8½c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 9¾c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins $1 to $1.10. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL—Fleece is nominal. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

On account of the storm receipts of grain were small to-day. Two loads of red wheat sold at 88c to 89c. Barley firmer; one load sold at 35c. Oats firmer, 2 loads selling at 30c to 31c per bushel.

Hay unchanged, 5 loads going at $7 to $9 per ton. Straw nominal.

Hogs unchanged.

Potatoes 60c to 65c per bag.

British Markets.

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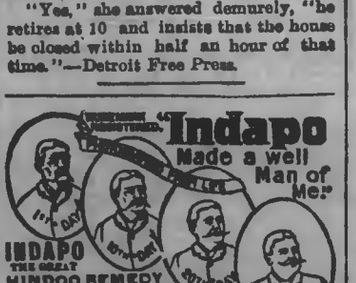
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SAN BENITO.

In the early nineties there arose in the town of Tularosa a prophet who had honor among his own people. He was only Benito Morales at first, but he came to be San Benito, and this was the manner of it:

Benito was the only son of one Senora Morales. She had wandered into Tularosa one day with her baby in her arms. To wander in Tularosa afoot is no small achievement. The surrounding country is greasewood plain, barren knolls and alkali patches as far as the eye can reach. At Three Rivers, seven miles to the west, there is a creek which runs almost dry in summer, but north, east and south for many, many leagues there is neither water nor shelter. That the mother, with her child in her arms, had lived through the desert journey was a marvel which was not explained at the time, but which was in after years attributed to divine guidance.

Senora Morales was very young, her baby was but 2 months old, and its father, she said, was a white man. He was her husband, and he would come by and by. But he never came. The priest found her shelter in a crumbling adobe hut, and in return she swept the church and renewed the paper roses in the white and gilt vases upon the altar. She lived mostly on charity. Benito grew to manhood and early gave proof that his mother had spoken the truth in saying that his father had been Americano by the extraordinary activity of his mind. But that he was also half Mexican was evinced in his quite ordinary indolence of body. The priest saw in him a promising padre, and undertook his education. The progress of young Morales was astonishing. His reputation spread. Advice was asked of him as frequently as of the priest, and those who followed it did well, for his inspiration was keen common sense and an eye to the main chance. It dawned slowly upon the padre that his pupil was coming to be of unduly great repute, that his own prestige was menaced, and when Benito was in his twentieth year the good father thus addressed him:

"My son, you are now a man, and you should play a man's part. You should go out into the world and work for the mother who has so long supported you."

The word "work" was a terrible stab to the heart of Benito. "But am I not to be a priest?" he asked.

"No," said the father piously. "You have not the spirit of the priest. You love the things of this world."

Benito's fine black eyes grew rapt, and he opened his lips to protest. But the father had some knowledge of mankind himself, and he interrupted. "And then," he suggested, "the padre must be always poor, but a brain like yours can make much money in the world."

The fine black eyes sparkled with greed. The white strain was strongest in his love of gain, insomuch indeed that it overcame the laziness of his Mexican blood, and the thought of adventure which should be rewarded with gold fired Benito's soul.

"Where shall I go?" he asked.

"To the railroad, to Socorro, to Santa Fe, to Tucson, perhaps even to Los Angeles," the priest answered vaguely. "You can grow rich—ah, very rich—in Socorro or Santa Fe. You need not go farther, for some day you might wish to come back to your mother, and you could not do it maybe if you were so far away as Tucson."

"But I must have money to go with," suggested Benito.

The priest looked at him reproachfully. "Your mother did not need money when she came from the north and carried you in her arms." Benito was silent. "But perhaps we can get $1, or even $2. I will go today and try to gather it for you. Have you no money of your own?"

"No," lied Benito glibly.

"And yet," said the good father, perplexed, "you have often been paid when you have given advice."

"I gave the money to my mother. Did she not deserve that I should?" asked Morales righteously.

The padre doubted, but he held his peace. He gathered $2.20 from his grateful flock, and Benito Morales, taking that and the $10 he had been all his life in saving, started forth to seek his fortune. His mother wept placidly for days as she smoked her cigarettes on the shady side of the house or knelt in church and prayed and said her beads while the swallows flew back and forth and twitted among the rafters. In time she ceased to weep, but she talked incessantly of her only son.

Two years passed before Benito came back to his own. He had gone in the summer, and in the summer he returned. A drought was upon the land. In those two years there had been no rain. The priest prayed and the people supplicated and the figure of St. Joseph was carried in procession. It had brought water from the skies before this. Yet now its influence was of no avail, and the crops—even the crop of frijoles—seemed doomed to fail. Then Benito Morales returned. The people, remembering that his advice had proved good of yore, asked him now what they should do. Benito did not commit himself but he said that he would pray, and that perchance the anger of heaven might be withdrawn. If so, he would expect to be paid. The people promised. Then Benito went into the church and bowed his picturesque head and prayed for rain. There was some faith in his heart and much skepticism. On the following day it rained. Benito was well paid, and his reputation far outshone that of the padre. Now Benito in his travels had wandered to the farthermost limits of the continent, even unto San Francisco and Los Angeles. He had learned much that the padre would not and much that the padre could not have taught him. Among the latter was the trick of hypnotizing. A hypnotist had picked Morales up from the streets one evening and had promised him 50 cents if the Mexican would help him with his show. Morales did not know what it was, but he needed half a dollar, and he went with the man, and he went again night after night. He observed and he watched, and at last he determined that he could do the "treeck" as well as the "gringo." He experimented and practiced and became in course of time fairly proficient, for Morales was a man of brains and will. The "treeck" served to amuse him and his worthless friends, but he never thought of turning it to account. He was sharp enough to know that he did not do it so well as the white man.

In course of time he grew weary of working to live. He did not grow rich, and he had to labor hard for the rare dollars that he turned. It was better in Tularosa, where people would give him frijoles and cigarettes and where his mother would do the little that was needed to keep hunger from the door. Slowly and leisurely he earned his way back to Socorro, and thence he rode on a burro that he found on the banks of the Rio Grande to Tularosa. Thus it was that Benito Morales returned to his own people, little dreaming of the honors that were in store for him.

One day as he sat in his own doorway watching the mocking bird that hopped back and forth in its cage and pecked at the red chili stuck between the bars he wondered how he should get his next package of brown rice paper for cigarettes. He had no money, his mother had none and he had exhausted the generosity of his friends. Then it flashed upon him that the "treeck" would be of use. He could get endless packages of papers by that method. He went to where a number of his friends lounged around the door of the one store of the town. The least generous man of them all had a new package. In seeming playfulness Morales pressed him upon the brow and gazed into his eyes. The man grew rigid.

"Give me your cigarette papers and some tobacco, if you please," suggested Benito.

His subject did as he was bid. Benito released him and sat down to smoke.

The onlookers were seized with a terrible awe. Benito had a power from the devil or from heaven, they were not certain which, and it lay with Morales to decide that for them. He put his power to good uses for a time. He cured those of the sick who seemed likely to recover. He made men perform feats of prodigious strength. The people rose up and blessed him, and ere long they called him San Benito, timidly at first, then with growing conviction.

When his reputation was established, Morales began to work for his own ends. Manuel Guitterez awoke from a trance one day to find that he had in the presence of witnesses signed away his house to Morales. When he protested, he was set upon and beaten and driven off with boots. Jose Ortega in the same fashion gave away his bit of a ranch at Three Rivers. Morales was now a landed proprietor. He married, and one person contributed, all unwittingly, a chair, another a bed, another a table, another a statue of a saint, to furnish the bridegroom's house. The people feared and almost worshiped him. His mother and his wife and his children received much honor. But Morales had too much rope, and in due time he hanged himself.

A tenmster who was camping upon the bank of the creek a couple of miles from Morales' rancho had two mules which the Mexican coveted. Benito spent the evening hanging around the teamster's campfire and talking to him. He was a "gringo," but the "treeck" had been done to "gringos" before. Why, reasoned Morales, should not he attempt it? He did and with entire success. When the man was under his influence, Morales said, "To-night at 12 o'clock you will come one mile down the river to where the ford road is, and you will give me these two mules." Morales touched the ones he wanted. Then he awoke the teamster and went away. At midnight he waited by the ford and received the mules. He sent the man back to his camp and took the animals to a clump of heavy willows, where he tied them. He did not want the man to find them in his corral if it should occur to him to make trouble.

The next day as Morales dug aimlessly in his strawberry patch he saw the sheriff and the teamster approaching. The sheriff was an Irishman who kept the one store of the town, and he did not like Benito. The Mexican was badly scared.

"This man," said the Irishman, "says you were loafing around his camp all the evening yesterday and were watching the two mules that are missing now. He thinks you stole them."

"I did not. I have not got them," said San Benito.

"You come and help us look for them just the same. You're a queer lot, and you've got lots of things you didn't work to earn."

The mules were found, of course, tied under the willows on San Benito's own ground with a piece of San Benito's own rope, which he had bought of the Irishman only two days before.

Morales was tried as a horse thief at the next meeting of the court at the county seat, and he was convicted. When the news reached Tularosa that he had been sent to jail, the people of the town turned against their saint after the manner of mankind, which asks nothing better than to burn what it has adored. Guitteres seized back his house, Ortega reclaimed his ranch, San Benito's wife and children were turned out and found refuge where they might until the padre gave them a home.

Afterward, when San Benito came back to his town, he was met with stones and curses and driven out upon the prairie. And his mother went with him across the burning plain toward the vague north, from which they had come. He might be Morales, the horse thief, to his ungrateful people, but to her he was Benito still—even San Benito.—Gwendolen Overton in Argonaut.

Bachelors.

She—I think the average man who lives to be an old bachelor pays a very poor compliment to himself.

He—How so?

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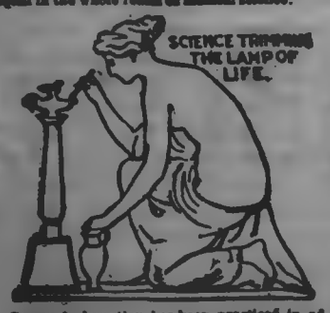

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I often thought he grieved because we'd named
By such a name a helpless little one.

An thinking that when we two was alone
I called him by the name I liked so well.
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We never told. He'd laugh an crow to hear
Me whisperin so happ'ly to him,
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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

Another club has fallen by the wayside. The O. H. A. is still on the warpath and last night the Nationals of Guelph were suspended until two of their players have cleared themselves of the charge of professionalism, laid against them by the Victorias of Guelph. The players whose amateur status is questioned are both from Toronto, Bert Davis having played lacrosse with the Tecumsehs for the last two years, whilst George Franks, the other suspect, chased the puck with the Old Orchards last season. The pair will have to appear before the Executive next Monday night at the National Club to state their side of the case. In the meantime the Nationals are suspended from the O. H. A. Manager E. C. O'Brien, of the Guelph Victorias, handled the matter for his club.

The application of the Berlin Hockey Club for reinstatement was read and refused.

The Cornwall-Brockville protest was referred to a sub-committee for adjustment.

The O. H. A. intends going after clubs entered in the senior and intermediate series which have played out of their class. The rule applying to the case is as follows:

"The Executive may suspend or expel a club for notorious or continued foul play or unfair conduct, individually or collectively; negligence to pay assessments, or for persistent infringements of the laws of the game or the rules of the association."

Percy Brown was appointed referee of the Orillia-Collingwood game to-night. There were present at the meeting President Martin, Secretary Beaton and Messrs. Macdonald, Robertson, McLennan, King, Brown and Creelman.

In the rules of competition of the Ontario Hockey Association there is one which reads:—"The referee must order the game to begin not later than fifteen minutes after the time for which it has been fixed (if the ice be available), and any team or teams failing to comply with this order shall forfeit to the association $3 per team. The Executive may refund this forfeit on good cause shown by the referee." So far this season there has been a little laxity in enforcing this rule, but clubs are reminded that the O. H. A. officials will from this date forward have it strictly obeyed. It has also been decided to have regulation 7 paid proper attention to, which says that 'a club intending to default must send to the secretary of the opposing club and also to the secretary of the sub-committee at least five clear days' notice, exclusive of the day on which the match was to have been played, unless the Executive shall otherwise order. Any club failing to send such notice shall be subject to a penalty of $25, together with all legitimate expenses incurred by the competing club in connection with such match, and shall, in default of payment of such sum to the competing club within two weeks of the date arranged for the match, be struck off the roll of membership of the Ontario Hockey Association." It was stated yesterday by the secretary of the O. H. A. that henceforth there will be no exception made in favor of any club when an infraction of these laws is made.

The Globe says: Milbrook has defaulted to the Peterboro' juniors in group No. II., and the Peterboro' boys become champions of the group, and play the Kingston Frontenacs II. next. Peterboro' has a team of fast juniors. Last year they went into the semi-finals, but lost to the Toronto Wellingtons, who eventually won the championship. Among the members of the team is Harry King, brother of Lionel King. He bids fair to reach as high a place as a hockeyist as Lionel.

Topics of The Day.

Every one is surprised at the rapidity and efficacy with which Nerviline—nerve pain cure—relieves neuralgia and rheumatism. Nerviline is a specific for all nerve pains and should be kept on hand by every family.

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ASHBURNHAM BRIEFS.

Master Bruce Gillespie, who was injured by the coasting accident last Saturday, is getting along nicely.

There promises to be a very large attendance at the Ashburnham public school concert in the new Town Hall this (Friday) evening, Jan. 28. A good programme is being prepared by the pupils, assisted by outside talent. Pictures will be procured for the rooms of the school with the proceeds. Programme begins at 8 sharp.

Mr. E. A. Peck's election as County Councillor is very popular with the residents of Ashburnham, who regard him as exceedingly well qualified for the position.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

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—The annual congregational tea in connection with the Murray street Baptist church will be served this evening—commencing at 6 o'clock.

—Delicious coffees at the Spot Cash.

—The decorating of the opera house last evening was the artistic work of J. J. Turner & Sons.

—A social evening for men will be held in the school room of All Saints' church this evening.

General Booth's meeting in the Opera House, on Friday night. Silver collection at the door.

Why He Left the Stage.

There is in Philadelphia a man who abandoned the theatrical profession because he could not lift Fanny Davenport. He was a member of one of the local stock companies about 20 years ago, when Miss Davenport came to Philadelphia with one of the men of her company sick. She applied to the manager of the theater in which the young man referred to was employed for some one to take the sick man's place, and as the young actor was not in the cast of the play then running his services were loaned to Miss Davenport. He was cast for the part of Caius Lucius in "Cymbeline," and the business of the part required that he should take Miss Davenport in his arms and carry her off the stage. The lady weighed considerably more than he did, and when he attempted to pick her up he found that his strength was not equal to the task. His struggles caused the audience to laugh, and that spoiled a good scene. He was so humiliated that he left the profession after that engagement.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

His Board of Trade Style.

Clara (excitedly)—Well, papa, did the count ask you for me today?

Mr. Millyuns—Ask me for you? Naw! He told me if I wanted to put up margins enough he'd talk business.—Chicago News.

Beginning to Take Notice.

John—So you really think you have some chance of winning her, do you?

Henry—Oh, yes! I feel quite encouraged. She has begun to find fault with my looks.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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JAMES ALLISON'S FATE.

The Governor-General Signed the Fatal Decree Yesterday—Allison Showed No Concern at the News.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—The Government have had under serious consideration the case of the boy Allison, who is lying under sentence of death at Berlin for the murder of Mrs. Orr. His Excellency yesterday signed the Order-in-Council which decrees that the law shall take its course, so that Allison will be hanged on Feb. 4.

ALLISON WAS UNMOVED

When Told That the Death Penalty Would be His Fate on Friday Next.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 28.—Allison, the murderer of Mrs. Anthony Orr, near Galt last August, maintains his quiet demeanor, and shows little distress over the news that on Friday, Feb. 4, he is to suffer the consequences for his rash and cruel act. When informed that the petition to the Minister of Justice in his behalf had no effect on the sentence pronounced upon him he betrayed no signs of emotion. It is thought he will go to the scaffold in the same unconcerned way. Another clergyman, Rev. J. W. German, an old Methodist minister of the town, was admitted to the prisoner yesterday, after expressing a wish therefor.

Allison's mother with her three children paid her son a visit Monday afternoon. The jailer is always present on such occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Allison have received notice that they may call and see their son for the last time next Wednesday.

Sheriff Springer will not be present at the execution on account of indisposition. Radcliffe, the public executioner, will arrive and make the necessary arrangements the beginning of the week.

TOM NULTY'S SPIRITUAL ADVISER

The Rev. Abbe Baillairge Makes Some Important Statements as a Witness.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 28.—In Tom Nulty's trial yesterday Rev. Abbe Baillairge was the most important witness. Tom made a confession to the witness as his spiritual adviser. The story as told to him does not differ materially from that told to the detective and reporters. Tom had also said that he had never thought of such a thing as making room in the house for a wife and had never made such a statement.

Witness further said prisoner's replies impressed him as being sincere. The Cure had at first condemned the prisoner, and in a couple of letters, written to Montreal papers, had said that he was a fit subject for the gallows. Since then he had learned of many things which caused him to reverse his opinion. He had found that Tom's grandfather had been a great drunkard and that his grandmother had been insane. Tom was extremely absent-minded, a thing uncommon among very illiterate persons. He was subject to groundless fears and hallucinations. He was told the prisoner was subject to fits.

Dr. Lamarche, a professor of Laval University, testified as an expert. He had found prisoner's head to be of abnormal shape. The top of the head also yielded to pressure of the hands, an act which caused tears to flow from Tom's eyes.

The Court had a question to ask: "Would it be possible," asked the Judge, "for the epileptic to have an entire knowledge of his act, yet at the same time be unable to restrain himself from committing it?"

Dr. Lamarche replied in the affirmative. There could be knowledge without responsibility.

The Labeling of the Cans.

Toronto, Jan. 28.—At the Canadian Packers' Association, which has just concluded a two days session, the Executive Committee was instructed to oppose the idea of legislating in the direction of having the date of packing and weight of goods printed or stamped on the label of each can, the same having been tried before and found impracticable, the Dominion Act bearing thereon having consequently been repealed. It was pointed out that a can full of water was heavier than a can full of fruits or vegetables, and that, therefore, the weight of the can was no indication of its value.

Sheep Ticks.

Every one who has sheep knows the tick, the worst pest of this animal, that does serious harm to the young lambs without suspicion of the cause to the shepherd. This reddish brown creature is a wingless fly and a very greedy blood-sucker. A dozen of them on a lamb will quickly suck the little one dry. It is to be looked after at the time of shearing, when these insects go for shelter to the lambs. It is found mostly where the animal cannot reach it—on its head, buried in the skin, sucking the blood.

Its skin is tough, and it is not easily crushed with less than a blow of a hammer. In small flocks it is not much of a job to go through, with a pair of small scissors to cut the ticks in two, but where the flock is over a score it will be necessary to dip the lambs.—Exchange.

The Count's Mistake.

"So Gwendolyn is not to marry the count after all?"

"No, poor man. He tried to tell her that her singing was something that made one glad to live, and his pronunciation was so broken that she thought he said it made one glad to leave, and then she requested him to leave."—Indianapolis Journal.

Testing Him.

Bagley—Do you recollect that $5 I let you have about a year ago?

Brace—Perfectly.

Bagley—That's good. I see your memory is all right. How's your eyesight?—Harlem Life.

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ON THE LONG SIDE.

Traders Are Eliminating the Short Interest in View of Bullish Markets—The Local Prices.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 27.

Cheese is 6d lower in Liverpool.

Corn ¼d to ⅝d higher in Liverpool.

Liverpool wheat futures ½d to 1¼d higher.

Cash wheat in Chicago closed 4⅛c higher at $1.04⅛.

Chicago Gossip.

Wheat took a balloon trip to-day. The bears looked pretty tired at the close. It was a wild market, January scaling at $1.05, and May at 97⅛c, and closed at about the top prices. When it is recalled that May closed at 94⅜c yesterday, some idea of the rush of the bears to cover will be obtained. For the greater part of the session there was no indication whatever of the cyclone that was on its way to the wheat pit; it looked at one time as though the market was high enough. May sold down to 95⅛c, or ⅝c off from the opening; it gradually strengthened to 96⅝c. When a few big buying orders ran it up to 98c, it halted a minute to take breath, then took a fresh start. This caused a stampede among the bears and they rushed the price up to 97c before much wheat came out, but above that price their wants were supplied. At 97⅛c they could get all they wanted. Cables strong, and the air was full of bull rumors, one of the principal ones that Russia in all probability would become an importer of grain. The clique kept the bears guessing all day. The legitimate situation of wheat is too high, but this being a one-man market, opinions count for naught. There was a large short interest in wheat, but it has been covered up to-day and the bulls will not have the shorts to aid them in much further advance.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$1 04⅛	$0 97⅛
New York	1 08½	0 [illegible]
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 97	0 96⅛
St. Louis	1 00	1 00
Toledo	0 97	0 97⅛
Detroit	0 97	0 97
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 97	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 96½	0 96
Toronto, red	0 80	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 07	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour market is firmer, but there is a wide range in values. Experters report purchases of straight rollers in bags at $3.65 to $3.70 west, while in wood they are held at $4. Small lots are quoted higher.

WHEAT—The demand is good and prices firmer. Sales of red winter are reported at 86c west, and spring at 86c to 87c on Midland. Goose wheat 80c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard sold at $1.02 Midland, and at $1.06 to $1.07 North Bay.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 32c to 34c west, No. 3 extra at 28c to 30c, and feed at 27c west.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 26½c to 27c for white and on Midland at 27½c; mixed 26c west.

PEAS—The market is dull, with prices quoted at 53c to 54c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 32c west and at 33c on Midland.

RYE—The market is firmer, with sales at 47c west and at 48c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots quoted at 28c west for new yellow.

BRAN—The demand is fair, with sales at $9, middle freights. Shorts rule at $10.50 to $12, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is higher, with quotations $3.30 in bags and $3.40 in barrels on track.

Toronto Live Stock.

For a Thursday's market the receipts of live stock were large to-day, 27 carloads, composed of 350 cattle, 200 sheep and 1200 hogs. Prices for all classes of live stock remain about the same as quoted on Tuesday.

Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—There were about 700 head of butchers' cattle, 20 calves and 250 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the East End Abattoir to-day. The butchers were present in large numbers and trade was fair, but prices were rather lower, especially for common stock. Choice beeves sold at from 4¾c to 4½c per lb. A carload of 20 superior cattle brought from west of Toronto were sold at $4.30 per 100 lbs. They averaged 1109 lbs. Pretty good stock sold at from 3¾c to nearly 4c per lb.; common dry cows from 2½c to 3¼c per lb., and the leaner beasts about 2c per lb. The best calves were bought up before reaching this market. Prices of calves here to-day were from $2 to $8 each. Sheep sold at about 3¾c per lb., and lambs at from 4½c to nearly 5c per lb. Fat hogs sell at about 5¼c per lb.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat firm at 7s 8¼d for March, 7s 5d for May and 7s 2½d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 2½d for March, 3s 2½d for May and 3s 2¾d for July. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat off coast and on passage more inquiry. Maize on passage firm.

Paris—Close—Wheat steady at 23f 60c for June. Flour firm at 61f for Jan. and March.

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TIME TABLE

Grand Trunk Railway.

MAIN LINE.

For Lindsay and Toronto.....Leave 8.10 a. m
Toronto via Port Hope.....Leave 12.60 noon
Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.30 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.35 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.50 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4 10 p.m.	11.34 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.35 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.45 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
	WEST	
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.34 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.33 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
Toronto, North Bay, Port Arthur, Northwest	11.35 a.m.	4.10 p.m.

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The Conservative Leader.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—The Government's all-Canadian route to the Klondike meets with the approval of all classes here. Interviews with public and business men of all kinds and politics show not one discordant note, and the unanimous opinion is that it will give a tremendous impetus to Canadian trade. Montreal business men in many lines have already received orders on account of the Klondike, and in all lines are actively preparing to take full advantage of the opening.

Sir Charles Tupper is generous enough to approve of the Klondike railway project in the following words: "I notice with very great pleasure the announcement that the Government have promptly provided for the maintenance of an all-Canadian route to that great gold-mining centre towards which the eyes of the world are now so strongly directed. I have no doubt that the measures they have taken to secure the prompt construction of a sled road between the Stikine River and Teslin Lake, to be made into a good trail so soon as the snow disappears, and followed by the construction of a railway to be opened by September next, will meet with the approval of Parliament. I regard these measures of incalculable value to Canada, and shall be only too glad to give the Government the best support in my power on a question of such vital importance at this moment. It is greatly to be regretted that the Government has not earlier seen the necessity, which was apparent to a great many other persons who have investigated the subject, of providing the means of maintaining communication between Dawson City and the outside world. A great deal of useless expenditure has no doubt been involved by the delay."

Hon. Col. Tisdale, M.P., ex-Minister of Militia, said: "I have not had an opportunity of examining the details of the arrangements, but I shall certainly not cavil, and I think the Conservative party will not cavil, at the action of the Government if the terms are at all reasonable. It was necessary to place the work in the hands of reliable and energetic men, and the Government has certainly succeeded in doing this. Perhaps the most important point to be considered was in regard to time, and I think the Government has been fully justified in acting promptly, and in not waiting to have the matter threshed out in Parliament. Had it so waited it would have been impossible to build the road this year, and the Administration would have been subjected to such pressure from political friends in search of advantages that the difficulty of making a satisfactory arrangement would have been greatly increased. Delay was to have been avoided at all hazards."

Mayor-elect Prefontaine, M.P., said that he had not had the time to give the question the thought it deserved, but from a first reading of the proposition, as outlined in the press, he was convinced that the Government had made a wonderful stroke, and so far as he could see he entirely agreed with what had been done.

The Conservative Press.

The Gazette says: "The construction of a railway from the Stikine to the tributary waters of the Yukon will make the task of reaching the new gold region a comparatively easy one. It will also insure the country against the famine that for a time, it was feared, threatened it this season. The route chosen will make the Stikine the favorite way of entering the territory, will help Canadian trade and save travellers considerable worry as well as considerable expense."

The Presse stands alone in its opposition. It says: "The scheme gives to a very little group a colossal business in which the whole Canadian people ought to be called to participate. This railway, according to the report of Mr. Jennings, the Government engineer, will be neither costly nor difficult to build. It will cost about $3,750,000, and for this railway, which will make the fortune of the contractors, the country will give them 3,750,000 acres of the best mining land in the Yukon region—an acre for every dollar expended. It would not require many acres like those near Dawson to pay for the railway, its equipment and its operation. Why are the people not asked to share in the richness of this soil which belongs to them?" The Presse goes on to say that the Government ought to have called for popular subscriptions to build the road and enable the people to share in the wealth.

NOMINATIONS 22ND FEBRUARY.

POLLING MARCH 1.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—This is the announcement which the Ontario Gazette makes in its issue of to-day. Polling will take place four weeks from Tuesday. A proclamation dissolving the House appears in the Gazette, and the writs will issue on Wednesday Feb. 2.

As the campaign is really well under way, the announcement of the decisive date will have a quickening effect upon the energies of the opposing forces, and the struggle will wax hotter as time goes on. The interval between now and election day will be made the most of by the parties, but that a well-informed electorate will go to the polls is assured from the fact that the issues have been exhaustively dealt with, both on the platform and in the House during the recent session. The immediate effect of political organization will be the registration of manhood suffrage voters in cities and towns. According to law, the registrars must begin their sittings a week from Monday. The places of registration will shortly be announced.

There were two nominations yesterday. Hon. William Harty was again asked to be the candidate of the Liberals of Kingston. The nomination will be ratified at a meeting to be addressed by the Premier on Monday night. Mr. John Stokes of Hungerford was named as the Conservative candidate for East Hastings.

Yankee Lumbermen Ordered Out.

Huntsville, Jan. 29.—Mr. J. White of the "Soo," alien labor agent of the Crown Lands Department, paid a visit to the lumber camps in this section last week, looking for Yankee workmen, and when any were found the foreman of the camp was instructed to dismiss them. Mr. White is making a thorough search of the lumber camps in the northern part of the province in the interest of Canadian workmen. So far, Mr. White says, very few have been found.

McGill's Deficit.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—McGill University, while considered very wealthy, has a larger deficit this year than ever before, amounting to $20,000 on revenue. The total deficit now amounts to $449,000.

PROHIBITION DEBATE.

The Opposite Sides of the Great Question.

VIEWS OF DRS. LUCAS AND GRANT

Principal Grant's Opening Argument—The Royal Commission His Own Observations of the Prohibitory Law—Views Differ as to the Workings of the Law in Maine—Debate Closed.

Kingston, Jan. 29.—When the joint debate on prohibition was resumed last evening there was no abatement of the excitement shown on the opening night. The City Hall, which is a magnificent chamber, finer than anything else of the sort in Ontario, was again crowded to the doors and with an audience composed largely of those present the evening before.

Mr. Robert Meek presided in the Mayor's absence. Dr. Grant took the platform first and proceeded to say that on the first evening of the debate Fredericton, N.B., had been cited by both sides in illustration of points made. In his opening speech last night Principal Grant took up the case of Fredericton in comparison with Berlin, in Ontario, which never was under prohibition. In Fredericton arrests over a long series of years averaged 20 per thousand for drunkenness, while in Berlin the Mayor and Crown Attorney swore that in a population, including Waterloo, of 10,000, there were not over ten people who drank to excess and arrests were only in the ratio of 1 to 160 in Fredericton. The sympathy for Fredericton hotelkeepers aroused by their imprisonment for liquor selling was pointed to as evidence that public sentiment could not be depended on to enforce prohibition. There was always danger of bribery of the police and corruption in one matter led to corruption in the enforcement of all laws. Law should be felt to be the voice of God to the community and no one law could be notoriously violated without injury to all law and to the people's well-being. The danger also of forcing prohibitory legislation upon unwilling provinces was commented upon and the difficulty of paying out of the Federal Treasury for the provincial revenue lost through prohibition in provinces that did not want it. Principal Grant also urged strongly that prohibition, being an interference with liberty, unknown in the countries from which the bulk of our immigrants come, would do much to check immigration and to induce violation of the law among those who are already here.

Rev. Dr. Lucas took up the argument that prohibition might result in an increase of perjury and maintained that the law was not responsible for this but the law breaker. If Jesus Christ, he said, could have been persuaded to remain in His carpenter shop there is some perjury recorded that never would have been. The "coercion" argument was dismissed with the remark that every man who secured the advantage of civilization by living in a city had to give up favor of continuing the law. From his own experience in Kansas, the speaker drew the conclusion that prohibition did prohibit, and could be enforced without hurt to public morals. Even the Queen not long ago was fined for allowing one of her dogs to go without a muzzle and she did not complain about coercion. The result of prohibition in Maine was not as Dr. Grant asserted, failure. At some length Dr. Lucas quoted from the letters of an anti-prohibitionist correspondent for the Globe, who, after travelling through that State, admitted that the people there were more thrifty, prosperous and comfortable than those of Ontario, and were overwhelmingly in favor of the Act.

Dr. Grant said Dr. Lucas had said nothing that required answering; his ramblings were so apparent that he could safely leave the matter in the hands of the audience. He, however, spent some time in showing that late intelligence proved that prohibition was a failure in Maine, Kansas and Canada. Dr. Grant said he was in the minority in the General Assembly, for there, as elsewhere, men often acted by the feelings of their hearts rather than by the knowledge of their heads.

Dr. Lucas concluded the debate, but offered nothing new. The debate is now before the people of Canada; but little new facts were disclosed by the doughty opponents.

CADETS OF CANADA.

Two Extra Commissions Granted by the Imperial Government—A Case for Methodists—Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—A despatch has been received from the Colonial Secretary stating that Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to grant two extra commissions in the Royal Artillery to Gentlemen Cadets of the Royal Military College at Kingston, in addition to the usual number of commissions granted for 1898. The appointments will be made right away, instead of waiting for the June examinations.

Personal and General.

The Carleton County Council wants a Cheese Board to be established in the City of Ottawa.

Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice, delivered an interesting lecture in the Y.M.C.A. Hall last night on the South African problem. There was a good attendance.

Topics of The Day.

Every one is surprised at the rapidity and efficacy with which Nervilina—nerve pain cure—relieves neuralgia and rheumatism. Nerviline is a specific for all nerve pains and should be kept on hand by every family.

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Able to Keep His Place in Spite of Difficulties.

He Writes About His Condition—Wife and Children Helped.

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Very Severe Cough

and the doctors said it was caused by my stomach troubles. I lost flesh and became so weak I was hardly able to stand up to the chair to work. One day I happened to be looking over some testimonial letters and I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. Before I had taken two bottles I began to feel better and in a short time I felt finely and had gained 21 pounds in weight. I have taken nearly five bottles and now I feel like a man again. I am

Stronger and Healthier

than I have ever been in my life. My wife and children have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for a blood medicine and realized much benefit from it. As for myself I cannot say too much for it. I firmly believe that if it had not been for Hood's Sarsaparilla I would not have been able to work at my trade any longer." JOHN W. COUGHLIN. Get only HOOD'S.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 1898.

THE SLOW YANKEE OFFICIALS.

They Keep "Carefully Considering" While Their Officials Collect the Cash.

New York, Jan. 29.—A Washington despatch to the Sun says: "The regulations soon to be issued by the Treasury Department in regard to the shipment of Canadian goods through American territory to the Klondike gold fields are being prepared with great care by Assistant Secretary Howell, assisted by other officers of the customs division and Collector Ivy of Sitka. The new rules will prescribe two methods, either of which may be employed by shippers. The assessed duties may be paid on the goods at the point of entry into American territory, either Dyea or Skaguay. In this case a certificate will be issued to shippers and the goods will be inspected at Lake Linderman, the point of exit, by American customs agents. If the goods are found to answer the description of the invoice the customs duties will be remitted.

"The other method is to receive from the shipper a bond insuring the payment of duties if required. A manifest is sent with the goods for the use of the Government agents at the point of exit. In case of favorable comparison between manifest and goods the bond of the shipper will be cancelled. No particular form of bond will be required, the collector at Dyea being allowed some discretion. Assistant Secretary Howell has taken into account the complaints which have come from several quarters, notably the Chamber of Commerce of Vancouver, and he believes that the forthcoming regulations will be acceptable to Canadians generally. The negotiations have been made with due consideration of the wishes of the Canadian Government, and the interests of the two countries have been considered in a reciprocal spirit."

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W. R. Alger,
Insurance Agent,

A Cuban War Romance.

Havana, Jan. 29.—Further details regarding the killing of Nestor Aranguren, the insurgent brigadier-general known as the "Sheridan of Cuba," have been received. They show that Colonel Aranzabe, of the Spanish forces, had known for some time that Aranguren was in the habit of visiting his mistress in a hut in the Tapaste Hills, and the day before yesterday he ordered three columns of troops, reinforced by cavalry, to surprise the insurgent chief, with the result that the latter was shot and killed, with one of his companions.

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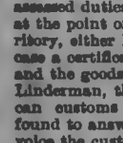

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$800,000 THE PRICE PAID.

Heinze Came Down Half a Million and the Deal Was Closed.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—As already intimated, the Canadian Pacific Railway and Mr. Auguste Heinze have come to terms, and your correspondent has been able to ascertain the amount the young German from Montana has been paid by the big railway to get out of British Columbia. The agreement is that the Trail smelter, the railway from Robson to Trail, the short line from Trail to Rossland, and the lands received from the British Columbia Government as subsidies are handed over to the Canadian Pacific Railway for the sum of $800,000. The narrow gauge from Rossland to Trail will at once be widened to the standard by the new owners, who will also proceed to make the grades much easier and practically rebuild the road. The line from Robson to Trail is a standard gauge, is well built, and can be operated at once in connection with the great railway system to which it now belongs. This transfer of the Trail property will in no way interfere with the project of a new smelter at Robson, suitable for treating the silver-lead ores of that district. On the contrary, the contract for the Robson smelter has been given, and it will probably be in full blast a good while before the Crow's Nest Railway reaches the foot of Kootenay Lake.

Frenchman Buying Horses.

Agents of the French Government are now in this province buying horses for use in the army of the republic. Two gentlemen are operating in the province, and it is estimated that they have purchased from 1,800 to 2,000 horses in Quebec, mostly intended, so rumor says, for the train wagons of the French army.

MOTHER GRANTED BAIL.

Mrs. Stevens, in Jail at Bracebridge in the Rankin Case, to be Liberated.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—An order for bail was yesterday granted by Mr. Justice Falconbridge on behalf of Mrs. Margaret Stevens in jail at Bracebridge, charged with counselling her son Henry Frankum, to murder James D. Rankin, her brother. Rankin died in the hospital at Huntsville December 19, and Frankum is charged at Bracebridge with having shot him and caused his death. Rankin, it is said, had attempted to obstruct, on the road, Frankum and his mother, who were driving. Mrs. Stevens, with her infant child, which has been with her in jail at Bracebridge since December, has been granted bail on bonds of $2,000, herself in $1,000, two sureties of $250, and one of $500.

The son is in jail at Bracebridge awaiting trial.

A GREAT VICTORY

After a Short, but Hot and Decisive Contest.

The Enemy Driven Out—Dodd's Kidney Pills the Victors—Mr Gillean Tested Them, and They Proved True and Steadfast Friends.

AMHERSTBURG, ONT., Jan. 28.—Jas. R Gillean, proprietor of the Lakeview Hotel, here, is one of the happiest men in town. For some years past, he has been in very poor health, and was a great sufferer from Kidney Disease.

In spite of all that medical skill and numerous remedies could do, Mr. Gillean grew gradually worse. His sufferings increased, and there seemed to be no hope of curing the disease.

One day a friend called to see him and advised him to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, telling him they had cured a number of cases, of which he knew, and which were all worse than Mr. Gillean's. The latter procured a box, and so much god did it do him that he bought three more. These cured him completely, and he is now obliged to hold quite a reception every day, so many friends call to congratulate him on his happy recovery.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are astonishing the medical fraternity daily by their marvelous success in cases of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, Gravel, Urinary Troubles, Female Complaints, Blood Impurities and all other Kidney Diseases. Many physicians in this district prescribe them in their practice, always with the best results.

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Animals' Fright Is Short.

A question that has often been asked is, How long does fright last in a wild creature? The close observer will be surprised at its brief duration. They are not subject to "nerves" like human beings. A partridge after running (or rather flying) the gantlet of half a dozen guns—if we may be allowed a mixed metaphor—drops on the other side of a hedge and begins calmly to peck as if nothing had happened. You would think a rabbit after hearing a charge of shot whistling about its haunches and just managing to escape from a yelping spaniel would keep indoors for a week, but out it pops quite merrily as soon as the coast is clear. A fox pursued by hounds has been known to halt and kill a fowl in its flight, though we may assume that his enemies were not close to Reynard at the time. We have been led into thinking about the matter by noting what took place at a cover after being shot over.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Cured Nervous Twitching and Sleeplessness.

Geo. Webster, of Forest, writes: "For a number of years I suffered greatly from nervousness, twitching of the muscles and sleeplessness. I tried almost every known remedy without relief. I was induced as a last resort to try South American Nervine. The first bottle benefitted me, and five bottles cured me. It is a grand medicine, and I owe my life to it." Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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The great Blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the Complexion and cures constipation. 25 cts., 50 cts., $1.00. Sold by Jno. Maxwell, 259 George street.

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Friday Evening, Jan. 28.

Peas are 1d lower in Liverpool.

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Liverpool wheat ¼d to ½d higher for March and May.

The wheat market is inherently strong, without any strikingly new feature. It has been growing strong steadily for two weeks, and the incidents that develop from day to day have gradually forced the traders to realise it. The bulls are in control. The bears have not had a successful inning in over a month. They sell prices off a little, but fail to dislodge any large lines of long wheat, and when they have to cover they invariably pay higher prices. There is no leader to the bear element, and they are offering a feeble resistance to the upward movement. The majority of the best traders are bullish and long, and it is gradually becoming apparent that Leiter practically controls the trade in Chicago and at other points.

There was a material changing around in the exports of wheat from the leading countries during 1897. The reports compiled by the British Board of Trade show that England's imports of wheat from Russia decreased 13 per cent. From the Danube they decreased 60 per cent.; Argentina, 80 per cent.; India, 72 per cent.; Chili, 40 per cent. Compared with 1896, increases were from United States 9½ per cent. and Canada 33 per cent. Such an extraordinary distribution from exporting countries brought native grown wheat more freely to market than ever before and at prices that yielded home growers more pounds sterling for first four months than for any twelve months. Market incapacity of Southeastern Russia to supply demands precipitated reduction of duties in Italy. Reserves accumulated by fall imports from America have been seriously impaired.

Leading Wheat Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$1 08	$0 97⅛
New York	1 07⅝	0 99⅝
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern.	0 97⅝	0 96½
St. Louis	0 99⅝	0 99⅝
Toledo	0 96⅝	0 97⅛
Detroit	0 96½	0 96⅜
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 96½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 96¼	0 95⅜
Toronto, red	0 89	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 07	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The flour market was quiet today, with demand less active. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4, middle freights.

WHEAT—The demand is good and prices firmer. Sales of red winter are reported at 87c west, and spring at 87c on Midland. Goose wheat 80c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at $1.03 Midland and at $1.07 to $1.08 North Bay.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 32c to 34c west, No. 3 extra at 28c to 30c, and feed at 27c west.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 27c for white and on Midland at 27½c; mixed 26c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with prices quoted at 53c to 54c north and west.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 32c west and at 33c on Midland.

RYE—The market is firmer, with sales at 47c to 47½c west and 48c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots quoted at 28c to 28½c west for new yellow.

BRAN—The demand is fair, but offerings are limited. Bran is quoted at $10 to $11 middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is firm, with quotations $3.30 in bags and $3.40 in barrels on track.

PROVISIONS—Trade is quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8½c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 8½c to 9c. Mess pork, $14.50 to $15.00 do., short cut, $15.50 to $16.00; do., shoulder mess, $13.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¾c for tierces, 6c to 7c for tubs and 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 58c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 16c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8½c to 9c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 10c. Dealers quote green at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2 and at 7c for No. 3. Sheepskins, $1.05 to $1.15. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL — Fleece is nominal. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day amounted to 2200 bushels all told. Wheat, 600 bushels sold as follows: White at 82½c to 89c, red at 89c and goose 81c to 81½c per bushel. Barley firm at 33c to 36c for 500 bushels. Oats firm; 800 bushels sold at 30½c to 31c. Peas firm, with sales of 300 bushels at 57c to 58c.

Hay $7.50 to $8.50 per ton for 25 loads. Straw steady at $6 to $7 per ton for 3 loads.

Dressed hogs firm, with fair deliveries, at $6.60 for light and $6.25 to $6.35 for heavy.

Toronto Live Stock.

The run of live stock at the Western Cattle Market to-day was large, 41 carloads, composed of 500 cattle, 100 sheep, 23 calves and 1060 hogs. Fat cattle were firm and fairly active, with offerings all sold. Exporters firm at $3.75 to $4.25 per cwt. Export bulls sold at $3.25 to $3.75.

The trade in milk cows was brisk in the morning, but closed with an easier feeling; 12 sold at $25 to $40 each.

Sheep and Calves—Prices unchanged, but firm. Good veals wanted.

Prices were unchanged for hogs; market weak, with prospects of lower prices next week.

British Markets.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat steady at 7s 2¾d for March, 7s 5¾d for May and 7s 2¾d for July. Maize quiet at 3s 3½d for Feb., 3s 3d for March and 3s 2¾d for May and July.

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—Children's Tams and Toques from 19c to 45c.
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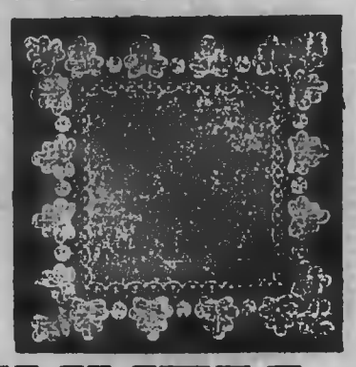
—Ladies' Han Bags at 25c.
—Special of line Children's White Wool Boas at 25c.



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Licence Inspector, West Peterborough

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EMBALMING PROCESSES.

The Government Should Declare Arsenical Embalming as Illegal.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—Yesterday afternoon, at the meeting of the Provincial Board of Health, Mr. J. J. Mackenzie, bacteriologist to the board, submitted a report on the medico-legal aspects of embalming fluid.

Assuming that an individual had been poisoned with arsenic, it would be in the interest of the murderer, the doctor stated, that the corpse should be arterially embalmed with arsenical fluid. The subsequent discovery of arsenic in the viscera by a chemical expert would be of no legal value. The proof that the deceased had been poisoned would then rest on evidence of the symptoms exhibited during illness and the post-mortem appearance of the mucuous membrane of the stomach and intestines.

The majority of the undertakers did not know the composition of the embalming fluids, as they purchased them from jobbers who kept the formulae secret.

The arsenical fluids being cheap and reliable were most used. Embalming had become so common in Ontario that no suspicion attached to its practice. In cities and towns 60 per cent. of corpses were so treated and in the country 40 per cent.

Such being the fact, Mr. Mackenzie thought that a fluid quite as effective for the embalmer's purpose and devoid of objectionable qualities from the legal standpoint should be introduced. Such a fluid was a 40 per cent. solution of formaldehyde, commonly used by sanitary authorities for disinfecting purposes. The body of a sheep treated with this fluid had been kept two years. The Government should declare embalming with arsenical fluids illegal.

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TROUBLE FOR CHINA.

Four German Sailors Reported Killed Near Tsimo.

SEVERE FIGHTING FOLLOWED.

The Chinese Loan Offered to Both Russia and Britain—The Engineers' Strike Settled by the Acceptance of the Employers' Terms, and the Strikers Will Return to Work on Monday.

London, Jan. 29.—It is announced in a special despatch from Shanghai, received here yesterday, that four German sailors have been murdered by the Chinese.

Severe Fighting Followed.

Shanghai, Jan. 28.—A despatch from Chefoo to the Mercury of Shanghai, gives details of the assassination of a German sailor named Schulz, belonging to the cruiser Kaiser, (first announced in a despatch to the Associated Press, from Berlin, on Jan. 26th), while on outpost duty at Tsimo, the extreme German post in Kiao-Chou Bay.

The crime, which was committed by a Chinese rabble on Monday night last, was not discovered until three men of the corporal's guard were making the rounds in order to relieve the sentries. Then Schulz was discovered, his head having been severed from his body. The relieving guard was directly afterwards attacked by a hundred natives, and, after a stubborn fight, it is reported that all the sailors were killed during the fighting.

It is added that, in consequence of the outrage, the greatest excitement prevails at Kiao-Chou, and it is believed the incident will form the basis of further German demands upon China.

No Official Confirmation.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The German Government has no news confirming the details of the assassination of the German sailor, Shulz, as announced by the Mercury of Shanghai.

A SUDDEN CHANGE.

France Now Appears to Be Reluctantly Backing Up Russia - The Ta-Lien-Wan Opening.

London, Jan. 29.—The Pekin correspondent of the Times says: "The French attitude has undergone a sudden change, and now appears to give a reluctant support to the menacing language of the Russian agent, M. Pavloff (Charge d'Affaires at Pekin), against the opening of Ta-Lien-Wan. The Chinese, having made inquiries, disbelieve M. Pavloff's statement that Russia can provide a loan on the same financial terms as Great Britain.

"At the meeting of the Grand Council last night (Thursday), the Chinese decided to approach the English and Russian Governments with a proposal of compromise, each power to provide one-half of the loan on its own financial terms and the other conditions to be adjusted between them."

Another British Vessel for Chinese Waters.

London, Jan. 29.—The first-class battleship Barfleur, sister ship of the Centurion, the flagship of the British squadron in Chinese waters, will leave Malta for China on February 6th.

British Commander's Strong Stand.

London, Jan. 29.—According to a special despatch from Shanghai, Sung, the Chinese commander at Port Arthur, recently informed Captain Chichester of the British warship Immortalite that the Russian warships had the Tsung-Li-Yamen's special permission to remain there. Captain Chichester thereupon insisted that Sung should obtain by telegraph similar permission for the Immortalite. Sung complied with the demand and permission was granted.

TO WORK ON MONDAY.

Striking Engineers Accept the Employers' Terms and the Shipbuilding Trade Will Now Go On.

London, Jan. 29.—At a meeting of the committees representing the federated employers and the allied trades unions to day the result of the ballot accepting the employers' terms was communicated, a formal agreement embodying the terms of settlement was duly signed and arrangements were completed for a simultaneous resumption of work in all the federated workshops on Monday next.

The Kaiser's "Mailed Fist."

London, Jan. 29.—An anonymous article in the Contemporary Review asserts that the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to Osborne, while outward bound with the Gefion and the Deutschland, was for the purpose of explaining that the Emperor William's "mailed fist" speech was not intended as a warning for Great Britain.

The tact of the Prince of Wales, says the article, baffled Prince Henry's frantic effort, during his mysterious visit to London, to deliver a similar personal message to His Royal Highness, although Prince Henry pursued the Prince of Wales to a private box at the theatre.

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Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets, each containing the double treatment, can be procured from all druggists, at fifty cents a box, or will be sent on receipt of price, by the Dodd's Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto.

Exchange of Decorations.

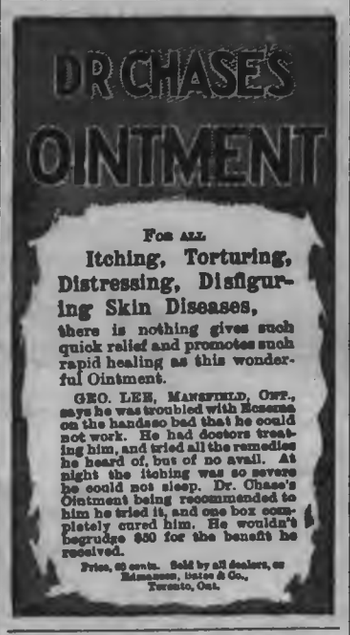
Berlin, Jan. 29.—Following the recent decoration of Count von Munster, German Ambassador to France, with the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor by the French Government, it is semi-officially announced to-day that the French Ambassador to Germany, Marquis de Noailles, is to receive the Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle from the Emperor.

Gold Discovered in Siberia.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 28.—A telegram received here from Tomsk, West Siberia, says that a lump of auriferous earth containing 74¼ pounds of pure gold has been found on the gold washing estate in the Minussinsk District.

Doing Away With the Pigtail.

Singapore, Jan. 29.—There is a movement on foot among the Chinese born in the Straits Settlements having for its object the doing away of the wearing of pig tails, the education of women and other reforms.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Cracking The Acorns and Blotting Out Prices

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Blotting Out Oak Hall Prices

and writing them down to a fraction of their former selves, is what we are busy doing every day with the Oak Hall Stock. These altered prices speak for themselves. All the price tickets show that Oak Hall Prices are back numbers, although the Clothing is UP-TO-DATE.

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Boys' 3-Piece Suits	was 3.50 and 5.00	now 2.50 and	3.00		
Boys' 3 Piece Suits	was 5.25 and 7.50	now 3.80 and	4.75		
Youth's long pant Suits	was 4.50 and 5.00	now 3.25 and	3.80		
Youth's long pant Suits	was 5.25 and 9.00	now 4.00 and	6.00		
Men's Suits	was 5.50 and 6.00	now 3.00 and	5.25		
Men's Suits	was 6.25 and 15.00	now 4.00 and	7.50		
Children's Ulsters and Coats	was 3.75 and 5.00	now 1.95 and	3.00		
Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was 4.75 and 6.50	now 2.50 and	4.00		
Boys' and Youths' Pea Jackets and Reefers	was 2.50 and 5.00	now 1.65 and	3.00		
A line of Men's Fine Blue and Fawn Overcoats	was 8.00 and 12.00	now 4.00 and	6.00		
Odd Pants	was 1.50 and 3.00	now .78 and	1.75		

Lots of winter weather ahead yet. Who does not remember the cold Februarys and Marches of the past?

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Cream Ale.

Just received a fresh brewing. Come in and try it. Best in Canada.—W. OVEREND, C. P. R. Hotel.

An Armenian Address.

Rev. Mesrob Baghrasarian will speak in St. Paul's church on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. There will be a collection in aid of the Armenian Fund.

For Sale.

The grocery store and fixtures of The T. W. Robinson Co., which are all new and in first-class shape. Must be sold at once. For particulars apply to the store, corner Smith and George streets.

St. Luke's Church, Ashburnham.

Rev. W. L. Armitage, of All Saints' church, will preach in St. Luke's church to-morrow evening. The subject of his sermon will be "Gambling." All seats free and unappropriated.

Their Photo Taken.

On the invitation of Warden Pearce the members of the County Council, the county officials, and the members of the press attending the session, were photographed this morning at R. M. Roy's studio.

Vocal Culture.

Mr. F. Warrington, of Toronto, vocalist and vocal teacher, comes to Peterborough every Thursday and gives instructions in vocal culture at his studio over the Peterborough Music Store. Mr. Warrington makes no charge for testing voices. 4d-sw

Almost a Runaway.

At noon to-day on George street a team belonging to Mr. Booth, who lives on Capt. Wallace's place, very nearly got away. The bolt of the double-tree slipped out in some manner and the team left the sleigh, but were stopped by Mr. Booth before they took fright.

The New Beverage.

Wheat-Shred Drink is made from pure roasted grain. Nutritious in the highest degree, but not at all stimulating. Excellent for weak stomach and weak nerves. Try a cup; served fee daily at Robert Fair's dry goods store, 393 George street. 2d

Photography.

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$25 buys a good second hand double key board Typewriter in excellent condition. It cost $100, Sacrifice it now for quick sale. MULLIGAN & Co., Music Store, 416 George street.

Clean the Sidewalks.

A citizen dropped into the EXAMINER the other day to complain that the snowploughs had only passed his house twice this winter on Rubidge street from Dublin street north. Ladies found it particularly disagreeable after the recent big snow storm to plunge through the drifts in getting out to the more travelled streets.

Missionary Meeting.

Members of the Church of England are reminded of the joint missionary meeting to be held next Wednesday evening on behalf of the three congregations of St. Luke's, All Saints and St. John's. Principal Parkin, of Upper Canada College will address the meeting; also Rev. G. Warren, of Lakefield. A large and enthusiastic gathering is expected.

Pleasing and Unique.

The prizes for Shakespearian character costumes offered by the Foresters for competition at their Fancy Dress Carnival on Friday evening next, Feb. 4th, will no doubt bring out many beautiful costumes. The idea is a good one and will add considerable zest to the evening's programme, as it is certain to bring out many competitors. 2d-1528

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

On a Charge of Horse Stealing—The Prisoner Claims he Was Very Drunk.

W. H. Stewart was yesterday committed for trial by Magistrate Edmison on a charge of horse stealing.

The circumstances connected with the case have been previously published in the EXAMINER and are in short that Stewart took a horse belonging to Eugene Torpey from the Albion Hotel, Ashburnham, and drove to Millbrook, where he traded it and afterwards sold the horse which he received in trade.

The prisoner's excuse was that he was drunk and did not know what he was doing.

It appears that when in Millbrook he received a very poor horse in trade for the one he stole and only got $2 to boot. Afterwards when endeavouring to sell the outfit he offered to give the horse away rather than take it home, saying he knew he got the worst of the trade and would not take the horse home to be made a laughing stock of.

Mr. R. E. Wood appeared for the prosecution and Mr. F. D. Kerr for the defence.

PETERBOROUGH POULTRY.

It Scores up High at the Cobourg Show During the Week.

At the Cobourg Poultry show Dr. Poole, V.S., took first prize for white Cochin cock and white Cochin hen; also first for best pen of Golden Wyandottes as shown against Wyandottes of any color.

Mr. Isaac Dormer was also successful in taking first with his fine pair of light Brahmas. He was offered forty-five dollars for the pair. Mr. Dormer is one of the most successful breeders of light Brahmas in the Dominion. The classes were hotly contested, there being 515 birds on exhibition.

Mr. Wm. Collins was also in attendance at the show and secured the names of upwards of twenty five fowl fanciers to a requisition for the Ontario Poultry Association to hold its exhibition in Peterborough in 1900.

MEN MEET.

A Pleasant Evening Spent in All Saints' Church Last Night.

Last evening a very enjoyable time was spent by the men of the congregation of All Saints church, the occasion being an At Home under the auspices of the Men's Union. It was held in the basement of the church, and about fifty were present.

An informal programme of vocal and instrumental music was given. Games and other amusements were indulged in, after which refreshments were served.

The members of the Union are determined to prosecute the work of their mission, and feel greatly encouraged by the support they received in the large attendance last evening.

CONGREGATIONAL TEA.

The Members of the Murray Street Baptist Church Assemble.

Last evening the congregation of the Murray street Baptist church assembled in the Sunday school room and enjoyed a most tempting tea, which had been prepared by the ladies.

Afterwards Rev. A. T. Dykeman, the pastor, took the chair, and an enjoyable programme of instrumental and vocal music was presented.

The evening, which was arranged in order to bring the congregation together in social intercourse, passed off very pleasantly.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—The Midland Trust deficit is over $17,000.

—County Orangemen meet on Tuesday in Unity Hall.

—Rev. H. Symonds will be the preacher at All Saints church to-morrow night.

—A report of the Ashburnham Public School concert is held over until Monday's issue.

—J. J. Turner & Son have been engaged to decorate the rink for the carnival on Friday night next. They promise something grand.

—All the members of the Banjo Club are requested to be at practice on Monday evening as is usual.

—Try E. Welsh for fresh fish and oysters as he is the only dealer in town that gets fresh fish every day the year round. Telephone 262.

—Havelock and Belmont are suffering from an epidemic of measles. The different residences have been placarded.

—25c will take you to the Carnival on Friday evening next and give you more real enjoyment than any investment you have made this year.

—The muskrat that built a two-story house last fall and indicated a severe winter, should either put up a summer awning on the south side of his shack, or jump off the back stoop and drown himself.

—Some seventeen train hands have been laid off on the C.P.R. between Havelock and Montreal on account of the falling off in freight business, several of Havelock's citizens being among the unfortunates. The men expect to be reinstated in the course of a month.

—The wheelbarrow race at the Foresters' Carnival on Friday next will be the event of the evening for fun. It's sure to be a side-splitter. Trot out your barrows, boys, and get them in readiness.

Oyster Supper, Lecture and Entertainment in All Saints Schoolroom next Thursday evening. 1d

New Milliner.

Miss Rudkins had engaged Miss Horne of Toronto, as head trimmer for her millinery department in the spring. The young lady has a good position in Messrs. Robt. Simpson & Co's departmental store, Toronto, but leaves in order to accept a change which will relieve her of the arduous duties attendant upon a situation in the city. While her late employers are reluctant to part with her services, they recommend her as an expert trimmer and successful milliner.

A Strong Attraction Coming.

"A Romance of Coon Hollow" is one of the largest dramatic organizations on the road. Besides a magnificent equipment of scenic calcium and electrical effects and a strong acting company, the troupe carries a band of coloured boy and girl buck dancers, two quartettes and a plantation brass band. It has been before the public four successful seasons. This strong organization will appear at Bradburn's Opera House Thursday, Feby 3rd. Prices 15c., 25c. and 50c.; box seats 75c.

SONS OF SCOTLAND BOOM.

Special Meeting to Initiate More New Members—Increased Interest in the Order—List of Officers for the New Camp.

Another special meeting of Clan Alpine Camp, Sons of Scotland, was held Friday evening in the Sons of England Hall, Hunter street. The marked interest taken by the local Sons of Scotia during the past few weeks in this excellent organization has had the effect of stirring up the latent patriotic chord in the genuine Scots, whose love for the perpetuation of Scottish national sentimtnt, and the desire for bringing Scotchmen and their descendants more closely together, only needs a little agitating.

The visit of Mr. Jas. Anderson, the special Grand Organizer of Toronto, has been of great value to the local Camp. His industry and skill in rallying Scotchmen to the support of their own society shows that he is the right man for the right place, and that the Grand Camp has an organizer full of influence and good methods.

The meeting on Friday night was well attended by the members, both old and new. After routine business had been transacted a number of new members were initiated. Another special meeting will have to be called in about two weeks to initiate a number of others who were unable to be present on account of the number of other meeting that night.

Organizer Anderson stated that he was pleased to see the continued increase of members. He had made it his business to stay over in town to attend this meeting, and the further encouragement he had received had induced him to arrange for being present with them again at their next regular meeting. An increase of about forty new members in about two weeks was not bad work, and it was nothing more than what he had been led to anticipate after a few days' canvas in town. He expected the camp would have over one hundred members at no very distant day. To Scotchmen and their descendants this was the best society, as there was not only the social and patriotic element, but they had the protection of the best possible life assurance at lowest rates. (Cheers.)

NEW LIST OF OFFICERS.

The following is a complete list of the officers of the new camp for the present term:—

Alex Campbell	Chief
John Mathieson	Chieftain
Thos Gemmell, R M Dennistoun, W Menzies	Past Chiefs
Chas Cameron	Past Chiefs
J E Noble	Chaplain
A Morton	Secretary
Dr Caldwell	Treasurer
W Henry	Fin Secy
John Cunningham, Chas Dawson	Marshals
G W Moncrief, J J Cunningham	St. Bearers
Jas Lovell	S Guard
W Anthony	J Guard

THE SHARPSHOOTERS.

Off-Hand Rifle and Gun Club have an Afternoon of Sport Over at the Ranges.

At the first meeting of the Off-hand Rifle and Gun Club at the butts yesterday, the following contestants secured the much coveted turkeys:

W Gould	2
C LeBrun	4
F Fobers	5
J Bronson	1
Chris Langdon	1
Fred Smith	2
Walter English	3
Lem Fetcher	1

About thirty took part in the shoot and were much pleased with the arrangements. After the turkeys had been disposed of a $25 sweep was shot and won by Chas. Langdon.

Those that took part are anxious for the shoot which will be held early next month.

The management deserves great credit for the manner in which the affair was brought off.

CONVENTION ECHOES.

The delegates from the Y. M. C. A. convention will give brief reports at the 4.15 men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday.

The "Singing Evangelists," who commence a temperance campaign next week, will have charge of the singing. All young men welcome.

General Secretary's Bible class o'clock on Sunday.

Conference at eight o'clock to-night on the Sunday school lesson.

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A Stationery Blizzard.

The only way to thin out the lines where stock is too heavy is to cut deep into prices, then they go. It's like touching a match to gunpowder. That's what we are doing at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have closed a big year's business, and we intend 1898 to be bigger. Present stocks are marked at good-by prices—some one-fourth, some one-third, some one-half. Books, both cloth and paper bound, some among the largest reductions, and the fancy goods and leather goods next. Everything in fans goes at 20 per cent. off former prices.—A. H. STRATTON & Co.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS MARCH FIRST.

As was expected and understood by both parties at the close of the session, the General Provincial Elections will be over very soon. The Ontario Gazette to-day contains the announcement of the dissolution of Parliament, and that writs for a general election will issue on Feb. 2nd. The nominations will take place on Tuesday, Feb. 22nd, and polling on Tuesday, March 1st. This is about what was expected. Nobody is taken by surprise. The campaign has practically been under active way since the prorogation of the Legislature, and the announcement of the definite date will merely give a greater impulse to the activities of the contest. The assurance of Premier Hardy some time ago that there would be a session of the Legislature before the general elections was equivalent to a statement that they would occur soon after prorogation, so that practically the calling of the last session was a signal for getting ready for the general elections, and the Opposition were the first to avail themselves of the opportunity of putting their claims through their leaders, before the electorate. Through the press—and in this reading age that means much—the public questions at issue have been pretty thoroughly discussed, in many constituencies, as in West Peterborough, the discussion on the platform has been not inconsiderable, and, with energy thrown into the month between now and polling day, the people, who are already, to a large extent, prepared, will, by that date, be completely prepared to intelligently make the important decision as to how to cast their ballots.

POST OFFICE STEPS.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

DEAR SIR,—At noon to-day an accident (fortunately not a serious one) occurred at the post office, whereby an elderly lady slipped on the icy steps, and fell backward, striking her head and back. She lay where she fell for a few minutes and was then able to hobble away—it might have been otherwise.

Now all the post office steps are and have been very dangerous for years, particularly in winter. There should be at least three railings at each flight of steps so that in case of a person slipping there would be a better chance of saving oneself and perhaps preventing

A BROKEN HEAD OR BACK.

Jan. 29th, 1898.

PERSONAL.

Capt. Scollard, of the Majestic, was down from the Point yesterday.

Mr. Joe Begley left to day for New York City, where he has secured a situation.

Rev. A. T. Dykeman will preach anniversary sermons in the Warsaw Methodist church to-morrow.

Miss Lemay and Lottie Batten are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lemay, Lakefield.

Capt. Will Reynolds passed through the other day on his way home, after spending a few weeks in Toronto.

Don't Forget

FORESTER'S Carnival
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or which a large number of
ine Prizes are offered for competition
or Fancy Dress and Comic Costumes.
It will be well worth seeing.
DON'T MISS IT.

W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held on Monday, Jan. 31st, at 3.30 p.m., at Mrs. Paton's, Brock street. A large attendance is desired.

Mrs. L. M. Lake, of St. Louis, Mo., third Vice-President of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union, of America will give one of her noted lectures in behalf of the W.C.T.U. the latter part of February. Further announcement will be made later.

The Crusaders will conduct a Service of Song in the Market Hall, Sunday evening at close of church service, 8.15. Come and hear them sing. Silver collection.

Notice To Creditors.

In the Matter of Charles F Kutzbach, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Fancy Goods and Crockery Merchant, in solvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects for the general benefit of his creditors, under R.S.O. 1897, Chap. 12, and amending acts thereto.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at my Office, 23 Scott Street, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of February, 1898, at 3.30 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving a statement of affairs, appointing inspectors and fixing their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to fyle their claims with me duly proven on or before the day of meeting, and after the 5th of February, 1898, I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the estate having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have received notice.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 29, 1898.

LAST NIGHT AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Friday evenings are the busiest at the Y.M.C.A.

In the gymnasium the Y.W.C.A. ladies' class was held from 7 to 8. This was followed by basket ball practice by the teams of the Association.

In room No 2 at 7.30 the General Secretary gave the boys a practical address on "How to study the Bible."

At 8 o'clock Mr. E. Elcome gave an excellent lecture on "Insects," which created great interest among the Boys. The room was filled to overflowing.

In the Bible class room the debating club met. Mr. Fred Ray, a member of the club, led the discussion on the influence of the platform and the press. He was followed by other members. Decision was given in favour of the press.

Next Friday evening Mr. Barton Earle will give a paper on "The Single Tax," the same to be followed by a discussion.

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Once clear to the individual that kidney disease is a result of uric acid and oxlate of lime, which have their place in the human system, hardening and forming into stone-like substances, and the folly of treating such a disease with any medicine other than a liquid and one that will dissolve these solids, there will be little trifling with pills, powders and remedies of this character, which can not effect a permanent cure. The success of South American Kidney Cure is due to the fact that as a liquid it immediately reaches the diseased part, and dissolves these alkalies and hard substances. It never fails. Sold by H. S. Macdonald.

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HEAD OF THE SALVATION ARMY

General Booth's Visit To Peterborough--His Address.

OPERA HOUSE CROWDED TO THE DOORS

The Distinguished Visitor Speaks on the Work Which the Army is Undertaking Spiritually and Socially and Gives a Detailed Statement of the Work as Carried on in Different Countries—Statistics Which Are Amazing are Given Concerning the Great Rescue Work.

For the last few months, since when it was ascertained that General Booth intended visiting the local corps of the Salvation Army, expectancy has reigned in the ranks and amongst those who recognise the great work which the Army has undertaken,

That the sympathies of every class amongst the citizens have been enlisted in in the cause was evidenced at the C. P. R. station yesterday afternoon, where an immense concourse had assembled to welcome the General to Peterborough and join in the cheer which signalled his appearance at the door of the coach, where he was met by Ensign Kerr and Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., and escorted to a sleigh with his daughter, Miss Eva Booth, Commissioner of the forces in Canada. On the platform were also all the members of the local corps, accompanied by the Army band, which played several appropriate selections.

A NUMBER OF OFFICERS

and privates from the surrounding villages were also in attendance at the station, including Capt. Downing and Capt. Jones, of Millbrook; Capt. Wiseman, of Omemee; Capt. Coate, of Campbellford; Ensign Jones and a party of Indians from Georgiana Island, also a party from Cannington.

The General, accompanied by Mr. Stratton, was driven direct to the residence of the latter, whilst his staff was billetted amongst the friends of the Army in town.

The attendance at the Opera House in the evening was indeed a tribute to the head of the Army. The big hall was crowded to such an extent as to place standing room at a premium, all available space being filled in with chairs.

Amongst those occupying seats on the stage were Rev. Dr. Torrance, Rev. Mr. Clarke, Mayor Davis and R. Mulholland.

The appearance of General Booth on the platform was the signal for a general outburst of applause, and those of the Army present "fired a volley" with a vim which evidenced their enthusiasm.

Mr. Stratton occupied the chair, and the evening's proceedings were opened with the singing of a hymn, followed by prayer offered by Commissioner Nicoll, who accompanies the General on his tour of inspection of the Army depots in America.

Col. Hawley of London, then sang as a solo "All Nations for Jesus shall be Won," the audience joining in the chorus.

Mr. J. R. Stratton, M. P. P., presided and in a few introductory words, remarked upon the very great pleasure it gave him to be present and enjoy the honour of presiding over such a great gathering. He referred to General Booth as the head and front of the greatest religious and social movement of the century, who in point of executive abilities and qualities as a commander deserved to rank with the greatest generals of the day and he paid a warm tribute to the General whose methods seemed to be modelled on the methods of the Great Master, who mingled with the lowly, the publican and sinner, and General Booth's work was begun among the poor, the lowly and depraved, the despised and outcast of society and the results of his work and that of the Army under him would not be fully known until the last great day of account. Mr. Stratton referred to the good work the Army had done in Peterborough, where for its works' sake it received the warm sympathy of the public. The various officers, as well as the rank and file, had conducted themselves in a manner to do credit to their profession, and had shown great zeal and self sacrifice in their work. To his knowledge they had done much good that had come under his notice, many to his knowledge had been reclaimed from vicious courses and made useful members of society, and good-living Christian men. The Army had done a great work in Peterborough and deserved and received the good will and sympathy of all good citizens. The speaker concluded by expressing the hope that the visit of General Booth would result in good, not only in direct good influence, but in encouraging the local corps and inciting them to even greater activity in continuing the good work which had already been done.

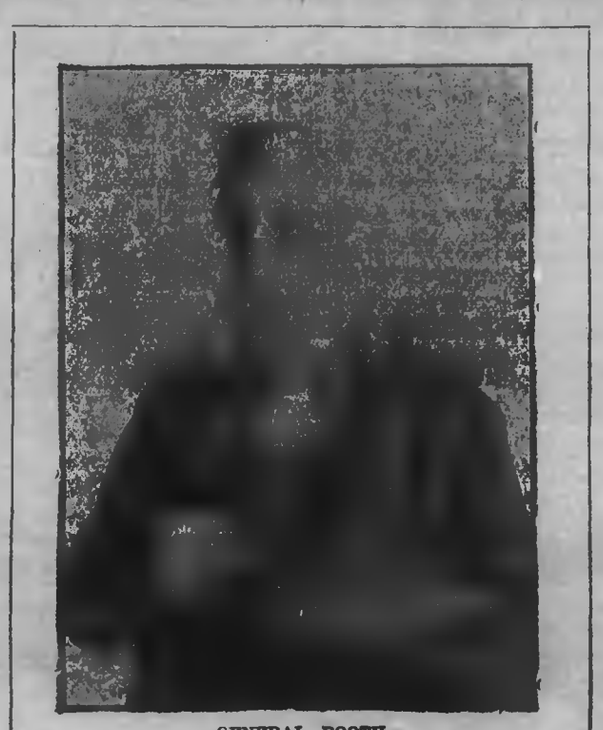
When General Booth stepped to the front of the platform he was received with a

STORM OF APPLAUSE.

In opening, he thanked the chairman for his kind words, and the audience for their endorsation of them. What should he say in return? The Scriptures say to bless them that curse you, but what is one to do when blessing are bestowed instead of curses? He could pray that the blessings be returned on their own heads.

Although he would greatly prefer grappling with sin and working for results to the Army, still as he was expected to speak of the work which was being undertaken he would try and confine himself to that.

He recognized that the applause with which he was greeted was intended, not for him personally, but for him as the representative of the Salvation Army. The greeting was deserved. The Army



GENERAL BOOTH.

deserved well at the hands of all people—it deserved well at the hands of the civilized populations of the world. Examine the Army. It has nothing to conceal. Judge it by its works. The Army wants all to see what it is doing and why it is doing it. Do not judge it by public opinion, by what other people said about it, for there were sure to be those who were prejudiced against it—those who lived and fattened upon the vices of their fellows. It was not to be expected that the dealers in drink and immorality should look with favour upon a flag that

DECLARED ETERNAL ENMITY

against them, and was prepared to rescue their devotees at all risks. Yet it was remarkable how far the Army had the favour of these classes. Many people despised the Army through sheer ignorance. The way to judge of it was by its works; how far it made men good and holy and true in the present time.

It might seem strange, but it was a fact that they had in many cases the sympathy of the classes who were in a large measure responsible for the depravity of their fellowmen, such as saloon keepers. For instance, in New York there are forty saloons where Salvationists go and sell the War Cry and sing to frequenters. People should not judge the Army by what such people say, however, nor yet by what the victims of vice say. There are others who misrepresent the Army through sheer ignorance. That was why Jesus was crucified.

People should come and see for themselves and give judgment on the merits of the case. They should not even judge by what the members of the Army thought of themselves, although no one knew them better.

The Army believes in itself. It knew of those they had brought out of the horrible pit and put the words of salvation in their months. Still don't judge them by what they say of themselves although they are orthordox. They believe in God, Christ and Calvary, and the power of the Almighty to cleanse people's lives here below, and to save. They believe in the judgment and the great white throne. Don't judge them by their creed, because people can be sound in their creed and devils at heart.

Don't judge the Army by its methods, although they are excellent. If they are wrong

SHOW US BETTER.

That is what we want. Of all that have left the ranks not one can say that they have found a better method of grappling with sin and rescuing the poor and needy.

They do not ask to be judged by their membership, by their means, their methods or their oratory, but by their works. It is the relief of the wretched, helping prisoners, cheering the dying and making men Christlike that is their aim.

A syndicate does not want to know at the end of a year the amount of goods that has been turned over. It is primarily interested in the profits. In case of war it is not asked how many miles the soldiers covered, but how much territory had been acquired and were they nearer the victory this would end the bloody war. That is what the Army wants to know. The results of our great war. The devil has a hold of the world. He lures them away that he may damn them eternally to spite the Almighty. He has the world on his side and we have come to fight him. So when I visit my corps I ask: What have you done? How many soldiers have you? How many have you rescued from the devil?

That is the way to judge us.

In Heaven it won't be asked how will you know your belief, but what have you done on earth for the Almighty. We are going to be judged on the last great day by John's "What are your works."

Now, what are your works? We are not perfect! No, not by a great deal, but we are improving.

The speaker then proceeded to explain the work of the Army, taking up the spiritual side first—although he objected to the work being divided into the

SPIRITUAL AND SOCIAL

departments, as if a man was to be saved he would have to be saved all round—spiritually and bodily. He must have religion in his business as well as in his prayers.

The heart must be reached. There is the beginning of religion. Otherwise it is all wind and ginger beer. Sometimes we go straight for the heart in our work, and sometimes we go round about to reach it. A man's heart is often easily accessible if his stomach is full. We have gone to all classes. We have gone lower than we intended—right to the bottom strata, and we have proven the power of God to rescue souls from the uttermost depths.

After a few humorous remarks about the right of people to speak about their own deeds, the General went on to speak of what the Army has accomplished. The work was known as spiritual and social. Take the former and see what God has wrought during the 33 years that it had been in existence. The movement commenced in the East End of London, then crossed into Scotland, crossed the channel into Ireland, then went to France and Switzerland, and from Switzerland passed to Belgium. It had gone to Holland and spread itself over that country; had gone to Germany, where it had many difficulties with the police, whose confidence it had now more or less secured, and where in Berlin alone, there were now something like 16 corps. It passed into Scandinavia, Denmark and Finland, right up to the walls of St. Petersburg. It had gone further north still, right away beyond Iceland, and

EVEN TO THE KLONDYKE.

At the very gates of hell the Salvationists fight for the blood bought souls of men.

Continuing, the speakers said the Army had gone into Asia, with its intensely interesting millions of Hindoos; into Japan and Java, and away to Australia and New Zealand. It had gone through the United States, through the West Indies, and elsewhere; into South Africa, right away up among the gold mines of the Transvaal and the kraals of the Kaffirs and the Zulus. The Salvation Army was fighting with the power of darkness in all these places, as well as in almost every one of the large civilised cities, among the gambling dens and saloons, nigh to the very gates of hell.

The General then went into some details regarding the standing of the Army now showing the advances made since the General was last in Canada three years ago. At that time the Army was working in 40 different countries; now it was at work in 45. Three years ago it had 3366 societies in these countries; now it had 5873, or an increase of 2807. Three years ago there were a little over 11,000; to-day there were over 13,000. Three years ago there were 35,000 local unpaid officers; now there were 44,000. There were held weekly 40,500 indoor meetings, and 31,000 outdoor, with an average attendance of 5,500,000. There were 60 training homes, with 140 schools, and the Army had 51 newspapers and magazines, published in 18 different languages, and having a weekly circulation of

NEARLY ONE MILLION COPIES.

The speaker then went on to refer to the three worlds of wickedness in which the Army is seeking to rescue. They are the pauper world, where starvation is rampant, the vicious world, abounding in drunkards and gamblers, and the criminal world. Speaking in reference to the latter class, he claimed that a man who was down ought to have a chance to get up. Even horses and dogs are given that chance. If men and women fall, and some of the highways of life are very slippery, they should have the same chance. They ought to get a helping hand, and that was what the Salvation Army was trying to accomplish. When this branch of the Army's work was started everything had to be learned. Men and women had to be got who could teach industries to others; and then there was the more difficult task of finding men and women who knew how to take hold of men and women as brothers and sisters, neither patronising them, on the one hand, nor coddling and coaxing them on the other. During the seven years that had elapsed since this branch of the work was founded, the Army had set to work in different parts of the world and had established 415 separate institutions, which were conducted and managed by 1,400 officers, fully half of whom had been rescued by the Salvation Army.

In many cases the Army homes were the recipients of people who had fallen from high social positions. There are scores of people who fall from high social positions who would do anything rather than let their friends know of their sad plight.

The speaker then went into details about their

INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTIONS.

There were now 96 food depots and shelters, the shelters in Montreal alone having taken in at least 23,000 persons. There were 69 homes for fallen women and through these 30,000 fallen women had passed. Careful inquiry showed that of these women about 75 per cent. became good citizens, at a cost of something like $15 each, or not much more than a lady paid for a bonnet. In London, there were three rescue homes maintained by the girls who had been saved in this way. There were also homes for ex-criminals and industrial homes. The Army likewise had 42 inquiry bureaus, 29 labour bureaus, 11 farm colonies, 95 slum posts and 11 other agencies.

A case was instanced by the General, that of a Norwich woman hauled up before the beak forty-nine times, an incorrigible case from the police point of view, who upon the last occasion of her arrest, tore every stitch of clothing from her body in the cells. The magistrate accepted the bond of the Salvation Army to care for her, and to-day, after four years' trial, she is an example to the borough of their work, and careful enquiry shows that it was owing to her betrayal when in her teens, and the consequent loss of all self-respect and natural ambition that she had sunk, even lower in her own estimation, than in that of the world around her.

Why does the Army succeed? continued the speaker. Because she insists on every soldier having a consciousness of sin forgiven.

It is a grand thing to

KNOW YOU ARE SAVED

and the time and place when your salvation was secured. When you are tempted it is a great thing to be able to go back to the time and place of your redemption from sin. We want more faith amongst us and more love in this world.

The "General" claimed their work had acted as a stimulus to other creeds and said no such success could have attended it unless the Holy Ghost had fostered the work. The Salvation Army officer who studied appearances was not long an officer or even a member of their Army. The workers must be unto men "as fools for Christ sake," not really fools, said General Booth, for I am not generally taken for a fool in business matters. There was an enormous work to be done. The children were crying out, the drunkards and the harlots, neighbours and friends, were drifting lower and lower all around us. Money will not save them. We want men and women with "Go," and influence filled with the spirit of self-sacrifice to give their whole time to the work.

What is to be the outcome of this meeting? concluded the General. Is there to be none? Is my time to be wasted?

SURELY NOT!

I have not many more days on earth. Every moment is precious. I would like to hear you from the resolution in your hearts that you will try and live better lives.

A collection was then taken up in aid of the social movement in Canada.

Major Davis made a brief address whilst the collection was being taken up. He was sure all were very much interested in the words which had fallen from the General during the night. A feeling of profound gratitude must exist when it was remembered what a work had been accomplished during the 33 years of the Army's existance. It was an honour to listen to the man who had inaugurated this movement. He felt he was echoing the wish of all when he expressed the hope that he might live long to carry on the work which he had inaugurated. He moved a vote of thanks to the General for his interesting address and for his kindness in visiting Peterborough again. Rev. Dr. Torrance seconded the motion expressing the pleasure which he had experienced in listening to General Booth for this, the third time.

The motion was carried enthusiastically and tendered by Mr. Stratton. The General briefly responded and before again seating himself moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Stratton for his kindness in presiding at the meeting and in entertaining him at his home.

Mr. Stratton in replying stated that he was only too pleased to have the honour of entertaining the General as his guest. He was always glad to do what he could for the Army and would be pleased to have the opportunity of doing anything further which lay in his power to assist them at any time.

The assemblage then dispersed after singing the doxology.

During his stay in town

COMMISSIONER NICOLL,

who represents the views of the General, said in answer to a question, that as far as the personal matter between the latter and his son, Ballington Booth, was concerned, it had been mutually agreed in New York that there should be absolute silence. The personal element, the Commissioner said, was, in reality, a small affair, which affected no principle.

"Our business is, not to deal with personalities, but to save the souls of men. The Army has one object—to redeem the masses. It comes with love to all; not with controversy. This matter has been made too much of. Nothing more is to be said about it, as far as the General is concerned.

Asked as to the statement made by Mrs. Ballington Booth to the effect that upon this continent, where the common school had given intelligence to the whole population, the appeal would have to be to the reasoning faculties and not to the emotions, Commissioner Nicoll said that if we go back to history we will find that emotion played a vital part in nearly all revolutions which had changed the complexion of the world. The Reformation appealed, not so much to the educated few, but the educated many in Europe.

"But, pray, understand that we do not despise education. We have in our ranks some of the best educated men in the world. We have in Switzerald, in France, in Norway, in England, men of the highest ability.

WE HAVE MEN

and women who can speak several languages, who could in any other position in life, win credit and wealth, but who consecrated their services to the Army. Our mission is to the people. I believe that a few years' service in the Army will make a man more capable for the work which the Army has to do than a college education that moved the world in reformation times."

"Do you think then that the Army, adapting itself to the peoples of all countries, has in it the elements of permanence—in other words, will the appeal to the emotional in men make for lasting results in the individual life?"

"Why should we doubt it, when we see what has already been accomplished by such an appeal? It will no do to despise emotion. A man is stirred by emotion. When that subsides he is apt to get down to bed rock, and ask himself how he really stands in the sight of God. But he needs first of all to be stirred, either through the argument of fear or love or terror. The Army makes for permanence, not only because of the message it brings, but because of its organization, its property, its system of order and discipline, its hold upon the people, and its

MANY FORMS OF RESCUE

and social work, which in the aggregate number nearly five hundred, and which are nearly self-supporting. The Army takes poor, timid creatures who could not at the outset say three words in public, and in the course of a few years these same persons will come before the public and speak with eloquence and ability. It is a school in which our people are trained for service. Our work is with the masses, but it is addressed to the intelligence as well as to the emotional nature. We need not fear lack of intelligence, but we might fear if we gave all our attention to culture, the loss of that individual enthusiasm which has made the Army the success which it is to-day. We invite culture; culture has in the cases of the countries I have mentioned thrown in its lot with us; but the note of distinction we strike is the note of enthusiasm. We believe we have a message for the redemption of the masses; we speak in the language of the people wherever we go; we adapt ourselves to national ideas and customs; but we remain, of course, the Army, teaching the principles upon which it was founded."

General Booth and his staff left at noon for Toronto.

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With all my puny might
But now I know if I but wait
It all will come out right.

Though vice may don the judge's crown
And play the censor's part,
And fact be sowed by falsehood's frown,
And nature ruled by art,
Though labor toils through blinding tears,
And idle wealth is might,
I know the honest, earnest years
Will bring it all out right.

Though poor and loveless creeds may pass
For pure religion's gold,
Though ignorance may rule the mass,
While truth meets glances cold,
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To Be Sentenced for Abduction.

Toronto, Jan. 28.—The Police Magistrate yesterday ordered Mrs. Osborne to be taken into custody on a charge of abducting Rachael Levinski until Monday when he will sentence her. Agents of an opera troupe were negotiating for the girl and prisoner hid the girl from her parents, who, however, got wind of the intention, and laid the charge with the above result. Mrs. Osborne appears to be quite a respectable woman and has a large family. Her two daughters, playmates of the Levinski girl, went wild with grief when their mother was sent to the cells.

Heinze Has Sold to the C.P.R.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—It appears to be as good as decided that Mr. Heinze has accepted the Canadian Pacific's offer for his smelter at Trail, as well as the railways to Rossland and Robson. The figure has not yet transpired.

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THE DEACON'S PIETY.

IT WAS EQUAL TO ALL OCCASIONS AND LASTED OVER EIGHTY YEARS.

Suspended Religious Services Indefinitely to Nurse the Victims of a Smallpox Epidemic—An Example In This as He Was In Devotion to the Flag.

Deacon William Trowbridge was a small farmer living near Sheboygan Falls. He went there over 50 years ago. Besides tilling a little patch of ground the deacon, who was indeed the very soul of honor and ever had the respect and confidence of all in that community, was in the habit, before regular preachers were sent there, of reading a sermon or exhorting. There was no sham about Deacon Trowbridge's piety. He was sincerity itself.

Fifty years ago the little village was visited by a smallpox epidemic—an old fashioned, widespread and spreading epidemic—and they didn't know how to scotch it as well as they do now.

The first Sunday after the dreaded disease made its appearance the deacon's congregation was quite large. At the end of the services he made an announcement in about these words:

"These services will be postponed until after the smallpox disappears from the community. From this on I shall give my services to the stricken families. I shall minister to their wants, help to nurse them, and when they die follow them to the grave. It may be a long term or it may be a short term, but, however long or however short, it is my plain duty to help my distressed neighbors."

The word was well suited to the action which followed. The good old deacon hurried to his home, changed his clothes, bade his family goodby and at once began his work of mercy. What a work it was! The epidemic lasted nearly all winter. Large numbers died. Few in the village escaped the disease. The deacon's example was followed by others. Men went to their homes, told their wives and children what the deacon had said and was doing, arranged their business, provided fuel and provisions, kissed their dear ones and went to the aid of the unfortunate. Like the deacon they went without reward or hope of reward. Like him they spent weeks and some of them months in that service without daring to go home lest their dear ones catch the disease.

The strangest of all this strange experience is the fact that neither the deacon, the good souls who imitated his example nor their families were overtaken by the malady, notwithstanding the fact that the watchers, helpers and nurses were almost constantly in the presence of the suffering patients and notwithstanding the fact that they laid out and helped to bury the dead.

Nearly half of the deacon's congregation had disappeared when, the next spring, he resumed services in the schoolhouse. It was a sorrowful Sunday. Those in the audience who had not lost members of their family had lost neighbors and dear friends. When the good old Christian had read a chapter, prayed and talked a practical sermon, he referred feelingly to the scenes through which the community had passed. I think every man, woman and child in the room, including the deacon, wept. At the close of the talk he asked all present to join him on their knees in asking that the community might escape such visitations for all time to come. It was a most earnest appeal. I believe that that prayer has been answered. There may have been a few cases of smallpox there since then, but there has never been an epidemic.

The Sunday after Sumter was fired upon, and while Deacon Trowbridge was conducting services in the Baptist church, the denomination to which he belonged for over 80 years, he and his congregation were disturbed by a great commotion in the street right in front of the church. There were beating of drums and sounds of fife much out of tune. It was so uncommon a thing that most of the congregation walked or ran out of the church. Finally the deacon closed the Bible and slowly followed his fleeing flock. When outside, he asked the cause of "this unseemly disturbance on the Lord's day." Some one told him that the president had called for soldiers to uphold the honor and the flag of the nation and that they were going to raise a company right then and there.

The old deacon's eyes flashed as he walked out into the street, where a young fellow was irregularly pounding a bass drum, and said: "Nathan, I know it is Sunday and that all but the Lord's work should be abandoned, but the saving of our country and the shielding of its flag from dishonor is the Lord's work. Give me that drum." And that model of piety strapped on the big drum and went to pounding, greatly outdoing Nathan in two respects—he made more noise and kept perfect time. He drummed as no one before had never drummed in the little village. As if it had gone on lightning wings, word flew through the community that Deacon Trowbridge had left his pulpit to beat a drum, and on Sunday too.

Within half an hour nearly every one in town and many from the outskirts had gathered around the old drummer, all cheering him, and on Sunday too. That night Nathan Cole, who had been relieved as drummer by the deacon, went to Sheboygan with enough men to make up what became Company C of the Fourth Wisconsin.—J. A. Watrous in Chicago Times-Herald.

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Bridge Carpenter Killed.

Rat Portage, Jan. 27.—A bridge carpenter named Joseph Geffron, while working on a bridge on the C.P.R. at Hawk Lake, in some way lost his foothold and fell to the ground beneath, a distance of some thirty feet. The remains were embalmed and shipped to his family at Aylmer, Quebec, for interment. The deceased leaves a widow and three children.

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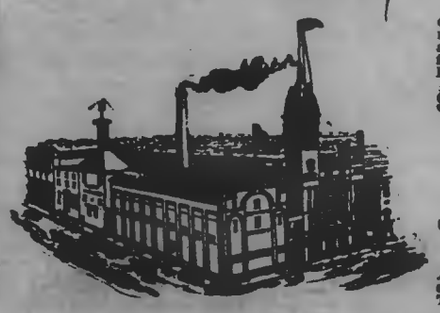

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BY CHARLES B. LEWIS.

Would you believe that so late as the year 1883 a fine clipper ship had to be sold for a song and converted into a coal barge because of a ghost aboard which gave her a bad name? Such was the case.

The Nemo was a Clyde built ship and was launched in 1870. She was built for and owned by Perry Joslyn of Liverpool, who was the owner of six other ships, all voyaging to India or Australia. As a rule, two or three men are killed and as many more badly injured in the building and rigging of a ship, but in the case of the Nemo no man met with the scratch of a finger. The launch was the fairest of a score of ships from the same yard, and when fully rigged and ready for her maiden voyage the new creation was said to be the handsomest vessel hailing from the great port. A valuable cargo was ready for her, and the owner had the luck to secure a skipper in the person of Captain Halpin, who had commanded half a dozen different ships and never met with a serious accident.

We got to sea one day in a way to please all hands, and inside of 24 hours we found the craft to be a witch for sailing. When she got settled down to her pace, she showed the speed of a steamer and carried favorable winds for the first seven days out. Then, one night at 10 o'clock, the breeze died away until the Nemo lost steerageway, and it was at 11 o'clock that the ghost was first heard of. A man named Charles Jones was on watch on the bows at that hour. He was a sober, dignified man and the best seaman of the crew. As third mate of the ship I had the watch at that time, while the captain and the other mates were asleep and seven or eight men were lounging about on the fore and main decks. Of a sudden Jones screamed out and came running aft in a state of great excitement. He was in such a state of alarm that it was five minutes before he could relate his story. He was pacing to and fro, he said, keeping a bright lookout and not thinking of anything in particular when he suddenly found something walking beside him. He heard no step or sound, but a "something" stood shoulder to shoulder with him. It wasn't exactly a man, nor yet was it a shadow. The sailor felt its breath on his cheek and turned to seize it, but the "something" laughed at him and glided away. I was greatly provoked with the man and charged him with having slept on his post, though I knew that I did him injustice in this. It was a cloudy night, with the moon breaking through now and then, and I contended that his "something" was but a shadow and ordered him back to his post. Nothing further happened that night, and the next morning the captain called the old man aft and gave him to understand that if he saw or felt any more ghostly visitors it would be bad for him. The crew would talk the matter over and side with Jones, but that anything further would be seen of the "something" no man believed.

Four nights later and two hours after midnight, while the ship was making a good eight knots per hour and everything was going smoothly, as the first mate had the deck, the entire ship was aroused by something which happened in the deck-house. There were eight or nine men sleeping there, and a man from the watch on deck went in to his chest to get a plug of tobacco. The slush lamp had been turned down, so that the place was but dimly lighted. The man was bending over his chest when something seized him in a clammy embrace and forced him to the floor. He thought it was one of the crew playing him a trick, but he scrambled up to find them all in their bunks and to see a shadow glide away. The sailor set up a shout, the watch below turned out, and presently everybody was on deck, and excitement reigned fore and aft. In return for his story the sailor got a dose of rope's end, though after flogging he still maintained that he been hugged by a ghost. On the quarter deck we explained it away by saying that the man was nervous, but every man forward believed his statements and was satisfied that the ship was haunted. We thought it the best policy to treat the affair with contempt, and, although we could not help but notice how the men hung together in pairs after night had come, we gave the matter no attention. When ten days had gone by and nothing more had turned up, we looked upon the ghost as a good joke, and the two men who had seen it were the butt of ridicule. At 1 o'clock of a certain morning, the breeze being small and the night without a moon, though fairly light, the first mate stood looking to windward over the port quarter at what he believed was a sail. His watch were all wide awake, and he could hear the footsteps of the man on lookout as he paced to and fro. The man had been standing still for perhaps five minutes when he felt a hand laid on his arm, an icy breath on his cheek, and as he wheeled about there was the sound of low laughter. To his surprise and consternation no one was visible. His impression as he turned took up the box from her lap and broke the string. A note lay on a bed of deep purple, fragrant violets, and as she saw just the one word, "Theodora," in the familiar, scrawly writing, her heart gave a joyous bound. She opened the note and read these words: "The fool and his money soon parted."

She stared at the line. So Jack considered himself a fool for spending a few paltry cents on her, and this after their conversation at the Hathaways! Oh, it was unbearable for any man to be so insulting, and Jack of all men!

She took a little pencil from her pocket-book and wrote underneath the obnoxious message from Jack, "It would be wise to tack the violets on to one of those ends which will not meet."

When Jack received the box addressed in Theodora's handwriting, he eagerly opened the package. Inside he found his poor violets withered, and then he read the pencilled words, "It would be wise to tack the violets on to one of those ends which will not meet."

"By Jove!" he exclaimed. "That borders on sarcasm. Wonder why she didn't like them. I'll take a run up Sunday and find out."

Jack was as good as his word and quite distracted Theodora's thoughts from her prayers when his unexpected self swung into the church on Sunday morning. She treated him with dignity which smacked of hauteur, but poor Jack was entirely unconscious.

"By the way," he remarked casually that evening, utterly unaware of or at least not noticing the frigidity of Theodora's manner, "why didn't you keep the violets? I meant you should."

"Indeed, did you? I did the best I could to restore a fool's money."

"I say, that's rather hard on me, Theodora. But, of course, I know you only meant it as a joke, same as I did. But I am sorry you did not keep them."

"A joke!" she exclaimed. "I think your jokes are in rather poor taste."

"Oh, never mind; that's all over now. Say, I congratulated Hunt the other day, and it didn't seem to set well."

Theodora gasped: "How dare you do such a thing?" she exclaimed. "How dare you insult me in this way? I have never been treated so. First you proposed to me and—and"—

"I didn't mean to insult you by that, Theodora."

"Oh, you know what I mean! You told me you did not want to marry me because I would be an expense. Then you dared to meddle in Mr. Hunt's affairs"—

"Now, Theodora"—

"Then you send me a box of flowers so you can poster me with your excessive brilliancy of thought. Then, to cap all, you come up here to taunt me with all this and call it all a joke. I never thought it of you. I"—

"Why, Theodora, what is the matter? Don't cry, for heaven's sake!" implored Jack, attempting consolation and exhibiting immense awkwardness.

"Oh, I say, Theodora," he said, "I didn't know you felt this way about it!"

"I don't," sobbed Theodora.

"But, my dear, you certainly do. Upon my word, I did not know that you were not engaged to Hunt. I apologized to him, and it's all right. And I sent the flowers because I knew you like violets, and the note was only a joke. And I said that I did not want to marry you because I was sure you would refuse me at first. But I don't believe you would marry any one else or be engaged so soon. Tell me anyway, Theodora, why won't you marry me?"

"Because you don't want me to," she said sobbingly.

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Ketch em a-comin
An start with the moon,
One, two, three, four, five.
Which side are you on
This side or that side?
Oh, looky! it's gone!

Cloud has come over.
Wait now; it'll shine
Just in a minute—
Now! This side is mine.
Why, there's a lot more
Come out since. Le's see—
Start it all over.
Begin—one, two, three.

Looky there, Billy!
See that thing! Whoo-es!
Flyin across there—
Say, what can it be?
Shootin an nizzlin—
I'll bet somethin's wrong.
That there thing's tail is
Half a mile long.

There! It's all gone now.
Why, Billy, I swan,
Millions have come from
Where that un has gone.
Pshaw! We can't do it.
We never can keep
Tally, they come so.
Le's us go to sleep.

Billy—say.—tell me,
Now, who—do you s'pose
Gethers the stars in
When all the night goes?
Bet—he must start—work
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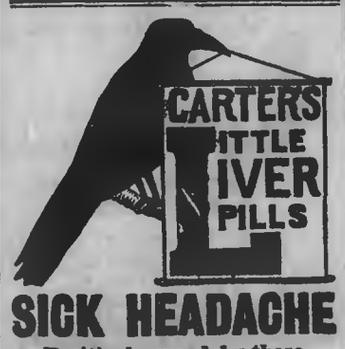

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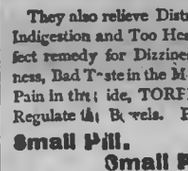

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He had wasted away to a mere skeleton, from want of sleep. A Mr. J. G. Ahern, of the Gate City Loan Co., who happened to call at our residence, was attracted by the fearful screams of the child, and asked if he might see him. He was brought in, and upon seeing him, Mr. Ahern said, that "while it was the worst case he had ever seen, he felt satisfied that it could be speedily cured by the use of the CUTICURA REMEDIES." I finally consented to try them, purchasing the CUTICURA SOAP, CUTICURA ointment, and CUTICURA RESOLVENT, and used them according to directions. Before we had been using them three weeks, we noticed a decided change for the better, the itching began to subside and a healing process had set in. *In seven weeks from the time we began with* CUTICURA REMEDIES, *my little one was completely cured*, and without a sign of the trouble left. It is over a year since he has been cured; there has been no return of the trouble, and the little man is *now fat* and hearty, *with* a beautiful, clear skin.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

The Juniors and Seniors play to-night at the rink from seven to eight o'clock. It will be a good, sharp practice for both teams, and as Lionel King is away the Juniors expect to make a good showing.

The Lakefield News says:—"The Millbrook hockey team play a magnificent game of hockey—in their minds. They say themselves that they never had a hockey practice this season before they met Lakefield, and the Lakefield boys also admit the same. But they have been practising a magnificent game of shinney, and they have got so proficient at that game that they don't know the difference between it and hockey. Lakefield plays a clean game of hockey and so when it comes to a shinney match they are not in it. That is how they lost the match in Peterborough on Wednesday of last week.

MORE NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Public Library:

Koren and her neighbours.....*Bird-Bishop*
Old Campeador.....*Clarke*
The Story of Jesus Christ.....*Stewart Phelps*
Grand.....*Church*
Lincoln.....*Brooks*
On the Other Track.....*Metcalfe*
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DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.....	5° below zero	
Yesterday.....	5°	—11°

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

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running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled from end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. RICHARDSON, Canadian passenger agent, north-west corner King and Yonge street Toronto.

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COUNTY COUNCIL JANUARY SESSION.

GOOD WORK OF THE MEMBERS ON COMMITTEES.

Passing of Bylaws and Confirming the Reports—Closing up the Legislation of the Session.

FRIDAY—FOURTH DAY.

The members of the council were engaged in committee work nearly the whole day. A great amount of important business had to be carefully transacted before the slate was cleared. The members of the several committees were all in close attendance, and as fast as one committee cleared their box another was ready to be called up. While the chairmen of the respective committees exercised business-like promptness and despatch, nothing was unduly hurried or done in a slip-shod manner.

SATURDAY—FIFTH DAY.

The Council went into session this morning at 9 o'clock.

The Warden in the chair. All the members present.

After routine; the presentation of the report of committees was proceeded with.

PETITIONS.

Mr. Brown, chairman of the Committee on Petitions, presented the following report:

The Committee on Petitions beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your Committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the circular letter from the Secretary of the Dominion License asking this council to memoralize the Ontario Legislature to further restrict the sale of liquor by providing that no license shall be issued to take effect in a polling sub-division in which a majority of the electors petition against the same, and to give to a majority of the electors in a locality power to further limit the hours of sale in places in which licenses are continued.

2 Your Committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the circular letter from the county clerk of the county of Wellington praying this council to memoralize the Ontario Legislature for certain amendments to section 31, of the High Schools Act, 1896, defining the liability of County Councils with respect to High Schools.

3. Your Committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the circular letter from the county clerk of the county of Bruce, praying this council to memoralize the Ontario Legislature to abolish the present divisions under "The County Council's Act, 1896," and by providing that each County Council shall be composed of the reeve of each minor municipality therein.

4. With respect to the circular letter from the clerk of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham, asking that the powers of police magistrates be extended, your committee recognize the importance of so extending their jurisdiction and the expense saved to each county owing to the proper discharge of their duties by County Police Magistrates.

JOHN BROWN,
Chairman.

County Council Chambers,
Peterborough, Jan. 8th, 1898.

On a motion for the adoption of the report, Mr. Hawthorne said that while he had no objection to the report he would like to see Clause 3 struck out. He was personally of the opinion that County Councils composed of Reeves from municipalities gave the best representation to the ratepayers.

On motion of Messrs. Hawthorne and Peck the report was referred back to the committee. The report was then amended by striking out clause 3 and adopted.

APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE.

Mr. Shaw, Chairman of the Committee on Appointments to Office, presented the following report:

The Committee on Appointments beg leave to report as follows:

1 That Mr. John Brecken ridge be re-appointed trustee of the Norwood High School.

2 That Messrs E. A. Peck and R. C. Strickland be members of the Board of Audit of Accounts in connection with the Administration of Justice.

3 That Mr. J. E. Belcher be re-appointed County Engineer.

4 That Dr. Wm. Caldwell be re-appointed Gaol Surgeon at a yearly salary of $150, payable as formerly, the sum to cover all extras heretofore charged.

5 That Mr. Henderson Nesbitt be re-appointed caretaker of the Court House at a yearly salary of $175, payable as formerly.

6 That Mr. W. P. Chase be re-appointed caretaker of the Gannon's Narrows Ferry at a yearly salary of $125, payable as formerly, and your committee recommend that Mr. Chase be instructed that in no case shall a longer delay than ten minutes intervene between the time of call and his operation of the ferry, and that Mr. Chase be requested to signify in writing his acceptance of the above provision before the 1st of April.

7 That Mr. John Flood be re-appointed caretaker of the Pigeon Creek bridge at a yearly salary of $25, payable as formerly.

8 That Mr S Purser be re-appointed caretaker of the Buckborn bridge at a salary of $5.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ROBT. SHAW,
Chairman.

County Council Chambers,
Peterborough, January 28th, 1897.

The report was adopted.

SCHOOLS.

Mr. Hawthorne, chairman of the Committee on Schools, presented the following report:—

The Committee on Schools beg leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the communication from the secretary of the School Trustees Association, asking this council to send to the annual meeting of the association one delegate to represent each Provincial electoral district of the county.

2. Your committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the communication from the county clerk of the county of Lanark, asking this council to memoralize the Ontario Legislature to so amend the High Schools Act as to provide that towns separated from the county shall pay to the county a proportionate share of the maintenance of county pupils.

3. Your committee recommend that the report of the county school inspector be received.

4. Your committee recommend that no action be taken by this council upon the appeal of Miss H Mann from the decision of the County Board of Examiners, with respect to her son's failure at the Model School examination at Norwood, but that she be recommended to appeal to such board for a re-reading of the examination papers.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

E. HAWTHORNE,
Chairman.

County Council Chamber,
Peterborough, January 29th, 1898.

The report was adopted.

A number of other reports which were presented, along with other business of the council, is held over until Monday.

The council adjourned at 11.30 o'clock.

—The south window of Messrs. Connal & Co's store is filled with a combination of articles, valuable, useful and ornamental, which are offered for prizes by the Foresters at their Fancy Dress Carnival, to be held next Friday evening Feb. 4th, at the Charlotte street Rink. The affair is in the hands of a strong committee and the public can look forward to something entertaining and amusing. The Fire Brigade Band will be in attendance. See posters and programmes for details.

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CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL—At St. Peter's Cathedral, Sunday, Jan 30th, there will be three masses celebrated—at 8 a.m.; children's mass at 9.15, high mass 10.30. Vespers and sermon at 7 p. m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets. Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 30th. Services—11 a.m., Morning prayer, Litany and Sermon; 3 p. m., Sunday school; 7 p. m., Evensong and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. H. Symonds, M.A. All seats free.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector; Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Curate; Rev. W. L. Armitage, Assistant Curate. Fourth Sunday after Epiphany, Jan. 30th. Services:—8 30 a.m., Celebration of Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer, Litany and sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 4.30 p.m., men's meeting; 7 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, (Presbyterian) corner Rubidge and Brock sts. Rev. J. G. Potter, B.A., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 30th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School and Bible class 3 p.m. Y.P.S.C.E. Monday at 8 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Rev. E. F. Torrance, D.D., pastor, Sunday, Jan. 30th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.; both services conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor Jan. 30th. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. W. G. Clark of Belleville. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2.30 p.m. Strangers welcome.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. S. J. Shorey, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 30th. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p m. Sunday school at 2.30 p. m. Grace Church Sunday school at 2.30 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed and shown to seats.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. E. Moore, Ph. B., pastor. Sunday, Jan. 30th. Services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m conducted by the pastor. Sunday school at 2.30. Rev. Mr. Moore's class of young people will meet at 10 a m., also class at the same. C. Noyes, leader. W. Wand's senior class will meet at 12.15, immediately after preaching. Seats free Attentive ushers. All welcome.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev O. C. Elliott, pastor. Sunday, Jan. 30. Services at 11 a m and 7 p m, conducted by the pastor. Sunday School and Bible class 3 p.m. Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 8 p.m. You will be welcomed Y P S C E Monday evening.

CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST.—Services every Sunday at 11 a. m., in the rooms in the Bank of Commerce Block, entrance on Water street, same as Business College. Public meeting every Friday night at 8 o'clock. A welcome extended to all.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, No. 437 George Street, Peterborough, on

Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898, at the hour of 3 o'clock, p.m.

By order of the Board.

W. G. MORROW,
Manager

Administrators' Sale

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, administrators, with the will annexed of Thomas Brooks, late of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, lock manufacturer, deceased, addressed to "Messrs Stratton & Hall, Barristers, Peterborough, Ontario," up to twelve o'clock noon, of Tuesday, the 15th day of February, 1898, for the sale of the following property either in separate parcels or en bloc, or for one or more shares mentioned in parcels numbers one and two, thereof namely:—

PARCEL NO. 1.—205 shares of $100 each fully paid up in the Capital Stock of The Peterborough Lock Manufacturing Company, Limited.

PARCEL NO. 2.—180 shares of $100 each in the Capital Stock of the said The Peterborough Lock Manufacturing Company, Limited, upon which only 33 per cent. has been paid up.

The Capital of this Company consists of $50,000 of fully paid up stock divided into 500 shares of $100 each, and $50 000 of stock divided into 500 shares of $100 each, upon which only 33 per cent. has been paid up.

This Company is and has been engaged in the manufacturing of Locks, Knobs and Builder's Hardware at the Town of Peterborough for over twelve years, and is a growing concern.

PARCEL NO. 3.—An undivided one third interest under Certain Letters patent bearing date the 6th day of November 1894, for an alleged new and useful improvement in hot water boilers for heating purposes, for the term of seventeen years from the 6th day of November 1894, granting the exclusive right to make, use and vend the said invention throughout the United States and America and the Territories thereof, and subject to the terms of a certain agreement authorizing the sale of said interest, under said letters Patent made between the said Thomas Brooks, deceased, Michael Riley and William Rudkins.

Each Tender is to be accompanied with a marked cheque for 10 per cent. of the amount of the purchase money.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Further particulars may be had on application to Messrs. Stratton & Hall, Barristers, Peterborough, or to The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto.

Dated at Peterborough this 24th day of January, A.D. 1898.

STRATTON & HALL,
Solicitors for The Trusts & Guarantee Company, Limited.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In re Estate of WILLIAM WALSH, deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN PURSUANT to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, chapter 129, section 38, and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of William Walsh, late of the town of Peterborough, in the county of Peterborough, druggist, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of June, 1897, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the Solicitors for the Executors, Messrs. Roger & Bennet, 375 Water street, Peterborough, on or before the

19th day of February, 1898,

full particulars of their claims against the said William Walsh, and of the securities (if any) held by them, and after the said day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.

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VOL. XXV, NO. 25. PETERBOROUGH, MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898. PRICE TWO CENTS.

10 a.m. Probabilities.

Light snow to-day, followed to-night by northwesterly gales and a change to very cold weather again. Fair and very cold Tuesday and Wednesday.

R. F.

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ONTARIO'S FINANCES.

Standing of the Province on December 31st, 1897.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

For the Year--Surplus of Assets, After Deducting Liabilities Presently Payable, $5,121,945.24.

When the Liberal party came into office in 1871 they found in the Treasury an accumulated surplus of cash and trust funds amounting to nearly seven millions of dollars ($7,000,000), subject to certain reductions afterwards referred to.

By an Act passed the previous session, a million and a half of dollars ($1,500,000) had been appropriated in aid of railway construction. This sum was subsequently increased by several other Acts until it amounted to a total of $8,500,000, by far the greater portion of which has already been expended.

In 1878 an Act was passed appropriating out of the accumulated surplus nearly three and a half millions of dollars, to be divided amongst the various municipalities, and used as a means of wiping out the indebtedness of some of them to the Municipal Loan Fund.

Each year a large and ever-increasing amount has been spent out of current revenue on services the cost of which would otherwise have greatly increased the burden of municipal taxation. Even these payments did not usually exhaust the annual revenue of the province, and there has generally been a surplus to add to that already accumulated. Occasionally the expenditure under the Supply Bill has exceeded the revenue, making it necessary to draw to that extent on the surplus of previous years.

Some speakers who do not take time to examine the facts in dealing with the finances of the province fail to make mention of the obligations for railway aid that had to be met after the defeat of the Sandfield Macdonald Government. In the session of 1871 an Act was passed by the Sandfield Macdonald Administration, setting apart $1,500,000 as a fund for aiding railways on certain conditions. It was contended by the then Opposition that the grant to each railway should be submitted to the Legislature for its approval. The Government was defeated on this issue, and when the Liberals came into power in 1872 legislation requiring the sanction of the people's representatives to each appropriation was passed. In the same year the Railway Fund was increased by Hon. Mr. Blake to $1,900,000, and a Railway Subsidy Fund created by setting apart the sum of $100,000 a year for twenty years. The clauses of the Acts providing for this are given below:

CAP. II.

An Act in aid of Railways.

(Assented to 15th February, 1871.)

Whereas it is expedient to give aid towards the construction of railways leading to or through sections of the country remote from existing thoroughfares, or passing through thinly settled tracts, or leading to the Free Grant Territory, or to the inland waters; Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:

1. For the purpose aforesaid the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars shall be set apart from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this province, and form a fund to be designated and known as the "Railway Fund."

CAP. XXIV.

An Act to make further Provision in aid of Railways.

(Assented to 2nd March, 1872.)

Whereas the Legislature having established a scheme for aiding in the construction of railways, it is right that the public funds, appropriated for that purpose, should be adequate to the granting of aid to all proper enterprises, so far as that can be accomplished consistently with the retention of such a proportion of the public funds as may be requisite to do justice to all sections of the country and to an extent not greater than is provided by this Act, and whereas it is therefore expedient to make further provision in aid of Railways;

Therefore Her Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario enacts as follows:

1. The sum of four hundred thousand dollars shall be set apart from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province, and shall be added to and form part of the Fund designated and known as the Railway Fund, established under the Act in aid of Railways.

2. The sum of one hundred thousand dollars yearly, for twenty years, shall be set apart from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province, and shall form a Fund to be designated and known as the Railway Subsidy Fund.

N.B.—The Province has aided fully 2,000 miles of Railway since 1871.

RECEIPTS, 1897.

Subsidy		$1,116,872 80
Specific grant		80,000 00
		$1,196,872 80
Interest on capital held, and debts due by the Dominion to Ontario	$212,414 48	
Interest on investments	35,020 67	
		$247,435 15
Crown Lands Department—		
Crown lands	$93,045 93	
Rent re Crown Lands	168,356 54	
Railway Lands	170 58	
Clergy Lands	3,163 21	
Common school lands	10,751 55	
Grammar School lands	2,414 12	
University lands	895 04	
Woods and forests	1,327,140 06	
Mining licenses	2,942 15	
Miscellaneous	330 46	
Refunds	48 22	
	$1,609,285 90	
Algoma taxes	1,934 64	
Law stamps	59,981 34	
Licenses	289,391 30	
Education Department	56,516 90	
Sale of lands at Toronto L.A.	4,000 00	
Public Institutions Revenue—		
Toronto Lunatic Asylum	$34,780 77	
Mimico "	4,416 30	
London "	12,035 61	
Hamilton "	11,907 13	
Kingston "	8,426 40	
Brockville "	3,507 66	
Orillia "	3,826 96	
Reformatory for Females	1,253 04	
Reformatory for Boys	356 25	
Blind Institute	393 00	
Deaf and Dumb Institute	100 00	
Central Prison Industries	22,000 00	
	$102,705 26	
Casual Revenue—		
Provincial Secretary's Department	$ 33,895 26	
Provincial Registrar's Branch	150 50	
Registrar-General's Branch	332 50	
Fines, etc.	3,528 08	
Insurance Companies' fees—Ontario Act and 1891 Act	15,003 20	
Loan Companies—Fees	10,388 95	
Public officers' surplus fees (57 Vict., Cap. 9 and R.S.O., Cap. 50)	12,701 85	
Fees—Local Masters of Titles	2,950 82	
Shooting and fishing licenses	7,167 75	
Circus licenses	891 26	
Intestate Estates moneys	6,845 16	
Official Gazette	11,970 76	
Private bills	8,549 10	
Statutes	1,712 69	
Ground rent, old Agricultural Hall site	4,000 00	
County of York—re expenses, Master of Land Titles' office	2,539 70	
County of Simcoe—Fees and expenses of inspection by Municipal Auditor	222 00	
Refunds	4 41	
Incidentals	185 92	
Insurance companies' assessment, re expenditure for insurance branch	2,999 99	
Removal of patients to asylums	4,794 80	
	$ 135,844 09	
Succession duties	228,818 45	
Drainage works assessmen s	4,673 40	
	$3,937,460 34	
Drainage debentures	35,934 99	
Drainage debentures, tile	10,109 84	
Sale of annuities	150,342 51	
	$4,139,847 68	

EXPENDITURE, 1897.

Civil Government	$ 250,943 82
Legislation	150,362 21
Administration of Justice	427,866 11
Education	710,815 93
Public Institutions Maintenance	806,131 54
Immigration	9,708 03
Agriculture	189,064 36
Hospitals and Charities	192,604 36
Repairs and Maintenance	79,228 44
Public Buildings	136,788 55
Public Works	32,155 73
Colonization Roads	93,379 10
Charges Crown Lands	193,665 72
Refunds	30,834 28
Statutes Consolidated	27,898 62
Miscellaneous	154,099 77
	$3,500,653 40
Drainage Debentures	6,872 94
" (Tile)	6,100 00
Railway Aid Certificates	154,548 77
Annuity "	98,700 00
	$3,767,675 70

N.B.—There is therefore a surplus on the year's (1897) transactions of $372,171.98.

ASSETS OF THE PROVINCE.

1.—Direct investments:		
Drainage debentures invested Dec 31, 1897		$ 141,070 82
Tile, debentures invested Dec. 31, 1897		123,860 81
Drainage works—Municipal amounts		85,509 41
		$ 325,440 53
2.—Capital held and debts due by the Dominion to Ontario, bearing interest:		
U. C. Grammar School fund (2 Vic., Cap. 10)	$ 312,769 04	
U. C. Building fund (18 Sect. Act 1854)	1,473,891 41	
Land improvement fund (see award)	124,685 18	
		$1,909,845 63
The capital under Act 1884 (Award '95)	2,848,289 52	
Less estimated balance due the Dominion	2,000,000 00	
		$848,289 52
		$2,758,135 15
Common School fund: Collections by the late Province of Canada, held by the Dominion pursuant to the award of 1870	1,520,850 24	
Collections by Ontario, paid over to the Dominion in 1880 and 1880, after deducting land improvement fund and 5 per cent. for collections	936,729 10	
		$2,457,579 34
Ontario's share according to population, '01.		1,441,882 90
		$4,200,018 03
3.—Bank balances: Current accounts	93,849 34	
Special accounts.	510,000 00	
	603,849 34	
		$5,158,908 14

This statement of assets does not include the value of the Parliament Buildings and other public institutions and the land whereon they are situate.

LIABILITIES OF THE PROVINCE AT PRESENT PAYABLE.

1.—Balance due to Municipalities re Surplus Distribution		$1,291 30
2.—Land Improvement Fund: Balance due to municipalities under 45 Vic. Cap. 3, and 49 Vic., Cap. 6	3,256 57	
Balance due to municipalities under 54 Vic., Cap. 9	2,771 64	
		$6,028 21
3.—Quebec's Share of Collections by Ontario on account of Common School lands in 1890-91-92-93-94-95-96-97: Collection on lands sold between the 11th June, 1853, and 6th March, 1861	$72,666 89	
Less 6 per cent. cost of management	4,961 33	
	$63,327 56	
Less one-quarter for Land Improvement Fund	17,061 88	
Collection on lands sold since 6th March, 1861	$21,812 05	$51,248 67
Less 6 per cent. cost of management	1,306 72	
	20,506 33	
		$71,749 00
Quebec's proportion according to population, 1901		$20,643 98
Total		$36,922 96
Surplus of Assets after deducting liabilities presently payable		$5,121,345.24

THE MURDER TRIALS.

A Witness Who Swore That on the Day of Her Arrest Mrs. Poirier Was Advised to Confess.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 31.—A great number of witnesses were called by the defence Saturday afternoon, but no one gave important evidence.

Zoel Corbeil, farmer of St. Augustine, stated that a month ago Coroner Mignault said that on the day of her arrest he said to the prisoner: "If you want to save your life it is better for you to confess." The Crown called other witnesses to prove that there was no light on the night of the murder, as stated by Joseph Fortier of St. Scholastique. The court adjourned until 2 o'clock on Monday and Justice Taschereau, in the forenoon, will visit the scene of the murder.

THE NULTY CASE.

Defence All in and Rebuttal Testimony Introduced—No New Points.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 31.—The defence closed their case on Saturday, after taking Dr. Lesage's testimony. The Crown then had another innings and began their rebuttal evidence.

James Mason, captain 83rd Regiment, sworn, said Tom Nulty had belonged to his company and turned out to be a good soldier. Saw the prisoner the day after the murder and asked Tom where he had spent the morning of the previous day. He received an evasive answer. In the course of their conversation, Tom said: "You surely don't suspect me?"

Jules Grenier said Tom Nulty had applied for work in his lumber shanty on the afternoon of the day of the murders.

Octave Riopelle, who had known the family for 59 years, swore that he never know that Tom's grandfather was a drunkard or that his grandmother died of a species of insanity. He also stated that prisoner's father had remarked that his son would surely be hanged for the crime.

Did Stull Commit Murder?

St. Catharines, Jan. 31.—Mr. William Duff, shoemaker, of this city, has a strange story, and it is told in such a manner as to bear the imprint of truth. The story is, in a word, to the effect that James Stull, who was sent to the penitentiary for burglary at Smithville, is implicated in a murder mystery that agitated the people of Detroit and Windsor away back in 1884. Mr. Duff has had his evidence taken by Chief Cummings, and the statement has been sent to the Detroit police. The evidence states that on the day the murder was committed he met Stull on a train on the way to Windsor. He and other man with Stull tried to persuade him to go into another car. After Duff declined they forced a conversation with the lady murdered, saying their mother was in the car ahead. She got up and went with Stull, and the train crossed the river on the transfer boats. This was the last seen of the lady alive. The best detectives worked on the case, but could never trace their man. It is expected the evidence sent in will cause the Windsor authorities to place Stull on trial.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Mr. Washburn's residence at Paisley was damaged $300, and the contents about $400, by fire on Saturday.

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Severe Pains in the Head

and at times was almost distracted. She was treated by four different doctors, one of whom was a specialist. They all said they could not do anything for her, as the disease had gone too far. Her nose would swell about every three days until her eyes would almost be closed. Then it would break through and the swelling would subside for a day or two. About Christmas she commenced taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and since that time has steadily improved. She has not been troubled with any swelling since, and the sore on the side of the nose has all healed. She is on the road to a complete cure. I cannot speak too highly of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I cheerfully recommend it to any person who is suffering with catarrh." W. H. PURDHER.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

AMONG those who think it is time for a change are those who, under the Dominion Government, need to get timber lands for $5 per square mile, but had to pay the price under public competition, for any Ontario timber limits they may have wished to acquire from the present Government.

THE main charge of the Opposition against the Ontario Government is not that it has governed badly but that, even if it has governed well, it has governed too long, says the Guelph Mercury. If a Liberal candidate went into Mr. Whitney's riding and fought a campaign against him, on the ground that he had had his turn, and should give place to another man, Mr. Whitney and his friends would cry to high heaven against the weakness of such an appeal.

THE Opposition leader comes to the country asking its support without even exhibiting a sample of the wares he wishes to work off on the electors. He has no definite policy—as the Globe remarks: No issue worthy of the name is raised by the Opposition, its leaders or its advocates in the press. No charge impugning the honour of any Minister, or even alleging incompetence or serious neglect of duty, has been submitted for investigation. Not only is this true, but one accusation after another, after doing duty at electoral campaigns, has been thrown into the lumber room, one cry after another has been abandoned, until in the present election Mr. Whitney and his followers come before the electors absolutely bankrupt of reasons in support of their plea for office.

THE financial policy of the Liberal Government of Ontario has been characterised by the most careful economy in all Provincial expenditures, which are under administrative control, and by a generous expenditure of surplus revenue for local services of various kinds, which, but for the assistance thus afforded, would have greatly increased the burden of municipal taxation. Only a small part of the provincial income is absorbed in meeting the absolutely necessary expense of carrying on the Government. The remainder is, instead of being hoarded up, returned to the people, except what is judiciously retained in the Treasury as a provision against emergencies. Expenditure of the provincial revenues for the benefit of the people is the cardinal principle upon which the present Government acts, and that principle has been acted upon to the letter. In the expenditure of over eighty-three millions of dollars, it is a proud thing to be able to state that there has never been a charge sustained that one dollar of that immense amount has been improperly expended. The word boodle is not in the dictionary of the Ontario Government.

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Below is given a full list of the candidates nominated up to and including Saturday in the various constituencies for the pending provincial contest:

Riding.	Con.	Lib.
Addington	Reid	Cattle
Algoma E.	J. H. Fell, M.D	Farwell
Algoma W		
Brant N.	Fisher	Burt
Brant S.	W. T. Elliott	Hardy
Brockville	John Culbert	Graham
Bruce N.	Jermyn	Bowman
Bruce S		Truax
Bruce C.	Shouldice	Malcolm
Cardwell	Little	Wright
Carleton	Kidd (Ind. Con.)	
Dufferin	Barr	
Dundas	Whitney	Lawson
Durham E.	Faills	Grandy
Durham W.	Reid	Mitchell
Elgin E.	Brower	MacIntyre
Elgin W.	McDermott	McNish
Essex N.	Wintermute	McKee
Essex S.	Killackey	Auld
Frontenac	Gallagher	McRae
Glengarry	McDonald	McRae
Grenville		
Grey C.	Lucas	Boland
Grey S.	Jamieson	Morgan
Grey N.	Boyd	Cleland
Haldimand		Holmes
Halton	Kerns	Barber
Hamilton E.	Carscallen	Middleton
Hamilton W.	Colquhoun	Gibson
Hastings W.	Morrison	
Hastings E.	Hudson	Russell
Hastings N.	Allan	Lott
Huron E.	Mooney	Hyslop
Huron S.	Elver	McLean
Huron W.	Beck	Garrow
Kent E.	Macon	Ferguson
Kent W.	Hall	Pardo
Kingston		Harty
Lambton E.	Willoughby, W.G.	Pettypiece
Lambton W		Pardee
Lanark N.	Preston	Caldwell
Lanark S.	Matheson	Clarke
Leeds	Beatty	
Lennox	Meacham	Aylesworth
Lincoln	Jessop	Doran
London		
Middlesex E.	Hodgins, T. D.	McWilliams
Middlesex N.	Hodgins, C. C.	Taylor
Middlesex W.	Campbell	Ross
Monck	Galbraith	Harcourt
Muskoka	Langford	Bridgeland
Nipissing	Lamarche	
Norfolk S.	Tweedie	Cheriton
Norfolk N.	Robertson	Carpenter
Northumb'd E.	W. Roughby	Douglas
Northumb'd W.	Mulholland	Clarke
Ontario S.	Calder	Dryden
Ontario N.	Hoyle	Chapple
Ottawa S.	Blabbery	
Ottawa N.	Powell	
Ottawa		
Oxford N		
Oxford S.	Chambers	
Parry Sound		
Peel	Cameron	Smith
Perth N.	Magwood	Brown
Perth S.	Monteith	Moscrip
Peterboro E.	Shaw	Blezard
Peterboro W.	Garvin	Stratton
Prescott		
Prince Edward	Dempsey	Sprague
Renfrew S.	Dempsey	Campbell
Renfrew N.	White	Barr
Russell		
Simcoe W.	Duff	
Simcoe E.	Miscampbell	Harvey
Simcoe C.	Thompson	Davidson
Stormont	McLaughlin	Mathers
Toronto E		
Toronto W		
Toronto S		
Toronto N		
Victoria E.	Carnegie	Austin
Victoria W.	Fox	McKay
Waterloo S		
Waterloo N		
Welland	Pew	German
Wellington, E		Craig
Wellington S.	Hortop	Mutrie
Wellington W		Scott
Wentworth	Wardell	Pirie
Wentworth S.	Evans	Dickenson
York E.	Moyes	Richardson
York W.	St. John	Hill
York N.	Wayling	Davis

The Patron Candidates.

The Patrons and Independents have candidates as follows:

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WARNING TO FARMERS.

In Toronto One Lost 5 Cents Per Bushel by Not Driving to Market—Local Prices.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 29.

Cheese is 6d lower in Liverpool.

Cash wheat in Chicago unchanged at $1.09.

Liverpool wheat futures ¾d for March and ¼d higher for May.

Leading Grain Markets.

Following are the closing prices to-day at important centres:

	Cash.	May.
Chicago	$1 08	$0 99⅞
New York	1 08½	0 98½
Milwaukee, No. 1 Northern	0 98	0 98⅛
St. Louis	0 98½	0 98⅛
Toledo	0 98¾	0 98⅛
Detroit	0 98	0 98
Duluth, No. 1 hard	0 98½	....
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	0 93¾	0 96½
Toronto, red	0 90	....
Toronto, No. 1 hard	1 07	....

Toronto Grain and Produce.

FLOUR—The floor market was quiet to-day, with a moderate demand. Straight rollers are quoted at $3.90 to $4 in wood, middle freights.

WHEAT—The market to-day was hardly as active, but it ruled steady. Sales of red winter are reported at 87c west, and spring at 87c on Midland. Goose wheat 80c on Midland. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at $1.03 Midland and at $1.07 to $1.08 North Bay.

BARLEY—The market is quiet, with No. 2 quoted at 32c to 34c west, No. 3 extra at 29c to 30c and feed at 27c west.

OATS—The market is firm, with sales west at 27c for white and on Midland at 27½c to 28c, mixed 26c west.

PEAS—The market is firm, with prices quoted at 54c to 55c, higher freights.

BUCKWHEAT—The market rules steady, with cars quoted at 32c west and at 33c on Midland.

RYE—The market rules firm, with sales at 47c to 47½c west and 48c east.

CORN—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots quoted at 28c to 28½c west for new yellow.

BRAN—The demand is fair, but offerings are limited. Bran is quoted at $10 to $11 middle freights, and shorts at $12 to $12.50, middle freights.

OATMEAL—The market is firm, with quotations $3.30 in bags and $3.40 in barrels on track.

PROVISIONS—Trade is quiet, with prices steady. Bacon, long clear, 8c to 8¼c. Breakfast bacon, 11c to 11½c. Rolls, 9½c to 9c. Mess pork, $14.50 to $15.00; do., short cut, $15.50 to $16.00; do., shoulder mess, $13.50. Hams, smoked, 10½c to 12c. Lard steady at 6¾c for tierces, 6c to 7c for tubs and 7¼c for pails. Compound, 5½c to 6c.

POTATOES—The market is quiet, with car lots quoted at 55c to 58c per bag on track.

HOPS—Trade quiet, with choice qualities quoted at 14c to 16c, and old 8c to 9c.

DRIED APPLES—Trade is quiet, with quantities quoted at 4½c to 5c per lb. Evaporated, 8½c to 9c per lb.

HIDES—The market is quiet, with prices unchanged. Cured are quoted at 9½c to 10c. Dealers quote green at 9c to 9½c for No. 1, 8c to 8½c for No. 2 and at 7c to 7½c for No. 3. Sheepskins, $1.05 to $1.15. Tallow 2½c to 3c per lb. for rendered.

WOOL.—Fleece is nominal. Pulled supers in fair demand at 20½c to 21c, and extras at 22c to 23c.

Toronto St. Lawrence Market.

The receipts of grain to-day were not large, only 2000 bushels all told. Wheat firmer, 400 bushels sold as follows: White 82½c to 89c, red 90c and goose 82½c per bushel. Rye firmer, 100 bushels selling at 49c.

Barley firmer, 500 bushels brought from 35c to 38c. Oats sold at 30½c to 32c for 700 bushels. Peas firmer at 59c to 61c for 500 bushels.

Hay $7 to $9 per ton for 15 loads. Straw, 8 loads sold at $6 to $7 per ton.

Hogs, dressed unchanged, with receipts light. The receipts of vegetables, potatoes, apples, poultry, butter and eggs were light to-day. Poultry being scarce, prices were firmer. Turkeys sold at 9c to 11c per lb., geese 6c to 8c, ducks 75c to $1 per pair, chickens 60c to 80c per pair.

Warning to Farmers.

At the present time when markets for all kinds of grain are rising, farmers generally will do better to drive to market, instead of selling on streets outside. One farmer stated to-day that he sold a load of peas for 5c per bushel less than the market price, not knowing that prices had gone up.

British Markets.

Liverpool, Jan. 29.—No. 1 spring wheat, 6s 1d; No. 1 Cal., 7s 11d to 7s 11½d; red winter, 7s 11½d; peas, 5s 2d; corn, 3s 5½d; pork, 47s 6d for fine western; lard, 25s 3d; bacon heavy, l.c. 29s 0d; light, 29s 0d; do., short cut, 28s 0d; tallow, 19s 0d; cheese, 42s 0d.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 7s 10⅝d for March, 7s 5⅝d for May and 7s 2⅛d for July. Maize steady at 2s 2½d for Feb., 3s 2⅛d for March and 3s 2⅜d for May and July. Flour 25s 6d.

London—Close—Wheat, off coast, unchanged and on passage firm. No. 1 Manitoba hard, steam, 28s 0d for Feb. and March. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Life Destroying Croup Cured.

GENTS,—I have used Hagyard's Yellow Oil in my family for croup and bronchitis during the past 12 years and never found it to fail. It cures every time. I have recommended it to my neighbours and they keep it on hand.—I would not be without it for any price.

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That aching head can be instantly relieved by taking one of Milburn's Sterling Headache Powders. 1 powder 5c., 3 for 10c., 10 for 25c.

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I have tried several remedies for rheumatism, some of which did me a certain amount of good, but nothing that I have taken has done so much for me as your Phrenoline, and I have much pleasure in recommending it to other sufferers.

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DID BRITAIN YIELD?

Ta-Lien-Wan Reported as Given Up to Russia.

THE NEW POSITION IN CHINA.

The Control of the Chinese Sea Customs—Another Reverse in India—The Fourth Brigade Suffers Serious Losses—Correct List of the Killed—Mr. Gladstone Suffering—Cable News.

London, Jan. 31.—A despatch to the Daily Mail from Shanghai says a secret despatch has been issued by the Tsung-Li-Yamen to certain high officials, informing them that Russia warned China that if Kiao-Chou were granted to Germany Russia would demand either Ta-Lien-Wan or Port Arthur. According to the same despatch, it is asserted at Shanghai on good authority that China consents to Russians being at the head of her customs and railways.

At the present moment, says the Daily Mail's correspondent, there are 10,000 Russian troops in Ta-Lien-Wan and Port Arthur. Russian agents have been sent to Tien-Tsin (the port of Pekin) and to Japan to purchase coal and food, and 60,000 bags of wheat have been bought at Tien-Tsin.

Another Reverse in India.

Calcutta, Jan. 31.—Gen. Westmacott telegraphs from Camp Maumal that the fourth brigade entangled in a gorge near Shinkamar Saturday and suffered serious losses.

Lieut.-Col. Houghton, Lieuts. Sewing, Dowdall, Hughes and Walker, together with five men of the Yorkshire Light Infantry, and three Sikhs, were killed; Major Earle, Lieut. Hall and 17 men of the Yorkshires were wounded; Major Earle severely; and 17 privates are reported as missing.

The receipt of the despatch has caused a great sensation here, and further details are anxiously awaited.

A Corrected List.

The paragraph enumerating the losses as first sent is slightly inaccurate. The correct list is as follows: Lieut.-Col. Houghton, Lieuts. Sweing, Dowdall, Hughes and Walker, together with fifteen men of the Yorkshire Light Infantry and three Sikhs were killed; Major Earle, Lieut. Hall, thirty-one men of the Yorkshires and two Sikhs wounded; twelve Yorkshires are missing, including one who was wounded and captured by the enemy. Major Earle's injuries are serious.

Britain's Policy Is Just.

London, Jan. 31.—The Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, speaking at Birmingham Saturday evening, dwelt upon the efforts of the foreign nations to conquer great colonial empires with the intention of converting them into exclusive trade preserves from which British trade should forever be excluded. This policy, he said, is now hanging over Great Britain, like the sword of Damocles, in West Africa and China. Regarding the latter country, Mr. Chamberlain added, he was happy to believe there was a general agreement of all the great commercial powers that Great Britain's policy was a just one.

Plague Commissioner Murdered.

Calcutta, Jan. 31.—Early Sunday morning the body of the chariman of the Plague Committee was found in a field at Sinnar, in the Nassic district of this province, near the scene of the riots. The commissioner was murdered.

MR. GLADSTONE'S ILLNESS.

Passed a Restless Night, and His Neuralgia Returned.

Cannes, Jan. 31.—Mr. Gladstone has kept his bed the entire day Sunday. He passed a restless night and there was a return of his neuralgia. At the latest call of his physician he was reported to have been much relieved.

Sunday Football Goes in England.

London, Jan. 31.—The Parish Council of Faversham, Kent, has failed in an attempt to prevent the playing of football on Sunday by a prosecution under the Act of Charles I., which is directed against the "Disorderly sort of people frequenting bear-baiting, bull-baiting, interludes and common plays under the Lord's day." A policeman last Sunday arrested three players. On the witness stand he admitted that the accused had not been disorderly, and that the grounds where they were playing were practically private. The court decided that there was no concourse of people, nor were the defendants disorderly. The prosecution was, therefore, dismissed.

What a Berlin Paper Has Learned.

Berlin, Jan. 30.—The Berlinger Tageblatt says it learns that Russia and England have arrived at an agreement whereby England has consented to drop her demand for the opening of Ta-Lien-Wan as a free port, and Russia waives further opposition to British control of the Chinese sea customs.

Tired, Nervous Sleepless

Men and women — how gratefully they write about Hood's Sarsaparilla. Once helpless and discouraged, having lost all faith in medicines, now in good health and "able to do my work," because Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to enrich and purify the blood and make weak strong — this is the experience of a host of people.

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How to Cure all Skin Diseases."

Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, etc., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal wholesale agents.

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It is fashionable to-day to have a new heart scare every 24 hours. The commonest symptoms of dyspepsia or nerve trouble, such as palpitation, weak spells, loss of appetite and poor circulation are magnified and distorted into serious signs of heart trouble, with the object of frightening the public into taking this or that heart remedy. If a hundredth part of the heart trouble we hear about were real, the cemeteries would be filled in a month. A wrong construction is put upon common ailments in order to humbug the people into the belief that heart disease is prevalent, whereas real heart trouble, which is so sadly and suddenly fatal when it does occur, is a rare disease. Lop-sided arguments cannot convince an intelligent people. Iron is the vital element of the blood. You can't have too much. But too little iron means weakness, lack of spirit, pallid cheeks, shortness of breath, sleeplessness, nervousness, loss of vital force, ending in general break-down. The iron in Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills is in the soluble form you need, in combination with other curative agents in such a manner that disease can't resist their action. The blood becomes rich and red, strength returns, spirits revive, good health comes back again. YOU FEEL YOURSELF GETTING WELL WHEN YOU TAKE DR. WARD'S BLOOD AND NERVE PILLS.

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ARTILLERY PRACTICES.

The Programme Arranged by the Dominion Association for 1898 Competions.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—A special meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association was held here Saturday in the office of the Director of Stores, Militia Department. Important business was transacted, having reference to the programme of this year's artillery competitions, and the visit of the British team. Lieut.-Col. Irwin, chairman of council, presided. The officers present, as well as the proxy votes sent in, were unanimous in favor of St. John, and accordingly the New Brunswick city will be the scene of the heavy gun and ordinance competitions.

The following programme was agreed upon, the understanding being that the dates of the competitions are to be so arranged as to fit in with both garrison and field artillery.

(a) Group firing, 2 guns, 64 pr. moving target, depression range firing.

(b) Group firing, 2 guns, 40 pr. moving target, depression range firing.

(c) Single gun, 64 pr. stationary target.

(d) Single gun, 40 pr. combined with disabled ordinance.

(e) Shifting ordinance competition, 64 pr. "A" and "B" shifts.

These competitions will occupy about one week at St. John.

Following the St. John meet will come the field artillery competitions at Deseronto.

Reindeer for Transportation Work.

The Department of Trade and Commerce has received a communication from Mr. Sontum, agent of the department, from Christiania, Norway. He mentions that parties at present visiting Trondhem, Norway, are purchasing 1,000 reindeer for a company which proposes to utilize them in the Canadian Yukon. One hundred men have been engaged for the purpose of assisting in the transportation of these animals to this continent.

U. S. Yukon Relief Expedition.

The Customs Department has been advised that the American relief expedition will leave Portland, Ore., about Feb. 1, and will proceed northward in two divisions, one taking the Dalton route, the other the Chilkoot trail. An Order-in-Council must be passed here permitting the supplies to enter Canadian territory free. Unofficial advices point to an early settlement of the customs difficulties now prevailing on the western frontier.

Sir Robert Peel's Effects Sold.

London, Jan. 31.—Sir Robert Peel's personal effects at Drayton Manor, Tamworth, were sold at auction Saturday under a sheriff's execution. A crowd of Sir Robert's neighbors was present.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

J. J. O'Brien of this place publishes the statement that he was cured entirely of kidney disease by Dodd's Kidney Pills, after all other remedies had failed.

Hundreds of other cures of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Paralysis, etc., are known of here, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the only medicine used by our citizens in cases of diseases of the kidneys and impure blood.

Twinging Shooting Pain.

Mr. Wm. Dyson, Guelph, Ont., says: "My experience with Dean's Kidney Pills proves them to be a splendid medicine for any one troubled with backache or urinary difficulties. I had bad pains in my back and shooting pains all over my body, together with dizziness and sleeplessness. Through the use of Dean's Kidney Pills I am now entirely cured and feel braced up as young as ever I was."

Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures sprains, bruises, sores, wounds, cuts, frostbites, chilblains, stings of insects, burns, scalds, contusions, etc. Price 25c.

Copper Tempered by Mound Builders.

Ed A. Schloth has received from a friend in Savannah, Ills., a long and small spearhead, a small knife, an awl and a needle taken from one of the prehistoric mounds near that city. The tools are all of tempered copper, and when suspended by a thread ring like steel. They have been hammered out and tempered, and after having been buried in a mound for no one knows how long still retain their temper. The mound builders, who had disappeared from the face of the earth before Columbus discovered this country, knew how to temper copper, an art which no man on earth has now, although many have endeavored for years to discover the process. Such specimens are found in but few of the mounds opened, the implements found being generally of stone. Mr. Schloth has a fine collection of relics of mound builders and of the aborigines of this coast and values these tempered copper articles above them all.—Portland Oregonian.

DR CHASE'S CATARRH CURE

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Dear Sir—I have been using catarrh remedy of different kinds for the last fifteen years, but find "Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure" the best I have used, and have no hesitation in recommending it to any one troubled with catarrh or cold in the head.

Yours sincerely,
W. HARPER,
Hardware Merchant.
Lakefield, Ont., Feb. 7, 1896.

JOHN FORSYTH, Berlin:

Dear Sir.—I take much pleasure in certifying to the great benefit I have derived from the use of your cure for catarrh. It has done me more real benefit than all the medicine I have taken, and I am completely cured now,

Yours faithfully,
ROBERT FOWLER,
Orillia, Sept. 12, 1896.

Dear Sir—I take pleasure in giving my testimonial to the efficacy and value of Forsyth's Faultless Catarrh Cure. I was induced through a friend to give it a trial for catarrhal cold in the head; the result was marvellous. I cannot speak too highly of its merits. I can faithfully recommend it to anyone troubled with chronic catarrh or cold in the head.

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Before you will have to be thinking about your Awnings again. Early orders (or early spring) receive early attention, while we are not rushed with work—and Prices are lower too. Orders taken now to be ready to put up when the sun becomes strong. New Spring Stock of White and Fancy and Fancy Coloured Awning Duck already received.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Central Savings and Loan Company for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, No. 427 George Street, Peterborough, on

Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p.m.

By order of the Board.

W. G. MORROW, Manager

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MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Good for the A.O.U.W.

The Board of Management of the Children's Aid Society desire to publicly thank the Ancient Order of United Workmen for a cheque for $5 00 forwarded to them by their treasurer, Mr. W. C. Barrie.

For Sale.

The grocery store and fixtures of The T. W. Robinson Co., which are all new and in first-class shape. Must be sold at once. For particulars apply to the store, corner Smith and George streets.

A Double Attraction.

"The Singing Evangelists" and Mr. Spafford will take part in the programme at the oyster supper at the Charlotte street Methodist church on Tuesday evening.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 23 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

A Toe Broken.

Mr. Albert Metheral, Sherbrooke street, is confined to the house for a week or so through having broken his toe at the Electric Works. The accident was caused by his having dropped a heavy piece of iron on his foot.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

A Native Armenian.

Mr. M. Baghdasarian, an Armenian, who is travelling through Canada, and has delivered several addresses in the local churches, will speak in the Y.P.S.C.E. of St. Andrew's church to-night. The meeting will be open to the public.

Bivalve Supper.

Don't forget the Oyster Supper and entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Charlotte street Methodist church, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 1st. Oysters served as you wish them. Good programme to aid digestion. All for 25c.

Fish Balls Without Potatoes.

Blanc mange, without gelatine or corn starch, delicious brown bread, fruit puddings, croquettes and over a hundred dainty dishes can be prepared with the Granulated Wheat-Shred, which is whole wheat cooked, shredded and granulated. Visit cooking exhibit at Robert Fair's dry goods store, 263 George street. 1d

"A Tennessee Romance."

To be transported among the most romantic southern scenes one has only to see the production of "A Romance of Coon Hollow," which will hold the stage at the opera house Thursday night. It is a picture of real life in old Tennessee. It is a story of love, passion and hate told in a graceful way and given realism by pictures and stage effects that are scenes of every day life in the South. Among the scenes are a cotton press in operation, a moonlight picture of Coon Hollow and a boat race. Two quartettes, a brass band and a strong company appear in this big production. Seats are now on sale.

A Stationery Bonfire.

The only way to thin out the lines where stock is too heavy is to cut deep into prices, then they go. It's like touching a match to gunpowder. That's what we are doing at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have placed a big year's business, and we intend 1898 to be bigger. Present stocks are marked at ready-to-go prices—some one-fourth, some one-third, some one-half. Books, both cloth and paper bound, come among the lowest collections, and the fancy goods and leather goods next. Everything in fine goods at 20 per cent. off former prices.—A. H. STRATTON & C[O.]

CHARLIE HALLIDAY'S DEATH.

Loved by His Friends for His High Sense of Honour and Courteous Thoughtfulness he Will Indeed be Missed.

Dr. Halliday and his family will have the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of his second son, Charles, through heart disease on Sunday last.

The deceased was twenty-one years of age, and entered the head office of the Bank of Montreal, at Montreal, just three years ago this month. His health began to give way last June when he came home, but shortly afterwards entered the local branch of the bank. Just before Christmas, however, he had to again give up, and since then gradually grew weaker until his demise yesterday.

Charlie was gifted with the power of making friends and keeping them, and amongst his companions he was most popular. Nowhere was he better known than on the cricket field, and when quiet young gave promise of developing into a grand cricketer, his progress being watched with pride by the older members of the club.

Loved by his friends for his high sense of honour and courteous thoughtfulness, he will indeed be missed.

His demise, following so closely upon that of his brother, Dr. Vernon Halliday, will make the blow doubly heavy to bear by the bereaved family.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, 457 Water street to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

TWO BLAZES.

The Firemen Have to Fight the Flames in Bitterly Cold Weather.

At two o'clock Sunday morning the brigade was summoned to the corner of King and Bethune streets, where an old barn belonging to Mr. Wm. Butler, was found to be in flames. As the building was old and the fire had a good start before the alarm was sent in, it was found impossible to save the barn, and the brigade accordingly directed its attention to confining the flames to the building and not allowing them to spread. A quantity of furniture stored in the barn was also destroyed.

A burning chimney in the residence occupied by Eugene Emond, corner of King and Reid streets, caused an alarm to be sounded shortly after nine o'clock last night. No damage.

KLONDIKE FLIER.

Extra Train Service Arranged on the C.P.R.

An extra train service has been arranged on the C.P.R. beginning to-morrow, when instead of utilising the Grand Trunk's line to North Bay, the trains will be run east to Smith's Falls and from there back to North Bay and the west. This will cause all the freight to pass through Peterborough for the west and two extra passenger trains will pass through each day. At 1.18 p.m. a train will pass through from the east and reach Toronto at 3 30 p.m., where excellent connections will be made for Chicago. The "Klondike Flier" will leave Toronto at 12 30 p.m. and pass through Peterborough for the east at 2 48 p.m.

The extra train service will prove a great accommodation to the citizens. The change goes into effect to-morrow.

ASHBURNHAM SCHOOL CONCERT.

Excellent Programme—Large Attendance—A Complete Success.

At the first public school concert held in the town hall, Ashburnham on Friday evening, there was a large attendance, despite counter attractions, and all were well pleased with the programme furnished.

The chair was occupied by Mr. F. Adams, a member of the School Board, and ex-chairman of the same, and Reeve of Ashburnham.

In his address Rev. Mr. *Symonds*, M. A., expressed the hope that although the first, it would not be the last, Ashburnham public school concert. He also referred in very complimentary terms to the work done of late years in the Ashburnham public school.

The programme was as follows:

Chairman's address.....Mr Adams
Chorus by school, 'The Maple Leaf Forever'....
Instrumental.....Miss L Scott
Recitation, 'They Ask me why I am so Bad'.....
J Burgess
Dialogue, 'Trials of a School Teachers'..Two Boys
Solo.....Miss Mark
Recitation, 'The Union Jack'.. .. Ralph Quinn
Dialogue, 'Boys' Rights'.....Four boys
Piano duet.....Misses McCabe and Butler
Recitation, 'The Dead Doll'.....Clara Craig
Song, 'The Little Waiters'.....Five girls
Recitation, 'Reminding the Hen'.Stanley Eden
Recitation, 'Who made the Speech'.....Lillie McCubbin
Song, 'Two Little Girls in Blue'.....Bella Long
Recitation, 'Our Minister's Sermon'.....Oswald Graham
Dialogue, 'Each has a Work'.....Eight girls
Instrumental.....Miss F Butcher
Recitation, 'A School Room Idyl'.....Ida Armstrong
Song.....Flossie Scott and Bella Long
Recitation, 'The Song of the Pencil'.Eva Wylie
Recitation, 'When the Teacher Gets Cross'.....Pearl Law
Kindergarten Song .....
Address.....Mr J C Brown
Recitation, 'An Indignant Scholar'.....Ernest Wylie
Recitation, 'The Schoolmaster's Visitors'.....Madeline Stone
Dialogue, 'Lazy and Busy'.....Ten boys
Oratio song.....Five girls
Recitation, 'Why he Wouldn't Die'.....Alex Gillespie
Address.....Rev Mr Symonds
Recitation, 'Good Night'.....Robbie Patterson
God Save the Queen.

Before closing the chairman thanekd all, especially outsiders, who had made the entertainment the success it certainly was.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. P. J. Zettler, Toronto, returned home Saturday after spending a pleasant five weeks' visit with friends in town.

Mr. Gillespie, the new Principal of the West Ward Public School, is in town to-day, making arrangements to enter upon his duties to-morrow.

Miss Kate Carveth, of Millbrook, returned home Saturday evening after a most enjoyable visit with Miss Maud Macfarlane, Homewood avenue.

Mr. J. S. Knapman has sufficiently recovered from the injuries he received in the recent elevator accident at Hamilton to be able to return home. He arrived this morning.

Mr. D. O. Crossley' many friends will be interested in knowing that a slight improvement in his condition is apparent since he began taking the baths at Preston Springs.

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Dr. Boucher has removed his Office and Residence to 196 Brock Street, west of George St. dw

REGISTER!

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UNDER MANHOOD REGISTRATION ACT.

Those who are Required to Register — Explanation of the Mode of Procedure.

According to the Manhood Registration Act, those who must personally register their names to be entitled to vote at the approaching Provincial elections are as follows:

All those who are not on the first part of the municipal voters' list (that is, not entitled to vote at municipal elections and elections for the Legislative Assembly) of the Town of Peterborough, no matter whether they pay taxes or poll tax.

Who are qualified to register as voters?

All those

(1) Who are British subjects by birth or naturalization.

(2) Who are resident of and domiciled in the Town of Peterborough for three months before the date of registration.

(3) Who have resided in the Province of Ontario for one year before the date of registration.

(4) Who are twenty-one years of age or over.

How must he register?

The person desiring to register as a voter must go PERSONALLY before the registrar and register at the time and place the board of registrars will appoint. It is not sufficient to have another person hand in the name of the applicant. The applicant must go himself personally and register. The times and places where registration will take place are given below.

Absentees known as Class "A."

Any person who is unable to attend personally to register by reason of sickness, or being necessarily temporarily absent from town, as a lumberman, or mariner, or fisherman, or commercial traveller, or in the service of a railway company, or as a student in an institute of learning in Canada, must during the two days for registration give a notice in writing or have a member of his family, or a person who knows him well, give such notice of his intention to apply to register as a voter.

Absentees on business known as Class "B."

Any person who is unable to attend personally to register by reason of his being temporarily and unavoidably absent from town in the necessary pursuit of his business or calling, must have two witnesses, (one of whom shall be a grown up member of his family, or his employer, or business partner, or person with whom he resides, or with whom he last resided in town, or if no such person exists, then by some person who knows him,) go before the registrar and show that such applicant is temporarily absent from town on business, and then the registrar may permit a notice to be given by such applicant or by some person in his behalf, of his intention to apply to have his name put on the list.

A supplementary sitting will afterwards be appointed when the applications of all such absentees to be registered as voters will be disposed of.

Those who are entitled to vote and who desire to become registered should leave their names at once with the chairmen of the different wards, at Mr. Stratton's Committe Room, over Lech's fur store.

The Committee Rooms are open every night.

TIME AND PLACES.

At the Court House to-day it was arranged that the Board of Registration would sit on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the following hours: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m., and from 2 p.m. until 6 p.m., and on Wednesday evening from seven o'clock until ten.

The registration officers and places have been appointed as follows:

No. 1 Ward—Jos. Lundy, LaPlante's butcher shop.

No. 2 Ward—Felix Brownscombe, Council Chamber.

No. 3 Ward—Chas. Cameron, room adjoining Council Chamber.

No. 4 Ward—T. W. Robinson, Stabler's carpenter shop, Edinburgh street.

NEWS NUGGETS.

Paragraphs Picked Up and Pencilled for Public Perusal.

—Twenty-two below zero yesterday.

—Charity Board meets to-night.

—A meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council is called for to-morrow evening.

—Try E. Welsh for fresh fish and oysters as he is the only dealer in town that sets fresh fish every day the year round. Telephone 202.

PORT HOPE FIRE.

Ten Horses Cremated in Smith's Livery Stable.

Special to The Examiner.

PORT HOPE, January 31st.—At three o'clock this morning the livery stables belonging to George Smith, in the Queen's Hotel yards, took fire and were entirely consumed, together with ten horses which were in the livery. The horses were insured for $60 00 each.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

HOCKEY.

At last the citizens will have an opportunity of seeing of what calibre the Peterborough Juniors are made, as this evening they play against the Frontenacs, of Kingston, at the Charlotte street rink, in a Junior championship match. That the local Juniors are fast cannot be gainsaid, and just how fast they are can be gauged this evening. The team is to be composed of:—Goal, Geo. Dixon; point, R. Glover; cover point, R. Thorne; forwards, W. Crossley, R. Watt, Chris. Graham and Harry King. If those boys can't run up a big score against the Frontenacs it will be odd. The visitors are the old opponents whom the Seniors went up against with varying success for years, and the mark which the Juniors make this evening will, therefore be watched with interest. The enthusiasm promises to run higher than ever before, the Juniors just now being very popular. The prices have been put at 25 and 15 cents, and although a trifle high, perhaps, yet it must be remembered that the expenses entailed are over fifty dollars in bringing the Frontenacs here, and a referee has also to be brought from Toronto.

CRICKET.

At the annual general meeting of the Cricket Club the following officers were elected for the coming season:—

Patrons—James Kendry, M. P., J. R. Stratton, M.P.P., Richard Hall.
Patronesses—(Hon) Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. R. M. Dennistoun, Miss Calcutt.
Hon. Pres.—Dr. Geo. Burnham.
President—R. B. Rogers,
Vice President—J. H. Burnham.
Secretary Treasurer—E. M. Poussette.
Captain—Sam. Ray.
General Committee—Rev. E. V. Stevenson, Myles Hamilton, W. Stocker Harold Burnham and A. A. Hollingshead.
Ground Committee—R. B. Rogers, J. H. Burnham, Myles Hamilton.
Match Committee—S. Ray, Dr. Young, E. M. Poussette.

The Secretary was instructed to correspond with some of the English professionals with a view to getting a good turn out for the coming season.

By the numbers present and the enthusiasm displayed, it is evident that cricket is going to boom in Peterborough this year and the clubs of the district will have to look out for their laurels.

LACROSSE.

The members of the lacrosse club are reminded that R. M. Roy is preparing a group picture and all are requested to drop in and have their photos taken sometime this week.

DIED

DUNDAS—At Otonabee, on Sunday, January 30th, 1898, Charlotte Dundas, aged 66 years.

BEAVIS—In Peterborough, on Sunday, January 30th, 1898, Martha, relict of the late James Beavis, aged 62 years.
Funeral on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. James Murray, 143 Rubidge street.

HALLIDAY—On Sunday, Jan 30th, 1898, of heart disease, Charles James, son of Dr. Halliday, aged 21 years.
Funeral from the residence, 457 Water street, at 3 p.m. Tuesday, February 1st.

Peterborough Water Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Peterborough Water Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, 258 HUNTER STREET, in the Town of Peterborough, on

Monday, 7th day of February 1898,

at the hour of 2 o'clock, p.m.

G. W. HATTON.
7d-25 Secretary-Treasurer.

Notice To Creditors.

In the Matter of Charles P Kutzbach, of the Town of Peterborough, in the County of Peterborough, Fancy Goods and Crockery Merchant, insolvent.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE above named insolvent has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects for the general benefit of his creditors, under R.S.O. 1897, Chap. 12, and amending acts thereto.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at my Office, 23 Scott Street, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of February, 1898, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving a statement of affairs, appointing inspectors and fixing their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to fyle their claims with me duly proven on or before the day of meeting, and after the 8th of February, 1898, I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the estate having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have received notice.

RICHARD TEW,
Assignee.
2d 23 Scott street, Toronto.

A NEW YEAR'S TIP!

Touch up your rooms with some fresh wall paper, paint or kalsomine. I am prepared to do all such work during the holiday and winter season cheaper than during busy times. All work done honestly and with honest material.

LOUIS MAJOR, 341 Rubidge Street.

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The above amount will yield $35 % per year in the Bank but we assure you, without contradiction, that we can give you better security and $58 50 per year instead of $35.00. Call at our office and we will prove what we say.

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NEAR POST OFFICE.

Great Luck After Stock-Taking!

Stock-taking is over at the Peterborough Bookstore, but Bargain-taking is not. Numerous lines have been turned up that we will have to hand over to you LESS THE PROFITS we should have on them because we are clearing the decks for spring action. Some are small lots, some are large lots. You can't help getting a bargain, but PROMPTNESS will profit you, and the oftener you come until the end comes the more interested you will be in these

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—Pilgrims Progress, 150 pages, bound in paper, 4c.
—In the Book Department it's nip and tuck between the invoice and selling price—often the selling is the lowest.
—Songs and Solos—271 pieces of music for just 10c.
—Terrestial Globes, 6 inch diameter, to be cleared at 25c.
—PURSES. We can't preach too strongly about the values we are giving in Purses and Leather Goods —10c, 24c, 35c, 50c, 65c.
—Eagle Pencils with rubber tips, per dozen 10c.
—SLEIGHS—the list is little but the bargains great. Lots of fun for the boys and girls yet with end-of-the-winter prices for Sleighs, such as
—25c Sleighs for..... 17c
—30c Sleighs for..... 21c
—80c Sleighs for 50c
—Your choice of 12 Baby Carriages, ranging in price from $11.50 to $15.00, full plush upholsterings, best satin parasols, your price for $10.00.
—GAMES. Almost every kind that's going. Prices cut to the core—you'll say so when you come to buy.
—Crokinole for 69c
—Checker Boards for..... 5c
—Playing Cards, all prices reduced for progressive games.
—Opera and Party Fans reduced 20 per cent.
—Correspondence Cards and Envelopes.
—Latest London Society Invitation, new paper, with envelopes to match.
—Have you tried our English Silurean Note Paper, 5 quires in a neat box for 25c.
—100 Envelopes in a neat box for 25c.
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WILL ADDRESS THE ELECTORS OF

SMITH

AS FOLLOWS:

LAKEFIELD, Town Hall, Monday Evening, January 31st.

SELWYN, Tuesday, February 1st

ENNISMORE

TOWN HALL, Thursday, February 3rd.

O'REILLY'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Friday, February 4th.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

E. W. BELL, M.D., C. M. ROGER,
President. *Sec. W.P.L.A.*

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

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THURSDAY, Feb. 3rd

First appearance in this city of the Big Southern Scenic Production

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"A beautiful love story of the mountain feature; The Thrilling Burglar; The Two Quartettes; The Great Steamboat Race; The Jolly Singing and Dancing Darkies; The Plantation Brass Band; The Massa Cotton Press; The Magnificent scenery; The Unique Electrical Effects; The Numerous Specialties.

"As the Old Homestead is to the north so is Coon Hollow to the South."

PRICES—25, 35 and 50c. Box Seats 75c

Seats now on sale at Ormond & Walsh's.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898.

THE BIBLE SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting Will be Held Wednesday Night at 8 O'clock.

The annual meeting of the town Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in St. Paul's Presbyterian church.

The Rev. G. J. Cliff, formerly of First church, Ripley, Derby; later of Second church, Witton, Lancashire, England, and at present pastor of First Baptist church, Toronto, will address the meeting.

Let every one set aside next Wednesday night for this important union meeting. A liberal offering for the Bible Society is requested.

PRAISE FOR THE ARMY.

The Rector of St. Luke's has Words of Commendation for the Salvationists.

In his morning sermon yesterday Rev. H. Symonds, of St. Luke's, made a reference to the work of the Salvation Army, in which he paid a high tribute to their zeal, mentioning the work which they undertook as being of a nature beyond the reach of the churches. Many said that the Army erred in their eccentric methods, but could it not also be said that the church erred on the side of respectability. The Army in its work willingly went to the lowest depths to rescue fallen humanity—Would the church do this?

Grace Ella Alton Hartland, N.B., Cured of Eczema

I do hereby certify that my daughter, Grace Ella, was cured of Eczema of several years' standing by four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

W. E. Thistle, Druggist
Withness.
Andrew Alton. Hartland, N. B.

Fine Oak Sideboards.

This is a line you can save money on during Clegg's January sale. Large polished oak sideboards, handsomely carved, with shaped British plate mirror, worth $34, for $19.75. Quarter sawed oak sideboards, highly polished, latest and most artistic designs, for $24 50, worth $30. A $32 sideboard for $20 50 and so on. Make it a point to see these goods at Clegg's Furniture and Undertaking Warerooms, 417 George street.

WORDS OF ADVICE ON THE GAMBLING EVIL.

REV. W. L. ARMITAGE APPEALS TO THE YOUNG MEN.

He Points out That Gambling Takes Such a Hold on the Passions as to Lead to Utter Ruination.

Rev. W. L. Armitage occupied the pulpit of St. Luke's church last evening and by the special request of the rector delivered a sermon directed against the evil influences of gambling.

Mr. Armitage took as his text I. Corinthians, v ch., 6th ver.: "Know ye not that a little leaven leaveneth the whole lump." In opening he stated that the duty of a minister of the Gospel was not only to preach salvation free to those who would accept it, but also to guard their flocks and warn them of besetting dangers. The sermon which he was about to preach was not given for the purpose of sensation, but of necessity. He could not understand why the duty had

DEVOLVED UPON HIM,

the newest comer and youngest amongst the clergy, as all were agreed gambling was an evil of evils, and yet nothing had ever been said about the matter from the pulpit. In delivering the sermon he did not wish it to be inferred that he thought Peterborough young men were any worse than those in other towns. On the contrary he had always received the most gentlemanly treatment from all with whom he had come in contact. They would be a credit to any town and grace any home. Many whom he had met would, he was sure, live to be monuments in the nation.

Previously he had made a reference to the evil of gambling, and he understood that his few remarks on that occasion had borne fruit. Some of the young men

REV. W. L. ARMITAGE.

had heard him and had suddenly realized where their pleasure was leading them and had had the manliness to decide on giving it up. He was very much pleased that such was the case.

REFERRING TO HIS TEXT,

the speaker stated that leaven was used frequently as a type of evil. Leaven was used for fermentation, and acted in such a manner that it quickly communicated itself as a contagion with all that it came in contact. Being a type of evil it was not used in the bread at the time of the Passover. Many references are made to the leaven in Scriptures. In the text it is spoken of in connection with an evil which had crept into the Corinthian Church. Can we not see the same thing in that evil which is creeping into our midst? At one time there was very little gambling in Peterborough, but as with the leaven, when once it got a foothold, the whole lump was leavened until now there was not a class or trade which was not infected, and whose representatives were not seeking an opportunity to "sit in." It is an evil which fastens on the human passions, and is one of the best aids which Satan possesses. Its contagion is such that one is suddenly drawn into the game and absorbed in its fascination can never tell how the beginning was made.

CITIZENS ARE NOT ALIVE

to what is going on about them. The speaker would not tell all he knew but, although it was hardly credible, he knew of three places which had recently been opened to meet the demand of gambling. In broad daylight, two doors from a public street, boys of 14 and 15 years of age were squandering all their earnings in such a place. Is there then no use of speaking against this evil, as he had been told?

On Sunday afternoons young and old would gather in these places, after having attended church in the morning, and not satisfied with the profanation of the day would utter a blasphemy against the church by calling their gambling a meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The speaker understood that a tirade had been instituted against him for his previous reference to the evil of gambling, which was evidence enough that something of the kind had been needed. He had been told that the clergy should not interfere in such matters. It was not their business.

HE HAD BEEN REBUKED

in the same manner as our Lord, to whom evil doers had said "Let us alone, what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth."

We are so constructed that we need amusement, but many an employer is today in a position to tell you that he has been paying dearly for the amusement of this nature that some young man has been indulging in. There is no harm in many amusements which tend to develop the character, but when tempted to indulge in those of a questionable nature think of those poor young fellows who have fallen and let that be a warning. Some can say gambling will do them no harm. They can stop when they please. Maybe so, but is there not some one you know who has not the power to resist and is drawn along too far—that is a weak brother for whom Christ died. Think of the aching hearts which will soon be in his home when he oversteps the mark. Think how it would be if he was your own dearly loved brother, whom some one else was leading on.

If there is no harm in gambling why have all the best countries in the world

LEGISLATED AGAINST IT

being practiced in public? It appeals so strongly to the passion of men that it would soon ruin an entire nation.

Mr. Armitage also appealed to the practical side of the question, speaking of the large amount of valuable time which was thus wasted. When a night was spent at the card table the energies were dulled and unfit for business next day. What man could afford this?

It was contrary to Godliness, contrary to Scripture and contrary to common sense!

There was also another way to look at it. The character of a young man was at stake. Was there anything elevating in the language used or in the companionship? Is it a man of high character who, being experienced at the game, will strip a new player of everything?

Everything in the surroundings is ungodly and indulging in play leads to the use of stimulants in order to keep up the flagging energies. The influence for better things

IS GRADUALLY LESSENED.

If a man is not a hypocrite his better nature will rebel against being a gambler and also attending church and it ends in his leaving the House of God, and ceasing to have family prayer in his own home. He goes on from day to day, until he finally casts aside that which was his hope when starting out in life.

Is there not a remedy for this awful thing? Can nothing be done? Is there nothing can be said to-night to appeal to you in the matter so that even one can be saved? Is there no one near and dear to you that is falling, and for whose sake you will be aroused, and interest yourself in the matter?

"If am ostracized for my words I care not," continued Mr. Armitage. "I would give my right arm, if necessary, to save even one poor boy from falling. Think if it was your own boy who was in this danger, would you then stand idly by? Let me

APPEAL TO THE PARENTS.

Before your children take up with these amusements do your duty by them and see that the children are taught "what a solemn vow, promise and profession they have here made by you." Too many parents will insist on the study of history and arithmetic but leave for mere choice, whether they shall inherit the Kingdom of God. Do not be satisfied with clothing and educating them.

Children demand more. Give them love. Get their confidence. When they lose your confidence and that of the church, they are gone, may be forever. The church and the family are to blame for this. Let them know you have their confidence. Teach them to use and not abuse amusements. Point them to Heaven and lead the way.

"If society would stand by the church and be one with it, as should be the case, this evil would have to go. Public opinion can crush the evil. Plenty of church people love God, but they do not hate the devil. Stand up to the vows of your confirmation—renounce, that is declare war against, the devil and fight against evil."

In closing, the eloquent speaker made a final appeal to the young men, urging them to remember that there was something higher in life than amusement. He asked them to look to their character. Character cannot be bought, and it can soon be eaten entirely away, for "Know ye not that a little leaven leaveneth the whole lump."

DECLINES TO ACT.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir—I have learned through the public press that I have been appointed vice-chairman of No. one ward on Mr. Garvin's committee. I wish it to be distinctly stated that I was appointed without my knowledge or consent, that I positively decline to act in such a capacity, and, furthermore, that I am working in Mr. Stratton's interests. I shall vote for him and do all I can to promote his election.

Yours truly,
LEWIS SPEY.

January 31st, 1898.

CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION NOTES.

Rev. Father Conway, of Norwood, will deliver an address on "Temperance" in the rooms next Monday evening, Feb. 7th.

The Literary Committee are making active preparations for the St. Patrick's Day concert. Further particulars will be announced later.

It is expected that Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, of Young's Point, will deliver an address in the rooms the latter part of February.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature:—

To-day, 7 a. m..... 1° below zero

	Highest.	*Lowest.*
Yesterday.....	-5°	-22°

It is hardly necessary to state that yesterday was a cold day, the coldest of this winter, and also colder than any day of last winter. Twenty-two degrees below zero was marked by the index Sunday morning. The highest reached during the day was 3 below zero.

Topics of The Day.

Every one is surprised at the rapidity and efficacy with which Nervilline—nerve pain cure—relieves neuralgia and rheumatism. Nerviline is a specific for all nerve pains and should be kept on hand by every family.

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COUNTY COUNCIL JANUARY SESSION.

GOOD WORK OF THE MEMBERS IN COMMITTEES.

Passing of Bylaws and Confirming the Reports—Closing up the Legislation of the Session.

The following is a conclusion of the reports of the committees, held over from Saturday:—

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Mr. Anderson, chairman of the Committee on Roads and Bridges, presented the following report:

The Committee on Roads and Bridges begs leave to report as follows:

1. Your committee recommend that a special grant of $75 be given to each of the townships of Burleigh, Harvey, Chandos, Galway and Methuen for expenditure on roads and bridges therein, and that a special grant of $50 be given to the township of Douro, for the purpose of repairing the north Warsaw road between lots 20 and 21 in the first concession of Douro, provided the township of Douro grant a like sum for the same purpose, and that the following be commissioners for the expenditure of same, viz, Mr. E stland for Burleigh and Chandos; Mr. Shaw for Harvey and Galway; and Mr. Brown for Methuen, each to furnish a certified statement in detail of the manner in which said grants are expended, the remuneration of such commission to be five per cent. of the amount expended.

2. Your committee recommend that this council forward to the Minister of Railways and Canals the petitions of the ratepayers of Lakefield and vicinity and the memorials from the village of Lakefield praying that a swing bridge be erected over the Trent canal at Lakefield and your committee recommend that this council memorialize the Dominion Government to grant the prayers of such petition.

3. Your committee recommend that a special grant of $50 be given by this council towards the re-erection of a wharf at Julian's Landing, upon the condition that the Dominion Government grant $200 for the same purpose, and that the attention of both members of Parliament for the County of Peterborough be called to the necessity of building this wharf, and asking them to press the matter before the Dominion Government.

4. Your committee recommend that a special grant of $100 be given to the township of Asphodel, as compensation for their expenditure on the north approaches to Steele's Bridge in the township of Asphodel.

5. Your committee recommend that the report of the county engineer be received and printed in the minutes of this council.

6. Your committee recommend that the county engineer be instructed to protect the sides of the Lock's bridge with a wire netting.

7. Your committee recommend that the matter of erecting a glance pier and booms at the Wallace Point bridge be left in the hands of the Warden, Mr Anderson, and the county engineer to act in conjunction with the united counties of Northumberland and Durham.

8. Your committee recommend that the matter of placing railings and making such other temporary repairs as may be desirable be left in the hands of the county engineer and that the latter report to the Warden after examination fully with respect to the necessity for rebuilding the same.

9. Your committee recommend that the matter of repairing Comstock's bridge be left in the hands of the Warden.

10. Your committee recommend that the Warden and Messrs. Casement, Peck, Anderson, Fitzgerald, Shaw and Middleton be a committee to confer with the town of Peterborough and the township of Ennismore as to the terms upon which they will join in building the Mud Lake bridge according to the plans and specifications prepared by the county engineer—such committee to report to the Warden not later than 25th Feb. All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. ANDERSON,
Chairman.

County Council Chambers,
Peterborough, Jan. 29th, 1898.

The report was adopted.

FINANCE.

Mr. Casement, chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the following report:

The Committee on Finance beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the following accounts be paid:—

Adam Hall	$ 10 73
Adam Hall, when certified	20 14
Joseph Doust	1 15
Joseph Batten	2 75
R H Leary	7 00
Times Printing Co	16 09
Peterborough Light and Power	4 60
Peterborough Hardware Co	7 00
R H Leary	2 00
P J Grady	6 00
J O Keeler	54 09
Peterborough Light and Power Co	13 40
" " " "	37 92
T Fitzgerald	20 00
Postage	17 75
Central Prison	70 45
Rodger Fair	2 45
Dr Moher	5 00
P J Grady	2 00
Peterborough EXAMINER	16 40
" "	63 00
Peterborough Hardware Co, when certified	1 60
" " " "	23 75
Lakefield News	16 00
Peter Connal & Co	2 20
Rowsell & Hutchinson	1 26
Ontario Gazette	4 00
Times Printing Co	40 00
Bell Telephone Co	12 50
Bell Telephone Co	$ 12 50
Peterborough Review	6 00
" Hardware Co	75
Times Printing	171 10
J B Comstock	5 60
O Young	5 15
Peterborough Review Co	220 05
W B Kelly	51 32
" "	96 45
Wm O'Brien	43 85
Town of Peterborough	8 00
J E Belcher	28 85
" "	20 00
Peterborough Hardware Co	26 20
Wm Mahony	6 80
W B Kelly	4 50
Measom Boyd Co	25 60
John Flood	103 75

2. That the matter of lighting the law library be referred to the June session of this council, and that the caretaker of the Court House be instructed to keep the library in a clean condition.

3. Your committee recommend that the committee appointed by this council to confer with the Town of Peterborough with respect to the Mud Lake Bridge, be also a committee to confer with them as to a House of Refuge.

4. Your committee recommend that a special grant of $10 be given to the Prisoners' Aid Association.

5. Your committee recommend that the action of the Treasurer in paying Chief of Police Rossel $30 for the arrest and conviction of Geo Foy be confirmed, and your committee further recommend that the bylaw under which such payment was made be repealed.

6. Your committee acknowledge receipt of statement of income and disbursements re Foley estate, and recommend that the same be referred to the county auditors.

7. Your committee recommend that the memorandum hereto attached of accounts paid by your Treasurer on the authority of the Warden etc., and under contract fully entered into, be confirmed.

8. Your committee acknowledge receipt of the return of convictions of the County Police Magistrate, and recommend that the same be referred to the county auditors.

9. Your committee recommend that no action be taken with respect to the application of A M Harmer for a refund of peddler's license.

10. Your committee recommend that Mrs Healy, caretaker of the Wallace Point bridge, be paid the six months back pay, which she claims.

11. Your committee recommend that the action of the County Treasurer with respect to the tax sale and the Ontario Gazette be confirmed.

12. Your committee recommend that no action be taken upon the application of Mr Geo Cochrane, high constable, for increase of salary.

13. Your committee recommend that the County Treasurer be instructed to grant a one horse peddler's license to Benjamin Weese, Wm Porter and Wm Spencer without paying the usual fee.

14. Your committee recommend that the treasurer procure an auditors' stamp for county purposes, and also order ten copies of the Municipal World.

15. That the matter of the dispute between County School Inspector and the Norwood High School be referred to the June session of this council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. CASEMENT,
Chairman.

County County Chambers,
Peterborough, January 29th, 1898.

The report was adopted.

COUNTY PROPERTY REPORT.

Mr. Middleton, Chairman of the Committee on County Property, presented the following report:

The Committee on County Property beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the matter of lighting the court house and gaol be left in the hands of the Warden and County Engineer, they to report their recommendations to the June session of the Council.

2. That Mr. Henderson Nesbitt be instructed to procure whatever ice he may require for the use of the Court House and gaol.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MIDDLETON,
Chairman.

County Council Chambers,
Peterborough, January 28th, 1898.

PRINTING.

Mr. Fitzgerald, chairman of the Committee on Printing, presented the following report:—

The Committing on Printing beg leave to report as follows:

1. That the county clerk be instructed to grant to the Norwood Register and Lakefield News alternately the printing of the list of convictions and the assessment schedules required by law to be published and printed at the same price as last year.

2. That all other county printing be divided by the clerk between the EXAMINER, Review and Times in as equals a manner as possible, and that the division of such printing and the terms thereof as arranged between the interested parties and the county clerk in his judgment is to apportion to the Lakefield News, Norwood Register and Havelock Standard a fair proportion of printing which he shall consider those offices entitled to, and is to give the printing of assessment and collectors' rolls and tax sales, either to the Review or the EXAMINER.

3. Your committee recommend that in the preparation of the assessment rolls the column headed "Concession, Street, &c," should be enlarged in size in order to allow greater particularity in description of the property assessed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. FITZGERALD,
Chairman.

County Council Chambers,
Peterborough, January 28th, 1898.

CONFIRMING THE REPORTS.

Bylaws confirming the reports as adopted were given their several readings and duly passed.

OTHER BYLAWS.

Mr. Casement introduced a bylaw to repeal Bylaw No. 291.

In Committee of the Whole the bylaw received its several readings and was passed.

Mr. Hawthorne introduced a bylaw to regulate the time for taking the assessment in the township of Otonabee, between the 1st day of February and the 15th day of July in each year. The object of the bylaw was to permit of the assessing being done in the summer months instead of in winter. The date for the return of the roll was fixed for the 1st day of May.

In Committee of the Whole the by-law received its several readings, and was passed.

Mr. Casement introduced a bylaw to authorize the Warden and Treasurer to borrow money to meet the county expenditures, the amount being fixed at $25,000.

In Committee of the Whole the bylaw received its several readings and was passed.

ERECTION OF POLES AND WIRES.

Moved by Mr. Peck, seconded by Mr. Anderson, that a petition be forwarded to the Ontario Legislature, amending Sec. 496, sub section 59, of the Municipal Act, so as to give township councils the power to regulate the erection and maintenance of electric light, telegraph and telephone poles and wires, in the township limits that are by such conferred upon cities, towns and villages.

Mr. Anderson explained that the reason the motion was asked was that in his township the companies gave no consideration whatever to the request of ratepayers in regard to planting their poles, but did as they liked in the matter.

The motion was carried.

The January session of the County Council was then closed.

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26., Feb., 1897.

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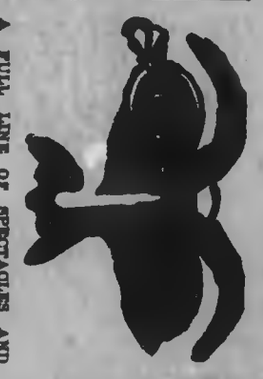

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The PACIFIC COAST
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STAMPEDE GULLY.

HOW A WELL KNOWN RAVINE IN TEXAS GOT ITS NAME.

A Herd of 15,000 Cattle Stampeded at Night, and Before They Were Stopped 2,700 of Them Were Killed—Costly Blunder Made by a Mexican Cowboy.

One of the most desperate stampedes of cattle ever witnessed by a Texas cowboy, says Rev. J. B. Cranfill of Waco, Tex., occurred in 1876 on the prairie in the center of which now stands the town of McGregor. Fifteen thousand cattle and 25 cowboys participated in the exciting event. Mr. Cranfill was not a participant, but he tells the story as he got it from an eyewitness in The Independent. Late in the afternoon of July 4 there had been a lively thunderstorm that made the cattle nervous. At 10 o'clock at night, however, they seemed to be sleeping profoundly. Then the narrative proceeds as follows:

"The stars were all shining, and there was no cause at all for the arousing of the herd. They appeared to get up all at once, with a single purpose, and the roar that was heard seemed to come from a single throat. The Wilson brothers and their cowboys who were sleeping in their camp rushed to their ponies, who were grazing with the saddles and bridles on, and as fast as the bits could be replaced in their mouths they mounted and galloped to the flanks of the now disappearing mass, headed in the direction of the Brazos river."

The usual course on such occasions is to get in front of the herd—a risky piece of work—and start it to running in a circle. This attempt was made in this case.

"Some cattle can outrun others, and in this case there was a bunch of about 50 fully 20 yards in advance, and toward this leading group the two rescuers rode. Of the leading group, also, some were faster than others, and this group ran in a diamond shape, with two immense steers leading all. When Mr. Wilson and his companion reached the two leading steers, they began shooting their revolvers close to them, and in that way the bunch was made to oblique, and as the leading bunch of cattle obliqued the main stampede obliqued, and the first step in 'milling' had been taken. By this time the cattle were getting tired. Nearly five miles had been covered, and the breath of the leaders was coming short and painfully, but they were rushing on because the front cattle at this time knew as a matter of fact their only safety was in keeping up the run. Those behind were coming, and they were in the majority, and the leaders were compelled to run. There was real danger for the forward members of the stampede.

"In the invoice of articles contained in the regulation 'outfit' there is always some kind of stimulants, and but for the stimulants contained in Mr. Wilson's outfit it is possible that the stampede would have been halted without disaster. He had a Mexican along, one of the best cowboys in the southwest. This Mexican and his horse always reminded those who saw him ride of the fabled Centaur. He rode far forward and bent over, so that he and his horse appeared to be one animal. No horse, however rugged, 'wild and woolly,' had ever been able to unseat him. This Aztec had been to the little brandy runlet too often and had filled and emptied his tin cup with surreptitious intoxicants, so that his usual excellent judgment went awry. When he succeeded in getting mounted, after having fumbled with his bridle a good deal, he was far in the rear, and the stampede had gone past him, so that when he overtook the rear end he passed to the front on the other side and rode on the wrong flank.

"When he reached the head of the herd, he was just in time to defeat the maneuver, then under execution, of bending the moving mass from a straight line to a semicircle. Revolver in hand, disregarding the other men, he began shooting in the faces of the wild steers, and the effect of this was to straighten the run and bring the advance straight toward a precipice. This precipice was a wash in the prairie, forming a deep ravine fully 30 yards wide, and in a shorter time than it takes to tell of this contretemps the head of the column was pouring over, a horrible cascade of beef, plunging madly into destruction while fleeing from an imaginary danger.

"When Mr. Wilson and his lieutenants saw that it was impossible to save their cattle, they saved themselves by dexterously turning at right angles at full speed and riding out of the way. They next returned to the flank and held a council of war. A few seconds decided them, and all hands commenced shooting into the herd, the object now being to build a breastwork of carcasses and save the rear end from the destruction that had overtaken the front. The gully was nearly full of cattle by this time. They were snorting and bellowing, crashing and tearing, and still heaping up, and when the firing began the wounded ones tumbled over on the others, and in a short time the gully, like the sunken road at Waterloo, was bridged by carcasses. The herd surged up in billows, like an ocean, and bent now because it could not do otherwise. The semicircle was formed, and Wilson and his men crossed the gully below and rode around the opposite side and recrossed, and in a short time they had the cattle halted, forming an incomplete letter O, and there they stood, blowing, bellowing, shivering. All hands remained on watch all night, and in the morning, when a count was made, it was ascertained that 2,700 head were missing. There were afterward 2,700 pairs of horns taken from that gully. It was called Stampede gully for many years afterward, and perhaps will always with some people be remembered by that name."

CORDELIA'S BROTHER

Is Called to the Witness Box to Testify Against His Sister.

St. Scholastique, Que., Jan. 29.—The first witness called in the Poirier case yesterday morning was Edmund Viau, farmer, of St. Canuto, and Cordelia's brother. He said: "I often went to my brother-in-law's house, and three or four times I saw Sam Parslow there. One day I went to see Father Pincault on some business, and while I was there I asked him what he thought of Sam and Cordelia's relations. He answered me. "It is very hard to prevent people from speaking of such matters." I saw my sister many times at Bouvrette's the day following the murder, but I did not speak of it to her."

In cross-examination, he declared that he was not on good terms with the prisoner, because he opposed her marriage, telling her Poirier was a drunkard and a lazy good-for-nothing.

The witness seemed to have forgotten many facts since he gave his evidence before Magistrate Demartigny.

Detective Crevier and Joseph Cyr were then called, and identified the revolver, the victim's shoes, etc.

Coroner Mignault was put on the stand at half-past two in the afternoon. He was in the Judge's room behind the screen with High Constable Brazeau when the prisoner made her confession of the murder, and he corroborated in all points the evidence of Brazeau and Detective McCaskill as to this confession. He stated further that on the day of the arrest he had a conversation with the prisoner and he told her: "If you know the guilty man it is better for you to give his name, because justice will certainly discover him." The prisoner gave him no answer. The proof of the Crown finished with this witness and the defence will not be long, a few witnesses only having been called.

Tom Keogh, a young man of St. Canute, was the first witness for the defence. The only important fact he stated was that two years ago at a dancing party which happened at Mrs. Poirier's house Mr. John Hall put the prisoner on his knee.

Mrs. Hebert of Montreal, sister of Cordelia Viau, was the last witness yesterday. She said that the late Isidore Poirier boarded at her house two or three years ago and he often told her that he would kill himself. He spoke so when he was drunk and told her that he had enough of life. She knew Mr. John Hall very well and said that he was an old regular boarder and that her sister often told her that she did not like him. She stated that she went into the room of the murder with the prisoner on the 25th of November to get some handkerchiefs, and this contradicts McCaskill's evidence on that point.

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THE NULTY TRIAL.

The Defence Have Played the Insanity Plea Strongly for Three Days.

Joliette, Que., Jan. 29.—In the Nulty murder trial the defence probably heard its last witness yesterday in the person of Dr. Lesage, another expert on mental diseases, particularly those of degenerates and epileptics. The defence has perhaps wisely kept their trump cards till the last and have played them with great effect within the last three days. Still the end of the trial is not yet in sight. The Crown has still a good-sized list of witnesses to be heard in rebuttal, which will likely consume the greater part of next week.

Dr. Lesage testified that he is a graduate of Laval University, also of the University of Paris. He described the symptoms which denoted epilepsy, mentioning bleeding at the nose, absentmindedness, dulness of the senses in general. "What conclusion would you draw, should you notice all these symptoms in a person?" was then asked by Mr. De Salabery, one of the counsel for the defence.

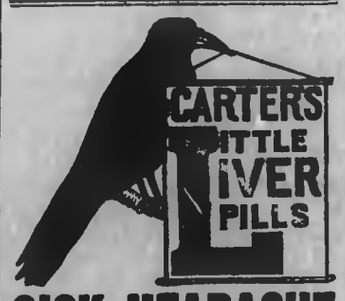
"I would say he was a dangerous epileptic, and would consider it my duty as a citizen to warn his parents or guardian to keep a close watch on such a person."

Question—Assuming such symptoms as existing, should the person so afflicted commit murder without premeditation or motive, would the murder strengthen or weaken your assumption that the perpetrator was an epileptic?

"It would certainly strengthen it. Epileptics regularly have a motive."

Mrs. Fisher Fell Dead.

Preston, Ont, Jan. 29.—A terribly sudden death occurred here shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday. Mrs. Fred. Fisher, sr., had occasion to go to the woodshed, and while there her daughter heard a noise as of someone falling. On going out she found her mother lying dead on the woodshed floor. Deceased was the mother of Mr. Fred. Fisher, proprietor of the Central Hotel here, and has been troubled with heart disease for the past few months, which was the cause of her death.



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SOME FUNNY THINGS WHICH INVENTORS HAVE MADE.

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Psychologists assert that civilized human beings are growing more absent-minded. The average man of intelligence today is not alert, not so conscious of his immediate environments, as he was a century ago. He does more thinking than he did then, and a greater part of his business in life is left to the purely mechanical brain functions.

The inventors, always a step ahead of the requirements of the times, are already at work devising contrivances to summon absent attention. One of the latest of these is a bracelet that has an alarm watch attached to it. The wearer, having an engagement at a certain hour, sets the watch, and when the time arrives a little needle point pricks her arm and reminds her of the duty.

At the patent office a large class of inventions is comprised under the head of "alarms"—these being machines by which persons who otherwise would not think are made to think. The average individual is obliged, however unwillingly, to get up at a certain time in the morning. To provide for this requirement many ingenious persons have applied their talents to the production of contrivances for awakening people and compelling them to arise. There is a kind of bedstead, for example, which holds its mattress in a frame that is retained in the normal position by a catch. At the proper hour the catch, operated by a clockwork mechanism, loses its grip, and the mattress frame becomes vertical instead of horizontal, throwing sleepy head out upon the floor.

There is another sort of bed which lets the head of the sleepy person drop when getting up time arrives, one end of the mattress frame collapsing. But one of the queerest of the patented methods of waking people up involves the employment of a tin pan and a weight hung by a cord. When the hands of a clock reach a certain point, the weight is released and falls upon the pan, making a direful racket. Another oddity is a frame from which are suspended a number of corks. During the night it is lowered gradually by a clockwork mechanism until at the proper hour and minute the dangling corks begin to bob against the nose and face of the sleeper. Of course he wakes up. The most obvious advantage of these sleep alarms is that they render anxiety on the part of the sleeper unnecessary, so far as rising is concerned. He can snooze undisturbed by the necessity of watching himself.

Hayseed visitors in the city will insist on blowing out the gas notwithstanding all the newspaper jokes on the subject. To provide against such accidents, a citizen of Ashland, Wis., has invented a little apparatus that is intended to be attached to every gas fixture in a hotel. The breath of a person who attempts to blow out the gas tilts a delicately balanced electrode and closes a circuit, giving an alarm in the office. Another kind of alarm, patented by a Chicago man, notifies the householder of escaping gas. If you are afraid of pickpockets, you can obtain protection by wearing a small machine that makes a big disturbance in case anybody tries to put his hand into your pocket.

Even after death you may find alarms a service. If a grave robber comes along, a torpedo placed in the coffin for that purpose will blow him to smithereens. Supposing that the disturbance wakes you to life again, a clockwork mechanism will start a bell to ringing, while a red flag runs up to the top of the tombstone, giving notice that a prompt resurrection is desired. Speaking of waking up suggests mention of some odd contrivances for doing necessary things before getting out of bed in the morning. One of these, patented by a lazy Vermonter, enables one to turn on the draft of a stove or furnace and then turn over for a supplementary snooze. This, however, is a primitive contrivance compared with the invention of a resident of Providence which provides for the feeding of a whole stableful of live stock at daybreak. Mr. Sleepy Head simply turns on his pillow and jerks a cord, which opens a valve in the stable and lets down the requisite quantity of feed into a trough.

There are quite a number of inventions for lighting the fire in the morning without getting out of bed. They are all operated by clockwork. The best of them is credited to an Illinois genius. A clock is set for a certain time, and when the proper minute is reached the mechanism "throws" a lever, which draws a match across a piece of sandpaper and ignites the kindling. One of the latest patents is for a street lamp which has a clockwork apparatus attached to it. At the correct moment for which the machine is set it closes an electric circuit, at the same time opening the gas pipe. Immediately the gas is ignited, and it burns until shut off by the clockwork at daybreak in the morning. In this way the street lamps all over a city may be made to light themselves simultaneously without the intervention of human hands.

A citizen of Austin is the author of a sort of water clock that is wound by rain. On the roof of a house is a trough that catches the rainwater, which flows into the tank. When the tank is filled to a certain point, it empties the water into a bucket which is connected by a cord with the winding drum of an ordinary clock. The bucket falls and by its weight pulls up the clock weight, thus winding the clock. Finally the bucket reaches the floor, when a valve in its bottom opens and the water runs out. Then it ascends and resumes its original position, so as to be ready to wind the clock up again after awhile. —Washington Cor. Philadelphia Times.

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In 1774 Philadelphia was the largest town in the American colonies. Estimates of the population, which are all we have, differ widely, but it was probably not far from 30,000. A single city now has a larger population than all the colonies possessed in 1774, and there are in the United States today 104 cities and towns of over 30,000 inhabitants. Figures alone, however, cannot express the difference between those days and our own. Now a town of 30,000 people is reached by railroads and telegraphs. It is in close touch with all the rest of the world. Business brings strangers to it constantly, who come like shadows and so depart, unnoticed, except by those with whom they are immediately concerned. It was not so in 1774, not even in Philadelphia, which was as nearly as possible the central point of the colonies as well as the most populous city.

Thanks to the energy and genius of Franklin, Philadelphia was paved, lighted and ordered in a way almost unknown in any other town of that period. It was well built and thriving. Business was active, and the people were thrifty and prosperous and lived well. Yet, despite all these good qualities, we must make an effort of the imagination to realize how quietly and slowly life moved then in comparison to the pace of today.

There in Philadelphia was the center of the postal system of the continent, and the recently established mail coach called the "Flying Machine," not in jest but in praise, performed the journey to New York in the hitherto unequaled time of two days. Another mail at longer intervals crept more slowly to the south. Vessels of the coastwise traffic or from beyond seas came into port at uncertain times and after long and still more uncertain voyages. The daily round of life was so regular and so quiet that any incident or any novelty drew interest and attention in a way which would now be impossible.

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Moonstruck.

The moon has been held responsible for many extraordinary influences it is supposed to have had upon human beings. Some hold it responsible for lunacy, while others affirm that more people die at the time of the full moon than at any other period. It seems, however, to have been undoubtedly proved that the moon has a great effect on health and life.

Two very extraordinary cases have been put forward in support of this theory. These both refer to people whose fingers have been moonstruck. The first is that of a young man who always felt at the time of the full moon a peculiar sensation in the thumb nail of his left hand. His finger nail invariably began to bleed at precisely the time when the moon came to its full.

The other case is that of an older man, who from his fifty-third to his fifty-fifth year always suffered from what is described as a "periodical evacuation of blood from the extremity of the forefinger of his right hand."

A celebrated doctor mentions another curious case of the startling effect the moon had on a certain young lady. With the increase of the moon she invariably became plump and exceedingly handsome and pleasant to look upon. When the moon decreased, however, her face and figure began to undergo a change. She became haggard and positively ugly; so much so indeed that she made it a custom to exclude herself from society for some days after the moon had commenced its decrease.—Pearson's Weekly.

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Hamilton, Jan. 26.—There are already 1,000 entries for the Hamilton poultry exhibition, which opens here for three days on Thursday. Many of the birds to be shown have won prizes in the United States. Dr. McGillivray will exhibit eight varieties of pheasants, and there will be an opposing exhibit from London. His Worship the Mayor will deliver the opening address.

Good News for Some People.

Hamilton, Jan. 29.—The 25 employes and shareholders of the Ontario Express Company, which became defunct in March, 1892, to the tune of nearly $100,000, will have the satisfaction of getting some of their money back. The employes will be paid in full and the shareholders will get some 10 per cent. The sum paid at the Hamilton end is not far from $35,000.

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An Old Abolitionist Dead.

Rochester, N.Y., Jan. 27.—Rev. Abishai Schofield died yesterday in Spencerport, aged 99 years. Some years ago while preaching at Hamilton, Ont., he was deposed from the ministry for preaching against slavery, after having been repeatedly warned to desist. At this time he was prominent in abolition matters, and was an intimate friend of Garret Smith. He once served as superintendent of the Sailors' Home at Milwaukee, Wis.

European Travel.

Children are taken abroad so young that before they have reached an age to appreciate what they see Europe has become a twice told tale to them. So true is this that a recipe for making your children good Americans is to bring them up abroad. Once they get back here, it is hard to entice them away again. With each improvement in the speed of our steamers vanishes something of the glamour of Europe, and the crowds that yearly rush across see less and appreciate less in a lifetime than our parents did in their one tour abroad.—Exchange.

Thoughts.

Thoughts are certainly able to spread themselves without the aid of looks or language. Invisible seed that floats from the parent plant can root itself wherever it settles, and thoughts must have some medium through which they sail till they reach minds that can take them in, and there they strike root, and whole crops of the same sort come up just as if they were indigenous and naturally belonging to their entertainers. This is even more true in great matters than in small.—Jean Ingelow.

Bad Every Way.

"Thirteen is an unlucky number in all cases," said Jarley.

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THE DELEGATES SPEAK.

A Report on the Proceedings of the Recent Convention in Brantford.

Association Hall was well filled with men yesterday afternoon when Mr. H. H. Buxton and J. W. Bennett gave interesting addresses on the proceedings of the 28th annual convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, recently held in Brantford.

Mr. Buxton spoke first and outlined the various addresses given, as well as a synopsis of the Bible readings by Rev. Elmore Harris, of Toronto, who had charge of that department.

He said he had attended a number of conventions but this was the best.

In his remarks he emphasized the spiritual side of the work, which was its strength.

Referring to a paper given by Mr. W. B. Miller, of the International Committee, Mr. Buxton said the Young Men's Christian Association stood for "work for young men by young men."

The aims of an ideal association are: 1, prevention; 2, training and developing of men; 3, to save the young men of America; 4, to counteract the saloon influence.

Personal responsibility upon each member was duly emphasized.

Mr. C. S. Kerr, of Woodstock, gave a paper at the convention on an "Ideal Member."

He is one who has the highest interests of men before him in mind, spirit and body. An ideal member must be a young man in heart—a living embodiment of association methods and a student of human nature.

Mr. Buxton referred also to the address of Mr Frank Ober, editor of Men, on the "Science of Manipulation" or the management of men. Also the address of Rev. G. H. Kimball, of Aylmer, on "The Association, the Right Hand of the Church." It stands for (1) strength, (2) skill, (3) unity, (4) aggression, (5) activity, (6) welcome, (7) honour.

Mr. J. W. Bennet commenced his address by referring to the magnitude of the work and the fact that association work embraced all classes while particular work was planned and carried on for particular classes, not only college men and railway men. Mr. Bennet gave a brief but interesting report.

The singing evangelists sang several touching selections during the meeting, which were highly appreciated.

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CHURCH CHIMES.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH NOTES.

The services at St. Mark's and Allendale were taken yesterday by Mr. Baskell, of Trinity College.

Rev. H. Symonds will lecture at Millbrook this evening on behalf of the Public Library of that village.

Mr. J. J. Turner, jr., conducted services yesterday at Havelock in the absence of Rev. J. H. McGinnis.

The Men's Chapter of the Guild will meet on Tuesday evening at Mr. Charles Curtis' house. Under the auspices of the same Chapter, a concert will be given in St. Luke's school house on February 7th.

The Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis recently published by Mr. Davies, organist of St. Luke's, has been rendered in Trinity church, Buffalo. The choice of this music by the organist of Trinity church, who is a Musical Doctor of Oxford, England, is a sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the composition.

Rev. H. Symonds is holding a class in English Church History, for the study of that period selected by the Church of England Sunday School Institute for the teachers' examination next Advent. The class now consists of seventeen members. It is not too late to join, and any who desire to spend a few hours in the study of the history of their Church are cordially invited to attend. The next meeting is on Thursday next at 8:00 o'clock at the Rectory.

Mr. E. A. Peck having been appointed Rector's Warden of St. Luke's church, has resigned the superintendency of the Sunday school. Yesterday afternoon the Rector announced that he had appointed Mr. D Spence, the librarian, to be superintendent. Mr. Clement Macfadden succeeds Mr. Spence as librarian, and Mr. George Grange has accepted the position of assistant librarian. With Mr. H. Adams as secretary-treasurer, the Sunday school has a most efficient staff of officers.

NOTES.

Messrs. H. J. Rines and Bert Rines, of Hamilton, gospel temperance evangelists, sang two duets at the Charlotte street Methodist church last night with great acceptance.

A memorial service in connection with the death of the late R. D. Hamilton, was held yesterday morning in St. Paul's church, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. Torrance, spoke very touchingly of the deceased. Appropriate music was rendered by the choir.

Rev. Mr. Erb of Lakefield, and Rev. A. T. Dykeman of the Murray street Baptist church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday. Mr. Dykeman took the anniversary services at Warsaw.

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MEETING OF PARLIAMENT.

Cabinet Considering the Terms of the Speech From the Throne.

ORDEAL OF A MAIDEN SPEECH.

The Dominion Artillery Association Gun Competitions—Reindeer for Transportation Work—The U. S. Relief Expedition to the Yukon—It Will Leave Portland To-morrow—Ottawa Notes.

Ottawa, Jan. 31.—Parliament meets this week, and the Cabinet will to-day consider the terms of the speech from the throne to be delivered by Lord Aberdeen on Thursday. Mr. Speaker Edgar is expected here this evening from Toronto. There are several new members of both Houses to be introduced, and the movers and seconders of the address in reply to the speech from the throne will be chosen from among them, according to a curious practice, under which the ordeal of a maiden speech in Parliament is intensified by having the whole House listening attentively to the debutante. If a new member speaks amid the usual noise and inattention of the House of Commons he can worry through the perspiring effort much better. Mr. Mills, the new Minister of Justice, will appear in the Senate in the capacity of Government leader, a delicate and responsible task that he is fully competent to discharge. The militia orders for escorts and guards of honor are out. On Saturday evening his Excellency the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen will hold a drawing room in the Senate Chamber. His Excellency desires to intimate that he will be glad of the services of as many officers of the militia and staff as can be spared for duty in the throne room on the occasion of the drawing room on Saturday.

A RAILROAD HORROR.

The Maine Provincial Express Derailed on Saturday—Miraculously Small Loss of Life—Others May Die.

Old Town, Maine, Jan. 31.—The St. John train, No. 29, or what is called here the Provincial Express, was wrecked in the cut at Orono Basin Mills at 3.45 Saturday afternoon, and six cars, including the smoker, were turned topsy turvy into the ditch. One of the passenger cars, in which were a large number of people, was almost entirely demolished. Two persons were killed and more than a score injured, several probably fatally. The dead are: Jennie S. Murray, St. Stephen, N.B.; Mrs. D. Cunningham, Troy, Maine.

The probably fatally injured are: Daniel Cunningham, Troy, Maine, badly crushed about head and legs; Howard L. Maddow, Skowhegan, Me., student at University of Maine, fractured skull; Stanley Bean, Berlin Falls, N.H., compound fracture of skull; C. E. Whittier, Skowhegan, internally injured and cut about head; Mrs. John Treat, Enfield, Me., fracture of ribs, scalp wounds and other injuries; Julian H. Merrill, Portland, spine injured.

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE CHURCH.

It Was Destroyed With Chapel and Presbytery by Fire—Loss, $300,000.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 31.—St. Jean Baptiste Church, the chapel adjoining, and the presbytery were totally destroyed by fire on Saturday. They were situated in the plot bounded by Drolet, Rachel and Sanguinet streets in the northern portion of the city. The loss, which will be between $150,000 and $200,000, is partially covered by insurance. The chapel, fronting on Sanguinet street, was the private property of Rev. Cure Magloire Auclair, and was valued at $35,000. Happily the fire was unattended with loss of life. The cure and his six curates, who reside in the presbytery, were aroused at the very outset, and co-operated with the firemen and other willing workers in saving property. The only dramatic feature was the alarm created by the seemingly long absence of Cure Auclair, who had rushed from the street into his residence to secure valuable documents lying in his library. Several firemen and a priest forced the cure to withdraw.

WRECK OF THE CORONA.

Crew and Passengers, Numbering 247, Were All Saved.

Montreal, Jan. 31.—Word was received by the Canadian Pacific Railway passenger department yesterday conveying the information that the steamers Corona and Coquitlam have been wrecked on the Northern Pacific coast. The former is a large vessel belonging to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, carrying 247 passengers, and is a total wreck. She sailed from Seattle, Wash., Jan. 20. The Coquitlam, a small boat with 40 passengers, sailed from Vancouver on the same date. No particulars are given regarding the safety of the passengers. Both vessels were engaged in the carrying of passengers who are bound for the Klondike.

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Youth's long pant Suits	was	4.50 and 5.00	now	3.25 and	3.80
Youth's long pant Suits	was	5.25 and 9.00	now	4.00 and	6.00
Men's Suits	was	5.50 and 6.00	now	3.00 and	5.25
Men's Suits	was	6.25 and 15.00	now	4.00 and	7.50
Children's Ulsters and Coats	was	3.75 and 5.00	now	1.95 and	3.00
Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was	4.75 and 6.50	now	2.50 and	4.00
Boys' and Youths' Pea Jackets and Reefers	was	2.50 and 5.00	now	1.65 and	3.00
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Toronto via Lindsay.....Leave 5.30 p. m
From Toronto for East.....Leave 8.55 p. m

GRAND JUNCTION.

Leave.....8.20 a. m. and 12.35 p. m
Arrive.....8.00 a. m. and 8.40 p. m

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Leave for Lakefield.....8.25 a. m., 1.45 p. m
Arrive from Lakefield.....9.55 a. m., 4.30 p. m
Time table corrected to date.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

	EAST ARRIVE	DEPART
Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	4.10 p.m.	11.31 a.m.
Indian River, Norwood, Havelock	7.10 a m.	7.35 p.m.
Norwood, Havelock, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Portland, Boston	4.42 a.m.	11.35 p.m.
WEST		
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.31 a.m.	4.42 a.m.
Toronto and intermediate	7.42 p.m.	7.10 a.m.
Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago	11.35 p.m.	4.10 p.m.
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A MANLY AND VIGOROUS SPEECH.

A Great and Admiring Tribute to the Hon. William Harty, Which an Enthusiastic Meeting Endorses—The Government's Record—Progress of the Campaign—Nominations Yesterday.

Kingston, Feb. 1.—(Special.)—The Liberals of Kingston last evening gathered in the Opera House to emphasize their appreciation of the course which Hon. Mr. Harty has pursued in the Legislature, and also to welcome to Kingston Hon. Mr. Hardy, Attorney-General of the Province. The gathering was most enthusiastic, and demonstrated that Hon. Mr. Harty has lost none of his old-time popularity, and that the Liberals of Kingston are united in their appreciation of the magnificent record of the Government of which he is a distinguished and popular member, and in their determination to again return him at the polls to represent them in the interests of economy and honest government. The reception to Hon. Mr. Hardy was flattering to a degree, and the enthusiasm displayed was a presage of victory in the forthcoming contest. The Opera House was crowded with enthusiastic and devoted admirers, who presented Hon. Mr. Harty with the resolutions tendering him the unanimous nomination of the Liberals in convention. Hon. Mr. Harty, who was received with an ovation, made a brief speech of acceptance, and gave way to

The Premier of the Province.

Hon. Mr. Hardy, in reply to the address presented him, made a characteristic speech replete with argument and constituting a complete defence of his administration. He returned his thanks for the honor done him and the kindly words contained in the address presented to him, and especially for the observations in reference to his personal character and transactions as being honorable and governed by the rules of integrity. After referring to the honorable history of the County of Frontenac he expressed his pleasure at being privileged to be present upon this occasion to take some part in the nomination of his true and trusty colleague, Hon. Mr. Harty—(cheers)—whose name, when the history of the province came to be written, would be recognized as one worthy of admiration and respect among the many historic sons of Kingston. To know him, he declared, is to honor him, to know him well is to love him; and if there has been one thing more than another which excited the regrets of himself and of his colleagues it was when they feared that Hon. Mr. Harty would be compelled to retire, being, as they thought, upon the point of breaking down. But twice the Great Healer has shown a better way. There was no time when they were prepared to say good-bye to him, and unless there was an absolute break-down, or an absolute severance from his colleagues on his part, they would not surrender their claim upon him; he is a prince of business men, has an instinct for public affairs. No department was ever better managed than was William Harty's when he had his health, and he is acting and assisting in its management again; and he was happy to say that he had been able to do what he had to assist him, and his colleagues had also gladly extended a helping hand during Mr. Harty's disability by sickness. He was glad to know that his physician had told him that he is on the high road to recovery.

Referring to the record of the Government, as opposed to the lack of policy of the Opposition, and the charges against the Government, about which Mr. Whitney fulminates, Mr. Hardy characterized them as trivial, and he urged the electors of Kingston, when Mr. Whitney came to talk to them, to urge him to tell them what his policy is, what constructive legislation he would pass if elected, and to point out any improper acts of the Government which he seeks to overturn during their twenty-five years of administration.

The Government's Record.

Turning to a review of the legislation which the Government had placed upon the statute book, Mr. Hardy pointed to the commendation of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, the president of which declared that the Government had gone so far in legislation on the labor question that they needed to ask for no further legislation, and the committees of that body which had charge of legislation publicly thanked the Government for what it had done for the protection of the workingmen, and he pointed with pride to the fact that during the first year of his administration he had placed no less than seven or eight important labor measures upon the statute book. Various Acts had been enacted in protecting workmen employed on public works and railways in the payment of their wages; the Wage-Earners' Act had been extended and its operations rendered less costly; an Act respecting bakeshops and for applying the Factory Act to shops, providing that no child under ten years of age should work in a shop, no youth under 18, and no woman should work after 6 o'clock except on one day in the week, and imposing penalties for not providing chairs or seats for women employes; that a place for them during lunch hour should be provided so that they would not be turned out on the streets to eat their lunch; a step had also been put to the immigration of criminal and pauper children; the Act respecting the councils of conciliation and arbitration was also amended; an Act providing that wages should be a lien upon the estates of deceased persons, provision was made for the establishment of technical schools for the workingmen, and also for the encouragement of the manufacture of iron and steel within the province, and foreign labor had been excluded from the lumbering camps. All of these were calculated to benefit the workingmen and protect them, and he pointed out that not a workman in Kingston but received advantage from them. The Government had also inserted a clause in the recent contracts, and it would be inserted in future contracts, that contractors must pay the highest or union rate of wages, and wherever possible to do so regulations had been made to prevent the sweating system in connection with public contracts. The result of each of these various measures was received with hearty applause, which indicated that the audience fully appreciated the consideration of these vital interests. The credit for having first given the ballot to the young men without property qualification was also claimed, and the reference to the fact that had the numbered ballot been in use at the recent Dominion election there would probably have been twenty men sent to jail for ballot stuffing instead of one was received with approbation. He asked what Mr. Whitney had done for the province in the way of constructive legislation, and asserted that Mr. Haycock had put more legislation on the statute book than Mr. Whitney and all his followers, and he was not a lawyer either.

The Surplus.

Taking up the question of the surplus, Mr. Hardy showed that more than every dollar of Sandfield Macdonald's surplus was pledged and appropriated before the present Government came into power, and declared that his Government would never hoard up a large surplus, but would expend the revenues of the province in building it up and developing its resources. In conclusion he said that he had good news to bring from the West, and hoped to be able to take back good news from the East, and that Kingston would again return Mr. Harty to represent her in the Legislature and Government, a result which the audience assured him by enthusiastic cheers would be obtained.

Mr. Conmee's Nomination.

Rat Portage, Feb. 1.—Mr. James Conmee was unanimously nominated for West Algoma at the very large Liberal convention here yesterday.

Dr. McKay Renominated.

Ingersoll, Feb. 1.—At Mt. Elgin yesterday the Reformers of South Oxford nominated Dr. McKay, M.P.P., who praised the Hardy Government and gave an account of his stewardship in his speech of acceptance.

Dr. Clemens of Berlin.

Waterloo, Feb. 1.—Yesterday the Liberal convention, which met here, nominated Dr. Clemens of Berlin.

Mr. James Phin Nominated.

Galt, Feb. 1.—James P. Phin of the township of Waterloo was chosen by the Liberals in convention here over Mr. J. D. Moore, M.P.P., to contest South Waterloo in the coming contest.

Dr. Ryerson Finally Declines.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Dr. Ryerson has given his final answer, which is that he will not be a candidate for the representation of East Toronto in the new Assembly.

No Three Cornered Contest.

Kingston, Feb. 1.—Hon. A. S. Hardy met the Frontenac Liberals yesterday afternoon and they debated whether to have a candidate in the field or let Haycock try it alone. Mr. Hardy said if the Liberals could win, have a candidate; if not, then a Patron member would be better than a straight Conservative. The meeting decided to withdraw the Liberal candidate, D. A. McRae.

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THE TRADE OF CANADA

The Trade and Navigation Returns for 1895-6.

OUR COMMERCE IS INCREASING.

Putting Up Their Money—The Finance Minister Has Received the $250,000 Deposit to Be Put Up by Messrs. McKenzie and Mann for Stipulated Security to Build a Yukon Railway.

Ottawa Feb. 1.—The trade and navigation returns of Canada for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896, have been issued by the Customs Department. The arrangement of the tables is improved very much, to the credit of the statistical officer in charge. The exports and imports, which together make the total trade, were, compared with the previous four years, as follows:

	Exports.	Imports.	Total.
1893—	$116,564,000	$129,074,000	$247,088,000
1894—	$117,524,000	$123,474,000	$240,999,000
1895—	$113,638,000	$110,781,000	$224,420,000
1896—	$121,018,000	$118,011,000	$239,025,000
1897—	$137,950,000	$119,218,000	$257,168,000

The excess of exports was, therefore, $18,781,000, against an excess in 1896 of $3,002,000, or a percentage of excess of 15.71, against 2.5 in 1896. Of the imports, $111,294,000 were entered for consumption and of the exports $123,959,000 represented the products of Canada, including coin and bullion. The dutiable imports were $74,108,000, and the free $45,110,000, against $67,389,000 and $43,847,000 respectively in 1896. The duty collected was $19,891,000, compared with $20,219,000 in 1896.

Imports, dutiable and free, from the United Kingdom and United States for two years were:

Great Britain—1896—Dutiable, $24,366,000; free, $36,613,000. 1897—Dutiable, $20,190,000; free, $9,150,000.

United States—1896—Dutiable, $39,101,000; free, $39,463,000. 1897—Dutiable, $8,953,400; free, $31,981,000.

Personal and General Notes.

Sir Oliver Mowat is expected to attend the opening of Parliament.

Mr. J. P. Whitney, leader of the Ontario Opposition, speaks here on Wednesday night.

Lieut.-Col. W. E. Hodgins of the Ottawa Guards has been appointed an A.D.C. to the Governor-General.

It is now stated on authority that junior clerks in the civil service, that is those who are receiving small salaries, will get an increase during this year.

At the Militia Department it is stated that Major Ibbotsou will be gazetted to command the 5th Royal Scots as soon as he has taken his course of education.

F. L. Jones, chief preventive officer of customs, has returned to town. Mr. Jones has been doing exceptionally good work in Cape Breton, having dropped onto a big nest of whiskey smugglers.

Capt. Bloomfield Douglas, R.N.H., who was appointed commissioner to investigate the charges of partizan conduct preferred against Government officials in the Maritime Provinces, has completed his work.

The Minister of Justice is considering the case of Lyman Dart, who is lying under sentence of death in Truro. Counsel for Dart has asked to present evidence showing that the shot which killed was an accidental one. Dart is only a boy of 17, and was found guilty of killing an Assyrian pack man. It is thought he had no malicious intent or grudge at the poor unfortunate fellow.

HIS DUTY DONE.

Principal Grant Will Accept No More Challenges to Debate Prohibition.

Kingston, Feb. 1.—Principal Grant will accept no more challenges to debate the Prohibition question.

"I think I have done my duty as a citizen of Canada," he said to your correspondent, "by putting my views into print and reaffirming them on the public platform.

"Do you think I can spend my time by meeting every Tom, Dick and Harry who throws down a challenge? My views are before the country. Let my opponents attack them as they will, I have certainly done enough by giving up two nights in the heaviest part of my sessional duty to tell my fellow countrymen what I conscientiously believe."

UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

New York had a big snowstorm yesterday which impeded traffic.

Four dead and more than 30 injured is the result of the accident on the Maine Central Railroad on Saturday. The cause of the accident has not been ascertained.

The body of Col. Ruiz, the Spanish officer who was murdered by insurgents with whom he went to make peaceful proposals, has been found and brought to Havana.

Mrs. Helen Patterson, aged 81 years, mother of Mrs. Samuel Lowe of Portsmouth, Ont., and leading business men of Watertown, N.Y., died on Sunday in Portsmouth.

The House of Representatives at Washington yesterday threw out the Teller resolution from the Senate declaring the bonds of the United States payable in silver. The majority against it was 50.

It is stated that Rev. Dr. John Hall will reconsider his determination to retire from the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York, owing to urgent pressure from the congregation.

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THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT AND LABOUR INTERESTS.

The old Latin saw runs, "Labor omnia vincit," — labour overcomes all things. It is, perhaps, not improper in the interests of exactness to suggest a modification of the old proverb thus, Labor omnia creat—labour creates all things. For, except in rare cases, and in the most primitive conditions, labour is at the root of all things made ready for the use of man. All wealth, all capital, as distinguished from the largess of nature, all human comforts, conveniences, refinements, and all human necessities and luxuries, owe themselves to some form of labour. The interests of labour, as the indispensible requisite to all human progress, and even happiness, and therefore the most important, should be the first care of the state, and that state that recognizes that obligation is most alive to its duty and most fit to serve the people. The Government of Ontario has recognised more fully this obligation than any other government in the world. The statues of the Province contain thirty-eight distinct acts of the Legislature designed to protect, subserve and promote the interests of those who toil.

Hardly had the Government taken power than (in 1873) it passed the Mechanics' Lien Act, for the protection of mechanics, machinists and builders from loss on account of labour or material furnished in the erection of building or machinery; and the original Act has been amended from time to time to make it more simple and more comprehensive.

An Act to further facilitate the enforcement of the just rights of wage-earners and sub-contractors, provides that every device or scheme that affects the priority of the rights of wage earners shall, ipso facto, be null and void. Another section facilitates the collection of wages under the Master and Servants' Act, which has been a great boon to this class. In 1895 the Act in question was extended and consolidated and now covers almost any case that may arise, and extends to all corporations. The act as amended gives satisfaction and is now as perfect as such a law can be made.

The Ontario Government not only protects the wages but the persons and lives of workmen. The Employers' Liability Act of 1886 secures compensation to employees for personal injuries arising from defective machinery, from negligence of superintendents, from obedience to the orders of fellow-employees placed in authority, from the operation of employers' regulations, from the negligence of railway signal-men, etc. The different kinds of defects that make a railway company liable are specified. The Act has been repeatedly amended in the interests of employees.

In 1886 "The Factories Act" became law. It protects the health of children, girls and women employed in factories, limits the age of children's employment, requires the guarding of machinery to prevent accident, requires that factories shall be kept in proper sanitary condition, requires fire escapes and means of putting out fires, and clothes the inspectors (male and female) with power to enforce the provisions of the Act, which places the factory labourers of Ontario in as good a position as those of any country in the world.

In 1882 an Act was passed making railways liable in respect of compensation to employees for injuries sustained through failure of the companies to make the changes on their bridges, tracks and freight cars required by the Act.

In 1873 two important acts were passed to facilitate arrangements between masters and workmen for sharing profits, and to facilitate the settlement of disputes between masters and workmen.

On the same line is the important act passed in 1894 for the establishment of Courts of conciliation to provide for the friendly settlement of disputes between employers and employed, and to thus prevent the injury to both parties almost always resulting from strikes. The Act defines how the council shall be selected, and the mode of procedure.

An Act was passed in 1885 to facilitate the collection of wages of workmen. In case of failure of an employer, the workman's wages up to three months, are a claim before that of other creditors, and the same provision applies to the affairs of a company under liquidation, and applies to all wage earners, whether by the day, week or piece.

The act of 1889 facilitates the enforcement of decisions under the Master and Servant Act in the interest of the servant. The Revised Statutes of 1897 gives a servant a chance to employ the services of any Justice of the Peace to enforce the payment of wages.

In 1886 an Act was passed to discourage the practice of contractors advancing money to foreigners, by making it impossible for the employer to recover the money advanced in case the foreign labourer sees fit to break his engagement. This makes it difficult for a contractor to bring in cheap foreign labour to compete with home labour.

An Act of 1874 relieves the wages of a workman under $25 from seizure or garnishment for debt—so that an unfortunate labourer or workman cannot be left entirely penniless.

An Act of 1891 gives lumbermen in Algoma, Thunder Bay, and Rainy River districts, a lien on the logs got out, and this was with other Acts, extended to other districts.

An Act of 1896 permits any workman in a town or city to have from 12 to 2 o'clock on polling day to cast his vote, and he shall not incur any penalty therefore, nor be "docked," provided, if his employer requires it, he shall make up for his absence by an extra hour's work.

An Act of 1892 provides for the registration of a benefit society under a lawfully incorporated Trades Union. The act of 1894 facilitates the incorporation of benefit societies, the cheapest insurance for a man of limited means.

The Mines Act of 1892, limits the age at which boys shall be employed in mines to 15 years of age, and it also provides stringent regulations for preventing accidents to workmen, and imposes severe penalties upon mine owners for neglect of provisions for protecting the persons and lives of workmen.

The Creditors' Relief Act of 1892 was amended by providing that all persons in the employment of an execution debtor at the time of seizure by the sheriff or within one month before that, shall be entitled to have paid to them three months wages before the claims of other creditors can be made—another means of protecting the interests of the workingman and securing to him the results of his toil.

In 1895 the Factories Act was further amended with the object of further protecting the interest of employees in factories, and provides large penalties for neglect on the part of proprietors.

In 1896 an Act was passed to secure the payment of wages of employees on public works. The act provides that in default of payment of wages, including teams, by a contractor, if the claim for unpaid wages is filed by the employee with the department within two months, and proof furnished, the amount of such claim may be paid by the minister out of the money or securities deposited by the contractor with the Government. A member of the Government may require a contractor, under heavy penalties for default, to file with the Department a list of names of employees, wages paid and unpaid. One of the conditions of a contract, when a railway or other work is bonused by the Government, is that a sufficient sum shall be held back by the Government to secure the payment of wages. Every company incorporated shall become liable for the wages of workmen and teams, whether the work be done through a contractor, sub-contractor or otherwise. Thus the act further provides for the workman being paid for his work, and prevents capital taking advantage of labour.

Another act to provide against employers taking advantage of the ignorance or necessities of their workmen was that passed in 1896, which provides that every agreement or bargain, whether written or verbal, between an employer and workmen, that will deprive such workmen of the benefits under the Master and Servants' Act, the Mechanics' Lein Act, and any other Act providing for the collection of wages, shall be null and void.

The Electric Railway Act of 1896 extends to the employees of such companies, the advantage of the liens enjoyed by workmen under the Mechanics' Lien Act and amending acts.

The Bakeshops' Act of 1896 demands that shops shall be so constructed, arranged, lighted, ventilated and equipped as to protect the health of employees, that everything shall be clean and in sanitary condition, and that shops shall be provided with proper washrooms, closets and other conveniences, separate from the bakeshop, and provides for strict inspection; that no employer shall be allowed to work men more than 60 hours per week, except by special permission; that no employee affected with consumption, scrofula or any venereal disease, shall be permitted to work in a bake shop.

The year 1897 was very fruitful in legislation in the interests of labour, no less than seven specific laws in its interests having been placed on the statute books.

An amendment to the Railway Act provides that the fact of a railway servant continuing in the employ of the company, knowing of the defect or negligence which caused his injury, shall not relieve the company from responsibility in respect of damages.

Another Act gives an employee of the estate of a deceased person a first claim before other creditors for three months wages, and entitles him to rank equally with other creditors for any amount over three months wages.

Another Act provides for facilitating the amicable settlement of trades disputes by means of a Council of Conciliation.

An Act respecting Shops and Places other than factories is practically a consolidation of the several acts relating to the employment of persons in other places than factories. Some of the more important amendments provide that no child under ten shall be employed in a shop, and that the occupier of a shop shall provide seats for girls and permit their use by girls when not necessarily employed, and any employer who prevents by open or secret threat the use of such seats at such times shall be liable to a fine of from $10 to $25, and in default, imprisonment in jail. The Act also provides fuller methods of fire escapes, and insists on the maintenance of cleanliness, etc., for the comfort of employees.

The Bakeshop's Act was greatly improved in the interests of workmen.

The Immigration of Children Act regulates the immigration of children into Ontario, provides for the protection of such children and also provides penalties for bringing into the country children of diseased conditions, defective intellect or vicious or criminal habits, or any child whose parents have been criminals, lunatics or confirmed paupers or diseased.

The Act of 1897 relates to Technical Schools for the teaching of trades in municipalities, and permits municipalities to make grants, and that the provisions of the High Schools Act shall apply to such schools. This is a direct benefit to mechanics who wish to improvr their condition in their respective trades.

The legislation thus briefly summarized, represents a code of laws placed upon the statute book by the government of Ontario in the interests of those who toil, which has for the purposes aimed at no superior in any country in the world, and its value can perhaps only be appreciated by contemplating the condition in which the workmen, in relation to the rights and privileges he now enjoys by virtue of such legislation, would be placed if by some power all these laws for his benefit were swept from the statute book. Not only has the government, by these laws, guarded the interests of the workmen, but they have practiced what they preached by introducing the nine hour system, and in some cases the eight hour system, where mechanics and other skilled workmen on works under the immediate direction of the Public Works Department at Toronto, and this also extends to labourers upon like works. Besides in letting the contracts to the lowest tenderers for preparing, printing and binding the cash and account books to be used by municipalities and school boards, under the new Municipal Audit Act, which, by the way, aims to prevent fraud by treasurers, the Government stipulated: That the contractors should perform the work in Ontario, and shall pay the highest or union wages for all work to be done under the contract.

In the matter of advanced legislation in the interests of labour, the Province of Ontario holds the first place, and the Government has shown that as far as the state could go in protecting and promoting the interests of labour, it has been the friend of the workingman, and therefore deserves the gratitude of the toilers of Ontario, whose rights have received such practical, recognition at its hands.

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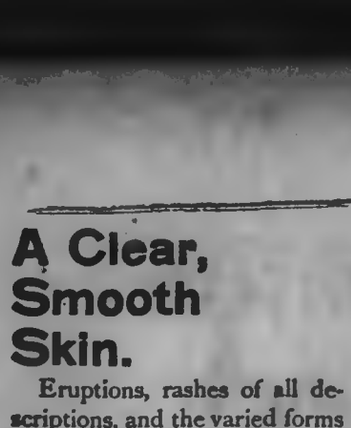

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The Planting of Forests Likely to Be an Important Industry.

Looking not very far into the future, it seems that the planting of American forests will become a productive industry. Preservation of old forests, with their masses of dry underbrush and fire inviting collections of dry leaves, may be advisable for some reasons. These immense masses of firewood undoubtedly tend to collect snow, which, by its gradual melting, furnishes a supply to the water reservoirs beneath the surface of the ground. Snow thaws less quickly under the shade of trees than in the bright sunlight. Less water, therefore, runs to supply floods and freshets than when the snow is made to pass away gradually. But this question does not affect the solid timber interests.

In old forests, where there is a struggle for life among the trees by reason of their growing so thickly together, the result is the necessity of waiting many years before the trees will reach a size to make them desirable for timber purposes. Where trees have room to grow and are properly cared for most kinds of American trees will furnish useful timber in 20 or 30 years, and for many other purposes they can be employed even younger. It takes well on to a century for the struggling trees in a dense wood to have any marketable value.

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TOSSED BY THE HURRICANE.

The Shorn "Colonel" and the Wrecked "Captain" Dine Together.

Two men who had been chums in a western town before a financial hurricane hit it met for the first time in years in a Sixth avenue eating house the other day. In the days of their prosperity one of them was a political lever and was called colonel. He had been on the governor's staff. The other in some way had acquired the title of captain. Both had front seats in every event of the town in which they had lived. The governor's ornament is now a plain bookkeeper in Broad street. The other man is a dry goods clerk.

After greetings, explanations and a few mournful references to perished delights, they had a combination meal, and if you don't know what that is you have never had any trouble, and any one who casts a shadow is worse than a heathen. When the meal was over, the two old friends walked out and stood for a few minutes under the splutter of an arc light. As they were parting the man who used to ride the big bay horse in the governor's parade, and who had commanded the populace of his town to stand back, said in a low, mournerlike tone:

"If you come to see me, don't call me colonel. Nobody knows me as colonel now. I am just an employee on a salary."

The arc light spluttered again as the little man replied in a squeaky, hall bedroom voice:

"And if you come to see me just call me, 'Say, you!' That's what everybody calls me in the store."

"Well, goodby, captain."

"So long, colonel."

It was the first time they had heard the titles in years and each walked away with a lighter step and lighter heart.—New York Sun.

DUTIES OF CHRISTIAN LIFE.

No Virtue In One's Daily Actions Unless It Is Established In the Soul.

"The obligations and duties of the Christian life are not all external," writes Cardinal Gibbons, pointing out a religious life to young men, in The Ladies' Home Journal. "They are mainly material and must proceed from the heart. There is no virtue in one's daily actions unless it be first established in the soul and is only an external expression of the soul's convictions or prolongation of heartfelt sentiments. Yet the external practice of Christian virtues and the performance of Christian duties pertain to the integrity, if not to the essential character, of the Christian life. The interior sentiments soon perish without external expression, as life and bodily powers become extinct without due and proper exercise or employment.

"However, as the external duties are not absolutely and under all circumstances essential, they vary both in number and frequency according to environments and opportunities. A business man cannot do all that a clergyman is expected to do, a man in trade not what a man in leisure can accomplish nor a man of the world all that is possible and easy to one who keeps himself from society. But all, no matter where, no matter what their engagements and secular pursuits, how little or how much time they can call their own, can and are obliged to perform daily acts of prayer and religion and accomplish many duties of virtue and charity. There is no condition of life which is incompatible with the dictates and principles and precepts of the Christian life."

A Mexican Custom on Good Friday.

Mrs. Sara Y. Stevenson contributes to The Century an article on "Maximilian's Empire," one of a series devoted to the French intervention in Mexico. In describing the scenes that followed the siege of Puebla Mrs. Stevenson says:

It was a Mexican custom on Good Friday to burn Judas in effigy on the Plaza Mayor. Judas was a manikin made in the shape of the person who happened to be most unpopular at the time. It was quite admissible to burn Judas under different shapes, and sometimes these summary autos-da-fe were multiplied to suit the occasion and the temper of the people. At the same time rattles were sold on the streets and universally bought alike by children and adults, by rich and poor, to grind the bones of Judas, and the objectionable noise—second in hideousness only to that of our own sending off of firecrackers on the Fourth of July—was religiously kept up all day. In the year of our Lord 1863 Judas was burned in Mexico on the Plaza Mayor under the shapes of General Forey, Napoleon III, and last, but not least, M. Dubois de Saligny, who especially was roasted with a will amid the wild execrations of the populace.

WISDOM OF CHATHAMITES

Dodd's Kidney Pills are First Favourites With Them.

Chatham, Jan. 17—The druggists of this town report most extraordinary sales of Dodd's Kidney Pills during the past few months. Every citizen is thoroughly acquainted with the sterling merits of these wonderful pills, which are admitted to be the only medicine that will completely and positively cure all blood and kidney diseases.

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CENSURED BY THE VATICAN.

The Ban Placed on Le Soleil by Bishop Labreque Caused All the Trouble.

Montreal, Jan. 31.—Rome has censured one of the bishops of French Canada, and it is said that ecclesiastical history will be searched back a great number of years without finding a similar case of Vatican displeasure. Mgr. Labreque, Bishop of Chicoutimi, has taken very strong ground from the very first against the Laurier-Greenway school settlement, and during the early days of the discussion His Lordship forbade the reading of Mr. Pacaud's paper, Le Soleil, in the diocese of Chicoutimi. In a document just received by the Metropolitan at Quebec, Rome makes known to His Grace that Mgr. Labreque overstepped his power and jurisdiction in condemning Le Soleil, and that the desire is expressed that His Lordship shall withdraw his edict without delay.

Coming to Canada.

London, Jan. 31.—Sir Squire Bancroft will sail next Saturday to repeat in Eastern Canada the readings from "A Christmas Carol," by which he has aided many worthy charities in London.

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Fifteen Below Zero in Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 31.—Saturday night was the coldest Toronto has experienced in some years. At 4 o'clock Sunday morning the Observatory thermometer registered 15 degrees below zero. The mercury has not been so far down since one day in February, 1895, when it went to 22 below. But even 15 below is exceptionally cold for Toronto. At Ottawa on Saturday night, the record was 24 below, at Montreal 20 below, at Quebec 24 below, at Father Point 24 below, at Chatham, N.B., 26 below, at Sydney, C.B., 14 below.

Bells for the Klondike.

Port Robinson, Ont., Jan. 31.—Messrs. John and Dilly Bell, sons of William H. Bell, a prominent resident of this town, have left for the Klondike gold fields. Another brother will join them in Chicago. On their arrival at Tacoma, Wash., they will be met by a fourth brother, who left here for the coast about two weeks ago to complete arrangements for outfitting and transportation for the party.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

MR. THOS. DOLPHIN, TARA, ONT., says: "I had Itching Piles for about ten or twelve years, and tried everything I could hear or read of, and found that nothing did me any good. Mr. Hilburn, the druggist, gave me a sample box of Chase's Ointment, and from the first application I found relief, and was able to go to bed and sleep. I then purchased one box and that one cured me so that I have not been afflicted since, and that is over a year ago."

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We lay particular stress just now upon the economy of buying here during this month. Scores of buyers who have attended our Reduction Sale know what money they have saved on their purchases. Cost prices are ignored entirely, and your chance to buy reliable goods at a sacrifice should induce an early visit.

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Daily Examiner.

MONDAY, JANUARY 31, 1898.

LOCAL NEWS.

Held Over.

A large amount of interesting local news is necessarily held over until to-morrow.

Cream Ale.

Just received a fresh brewing. Come in and try it. Best in Canada.—W. OVEREND, C. P. R. Hotel.

For Sale.

The grocery store and fixtures of The T. W. Robinson Co., which are all new and in first-class shape. Must be sold at once. For particulars apply to the store, corner Smith and George streets.

FORESTERS' CARNIVAL, FRIDAY NIGHT.

Photography.

The new firm of Cunningham & Co., photo artists, successors to A. E. Ford, at 170 Charlotte street, are now ready for business, and hope by strict attention and high-grade work to merit public confidence and custom. dtf

Did You Forget

About the excellent Oyster Supper and Lecture in All Saint's Schoolroom, next Thursday evening? Oysters prepared in any style by an experienced hand, and a splendid lecture on "Early Canada," by a favorite lecturer, Mr. Hampden Burnham. Only 25 cents. 1d

Dainty Dishes

For the invalid can be prepared from Granulated Wheat, Shred and Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit. Delicate, appetizing and nutritious in the highest degree. Call at cooking exhibit and try a free sample. Served at Robert Fair's dry goods store, 393 George street.

To night's Concert.

Among those taking part at the concert in Charlotte street church to-night are the following; Miss F. Hall, Miss Pascoe, Misses C. and A. Bellegham, Miss E. Sherlock, Miss R. Stephens, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. A. L. Davis, Mrs. Goldsmith and Messrs. Mulligan, Morphet, Harvey, Squires, Skitch and Spafford. The celebrated Rinse Bros. will also be present after the close of their own meeting. 1d

A Hint for Merchants.

A little advertising may be unprofitable when a great deal would pay handsomely. Short-time advertising seldom pays. This is the reason that ads. in the many ephemeral "schemes" that come to every business man are never profitable. It is continuous, consistent, courageous, intelligent advertising in the best newspapers that always and infallibly bring good returns. —Charles Austin Bates.

Against the Doctors.

There is an interesting fight in the Province of Quebec over the "lodge doctor" question and the fraternal societies are putting up some good fighting. The Medical Council of Quebec has undertaken to say that the lodge doctor must go and propose to cancel the licence of any medical man who allows himself to be appointed physician to any fraternal society. There are fully 6,000 members of these societies concerned in the outcome. A peculiar feature of the conflict between the heads of the medical colleges and the societies is that the medical gentlemen concerned—the "lodge doctor"—with few exceptions, do not think the reforms proposed. They come from those not associated with any lodge or benefit association. In the case of Montreal it is stated that the doctors directly interested have agreed to resist the proposed action of the council.

$25 buys a good second hand double key board Typewriter in excellent condition. It cost $100, Sacrifice it now for quick sale. MULLIGAN & Co., Music Store, 416 George street.

THE STORM.

As it Blew From the North the C. P. R. Got the Benefit of it.

The town snow ploughs were going all all night to keep the sidewalks clear from the drifts which formed so rapidly.

As the storm was from the north, the Grand Trunk did not experience much inconvenience, but the C. P. R. trains were delayed considerably, the early morning express going west being three hours and fifty minutes late, and the east bound noon express over two hours behind time.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Court Chemong Officers Duly Installed at the Regular Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of Court Chemong, I. O. F., was held on Friday night, when the newly elected officers were duly installed by Bro. M. A. Morrison C.D., assisted by Bro. Jno. Hetherington.

The following were those installed :—

Geo S Ames	C R
W B Tripp	V C R
J W Bayers	Rec Sec
H A Fife	Fin Sec
W H Meldrum	Treas
John Logan	Chap
W G McKee	S W
W R G Higgins	J W
R J Matchett	S B
A W Fleming	J B
T N Greer	Physician

Owing to the recent sad event, the death of Bro. R. D. Hamilton, the usual installation oyster supper was cancelled.

Several of the members spoke in very feeling and appropriate terms of the sad occurance, and the charter of the court was ordered to be draped in mourning.

The total membership of the Independent Order of Foresters on Dec. 1st. was 121,910. During the month of December 5,065 applications were received. The surplus fund on January 1st amounted to $2,558,822,78.

A PRESENTATION.

To Miss Etta Howson by the Congregation of the Cavanville Methodist Church.

The Cavanville Methodists are a appreciative people, if anything, and on Tuesday evening last representatives of the congregation to the number of fifty, realising the obligations they were under to their organist, repaired to the residence of Mr. Geo. Howson, to show their appreciation of the efficient services which Miss Etta Howson so cheerfully renders as organist of the Cavanville Methodist church.

Numerically and socially the affair was a decided success and the ladies of the company did their part of providing the best of things from an artistic cooking standpoint, which were fully appreciated.

During the evening the following address was read and a purse of money presented to Miss Howson by Miss Jennie Swain, to which Miss Howson replied in suitable terms, expressing her thanks :—

Miss Etta Howson:

DEAR MADAM,—It is with a profound sense of the fitness and suitability of things that we have met together this evening, as representatives of the Cavanville Methodist church, to pay a tribute of respect to one whom we hold in high esteem. We desire to place on record our appreciation of the efficient services which you have so cheerfully rendered as organist of the Cavanville Methodist church. By your unassuming manner and kind disposition, and your willingness at all times to do what you can to promote the best interests of our church services, you have won for yourself the goodwill and gratitude of the congregation of which you are a valued member. And we believe that by the spirit of self-denial which has characterised you in the discharge of your duties you have won for yourself the approval of Him who has said :—"If any man will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow me."

We desire to thank you for the absorbing interest which has characterized your efforts to provide suitable music for our church services. We are deeply conscious of the fact that in the position which you occupy as organist there are discouragements to be met and obstacles to be overcome, but we are persuaded that if the same fidelity and perseverance be exercised by you in the future, which has characterized you in the discharge of your duty in the past, you will be enabled to use the obstacles and discouragements as stepping stones upward to success.

We ask you to accept of this purse as a slight token of esteem. We trust that you will long be spared to exercise the gifts and graces with which God has so richly endowed you, and by and by, when your time for doing and receiving good is ended, we trust that you will be received into full membership in the celestial choir and be permitted to assist in swelling the chorus of the new, new song unto Him that loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood.

Signed on behalf of the congregation,

MISS JENNIE SWAIN,
MRS. T. NEWTON.

Cavanville, January 25th, 1898.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Dr. Taylor, of Niagara Falls, south, is visiting at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Hill.

DAILY TEMPERATURE RECORD.

The following are readings of the official thermometers for this morning, as well as the highest and lowest yesterday—shade temperature :—

	Highest.	Lowest.
To-day, 7 a. m.	6° above zero	
Yesterday	16°	—7°

Richmond Fire Hall,
Toronto, 26, Feb., 1897.

Dear Sirs,—Constipation for years has been my chief ailment; it seemed to come oftener in spite of all I could do. However, some time ago I was told to use DR. CHASE'S Kidney-Liver Pills, which I have done, with the result of what appears now to be a perfect cure.—Truly yours

J. Harris.

Parlour Furniture.

It is worth a visit to Clegg's furniture warerooms to see their parlour suites. New and handsome designs in 3, 4, 5 and 6 piece suites, beautifully upholstered in the latest styles and materials. Odd pieces in parlour furniture in great variety and at very low prices. Clegg's furniture and undertaking warerooms, 427 George street.

Get This Into Your Head!

That the Rickey stock of tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes, pipes, pouches, smoker's sundries, mouth organs, walking canes, etc., knocked down at 33c. on the dollar, is being sold away below cost. Step in and see the snaps that's going. You'll wish you had a hundred dollars to invest. Stock as fresh as fresh eggs at Easter. Special discount off to dealers. Two first-class pool tables for sale. Speak quick! Only short time to clear out the stock. We mean business. Next to Lash's. 3d

Picture Framing.

You need not have so many choice pictures round the house going to waste if you know how little it costs to put a good frame on them when the order is left at the Peterborough Bookstore. Take a few spare moments and collect all the unframed pictures lying round the house. We will send for them. Don't forget the handsome plates given away with the Christmas numbers, as well worth framing. You can call any time convenient and select your style of mouldings. A. H. STRATTON & Co

PETERBOROUGH JUNIORS LOSE TO KINGSTON.

THE FRONTENACS WERE TOO MANY FOR THEM.

A Fast Game Witnessed on the Local Ice Last Night—The Score Was 9—6 in Favour of the Visiting Team.

The *Peterborough Juniors* met their first defeat of the season last evening, when the Frontenacs of Kingston snowed them under on the local ice by the score of 9—6.

It was weight and superior shooting ability which gave the visitors the game, and they also had more staying power than the Peterboroughs. The forward lines of both teams did some very neat combination work at times, and the local seven in this respect were fully the equal of the visitors. They were just as fast skaters also, but the Frontenacs did more effective shooting on goal, which was probably occasioned by the fact that when they broke through the Peterborough line and went down the ice the local forwards did not turn and "follow back," as the seniors would have done. This facilitated matters for the visitors, and they were enabled to pass the puck without the risk of seeing it raked in and carried away by a Peterborough forward, who had come back with the line. The visitors came back with the puck almost every time the Peterboroughs took it, and this fact made it difficult to pass, and also difficult to get a good chance to shoot.

The Juniors claim it was an off night for them, and are satisfied that they can make a much better showing against the Frontenacs when they go to Kingston to play the return match on Friday next. Be that as it may, they made a grand showing against the visiting team which was largely composed of men who will play with the Frontenac senior team. Peterborough is proud of her Juniors and sees in them men who, with development, will prove worthy recruits of the Seniors, when the are needed.

Play began at 20 minutes to 9 when the teams lined up as follows :

Frontenac II.		*Peterborough II.*
Hiscock	goal	Geo Dixon
Hamilton	point	R Glover
Waddel	cover point	R Thorne
Murray, Young, Wilson, Cunningham	forwards	Chris Graham, R Watt, Harry King, W Crossley

From the draw the puck at once travelled in on the Peterborough citadel, but Glover relieved and Graham brought the puck down with a rush into Kingston territory. Back it went up the ice again, however, but Watt and Graham came down again with a nice combination. Hamilton relieved for Kingston and then siege was laid to the Peterborough flags and Dixon had to work hard to save his goal, but he did it nicely. Then Graham got away with the puck, and with Crossley and King some very neat combination was done, resulting in the latter scoring. Time, 3 minutes.

Crossley took the puck from the face off and in a quarter of a minute made the score 2—0.

Kingston then made things hot for the local men and the puck was continually on the Peterborough flags for some minutes, but the local defence proved too much for the visitors. The Juniors got in some nice combination rushes, but were defective in shooting. After five minutes hard play, in which honours were equally divided, the game finally went to Kingston. Score, 2—1.

In the beginning of the next game Thorne was sent to the fence for stopping the puck with his stick whilst it was in the air, and although Glover did more than two men's work in breaking up the rushes of the Frontenacs, they were able to even the score in three minutes.

In another minute the visitors scored again, and the score stood 3—2 in their favour. In six minutes more the Frontenacs increased their lead by still another point, and Watt tallying for Peterborough a minute later, made the score 4—3.

Watt and Graham opened the next game with a good rush, but lost the puck and the Frontenac forward line came down together and tallied in one minute. Score 5-3.

The Juniors woke up and made things warm for their visitors. Again and again were the visitors put on the defensive. Thorne made some great lifts in on their goal and whenever the Kingston men got past him, Glover was there to spoil their combination and transfer operations to the other end of the rink. The pace was too fast to last apparently and when the Peterboroughs slackened up the visitors notched another, making the score 6-3. There was a great kick made at this juncture and the Kingston umpire was accused of being "crooked" to such a degree as to give his team three goals which never were scored. The young gentleman was removed and Mr. C. LeBrun was asked to officiate in his stead. Half time was called before any further scoring was done.

In the second half each team tallied three more goals, leaving the score 9 to 6 in favour of the visitors.

Don't forget the Crusaders' meeting to-night, in St. Andrew's Church. Subject "Needle Points by Lime Light." Special singing. Silver collection.

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I have leased the Barber Shop in connection with C. LeGros & Co.'s Tobacco Store at 339 George street, and am now prepared to do a strictly first-class business at the following close cut prices :

Hair cut	10c
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EDWARD LECLAIRE.

LOCAL LEGAL.

In the Divisional Court, Toronto, on Thursday last, before Boyd C. and Robertson J., the following case of local interest was heard :—

Patterson v. Central Canada L. and S. Co.—N. F. Davidson, for plaintiff, appealed from judgment of Street, J. (17 L. T., Occ. 280), who tried the action at Peterborough, in so far as it is against the appellant. The action was brought by two of the nine children of Alexander and Mary Patterson against the owners of the life estate of the parents in certain lands, to recover damages to the reversionary interest of the plaintiffs by certain alleged acts of voluntary and permissive waste committed by defendants or their tenants. Street, J., held, following re Cartwright, 41 Chy. D., 532, that defendants were liable only for voluntary and not for permissive waste, and he gave judgment for plaintiffs for $16 damages without costs, and for defendants for two-thirds of their costs of defence against plaintiffs, such damages to be set off and deducted from such costs. Plaintiffs contended that defendants were liable also for permissive waste. D. W. Dumble, Peterborough, for defendants, contra. Reserved.

An important appeal case was heard, in which local interests are involved, as follows :

Yelland v. Yelland—Watson, Q.C., and Moore, (Peterborough) for defendant, Eliza Yelland and her child, the infant defendant, appealed from the judgment of McMahon J., who tried the action at Peterborough, declaring that the plaintiff, the father of the late Dr. Albert E. Yelland, and the infant defendant, the son of deceased, were entitled each to a moiety of the sum of $1 000, arising upon a benefit certificate upon the life of the deceased, issued by the Canadian Order of Foresters. The certificate was on its face payable to the next of kin of the deceased. The appellants relied upon the terms of the will of the deceased, and upon a change in the rules of the benefit society made in the life time of the deceased. Ponsette, Q.C., for plaintiff, contra. Judgment reserved.

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Monday, 7th day of February 1898,

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G. W. HATTON.
Secretary-Treasurer.

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—In the Book Department it's nip and tuck between the invoice and selling price—often the selling is the lowest.
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—Eagle Pencils with rubber tips, per dozen 10c.
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—Latest London Society Invitation, new paper, with envelopes to match.
—Have you tried our English Silurean Note Paper, 5 quires in a neat box for 25c.
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—Remnants of Flannelette,
—Remnants of Prints,
—Remnants of Table Linen,
—Remnants of Muslins,
—Remnants of Sateens,
—Remnants of Ribbons,
—Remnants of Laces,
—Remnants of Carpets,
—Remnants of every description,
—Odd lines of Hosiery,
—Odd lines of Gloves,
—Odd lines of Corsets,
—Odd lines of Underwear,
—Odd lines of Millinery,
—Odd lines of Mantles,
—Odd lines of Curtains,
—Odd lines of Portiers.

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A Magnificent Meeting in the Town Hall.

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It Was The Largest Political Meeting Ever Held in Lakefield.

He Gives an Able Address Backed by Facts and Figures—Mr. Blezard Speaks—Mr. Garvin Present—His Personal References and Misleading Statements Mercilessly Carved—Lakefield in Line for the Liberal Candidate—Large Representation of Ladies Present.

Not one of the most successful and largest, but the largest and most successful political meeting ever held in the village of Lakefield was held last night in the town hall, Lakefield, in the interests of the people's candidate, Mr. Stratton. In spite of the extremely cold and stormy weather, the hall was filled, there being a large number of ladies present in the front seats, and the interest taken by them in the speeches of the evening, as well as the interest taken by the audience, showed that the people of Lakefield, Liberals and Conservative alike, were present to assist in the discussion of public issues and were open to conviction. Mr. Blezard's opening address dealt generally with the claims of the Government to a renewal of confidence on the part of the people. Mr. Garvin, the Opposition candidate, was present, and made one of his characteristic speeches, full of rant and mere statement, but strikingly wanting in proof. He went largely into personalities, but made a big mistake in attacking Mr. Stratton and accusing him of using his representative position to advance his own interests in connection with loan and trust companies, but Mr. Stratton showed and produced proof—as he always does—of all his statements that Mr. Garvin was—to put it mildly—misleading the people and himself making incorrect and slanderous statements to injure the speaker's personal character and all for the petty sake of scoring a political point and Mr. Stratton showed that that was the general character of the addresses made throughout the riding by Mr. Garvin and his stumping associates.

Mr. John Hull was voted to the chair and had a sinecure as far as any effort was required for keeping order, for Lakefield maintained its reputation for fair play and becoming behaviour by giving the best attention and the most respectful hearing to all the speakers.

MR. BLEZARD SPEAKS.

The veteran representative of East Peterborough was very warmly received when he rose to speak. He said that it was the second time he had visited Lakefield. The first time he came to the village was when Mr. Stratton was first a candidate, and at the first meeting held in the village in his interest. Mr. Stratton was at that time young and experienced, but to-night, Mr. Blezard said, he was quite a different man, with ripe parliamentary experience and with an unsurpassed record as a faithful representative. (Cheers.) Mr. Blezard was glad to see so many of his Douro friends present. He also referred to his being the oldest representative in the House, with two exceptions, and these two exceptions men not candidates at this election, and when he returned to the House next session he would be the oldest private member of the House. (Cheers.) He also referred to his relations with his constituents and to his friendly relations with his political opponents. He pointed out that in his first campaign about twenty years ago he had heard the cry of direct taxation, and it was not the fault of the Opposition that we had not direct taxation to-day, for the Opposition had co-operated with the Dominion Government in the attempt of the latter to rob Ontario of 100,000 square miles of territory, rich in timber and minerals whose resources would keep away direct taxation for a hundred years. (Cheers.) Mr. Whitney at Norwood had stated that twenty-eight millions of dollars had been derived from timber resources (it should have been twenty-three millions), and claimed that it should have been hoarded up, but Mr. Blezard showed that it was a wise policy on the part of the government to expend that revenue upon Education and other important needs of the people, in the maintenance of our public institutions and in other sources. If the government had not returned this money to the people the people would have had to

PUT THEIR HANDS IN THEIR POCKETS

and pay by direct taxation for the services and improvements they had enjoyed. (Cheers.) Mr. Stratton's opponents complained that the public accounts were not in proper shape, yet during the whole of the session not a single public account was questioned by the Opposition in the Public Accounts Committee. The whole time of the committee was taken up with the disgusting details of the petty piggery business, respecting which the author himself, Mr. St. John, said twas not intended to implicate the government but some of the officials. Mr. Blezard, after a tribute to Mr. Stratton's excellent record as a representative and his standing as a parliamentarian, closed his remarks amidst hearty applause.

THE OPPOSITION CANDIDATE.

Mr. Garvin, the Opposition candidate, was present, and was given an hour to address the meeting.

After considerable time spent in introductory remarks, he proceeded to say that if Mr. Stratton had been a good representative and had done a good deal for the riding, he deserved no credit for—he had done no more than his duty. He then went into personalities. He charged that Mr. Stratton had used his representative position to advance his own personal interests, and instanced the Dominion Building and Loan Association and the Trusts and Guarantee Company as examples, and charged that the Government had shown favours and permitted the organization of companies that were not sufficiently backed by capital. He also charged that with respect to the Trusts and Guarantee Company that the Government had practically given Mr. Stratton and his political friends a monopoly by providing that no more such companies should be organized. Turning to the financial question. Mr. Garvin, by a peculiar manipulation of figures, arrived at the astounding conclusion that the province had run behind thirty-one millions since Confederation. He went on to insist that the public accounts were not properly audited, and that the auditor-general did not do his duty. He also attacked the Eagledue mining agreement, and asserted that it was a monopoly instead of a proper agreement in the interests of the people. He also dealt in his usual manner with the school book monopoly, and made the usual misleading comparison of a cheap novel with the Fourth Reader. He repeated his argument that there were too many young teachers, and promised, on Mr. Whitney's behalf, that that gentleman, who was a statesman, would give the Minister of Education an advisory board, and would conduct the education department properly. Mr. Garvin made another astounding statement. He charged that the Ontario Government had done little or nothing for the working classes and concluded by appealing to his audience to vote in the best interests of the province. He resumed his seat with applause from his friends.

MR. STRATTON'S ADDRESS.

The chairman said he did not need to introduce Mr. Stratton, because they all knew him, and knew him as the best representative West Peterborough ever had. (Cheers.)

Mr. Stratton in rising to address the meeting was received with very hearty applause. He referred to the pleasure it gave him to be present among his many friends in Lakefield, and particularly congratulated the ladies upon their attendance. They have been important factors in assisting his election in the past and he felt sure he could rely upon their sympathy in the present campaign. He then went on to point out that he had been personally attacked in the campaign of misrepresentation and abuse his opponents were conducting, and dealt with the several attacks that had been made on him at Mr. Garvin's Lakefield meeting, and deprecated the use of personal arguments in a discussion of public affairs. He had only dealt personally with Mr. Garvin, in respect of his relations as a candidate to the public, and pointed out that because Mr. Garvin could not secure the nomination which he had twice sought and had twice been refused in his native county, Simcoe, where he was best known, that was no reason why he should claim to be elected in West Peterborough over a candidate who was born in the county, and had lived all his life there, and had spent his life in promoting the interests of the riding. He then went on to deal with Mr. Garvin's charge that he had used his representative position to advance his personal interests, especially in respect of the financial companies of which he (Mr. Stratton) was president. He then went on to point out where Mr. Garvin had misstated the facts. In the first place the charter of the Dominion Building and Loan Association was not obtained from the Ontario Government at all, but it is now operated under a charter of the Dominion Government. Mr. Stratton pointed out that, contrary to Mr. Garvin's statement the board of this company was a Conservative board, and he as president was the only Liberal member of it. Why should Mr. Garvin make such sweeping and positive statements on a subject which he knew nothing about? Why should he, to injure a political opponent, resort to misrepresentation, which was the policy pursued by him and his friends in this campaign? The facts showed in this respect that he (Mr. Stratton) had not used nor ever used his representative position to advance his own interests, rather his representative career had been against his interest, and Mr. Garvin's statement that the company was not financially strong enough, was exposed by the fact that he (Mr. Garvin) had a few shares of instalment stock in the company. His private judgment gives the lie to his public statements or rather misstatements made for the purpose of injuring a political opponent. The Dominion Company had millions of capital, was one of the first in the land, paid the largest dividends, and was looked upon by capable financiers as a wonderful success. Was it a disgrace, Mr. Stratton asked, if he showed sufficient energy and business ability to develop such a company and secure the co-operation of the foremost financial men of the province as directors, and mostly Conservatives, and was it any discredit if those Conservative gentlemen saw fit to

UNANIMOUSLY ELECT HIM PRESIDENT

year after year? In his innocence he (Mr. Stratton) thought it was creditable. (Cheers).

In regard to the Trust Company, which Mr. St. John had denounced in the opera house, and Mr. Garvin that night, they were equally astray. Mr. Garvin asserted that the Ontario Government gave The Trusts and Guarantee Company a monopoly and explicit advantages to political friends. The facts were that since that company had come into existence another company had been chartered and the board of the Trust and Guarantee Company was composed of Liberals and Conservatives, among the later being Hon. Geo. E. Foster and other prominent Conservatives, some members of Parliament, and the solicitor was a son of Sir John Thompson. (Cheers.) Where was the monopoly? Where are the advantages? It was pure business on business principles. The company was organized under the general law and had nothing to thank the Government for. If Mr. Garvin knew the merest rudiments of business he would not make the wild and misleading statements he had made. Anybody that would comply with the conditions of the law in regard to capital, etc., could get a charter, and it largely depended upon the strength of the directorate and the capital as to success. His company had the largest subscribed capital of any company doing similar business in this province, and its shareholders comprised the very best citizens of all the leading towns in the province. (Cheers). Mr. Stratton asked if he should be blamed because, by the exercise of his business abilities, he had brought together prominent capitalists, composed of men of ability and financial standing, apart altogether from what their political views were, and had inspired sufficient confidence to be elected president of the company. If Mr. Garvin would stick to the truth he would be welcome to all the capital he could make out of his (Mr. Stratton's) connections with financial institutions. He had never made money out of his representative position. On the other hand there were hundreds in the county knew that the loss of time and response to demands for improving the several interests of a riding that always fall upon a representative, had not made him richer. Was this politics? What had this to do with the government or their policy? This man Mr. Garvin had been crying about personalities in this campaign. No man of any sense of decency or honour would have made the exhibition of himself that he has made here to-night. (Applause.) Mr. Garvin who had complained of personalities committed the very sin he was reproving. He had disparged the Liberal candidate and had gone out of his way to-night by the use of misstatements and discussion of personal matters personally disparging to the speaker. Was it decent politics to refer to the government of the province as "pigmy politicians," men of no ability or brains? Did the opposing candidate possess all the brains? He might think so. (Laughter.) Mr. Ross, Mr. Hardy, Mr. Gibson and Mr. Harty might be "pigmy politicians" in the eyes of Mr. Garvin, with his great intellect. (Applause) Sir Oliver Mowat may have been a man of straw and without brains, the supporters of the Government in the Legislature may have been men of no calibre. The best code of laws ever given to any province or state may have been the work of brainless idiots. The development of the province may have been brought about by pigayune narrow-minded politicians; all these long years the province may have been ruled by fools and know-nothings, but would it not be better for Mr. Garvin to show how he would improve things than by railing against men who know almost as much as himself, and showing his ability in argument by calling names. Let him point out

WHERE HE WOULD IMPROVE

the code of laws for municipal purposes which the province enjoyed, the best in the world. Does he tell you how he and his friends would devise a better system of education, which had been pronounced by competent and independent judges the best in the world. He nor his friends did not submit any better way of developing the resources of the province than had been followed by the Government. His criticism of the attitude of the government towards the labouring classes was without point. The fact was that the statute books of the province contained thirty-eight distinct laws framed in the interests of the workingman—a provision in the interests of labour unexcelled by any country in the world. Mr. Stratton went on to deny statements that had been made in Lakefield by Mr. Garvin and his supporters, and showed that the grossest misrepresentation had been made. He went on to deal with the timber question in connection with the charge of squandering our resources, and that we were on the verge of direct taxation. He showed that far less timber had been sold under the Mowat Government then under former administrations, and that better prices had been obtained. That at the past rate of cutting there would be timber left as a revenue producer for over a hundred years. And he showed what assets we had in the country representing our timber. The most complete equipment of public buildings, all built out of current revenue, and without a dollar of debt or with a dollar of misappropriated money. (Cheers.) Mr. Stratton pointed out that the architect who looked after the plans of our public buildings for all these years was deserving of credit with the government for the excellent value received, and he pointed out that at the last session the Opposition had moved a resolution that would have sent this faithful servant adrift in the world, and he (Mr. Stratton) was the only member of the House to speak up for him and to demand that an old and faithful servant who had served the province so well, though a Conservative, should not have his services so ungratefully recognized, and the motion was defeated, and the province was saved the discredit which the Opposition had sought to bring upon it by

IGNORING THE FAITHFUL SERVICES

of a man who had saved the Province so much money, and that man was Mr. Rivers Tully, a relative of a prominent citizen of Lakefield. (Cheers.)

Mr. Stratton went on to explain the timber policy of the Government in regard to the manufacture of logs in Ontario, and showed that the conditions called upon the Government to take the course it did take, and that neither the Opposition nor the Government were entitled to any particular credit for the course taken. He went on to show how wisely the Government had administered the financial affairs of the province, with the result that we had a surplus of assets of over five millions of dollars and not a cent of debt. (Cheers.) He showed that while the expenditure had been increased it had been increased in the interests of the taxpayers, whose burdens were lightened by the expenditures, represented by money returned to the people. He went on to point out that the county of Peterborough had in the past thirty years received in this manner the large sum of $746,000. (Cheers.) Mr. Garvin had condemned the expenditure on colonization roads, but he (Mr. Stratton) was glad that he had had sufficient influence to help the riding to the extent he had done, and he pointed to the improvements the people enjoyed as the result of the expenditure of money on colonization roads he had been able to obtain. Was he to blame if he exercised his influence for the benefit of his constituents? (Cheers.) Mr. Stratton also dealt with the charge that

THE PROVINCIAL AUDITOR

could be dismissed by the Government, and showed that he could only be dismissed by Parliament, and not by the Government, and produced the statutes to prove that he was right—something, he said, the Opposition in this campaign did not do—produce proof for their bald and general statements. He also dealt with the school book question and showed that Mr. Garvin had compared a poor and cheaply made novel, one of a job lot which had run its day, and which the publishers were glad to get rid of at almost any price, with a well-bound, well-printed school book, which was produced as cheaply as it could be produced, and which a competent Royal Commission had declared could not be produced any more cheaply. He denounced the unfairness of Mr. Garvin in making such a misleading comparison. (Cheers.) Referring to Mr. Garvin's charge that in the dying hours of the session the Government had given large sums to railways when there was no second chamber, Mr. Stratton asked where there was a better second chamber than the electors of Ontario? (Cheers.) He briefly described the Eagledue arrangement, and showed that it was a wise course to enlist British capital in the development of our dormant mines. The result was to give a large employment to Canadian labour. (Cheers.)

Mr. Garvin had denounced the secret ballot and had quoted an instance where he said he (Mr. Stratton) had told a certain man how a certain number of electors had voted. Mr. Stratton

FLATLY DENIED THE STATEMENT.

and said it was absolutely false and untrue then went on to refer to the ballot of Ontario, which was the same as they had in England and Australia. Who gave the electors the ballot anyway? It was the Liberal party. (Cheers.) Mr. Meredith and his friends had

VOTED AGAINST IT

and the Conservatives of the Dominion had opposed it, though Sir John Macdonald and Sir John Abbott had favoured the Ontario ballot, and Mr. Chapleau said that the Ontario was the most secret. Mr. Stratton showed that the Ontario ballot was secret as far as the public was concerned, and he pointed out the advantages presented in detecting fraud under the Ontario ballot. Ballot stuffing was an impossibility. Was it so with the Dominion ballot? They had had disgraceful proof that it was not and he quoted Hon. Mr. Chapleau to show that under the Dominion system there were ways of finding out how a man voted. He (Mr. Chapleau) was positive in stating that the Dominion ballot was not absolutely secret. Mr. Stratton pointed out that after voting in Ontario elections the returning officer sealed the ballots. Then they were sent to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery and after thirty days, if there was no protest they were destroyed. In case of a protest, under the Ontario ballot there was a means of tracing fraud, and that was a very important matter to preserve the purity of electors. The advantages of the Ontario ballot in the case of ballot stuffing and preventing fraud were apparent to all, and a ballot that was good enough for old England was good enough for Ontario. (Cheers.)

Mr. Stratton concluded a masterly address that covered the field of discussion very completely, by appealing to the electors. If the people believed that he had served them well, if they believed that the government he had the honour of supporting had served them well, if they believed, as they must believe, that the government had used the resources of the province solely for the benefit of the people, then he appealed to them for a renewal of their confidence. Mr. Stratton resumed his seat amidst enthusiastic applause.

The most successful, largest, most orderly and in every way satisfactory political meeting ever held in Lakefield, was brought to a close by a vote of thanks to the chairman, and hearty cheers for the Queen and Mr. Stratton.

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Boys' 3 Piece Suits	was	5.25	and	7.50	now	3.80	and 4.75
Youth's long pant Suits	was	4.50	and	5.00	now	3.25	and 3.80
Youth's long pant Suits	was	5.25	and	9.00	now	4.00	and 6.00
Men's Suits	was	5.50	and	6.00	now	3.00	and 5.25
Men's Suits	was	5.25	and	15.00	now	4.00	and 7.50
Children's Ulsters and Coats	was	3.75	and	5.00	now	1.95	and 3.00
Youths' Ulsters and Coats	was	4.75	and	6.50	now	2.50	and 4.00
Boys' and Youths' Pea Jackets and Reefers	was	2.50	and	5.00	now	1.65	and 3.00
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DURATION OF HUMAN LIFE.

A Man Might Possibly Live to Be One Hundred and Twenty-five Years Old.

In the average statistics of human life it has been found that women live longer than men. The reason for that appears to be simple.

Up to the age of 20 to 25 the man is undoubtedly younger and less developed than the woman, but in the next 20 or 30 years of his life the man ages much more rapidly, because apart from the strain and hardship of a profession, the exposure to unhealthful climates, the disappointments of fortune, he often leads a life of dissipation and excess which early puts its stamp upon his forehead and turns his hair gray before its time. The woman, on the other hand, who has often more than her share of anxieties, has, apart from the many accidents of life, but one serious and inevitable danger, that of the perpetuation of her race, which, safely passed, renovates rather than ages and increases a woman's chance of longevity.

From the few facts that I have ventured to put together we may deduce, I think, the following conclusions, which, I trust, may be found of some interest by those who desire to have a general view of the expectation of life, its real duration and the possible causes of its length and brevity.

First.—That, according to the best authorities of the last century, the extreme limit of life might be 136 years under extraordinary and almost abnormal circumstances.

Second.—That the anticipation of life is roughly five times the time that the organs of the body—not counting the brain, which develops later—require to attain their full and absolute maturity. This, of course, varies not only in races, but in individuals, some developing early and some much later, even in the same climate and in the same family.

Third.—That rarely, if ever, is that full duration achieved, owing to disease, food, heredity, bad habits, wear and tear and many other causes which shorten life.

Fourth.—The slower the development the longer may be the duration of life.

Fifth.—That all human beings are not born with the capacity for long life even under the most favorable circumstances. As the organism of the human being is more complex than that of the lower animals, so his anticipation of life is far more variable.

Sixth.—That those circumstances which conduce to longevity are undoubtedly late development, frugal habits, moderation, exemption from vicissitudes of climate and extreme of heat or cold, from mental worry and agitation, temperature in eating and drinking, with a fair amount of brain work when the brain is ready to undertake it.

We have all heard the well worn axiom attributed to the Psalmist that the "days of man are threescore and ten," but in Genesis vi, 3, will be found the following passage, "Yet his days shall be an hundred and twenty years." This passage seems to have been overlooked, as I have rarely seen it quoted, although curiously enough it exactly corresponds to the theory that man should attain five times the period of reaching his maturity.—Nineteenth Century.

FOR ORDER IN THE COURT.

A Protest Against Dramatic Demonstrations In Trials by Jury.

There is a practice the universal prevalence of which in our existing trials by jury makes justice a misnomer. It is a practice whose evils, so far as I can discover, have never been commented upon, or even appreciated, by the press, public or individuals. I refer to the whole method by which, right or wrong, innocence or guilt is sought to be proved by the counsel on either side.

Assume, for instance, a criminal case—for the same method is applied, though usually to a lesser degree, to civil contests. Beginning with the opening arraignment by the prosecution, thence through the examination and cross examination of the witnesses, the display of exhibits, on to the very end of the final harangues of the opposing counsel, the dramatic is never lost sight of.

The emotions, not the intelligence, of the jurors are appealed to throughout.

In a typical murder case which recently gratified the morbidly sensational element of the entire country the district attorney arose impressively, glanced about him ominously and then, with a tremulously tragic voice, proceeded to arraign the accused, charging him outright with the crime, practically assuming without doubt that he was guilty and endeavoring by the use of every wile of the orator's art to sway the jury to his mode of thinking. And this before the minutest bit of evidence had been taken.

Is eloquence a proper adjunct to our jurisprudence?

Heretic though I may be, I hold emphatically and with qualification that it is not. It has no place in a hall of justice, where, we are led to believe, the truth and only the truth is to be brought out. Eloquence, as manifested by oratory, is inimical to truth, which can only be discovered and established by calm, unprejudiced and dispassionate investigation.

Eloquence appeals to the emotions, and its victories are obtained by trickery—the trickery of masterful verbiage playing upon sensitive but unreasoning ears.

The claim that cannot be justified before the reason cannot be valid. Eloquence is the weapon of falsity. Truth and right do not require its use. The sphere of eloquence is the stage. In the pulpit, before the bar of justice and in the hall of legislation it is a source of unlimited evil.

I hold that for the accomplishment of justice all the theatric displays, all eloquence, all excitants to the emotions, should be banished from our courts of law by sentiment if not by regulation. They have no place there.

Judicial procedure should be along the lines similar to the investigation of scientific propositions and discoveries. The establishment of right or wrong, guilt or innocence, is something to be effected by cold, prosaic, rigid inquiry, step by step, as analogous as may be to mathematical demonstration.

We shall have to wait long for the time when this is recognised, but it will be in the indefinite future, and when that time does come we may be more confident that our courts of justice are such in something more than name.—Criterion.

Persecuted by Office Seekers.

"The Inner Experiences of a Cabinet Member's Wife" is one of the most interesting contributions to The Ladies' Home Journal. In a series of letters the wife of a cabinet member writes to her sister of office seekers and of those in the departments. "You can have no idea," she anonymously declares, "how Henry (her husband) is persecuted by applicants for his influence with the president or with the heads of departments. He really has no influence outside of his own department, and he is wearing his sympathies into tatters listening to tales of woe. The saddest case that has come under my own observation is that of a maiden lady, fully 50 years old, who has worked in the departments ever since the war. Senatorial influence has kept her in all these years, but now that the civil service reforms are being introduced she is in despair, for, although perfectly competent at her work, she never in the world could pass one of those rigid examinations. She called upon me bearing a letter of introduction from Mrs. Arthur Folsom (Mary Allison), who married into one of the old families here. I don't know whether her family lost their means by the war or in some other way, but they did lose everything when she was a gay girl at the top of society in both Alexandria and Washington. She told me about dancing in a set of lancers opposite Abraham Lincoln, who, though awkward and angular in his dancing, seemed to enjoy it and always had a gay word for everybody. She says her feeling for Mr. Lincoln was something more than respect—it was more like adoration; that she has often wondered if people did not feel just so toward the great religious prophets who must have spread abroad what Mr. Lincoln did—an atmosphere of sympathetic kindness, trust, purity and nobility."

be most northern lighthouse in Great Britain, the northwest tower on the coast of Shetland, is built on a rock 200 feet high, the summit of which barely affords room for the necessary buildings. The rock itself has the appearance of a gigantic iceberg.

GOOD NEWS FROM GOOD MEN.

CLERGYMEN SPEAK STRONGLY

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SUFFERINGS FROM RHEUMATISM.

From the Gazetta, Galena, Illinois.

A gentleman connected with the Gazette was recently conversing with Rev. Joseph Sechler who spoke of the above mentioned disease. Mr. Sechler is a clergyman of the Reformed church and has been a prominent minister of that body for over thirty years, and has nearly all that time resided in Lena, Stephenson County, Ill. He was active in founding the Northern Illinios College at Dakota in that county and was for eight years secretary of that institution, and for two years its financial agent, which position he had to abandon from causes hereafter mentioned, since which time he has taken charge of a congregation of his brethern in the town of Harlem, a few miles from his residence.

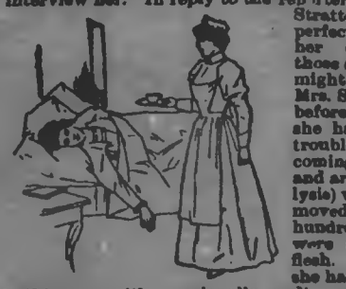
This worthy minister informed the reporter that for fifteen years he was the victim of that dread disease, rheumatism. The pain was so intense that he contemplated abondoning his calling.

Somewhat discouraged, but with a faint hope of recovery, he was led to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. After three months he was comparatively free from pain. He continued the use of the remedy at longer intervals and at the end of six months he felt that the disease was entirely eradicated. Another great benefit came to him at this time.

During this fifteen years of suffering there was added to the malady the lesser one of piles which itself would have been a terrible affliction but for the overshadowing one of rheumatism. In the effort to cure the greater the lesser one gave way. He can now fulfil the duties of his calling without being diverted by the agony that he suffered for so many years. He can with confidence conscientiously recommend these pills to all afflicted with the diseases mentioned.

THE PASTOR'S WIFE.

Rev. B. F. Stratton, of Little Britain, is one of the best known ministers in the Bay of Quinte Conference, of which body he is an ex-president. Wherever Mr. Stratton and his estimable wife have been stationed they have won hosts of friends among all classes for their unassuming and sincere Christian work. A few years ago Mrs. Stratton was attacked with partial paralysis and her restoration having been attributed to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a reporter of the Napanee Beaver was sent to Selby, where they then resided to interview her. In reply to the reporter's question Mrs. Stratton said she was perfectly willing to give her experience that those similarly afflicted might be benefitted. Mrs. Stratton said that before moving to Selby she had been greatly troubled by a numbness coming over her sides and arms (partial paralysis) which, when she moved, felt as though hundreds of needles were sticking in the flesh. For over a year she had been troubled in this way, with occasionally a dizzy spell. She was becoming emaciated and easily fatigued, and was unable to get sleep from this cause. The trouble seemed to be worse at night time. Mr. Stratton had become greatly alarmed at the bad state of health, and it was feared that complete paralysis would ensue. Knowing a young lady in Trenton where Mr. Stratton had been previously stationed, who had been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, it was determined to give them a fair trial. When Mrs. Stratton began using the pills she was very thin and her system badly run down, but after taking the pills for a time, all symptoms of paralysis disappeared, and she found her health and strength renewed and her weight increased. Mrs Stratton is about fifty years of age, and a more healthy, robust and younger looking lady is seldom seen at that age.



In reply to the reporter's inquiry as to what Pink Pills had done for his wife, Mr. Stratton said, "Look at her, look at her, doesn't she show it," and the reporter could not but admit the truth of the statement.

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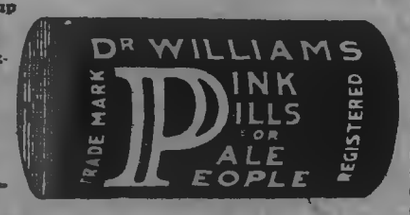

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A MISSIONARY'S WORK

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That the claims made on behalf of these Pills are not overstated is amply borne out by the following letter from the Rev David Forbes, missionary, Poplar Dale, Algoma, Ont. Mr. Forbes writes:—"I feel that I would be remiss in my duty did I not write to let you know the wonderful benefit derived by a young lady here from the use of your Pink Pills. Miss Mary Martin was taken sick two years ago, and all the medical treatment she underwent proved of no avail. Visiting the family in my capacity as missionary, I saw with sorrow that unless something was done to avert the progress of her trouble, she would not be long for this world. She was pale, almost bloodless, and subject to all the distressing symptoms which accompany anæmia and bring the victim to an early grave. I urged the parents to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They acted upon my advice, and I am rejoiced that they have fully and entirely restored her health, and in the rosy-cheeked girl of to-day you would not recognize the invalid of a short time before. The words of her grateful mother to me were these: "We have to thank you, Mr. Forbes, for recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They have saved our daughter's life and we are more grateful than we can say, and freely give you the permission to send this testimonial, in the hope that some one in similar circumstances may be benefitted."

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

From the Simcoe Reformer.

In the early days of Methodism in Canada the gospel was spread abroad in the land by the active exertions of the circuit rider. It required a man of no ordinary health and strength, an iron constitution and unflagging determination, to fulfil the arduous duties incumbent on one who undertook to preach salvation to his fellowmen. Many fell by the wayside, while others struggled on and prospered, and a few are to-day enjoying a ripe old age, happy in the knowledge that a lasting reward will soon be theirs. Rev. David Williams, who lives two miles southwest of Nixon, Ontario, Norfolk County, was one of these early days circuit riders. He was a man of vigorous health, and although without many advantages in the way of early education he succeeded by dint of hard and constant study in being admitted to the ministry. For many years he had been a sufferer from kidney and kindred diseases. He tried all kinds of remedies, and although sometimes temporarily relieved, he gradually grew worse until in October, 1895, he was stricken with paralysis. From this he partially recovered his powers of speech, but it left his memory so poor that he could not remember the name of the person to whom he wished to speak without thinking intently for several minutes. In addition to this trouble he had intense bodily suffering; pains in the head, across the forehead, in the temples and behind the ears, across the lower part of the skull and in the joint of the neck. He had great weakness and pains in the back, hips and legs. In fact, so much did he suffer that sleep was almost an impossibility, and he fell away in weight until he weighed only 115 pounds. By this time, December, 1895, he became despondent and felt that if he did not obtain relief, he would soon bid adieu to the things of this world. On the 20th December he read of a cure in the Reformer by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and, being seized with a sudden inspiration, at once wrote to Brockville for a supply of this marvellous remedy. Immediate good results followed their use and he has improved wonderfully during the past year. He has recovered his bodily health and strength, is comparatively free from pain, and his memory is nearly as good as it ever was. Mr. Williams says: "I can heartily endorse the many good things said of these pills in the papers, and strongly recommend them to any one suffering as I was."

A BROADMINDED DIVINE.

The Rev. Samuel R. Calthrop, D.D., is the pastor of the May Memorial church in Syracuse, N.Y., and one of the most prominent and popular men in the city. He was born in England and received his scholastic training at St. Paul's school, London, and Trinity College, Camb'dg. He came to Syracuse about 1859, where he has laboured ever since. We give herewith a good likeness of him and are allowed to publish a letter written by him last year to the editor of the Syracuse, N Y Evening News It follows:—

Rev. Dr. Calthrop, Syracuse, N. Y.

To the Editor of the Evening News:—

DEAR SIR,—More than 35 years ago I wrenched my left knee, throwing it almost from its socket. Great swelling followed, and the synovial juice kept leaking from the joint.

This made me lame for years, and from time to time the weak knee would give out entirely, and the swelling would commence. This was always occasioned by some strain like a sudden stop. The knee gradually recovered, but always was weaker than the other.

About 15 years ago, the swelling recommenced, this time without any wrench at all, and before long I realized that this was rheumatism settling in the weakest part of the body. The trouble came so often that I was obliged to carry an opiate in my pocket everywhere I went. I had generally a packet in my waistcoat pocket, but in going to a conference at Buffalo, I forgot it, and as the car was damp and cold, before I reached Buffalo, my knee was swollen to twice its natural size.

I had seen the good effects that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were having in such cases, and I tried them myself with the result that I have never had a twinge or a swelling since. This was effected by taking seven or eight boxes.

I need not say that I am thankful for my recovered independence, and I may add that my knee is now far stronger than it has been for 35 years.

I gladly give you this statement. Yours,

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure when other medicines fail.

A vegetable remedy for diseases arising from Disordered Liver, Stomach or Bowels, such as Headache, Biliousness, Constipation, Coated Tongue, Bad Breath, Feeling of Languor, Distress after Eating, etc.

Mrs. Clara Howe, Moncton, N.B., says: "I used Laxa-Liver Pills for Headaches and Liver Trouble, and they not only relieved me but cured me. They do not gripe or sicken and are easy to take."

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A CAPITALIST.

In that time when a big force of workmen was busy tearing down the old government building, it will be remembered, something happened to stop work on the southwest corner. All the rest of the building had melted away, crumbled beneath the picks of the men, but the section at Clark and Jackson streets still stood a good two stories high, though teams were hauling foundation stones from the opposite angle.

John Dawson, a laborer, 38 years old, husband of one wife and father of children, came down daily from his home at Eighteenth street, walking every step of the way and carrying his pick and shovel. He had been busy until the work was stopped. Then he was told day after day to "come back in the morning." And he did come back in the morning. But the work of demolition was unaccountably delayed and he was destitute. No use looking elsewhere for employment. Work was here in plenty as soon as this mysterious delay was ended. No one seemed to know why the picks had stopped on this corner. But John Dawson and his waiting companions, each with pick and shovel carefully guarded from purloining, saw men in good clothes hunting about in the dismantled rooms of the remaining corner—saw them through the grated windows, a dozen of them—and wondered.

Looking at them so one day, John Dawson, conscious of absolute destitution, remembered the slender breakfast he left untouched at Eighteenth street on pretense that he had eaten heartily and needed no more; had left untouched that the wife and the children might have something, conscious of the long walk with the shovel and pick, which grew heavier daily—conscious of many things—fell a-dreaming, and it seemed to him the men in the dismantled rooms there, passing and repassing before the iron bound windows of what had once been the subtreasury, were looking for money. And he wished he might find it instead of they.

What would he do with it?

First he would spend 3 cents for a loaf of bread. The other laborers had each a brown crusted, long, round loaf, and they broke off bits now and then and ate of it.

Over in the dismantled rooms the searchers were giving it up and the contractor's foreman at the door was stirring himself into a profane heat, so that work might presently and properly begin.

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When the subtreasury was running, Caleb Browning, being a bonded vault clerk, had lost one package containing $10,000 in various miscellaneous bills—silver certificates and national bank notes. He really had lost it. He had not stolen it. And when he could not account for it his father, Jabez Browning, had paid the loss in full without a word, and Caleb, with no stain upon him, had resigned and accepted a situation with a railway company.

There was a shout, a rush, a clamoring from men with picks and shovels. The contractor's foreman, swearing now very easily, was sending laborers here and there on the delayed southwest section, and the well dressed men who had been searching went over to their La Salle street offices and wondered where Caleb Browning's $10,000 package of bills had gone.

John Dawson, sitting on a block of stone, knew of the shout, of the clamoring, of the rush to the work, knew even of the easy, satisfying profanity of the contractor's foreman. But he could not rise. That added to his troubles. He was apparently unconscious. He was really helpless. Yet he knew all the horror of that final resumption of work and his inability to go forward.

Presently the contractor's foreman shook him, swearing cordially, and he gasped, smiled weakly and gripped the pick and shovel protectingly.

"You've been wanting work," said the foreman. "Why don't you git at it?"

And John Dawson tried to rise, but really he could not. So the foreman, knowing much, as a foreman must, motioned a lounger, and the two carried John Dawson and his pick and his shovel to a Clark street restaurant south of Jackson, and the very immoral but sympathetic proprietor placed food before him in unknown abundance.

How hard he worked when he did come back! How much he wished the wife and the little ones might have had such a meal as that! How resolutely he promised himself they should have such a meal! And how amazed he was when, working away there at the inner angle of the mighty wall, his pick pulled up a wad of paper with the brick and cement! At first he brushed it aside with the refuse, but it rolled back toward him. Then he pushed it ungently with his foot, and the dust fell away from its tissues, and its greens and whites, its letters and its figures, peered up at him. He worked away at the inner angle of the great wall for a few moments, for he was grateful to the contractor's foreman, and then he almost fainted, for the consciousness came to him that this was money.

There were other men near him, heaping rubbish on the same pile with him. They might see it. They certainly would if he dived down and picked it up. So he hammered with his pick blindly, not seeing the wall, and then he took off his hat and laid it on the money.

After ten minutes he pulled the hat from the cement and brick dust, carefully bringing up the package of bills with it, and tucked hat and all within the bosom of his shirt and worked bareheaded and feverishly until night. He went home, stolidly secure. He had found money. If he said nothing, he would not have to give it back.

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"Where did you get this money?" asked William Brown, reputable lawyer, eying a $100 bill which a laboring man—a very dusty and pronounced laboring man—placed in his hand.

"I found it."

"You stole it."

"You're a liar," said John Dawson. And the lawyer knew the man was telling the truth. Mr. Brown took out $10 for his fee for services, which he was told would later be needed, and gave back the change. John Dawson took the change and was out of trouble.

He worked just as hard at the federal building, but he paid cash at the grocery. His wife went down town with money, and they had enough to eat. Not another man on the job could say as much.

"If you have $10,000," said Lawyer Brown, "why don't you get some good of it? Live in a better house. Make the money pay for some of the things you need—some of the things other men have in this world. Buy things for your wife. Give her an easier time. Do something for the children. First thing you know some one will find out where you got it and will tell the man that lost it, and you'll have to give it up."

"I'll kill him first!" cried John Dawson. His hands were clinched above his head, his teeth were set, his eyes were staring, his breath came heavily. He really would have done it.

They lived in a cosy flat. Dawson behaved himself. The neighbors respected him and admired his children. The wife, like most women, was capable of struggling with penury or of adorning the halls of plenty. Her home was a bower.

The preacher called on John Dawson, and the family went to church. The children were in Sunday school. The wife learned something from everything she saw. There was a servant in the kitchen.

Lawyer Brown, looking for an investment, advised the purchase of 200 feet of land in Washington avenue. On that they built a row of houses, financing the affair from the basis of a clear title. John Dawson superintended the construction, and men of quality associated with him. When he went into the bank, he found the cashier respected him, talked to him, not with him much, for John Dawson was a shrewdly quiet man.

He found—the most amazing thing of all—that a man's word was sacred. A promise was kept. An obligation was discharged. A duty was fulfilled. He began to understand the things that a son and a daughter might be proud about.

The row in Washington avenue was bought before the buildings were finished. People seemed to recognize in John Dawson a lucky man. They showered offers upon him. He wore pretty good clothes—anyway, the tailor made them—and earned $200 a month without striking a blow with his hands.

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In December Lawyer Brown said:

"I found out who lost that $10,000. His name is"—

But John Dawson had dived through the door with a thunderous crash, had fairly tumbled down stairs and was walking blindly, insanely down the street.

He came back after two days.

"Who was it?" he said.

"Who was what?"

"Who lost the money?"

He was calm now, but desperately discouraged.

"It was Caleb Browning, one of the clerks. His father, Jabez Browning, made it good, and no one but them and the accounting officers know anything about it. Of course no one knows where it is."

"Of course not. Give it back."

"Wha-at?"

The lawyer was almost as wild as his client had been.

"Give it back. It belongs to him."

"But—my—dear—sir"—

"It isn't mine. Give it back. I will pay you for what trouble it has cost you."

Men had respected him. Women respected his wife. Many people smiled on his children. He wanted to deserve all this, even if, deserving, he lost it.

Lawyer Brown saw Jabez Browning and offered to give back the money.

"How much will you keep out for your services?"

"Nothing. You get every dollar."

"Legal interest would be about the fair thing, wouldn't it?" asked the capitalist—father of vault clerks. His nerve was proverbial among his friends.

"You will get no interest money," said Lawyer Brown. He never lost his presence of mind.

So he gave to Jabez Browning $10,000 in new $100 bills.

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Next morning after the transfer John Dawson came in with his dusty digger's clothes on, offered his hand and said "Goodby."

"Where are you going?"

"Back to the pick and shovel. I have had my holiday."

"Why are you going back?"

"Because I have no money."

"Oh, but you have—plenty of money."

"Where?"

"In my hands. I have over $60,000 to your credit."

"Over 60,000 what?"

"Dollars."

"Where did you get them?"

"Bought wheat at 68, sold it at 70; bought at 67, sold at 80; bought at 76, sold at 109; bought at 94, sold at 103. Bought sugar at 110, sold at 145. Bought West Chicago when it was cheap and sold when it was dear. Bought whisky when it was down and sold it when it was up. Man that can't make money in such a season as this just passed doesn't deserve to eat.

"I have paid the $10,000, and here's a receipt in full for it. You can't be troubled. I now have to your credit $71,000. I will charge you 2 per cent on the total sum I had before settling with Browning—$1,440. That leaves you $69,560. You have a little balance on your own account, earned since you put your business into my hands. What will you do with it?"

"With all of it?"

"Yes, with all of it."

John Dawson bought government bonds while he could get them at a reasonable figure. Then he lived happy ever since.

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The moral of this tale is that honest example is often effective even on lawyers and laboring men.—Chicago Post.

No man has a right to marry a woman and make her his nurse during long years of continued ill-health. A sick man cannot be a good husband, a good provider, a successful business man or a useful citizen; a man had better be dead and done with it than to be a life-long invalid, a nuisance to everybody and especially to the woman whom he has vowed to love, honor and protect.

The trouble with the average man is that he has not the least conception of the causes of ill-health or the right way to go about remedying them. A little indigestion or biliousness in themselves are not serious complaints, but if negleted they may develop into almost any disease in the medical books. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures many serious diseases by promptly removing the causes. It braces up the weak and impaired stomach and restores the appetite. It invigorates the liver and all the secretory glands. It facilitates the flow of digestive juices. It makes the assimilation of the life-giving elements of the food absolutely perfect, and thus enriches the blood. Disease germs are scavengers, and will not enter healthy blood or tissue. They must have the inert tissues of disease upon which to feed. The "Golden Medical Discovery," by enriching the blood, tears down old and inert tissues and builds up new and healthy ones. It wards off consumption and cures, bronchial and throat affections which, if neglected, lead up to consumption. All medicine dealers sell the "Discovery."

"Eight years ago my husband coughed all the time," writes Mrs. M. J. Tedder, of Ellington, Reynolds Co., Mo. "Just as soon as he had finished a meal he would throw up. He was getting very weak. He took half a dozen bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and the 'Pleasant Pellets,' and says he feels better and stronger than ever before and weighs more. Everyone said he had consumption."

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

I have been troubled with Rheumatism for several months. I could scarcely get around. I had tried several remedies, but of no use. I read of the wonderful cures Dodd's Kidney Pills had done, and purchased one box. From the first box I began to get relief. I have used 4 boxes and I am cured.

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ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES

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THE FORGOTTEN GRAVE.

Out from the city's giant roar
You wandered through the open door,
Paused at a little pail and spade
Across a tiny hillock laid
Then noted on your dexter side
Some moneyed magnate's "love or pride,"
And so, beyond a hawthorn tree,
Shewering its rain of rosy bloom
Alike on low and lofty tomb
You came upon it suddenly.

How strange! The very grasses' growth
Around it seemed forlorn and loath;
The very ivy seemed to turn
Askance that wreathed the neighbor urn.
Sunk was the slab the head declined
And left the rails a wreck behind.
No name. You traced a "6," a "7,"
Part of "affliction" and of "heaven,"
And then—oh, irony, austere!—
You read in letters sharp and clear,
"Though lost to sight, to memory dear."
—Austin Dobson in Good Words, 1876.

The Light Side of Nature.

Siddy—I wonder if we should find any babies, Katie, if we dug up these gooseberry bushes?

Katie—Babies don't come out of gooseberry bushes, Siddy.

Siddy—Well, where do they come from, then?

Katie—Why, from the big shops, of course. Haven't you seen printed over some of them, "Families supplied?"—Sketch.

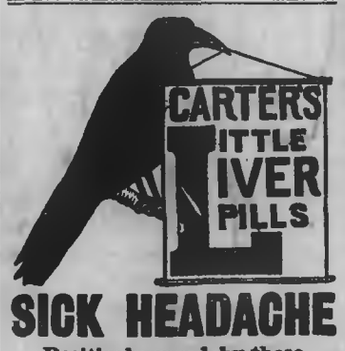
Crazy to Go.

"Did Miss Flavilla seem pleased when you asked her to go to the theater?"

"Pleased? She wanted to keep the tickets for fear something might happen to me."—Chicago Record.

Early in the fifteenth century a Paris firm annually sent to other parts of Europe more than 1,000 dolls, dressed in the latest styles, to serve as models of fashion.

Out of all the European countries only Austria and Great Britain have the rule that all travelers on the roadway must keep to the left.



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SLOAN'S INDIAN TONIC

TRADE MARK.

Robson Brown, of Valetta, July 28th, 1891, says:—

"I am sorry under the circumstances to write to you, but I feel it my duty, as I have been troubled with Dyspepsia for years, took dollars' worth of medicine and pills, but got no relief until I commenced taking your Sloan's Indian Tonic. I think I have taken 8 or 10 bottles in all, and I feel as if I have got a new lease of life, I feel so much better. I was in the habit of keeping a bottle in the house so when costive I would take a dose or two with instant relief. Now I am troubled with costive spells very often, and it was the only medicine that gave me instant relief. It seems as if I have lost my best friend. Now I would like to hear from you by return mail, as I would like to have a bottle as soon as possible.

Mrs. H. Palmer, of Ridgetown, Ont., says: I was afflicted for a number of years with Erysipelas and Neuralgia in my face, and one bottle of Sloan's Indian Tonic cured me entirely, and I would recommend it to others, either for erysipelas or neuralgia.

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TOWN HALL, Thursday, February 3rd.

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Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

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GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

GOLD MINING IN BELMONT.

MUCH ACTIVITY IN PETERBOROUGH COUNTY.

New Properties Found and Old Ones Said to Have Been Found—Prospects for Mining in the East Seem to be Good.

From reliable information to hand from the Toronto World's correspondent at Marmora, Ont., the mining operations are steadily going ahead in the county of Hastings.

At the Delora mines the Canadian Gold Field Company (Limited) are adding extensively to their already large plant. They are now erecting a huge air compressor, and it is understood that they intend shortly to build an enormous mill on the property, using the mill they already have as a test plant. At present they are sinking three new shafts, one in the middle of the main vein and the other two at either extremity thereof. These shafts are to be run down 1000 feet in order to prove the persistence of the deposits as to depth.

THE BELMONT MINE.

The Belmont mine is running night and day, with its new 10-stamp mill erected by the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Company, of Peterborough. Seventy-five men are at present employed on the property, and the experts who direct the mining and milling operations come from Glasgow and Newcastle-on-Tyne. On this property air compressors and drills are being put in and four levels are also being run from the main shaft. Sinking is being done on the other two. The mine is operated by the Cordova Exploration Company, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng., who own property in Norway, Spain, Wales and elsewhere.

This information only goes to confirm in detail that given in The World some weeks ago, and the prospects for mining in the eastern portion of the province seem to be good.

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SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA

The Primaries in the local tankard series are being played off to-day at the rink. In the morning the Peterborough Granites defeated Lakefield by 14 shots and Orillia won from Keene by 20 shots. Peterborough and Orillia are playing off this afternoon.

BICYCLE CLUB'S MEETING.

A meeting of the members of the Peterborough and Victoria Bicycle Clubs will be held at the Victoria club rooms on Thurday evening, 3rd February, to discuss the matter of making application for the July meet of this year. Members of both clubs are urged to be present and to express their views. Don't forget, Thursday night next. Delegates to the district meeting at Peterborough on Feb. 7th, will also be appointed. 2d

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Moore, took his Sunday morning and evening texts from Gal. vi, 2, and James ii, 18. From these texts he gave two very able and practical sermons.

Mr. Moore is conducting the evangelistic services at Bethel again this week. He is meeting with good success.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the W.M.S. will be held in the church on Wednesday at 3 o'clock. As very important business will be transacted all members are urged to be present.

Church prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

The cottage prayer meeting will be held at Mr. J. J. Cunningham's, Sophia street, on Friday evening. Mr. C. Noyes is to conduct the meeting and all will be welcome. These meetings are being well attended.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold a parlour social at the parsonage on Tuesday evening, Feb. 9th. There will be a good programme, games, refreshments, etc. Everbody is invited.

GLAD DYSPEPTICS

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets are Making Them Well.

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Don't Go On.

Don't go on suffering from nervous troubles that make strong men weak, impotent, and unable to do the right thing at the right time, all because the system is tobacco poisoned. We urge you to test Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they make the blood pure and rich, tingling with life and energy, and the man who feels old they make young and happy again.

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GUARANTEED CURE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.

WM. MADILL, CHEMIST, Hunter St., Peterboro.

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Why risk the Klondyke? No prospecting required to make rich finds and secure nuggets right at home.

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COMPELLED TO REDUCE ...STOCK...

Unforseen and unusual business complications—together with a stock readjustment preparatory to a business change—compel this sale. Everything to be turned into cash at once.

This is a Fur opportunity for all thrifty folks—prices have fallen and there is still PLENTY OF FUR WEATHER AHEAD. A cold snap may be a warm snap if it leads you to look at our Furs and Prices. Come in at once and secure your Fur wants for this season or for next.

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WEST		
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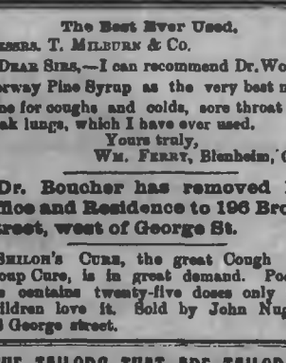

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Dated at Peterborough this 24th day of January, A.D. 1898.

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The undersigned has comfortable Brick House in desirable locality; will exchange for vacant lots. Apply to Box 1017, Peterboro'.

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For a good cup of Tea or Coffee, Hot Meat Pies, Oyster Patties, &c., call and see us at our comfortable Lunch Rooms.

Wedding Cakes made to order. Bring your Home-made Cakes and have them nicely iced and ornamented.

JAS. LONG, 228 George St. H. LONG, 414 George St.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

NOTICE

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MANITOBA,
The CANADIAN NORTH-WEST
The KOOTENAY
The PACIFIC COAST
and KLONDIKE,

Will be run via Smith's Falls instead of via Orillia as hitherto.

Trains leave week days from

PETERBOROUGH 2.48 p.m.

Canadian Pacific tickets reading via Grand Trunk Ry. to North Bay will be good on Canadian Pacific train via Smith's Falls. Passengers holding other tickets to the North West are requested to call on any Canadian Pacific Railway Agent, or write to the undersigned.

Passengers residing on the line of the Grand Trunk Ry. where there is no resident Canadian Pacific Agent, should purchase tickets to nearest Canadian Pacific station, or write to nearest agent as under signed.

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C.E. MCPHERSON, Asst. Genl. Pass. Agent, TORONTO.

TORONTO SAVINGS

And Loan Company

427 George St. Peterborough.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, No. 427 George Street, Peterborough, on

Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898,

at the hour of 2 o'clock, p.m.

By order of the Board.

W. G. MORROW, Manager

COAL!

BEST HARD COAL.

Nut No. 4, Egg.....$5.75 per ton
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THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE Andrew Douglas, situated on the north side of Gilmour Street, upon which is erected a Solid Brick Dwelling, with Frame Sheds and other conveniences. This Lot has a frontage of 70 feet on Gilmour street, and a depth of 135 feet.

Also the Lot adjoining on the west, containing 66 feet more or less, a depth of 135 feet; upon this Lot is a frame barn and work-shop complained, with stone foundation.

This Property will be sold at a bargain, upon reasonable terms of payment, further particulars on application to

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WEST PETERBOROUGH.

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WILL ADDRESS THE ELECTORS OF

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AS FOLLOWS:

SELWYN, Tuesday, February 1st

ENNISMORE

TOWN HALL, Thursday, February 3rd.

O'REILLY'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Friday, February 4th.

A large attendance of the Electors are invited to be present.

Mr. Garvin is invited to be present and will be allowed the usual time for discussion.

R. W. BELL, M.P., *President.* C. M. ROGER, *Sec. W.P.L.A.*

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

GOLD MINING IN BELMONT.

MUCH ACTIVITY IN PETERBOROUGH COUNTY.

New Properties Found and Old Ones Said to Have Been Found—Prospects for Mining in the East Seem to be Good.

From reliable information to hand from the Toronto World's correspondent at Marmora, Ont., the mining operations are steadily going ahead in the county of Hastings.

At the Delora mines the Canadian Gold Field Company (Limited) are adding extensively to their already large plant. They are now erecting a huge air compressor, and it is understood that they intend shortly to build an enormous mill on the property, using the mill they already have as a test plant. At present they are sinking three new shafts, one in the middle of the main vein and the other two at either extremity thereof. These shafts are to be run down 1000 feet in order to prove the persistence of the deposits as to depth.

THE BELMONT MINE.

The Belmont mine is running night and day, with its new 10-stamp mill erected by the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Company, of Peterborough. Seventy-five men are at present employed on the property, and the experts who direct the mining and milling operations come from Glasgow and Newcastle-on-Tyne. On this property air compressors and drills are being put in and four levels are also being run from the main shaft. Sinking is being done on the other two. The mine is operated by the Cordova Exploration Company, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng., who own property in Norway, Spain, Wales and elsewhere.

This information only goes to confirm in detail that given in The World some weeks ago, and the prospects for mining in the eastern portion of the province seem to be good.

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In Your Piano in Tune?

The change of season affects pianos as well as anything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 25 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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running every day in the year between Detroit, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City are the finest known to the railway service; they are complete and solid vestibuled rom end to end, the entire train being a moving palace of connected apartments, all furnished with the most luxurious elegance and perfection of accommodation known to car builder's art. They include free reclining, palace, sleeping, and dining cars of the latest and best patterns. Call on or write any railway agent for tickets and all information or address J. A. Richardson, Canadian passenger agent, Toronto, corner King and Yonge street.

SPORTING PASTIMES.

Hockey and Other Items of Local and General Interest.

CURLIANA

The Primaries in the local tankard series are being played off to-day at the rink. In the morning the Peterborough Granites defeated Lakefield by 14 shots and Orillia won from Keene by 20 shots. Peterborough and Orillia are playing off this afternoon.

BICYCLE CLUB'S MEETING.

A meeting of the members of the Peterborough and Victoria Bicycle Clubs will be held at the Victoria club rooms on Thurday evening, 3rd February, to discuss the matter of making application for the July meet of this year. Members of both clubs are urged to be present and to express their views. Don't forget, Thursday night next. Delegates to the district meeting at Peterborough on Feb. 7th, will also be appointed. 2d

MARK STREET CHURCH NOTES.

The pastor, Rev. Mr. Moore, took his Sunday morning and evening texts from Gal. vi, 2, and James ii, 18. From these texts he gave two very able and practical sermons.

Mr. Moore is conducting the evangelistic services at Bethel again this week. He is meeting with good success.

The regular monthly meeting of the Mark street Auxiliary of the W.M.S. will be held in the church on Wednesday at 3 o'clock. As very important business will be transacted all members are urged to be present.

Church prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

The cottage prayer meeting will be held at Mr. J. J. Cunningham's, Sophia street, on Friday evening. Mr. C. Noyes is to conduct the meeting and all will be welcome. These meetings are being well attended.

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NOTICE

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The CANADIAN NORTH-WEST
The KOOTENAY
The PACIFIC COAST
and KLONDIKE,

Will be run via Smith's Falls instead of via Orillia as hitherto.

Trains leave week days from

PETERBOROUGH 2.48 p.m.

Canadian Pacific tickets reading via Grand Trunk Ry. to North Bay will be good on Canadian Pacific train via Smith's Falls. Passengers holding other tickets to the North West are requested to call on any Canadian Pacific Railway Agent, or write to the undersigned.

Passengers residing on the line of the Grand Trunk Ry. where there is no resident Canadian Pacific Agent, should purchase ticket to nearest Canadian Pacific station, or write to nearest agent or undersigned.

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TORONTO SAVINGS

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437 George St. Peterborough.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Head Office, No. 437 George Street, Peterborough, on

Thursday, the 10th day of February, 1898,

at the hour of 3 o'clock, p.m.

By order of the Board.

W. G. MORROW,
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